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PUBLIC MEETING OF THE  
NEVADA DAIRY COMMISSION  
TRANSCRIPT OF PROCEEDINGS  
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APPEARANCES

COMMISSIONERS:

Christopher Cook - Chairman  
John Collier  
Troy G. Crowther (via videoconference)

Also present:

Dennis Belcourt - Deputy Attorney General  
Kathy Easley  
Anna Vickrey  
Kimberly Whitfield (via videoconference)  
Dave Coon (via videoconference)  
Alan Perazzo  
Gary Leck

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2 FALLON, NEVADA, THURSDAY, JANUARY 21, 2016, 1:00 PM

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4 CHAIRMAN COOK: Let us open the January, 2016  
5 meeting of the Nevada State Dairy Commission. Anna,  
6 would you do the honors, please?

7 MS. VICKREY: Certainly. This is the time and  
8 place set for a regularly scheduled meeting of the  
9 Nevada State Dairy Commission for the month of January,  
10 2016.

11 This meeting has been scheduled and noticed in  
12 compliance with pertinent statutes, including the Open  
13 Meeting Law. A copy of the agenda has been handed to  
14 the court reporter with the request that it be part of  
15 the official transcript of these proceedings.

16 My name is Anna Vickrey, Operations Manager,  
17 Food Safety for the Department of Agriculture.

18 Present today are Mr. Christopher Cook,  
19 chairman; Mr. Troy G. Crowther, member of the  
20 Commission; Mr. John Collier, member of the Commission.

21 Those who present statements or evidence to the  
22 Commission during this meeting are requested to first be  
23 acknowledged by the Chairman and to identify themselves  
24 for the record.

25 CHAIRMAN COOK: Thank you. Would you proceed

1 to the first agenda item, please?

2 MS. VICKREY: Yes. For possible action,  
3 license application for a processing distributor --

4 CHAIRMAN COOK: Public comments.

5 MS. VICKREY: Oh, excuse me. Public comments  
6 and discussion.

7 CHAIRMAN COOK: We have two time slots for  
8 that, so we can -- anybody want to make any comments now  
9 or hold them until a little bit later in the meeting, we  
10 can address those.

11 Seeing none, let's move on to the next item,  
12 please.

13 MS. VICKREY: Item number two for possible  
14 action, license application, processing distributor for  
15 Westgate Las Vegas Resort & Casino, 3000 Paradise Road,  
16 Las Vegas, Nevada, 89109.

17 The applicant seeks a license to distribute  
18 fluid milk, fluid cream, yogurt, cottage cheese, butter,  
19 ice cream, sherbert, novelties and frozen yogurt in the  
20 Southern Nevada Marketing Area.

21 The applicant's prices and costs have been  
22 reviewed by members of the Dairy Commission staff and  
23 are in compliance with this agency's laws and  
24 regulations. The applicant will be responsible for the  
25 assessments.

1 CHAIRMAN COOK: Do we have anybody representing  
2 this applicant present?

3 MR. CROWTHER: Not here.

4 MS. EASLEY: Kathy Easley. This is Las Vegas  
5 Hilton. They had -- the name changed, but all the  
6 management and everything stayed the same. They just  
7 changed the name, so we're changing it from -- it went  
8 from Las Vegas Hilton to LV Hilton Resorts and now  
9 they're going to Westgate.

10 CHAIRMAN COOK: And they actually distribute  
11 fluid milk, or --

12 MS. EASLEY: In the casino, yeah, they sell it.

13 CHAIRMAN COOK: You have to have a processing  
14 distributor to do that?

15 MS. EASLEY: Well, they make product and then  
16 they sell it in the restaurants and the casino.

17 CHAIRMAN COOK: Okay, for retail sales through  
18 the restaurants. All right, I have no further  
19 questions. Troy, any questions?

