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PPDC Integrated Pest Management Workgroup Meeting Agenda

1st Floor Conference Center, Potomac Yards South
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May 2, 2012

- 9:00 AM Welcome and introductions
- 9:15 AM Review meeting agenda, housekeeping, ground rules, and expectations
- 9:30 AM Review notes of October 2011 meeting and April conference call
- Thoughts on Memphis International Symposium in March
 - Recap on Statutory definition of IPM - FQPA Section 303
 - "State of IPM in EPA" and where it is headed in the near-term
- 9:45 AM Subgroup 1 - *Finalizing the development of metrics to assess the effectiveness of the new School IPM initiatives* – Discussion and consensus building
- *What can we agree on without seeing a strategic plan?*
 - *Review logic models (www.ipm.gov/LogicModels)*
 - *Concept of "wholesale"- clarify*
 - *Who are the partners in designing metrics, networking?*
 - *How can we best utilize our limited resources?*
 - *What are the minimal federal (health and pesticide) requirements for schools?*
 - *How can we best educate EPA on school IPM?*
- 10:30 AM Break
- 10:45 AM Subgroup 2 - *Appropriate ways to assess quantitatively the benefits of IPM in agriculture, public health settings, and schools* – Discussion and consensus building
- *Managing Pests / Managing risk /Assessing costs*
 - *Reviewing case studies submitted from group*
 - *Environmental and economic benefits*
 - *Who will we see "push back" from?*
 - *Who are the partners in agriculture, schools, public health?*
 - *How does this fit in with the strategic plan? What would be ideal?*
- 11:45 AM NRCS EQIP 595 IPM practice standards and IPM Conservation Activity Plan (CAP) - Tom Green
- Noon Recap on discussion ideas
- 12:10 PM New Business
- 12:25 PM Planning for Workgroup Report Out to Full PPDC
- 12:30 PM Adjourn