



NERA

Northeastern Regional Association of State Agricultural Experiment Station Directors Meeting

Hyatt at the Bellevue, Philadelphia, PA
September 26, 2017
8:00-10:00 AM

Agenda

Tuesday, September 26th [Red Room]

6:30 am	Breakfast – Ballroom Balcony
8:00 am	Call to Order and Introductions – Mark Rieger, Chair <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introductions • Agenda Modification (Additions/Deletions) and Approval • Approval of the minutes of June 14, 2017 NERA Meeting, White Sulfur Springs, WV
8:10 am	NERA Executive Committee Report – Mark Rieger, Chair <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Announcements
8:15 am	ED evaluation/Coordinator evaluation – Mark Rieger, Chair
9:00 am	Multistate Activities Committee Report – Brad Hillman, MAC
9:25 am	NERA Planning Grant Recommendations – Brad Hillman, MAC
9:40 am	NEED/NERA Planning Grant Recommendations – Brad Hillman, MAC
9:45 am	NERA March Meeting: Time and Place – Mark Rieger, Chair
9:55 am	Meeting Announcements – Mark Rieger, Chair <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • APLU Annual Meeting – Washington, DC, November 12-14, 2017 • NERA March 2017 business meeting – Washington, DC, March XX, 2018 • NEED/NERA Joint Meeting 2018 – Bethany Beach, DE, June 4-6, 2018 -Conduct in conjunction with NEED, AHS and CARET • ESS/SAES/ARD Annual Meeting – October 1-3, 2018, Somewhere in Nebraska
9:57 am	Changing of the Guard – Jan Nyrop, Chair
10:00 am	Adjourn
	Items for future discussion

	Best Practices Discussion for March 2017 Meeting – Mark Rieger, Chair
	Regional Collaboration/Potential for Funding Targeted Regional Priorities – Jody Jellison
	Hatch Project Deferral by NIFA: Strategies to Address