20 COMMISSIONER CROWTHER: No questions.

21 CHAIRMAN COOK: John?

22 COMMISSIONER COLLIER: I have none.

23 CHAIRMAN COOK: Questions or comments from the  
24 staff? Members of the public?

25 Seeing none, I'll entertain a motion.

1           CHAIRMAN COLLIER: Mr. Chairman, I move that we  
2 accept the processing and distributor application from  
3 the Westgate Las Vegas Resort & Casino in Las Vegas to  
4 distribute fluid milk, yogurt, cottage cheese, butter,  
5 ice cream, sherbert, novelties and frozen yogurt in the  
6 Southern Nevada Marketing Area.

7           COMMISSIONER CROWTHER: Second.

8           CHAIRMAN COOK: Having a motion and a second  
9 and no dissenting vote, the motion carries and the  
10 license is granted.

11           Move on to the next item, please.

12           MS. VICKREY: Item number three for possible  
13 action, approval of the minutes for the December 17th,  
14 2015 Dairy Commission meeting.

15           CHAIRMAN COOK: Any other corrections other  
16 than those noted, other than on the cover page?

17           MS. EASLEY: No.

18           CHAIRMAN COOK: It shows December 17, 2016. I  
19 don't know if that's important or not.

20           COMMISSIONER CROWTHER: What is the change at  
21 Page 16, line 24? What exactly is the change there?

22           MS. EASLEY: Diarymen to dairymen. It's a  
23 spelling error.

24           COMMISSIONER CROWTHER: It looks like the same  
25 name.

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1 MS. EASLEY: No, it's d-i-a versus d-a-i.

2 COMMISSIONER CROWTHER: But on here it's both  
3 d-a-i.

4 MS. VICKREY: It was typed wrong. It was  
5 diarymen and it should be dairymen. We'll look it up  
6 again.

7 COMMISSIONER COLLIER: On my page it says "kill  
8 birds. Mr. Trace, kill birds."

9 MS. EASLEY: Page 16, line 24?

10 COMMISSIONER COLLIER: That's what it says.

11 MR. BELCOURT: It's Page 15, line 24 is where  
12 the change needs to be made. Dennis Belcourt for the  
13 record, the page before.

14 MS. VICKREY: Did you hear that? It's Page 15,  
15 line 24.

16 COMMISSIONER CROWTHER: Okay.

17 MS. EASLEY: If you would like, I will retype  
18 the correction to the minutes and have them approved at  
19 the next meeting.

20 MR. BELCOURT: We can do it now, get it fixed  
21 now.

22 COMMISSIONER CROWTHER: We can just fix it in  
23 the motion, can't we?

24 MR. BELCOURT: Yes.

25 CHAIRMAN COOK: All right. Page 16, line 12

1 does not appear to match. It says change "testified" to  
2 "tested", and Page 16, line 12 in my minutes are "Troy,  
3 yeah."

4 MS. EASLEY: Then try Page 15.

5 MR. BELCOURT: Page 15.

6 MS. EASLEY: Page 15, line 12.

7 MS. VICKREY: Why don't I read this corrected  
8 and then you can approve it as read. "The minutes of  
9 the State Dairy Commission meeting held between the  
10 Reno, Nevada and Las Vegas, Nevada offices on  
11 December 17th, 2015 were approved with the following  
12 corrections: Page 15, line 12, change "testified" to  
13 "tested"; Page 15, line 24, change "diarymen" to  
14 "dairymen."

15 CHAIRMAN COOK: Okay, sounds good to me. I  
16 will entertain a motion unless anybody has other  
17 comments.

18 COMMISSIONER CROWTHER: I will make the motion  
19 to approve the minutes of the December 17th, 2015  
20 meeting as corrected.

21 COMMISSIONER COLLIER: I'll second that, Mr.  
22 Chairman.

23 CHAIRMAN COOK: Having a motion and a second to  
24 approve the corrections to the corrections and the  
25 minutes in general and no dissenting votes, the minutes



1 are adopted and we can move on to the next agenda item.

2 MS. VICKREY: Item number four, update on the  
3 Starlicide program. So what we did is obviously we're  
4 not able to use the Starlicide that we wanted because it  
5 was not available, so we did some training here in  
6 Fallon on the Avitrol product.

7 I believe ten members showed up to go through  
8 the training and about eight went through the testing,  
9 so it will be approved to put the Starlicide out on the  
10 dairy farms.

11 CHAIRMAN COOK: The Avitrol?

12 MS. VICKREY: Yeah, the Avitrol. I haven't  
13 heard any feedback from any Fallon members, but we have  
14 from the Ponderosa dairies down south, but we're not  
15 quite sure because they did not come to the training  
16 whether that was applied properly. They only used about  
17 ten pounds and they have three very large dairies down  
18 there, so we're going to work with them to see if we can  
19 improve their methods.

20 Do you have any comments, or have you heard  
21 any?

22 MR. PERAZZO: I haven't. I went to the  
23 meeting. I went to the training and took the test which  
24 I haven't done for a long time, so that was kind of fun.  
25 But anyway, I thought it was very good. I thought the

1 whole training was good.

2 It was two separate days. We did the training  
3 one day and took the test the next. I haven't heard  
4 back as far as pass/fail or anything like that. There  
5 was a guy there from a commercial outfit that you could  
6 hire to do it. Sam, I believe, maybe. Do you know?

7 MS. VICKREY: I'm not sure of the name.

8 MR. PERAZZO: Anyway, he was out of Elko, so I  
9 thought the whole thing was very --

10 CHAIRMAN COOK: Have you used the product yet?

11 MR. PERAZZO: Haven't used it. I can't yet  
12 until I get licensed to do it. I don't think anybody  
13 has, have they?

14 MS. VICKREY: I'm not sure. I thought that  
15 once you took the test and passed that you were  
16 licensed.

17 MR. PERAZZO: And I haven't heard back if  
18 anybody passed.

19 CHAIRMAN COOK: Who administered the test?

20 MS. VICKREY: The Department of Agriculture,  
21 Chuck Moses.

22 CHAIRMAN COOK: Is that a process once they're  
23 licensed, they're good for several years, or do they  
24 have to go through recertification process?

25 MS. VICKREY: I believe it's a recertification.

1 MR. PERAZZO: Four or five years, and it's not  
2 a license as much as it's a certification. You'd have  
3 to be licensed if I was to do it on another dairy.  
4 That's the way I understand it. I'm just certified to  
5 do it on my dairy for my personal use.

6 CHAIRMAN COOK: So if we get in a situation  
7 again where there's no Starlicide for the next several  
8 years, then we're okay without having to go through this  
9 training process and this certification process?

10 MS. VICKREY: Correct, and like you said, they  
11 can hire a private party that's licensed to do that and  
12 I believe that's why the gentleman that will do it  
13 commercially here for everybody is also available to  
14 hire.

15 MR. PERAZZO: There was probably five or six  
16 dairies there represented, but they were the large ones  
17 I think, more like Turners and Olsons and Storms. As  
18 far as cow numbers, I bet there was three-quarters of  
19 the cow numbers. I don't know, I'm guessing, but --

20 COMMISSIONER COLLIER: That's pretty good.

21 MS. VICKREY: And just to note, also, I'm going  
22 to the Tulare ag show next month and I'm going to be  
23 going around to some of the vendors out there and  
24 inquiring about other methods. Just in case you're not  
25 satisfied with the Avitrol, we'll see what other

1 chemicals are out there for use.

2 MR. PERAZZO: I think there was mixed feelings  
3 on that Avitrol, too, just because no one has used it  
4 around here and they're unsure and all you hear is  
5 reports and you put down -- I mean, the advantage of it,  
6 I think the bird dies where the bird eats it, whereas  
7 last year it was kind of a nightmare because the bird  
8 eats it and then it flies back to where it roosts and it  
9 dies there, and where it roosts could be someone's  
10 backyard and then you have birds around, so it kind  
11 of -- I think that part will be good.

12 But from what I understand, the bird eats it  
13 and scares the other birds away so they don't eat it, so  
14 then your kill rate isn't as good. Is that what they  
15 found down south? You said they did it.

16 MS. VICKREY: Well, it's not the kill rate  
17 you're looking for because you don't actually kill a lot  
18 of them. The idea is they make this shrieking noise  
19 that scares the other birds away and they're afraid to  
20 come back to that same area, and so that's the idea, so  
21 you really have to apply it properly.

22 You have to bait them for three or four days  
23 and then they come and eat it. They make the shrieking  
24 noise and scare the other birds away, so that's why we'd  
25 like to see a coordinated effort so that it just doesn't

1 go from one dairy farm to the next.

2 CHAIRMAN COOK: You need lots of shrieking  
3 birds on all the dairies.

4 MS. VICKREY: So it's not as effective as the  
5 Starlicide would be where it would just kill the birds.

6 CHAIRMAN COOK: The issue with the Starlicide  
7 was one year only, right? It was an availability issue  
8 this year. Is that something that's permanent, or is  
9 that subject to change?

10 MS. VICKREY: My understanding is the company  
11 that was making it -- well, my understanding is that the  
12 companies that make it don't make a lot of money off of  
13 it, and so they'll make it for a little while and  
14 discontinue it and so it's always jumping around the  
15 different companies.

16 CHAIRMAN COOK: I thought it was the federal  
17 government that --

18 MR. PERAZZO: I think you're right, I think it  
19 was a one year layoff because I think the place that  
20 makes it was remodeling or something. It was something  
21 where they were not doing it this year, so that's the  
22 way I understand it.

23 MS. VICKREY: Yeah, and USDA has to apply it.  
24 They can only apply it, but this other company is the  
25 one that makes it and I believe they were the only

1 company making it and then they're going through some  
2 sort of transition.

3 MR. PERAZZO: Or remodeling or something.

4 CHAIRMAN COOK: We'd like to keep on top of  
5 this and know how it works for you and see if we can't  
6 come up with better alternatives.

7 MR. PERAZZO: It's definitely a huge issue.  
8 The birds are incredible.

9 MS. VICKREY: And, of course, we are still  
10 funding it at 80 percent up to \$2000, so whether it  
11 works or not, we'll be reimbursed.

12 CHAIRMAN COOK: We're going to have to go --  
13 was it the next budget cycle we have to go through and  
14 re-budget that again?

15 MS. VICKREY: Yes.

16 CHAIRMAN COOK: So we're working off of last  
17 budget cycle's allocation?

18 MS. VICKREY: Yes.

19 CHAIRMAN COOK: Okay.

20 COMMISSIONER COLLIER: Have we done anything,  
21 is there any aftermath to the community like there was  
22 in previous years where the birds wound up in somebody's  
23 backyard and got killed and then they called the  
24 newspaper and raised cane about that and then our  
25 Department of Agriculture got the call and had to defend

1 the issue and all that type of thing? Have we done  
2 anything to mitigate that in terms of the public  
3 relations officers for the Department of Agriculture?

4 MS. VICKREY: We did discuss it with them and  
5 since this is a different type of product, the birds die  
6 right there at the facility, so we're not seeing the  
7 birds dead in other people's yards.

8 CHAIRMAN COOK: Okay. Anything else to add to  
9 that?

10 MS. VICKREY: No, that's all I have.

11 CHAIRMAN COOK: Questions, comments,  
12 observations?

13 All right, let's press on to the next item.

14 MS. VICKREY: The staff report. Just briefly,  
15 I'm going to be attending the International Association  
16 of Milk Control Agencies meeting in Sacramento at the  
17 end of this month. It's two days.

18 CHAIRMAN COOK: That's the planning meeting for  
19 the August --

20 MS. VICKREY: Yes, and I'm also attending the  
21 ag show in Tulare and that will be February 8th through  
22 the 11th, and there we're still trying to talk to some  
23 dairymen, try to get them to consider coming into this  
24 area to open a dairy farm possibly so we can continue to  
25 support our power plant as well, and then the only other

1 thing is we're doing some FDA training to try to get  
2 Erica certified as a rating officer, and David, our new  
3 microbiologist, we've got some federal courses coming up  
4 for him to get him certified as a laboratory evaluation  
5 officer and a dairy lab manager.

6 The fortunate thing is FDA is funding all of  
7 those this year, so we'll have a little bit of cost  
8 savings on those.

9 CHAIRMAN COOK: And we've got the lab all up  
10 and running to the level we want with equipment?

11 MS. VICKREY: We're pretty much there. A few  
12 things, processes really that we're still working on.  
13 There may be some more equipment issues, but we'll deal  
14 with that in the next budget session.

15 CHAIRMAN COOK: Weren't there some software, or  
16 some computer hardware that we were looking to acquire  
17 to comply with FDA reporting issues?

18 MS. VICKREY: Some of it is going to be more of  
19 a lab information management system because we have to  
20 have tracking requirements every time you change a  
21 document, and that's to become ISO certified, and we  
22 have some security issues where we're going to have to  
23 put a key card system into our lab because of some of  
24 the biologics that we work with, and we're just now  
25 working on getting some of our cheese testing completed.



1 Right now we can screen for listeria,  
2 salmonella and E. Coli, but we can't confirm, so we're  
3 working on some techniques to confirm those on the  
4 cheese if we need to.

5 CHAIRMAN COOK: Okay. Questions, Troy?

6 COMMISSIONER CROWTHER: No.

7 COMMISSIONER COLLIER: I have none.

8 CHAIRMAN COOK: Shall we press on then with  
9 your report?

10 MS. VICKREY: Item number six, consideration of  
11 any other matters relating to the dairy industry.

12 CHAIRMAN COOK: This is the chance for our  
13 industry participants to speak up and put things on the  
14 table.

15 MR. LECK: I have nothing.

16 MS. VICKREY: I did want to ask you a question.  
17 Last meeting we approved to take off the fluid milk  
18 assessments. Is that going to be beneficial to you as  
19 far as --

20 MR. LECK: Absolutely, without question.

21 CHAIRMAN COOK: Have we started that? That was  
22 to start this year, right?

23 MS. VICKREY: Yes, it starts this month.

24 CHAIRMAN COOK: I see Mr. Coon has joined us.  
25 Do you have anything to add, Dave?

1 MR. COON: No, I don't, Mr. Chairman. Good to  
2 be here.

3 CHAIRMAN COOK: Any other thing that people  
4 want to throw on the table now for items of concern to  
5 the industry?

6 MR. PERAZZO: Well, I'm glad to be here. Thank  
7 you for the invite. It's not your fault I haven't come  
8 more. I just haven't.

9 CHAIRMAN COOK: We appreciate you being here.

10 MR. PERAZZO: I know you, Chairman Cook, and  
11 you're obviously on the Board and I know Anna very well,  
12 and Dennis. Now, you are who?

13 MR. LECK: Gary Leck with Model Dairy.

14 MR. PERAZZO: Okay. I'm Alan Perazzo.

15 MS. EASLEY: Kathy Easley. I'm the  
16 administrative assistant here.

17 CHAIRMAN COOK: You produce it, he bottles it  
18 and we drink it.

19 MR. PERAZZO: I guess my comment is thank you  
20 to the Dairy Commission for all you do, Anna, and I'm  
21 just here observing. I got a hurt toe, so I thought,  
22 well, there's a meeting going on, I'll go to it, and I  
23 guess I got a meeting tomorrow, huh, Dennis?

24 MR. BELCOURT: Yes, you do.

25 MR. PERAZZO: I guess my big concern in the

1 industry is public perception of what reality is and  
2 where milk comes from and what dairy products are and  
3 how animals are treated, just that whole negative  
4 perception. I'm just throwing it out there. I don't  
5 have an answer to any of it other than I think education  
6 is the key.

7 We had a class of 2nd graders out in the dairy  
8 about a month ago, two months ago now, and they just  
9 need to be educated where milk comes from, where beef  
10 comes from, where the quality wholesome dairy product  
11 comes from, and I just don't know how we can emphasize  
12 that message enough.

13 CHAIRMAN COOK: We're trying to -- we hear you  
14 and we're trying to take that message as much as we can.  
15 We have in the last couple of years bought the  
16 fiberglass cow that we take around to all the schools,  
17 Moolissa, and Kathy used to don the cow uniform and go  
18 to the county fairs and man a booth.

19 MR. PERAZZO: Cowabunga, right?

20 MS. EASLEY: No, no, Moolissa.

21 CHAIRMAN COOK: We have a cow and a trailer  
22 coming?

23 MS. VICKREY: I'm sorry, the trailer has  
24 arrived, I forgot to say that.

25 CHAIRMAN COOK: We have a well equipped trailer

1 that has AV capabilities and we can transport this cow  
2 and take it to county fairs and schools and the state  
3 fair and all over the place in the north. Is the cow  
4 still in the south, or do we have it back yet?

5 MS. VICKREY: It's back.

6 CHAIRMAN COOK: And there's another cow on  
7 order I understand pending the new budget cycle. We're  
8 buying one for the south?

9 MS. VICKREY: We have to have legislative  
10 approval, but once we go through that, yes.

11 CHAIRMAN COOK: So we will have on either end  
12 of the state a very nice trailer with audiovisual  
13 capabilities and a big fiberglass full size, full  
14 steam --

15 MR. PERAZZO: I think that's all important. I  
16 know when the kids come out to the dairy, I like to do a  
17 little quiz with them and I'll hold up different things  
18 like pizza, does this have a dairy product in it, and  
19 your Model Dairy, oh, yeah, and then I'll hold up Muscle  
20 Milk and then I'll educate them, no, there's no milk in  
21 that at all, things like that.

22 I think the kids are -- I kid you not,  
23 50 percent of the kids will say there's milk in there  
24 until I talk to them about it. Anyway, it's my  
25 little --

1           CHAIRMAN COOK: The gentleman sitting down  
2 there against the wall, Dave Coon, what do you call  
3 yourself, CEO of Anderson Dairy and they've got a very  
4 nice tour that they do. It shows the kids all about  
5 where the milk comes from and they've got a Disney type  
6 of audio animatronic show. It's quite extravagant, so  
7 if you're ever down in Vegas you should go to Anderson  
8 Dairy and check it out.

9           MR. COON: We would like to extend that  
10 invitation to you any time.

11           CHAIRMAN COOK: We're all working, we're all  
12 pulling for the same thing, just at different ends of  
13 the state, but we would like to see consumption go up  
14 and more processors and more producers and more people  
15 drink milk and eat yogurt and cheese and all that good  
16 stuff.

17           MR. PERAZZO: Thank you.

18           CHAIRMAN COOK: Our pleasure. We're trying our  
19 best.

20           MS. VICKREY: And last on the agenda is public  
21 comments and discussion:

22           CHAIRMAN COOK: Which sort of overlaps with  
23 what we've been doing, but it's time for anything else,  
24 even non dairy related public comments I guess.

25           COMMISSIONER CROWTHER: Chairman, I have a

1 question, and I don't want to take public's time.  
2 Unless there's something else they have, I want to -- I  
3 understand that this time next month, the folks here in  
4 Las Vegas are going to be in the process of moving to  
5 the new location, and correct me if I'm wrong, you'll be  
6 working from home?

7 MS. WHITFIELD: I'm not sure if we'll be here  
8 or the new location, but that last week of February  
9 we'll be working from home.

10 COMMISSIONER CROWTHER: Just kind of a heads-up  
11 as far as planning this videoconference and where it's  
12 going to originate down here, we probably ought to get  
13 those logistics worked out.

14 CHAIRMAN COOK: We'll just Skype with you from  
15 your office, Troy.

16 COMMISSIONER CROWTHER: There you go.

17 MS. VICKREY: There's a possibility we could  
18 use the other Cooperative Extension offices down there  
19 if we need to.

20 CHAIRMAN COOK: Are the new offices set up yet?

21 MS. VICKREY: No.

22 CHAIRMAN COOK: Well, we may just have to fly  
23 you up for the meeting, back to the old ways.

24 COMMISSIONER CROWTHER: Yeah. Well, anyway,  
25 just give me some heads-up and we'll figure out how to

1 make it work.

2 CHAIRMAN COOK: Okay. I have a question about  
3 the ag fair in Tulare. Did we get a different location?  
4 Weren't we trying to relocate to a better spot?

5 MS. EASLEY: They are not in the milk barn.  
6 They are outside the milk barn. They're outside, but  
7 near the milk barn. I was talking to Jessica and she  
8 was telling me that they're close to the milk barn.  
9 They're going to set the trailer up, but it is outside  
10 of the milk barn.

11 MS. VICKREY: But we'll have the trailer and  
12 all the supplies I believe right there for us to use if  
13 we need it.

14 MS. EASLEY: The trailer is the whole display.

15 CHAIRMAN COOK: Do we have anybody from like  
16 the Churchill County economic development people, or the  
17 State's economic development people going to be with us?

18 MS. VICKREY: We are taking four people from  
19 the Department of Agriculture and one of those is, he  
20 works to bring businesses into the State and we always  
21 have somebody from Churchill County show up regardless  
22 at the show, and many dairymen we see out there. Are  
23 you going?

24 MR. PERAZZO: I don't believe I am. I've been  
25 in the past and it's pretty neat.

1 CHAIRMAN COOK: And do we know the dates on  
2 that?

3 MS. VICKREY: February 8th through the 11th is  
4 when I'll be there, but I think I'm there a day early  
5 for setup.

6 CHAIRMAN COOK: One of these years I think I'm  
7 going to show up down there just to check it out to see  
8 what it looks like.

9 MS. EASLEY: Make sure you have good walking  
10 shoes. It's huge.

11 CHAIRMAN COOK: We've never been in the  
12 building, though, have we?

13 MS. EASLEY: Yeah, Lisa and I were in the  
14 building two years and I think she was in it once the  
15 year before that.

16 MS. VICKREY: I believe so, yes.

17 MS. EASLEY: The first year we were outside,  
18 the next three years we were inside, and now they're  
19 outside again.

20 CHAIRMAN COOK: Is that just because of the  
21 trailer?

22 MS. EASLEY: I believe so.

23 CHAIRMAN COOK: All right. Well, I have no  
24 other comments or questions. John, do you have anything  
25 you want to add?



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1 COMMISSIONER COLLIER: No, I have none.

2 CHAIRMAN COOK: Troy, anything else you want to  
3 add?

4 COMMISSIONER CROWTHER: No.

5 CHAIRMAN COOK: Alan, do you want to throw  
6 anything else on the table?

7 MR. PERAZZO: No.

8 CHAIRMAN COOK: Dave, any comments?

9 MR. COON: No. Thank you for all you do.

10 CHAIRMAN COOK: You're welcome. Thank you for  
11 thanking us. Are we cool, Dennis?

12 MR. BELCOURT: I think you got all the public  
13 polled.

14 CHAIRMAN COOK: Last call for staff? Anything  
15 else? If there's none, then let us adjourn this  
16 meeting.

17 (Meeting adjourned at 1:30 p.m.)

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