



Arizona Department of Agriculture

Office of Pest Management

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TO: Industry Members
FR: Jack Peterson, Interim Director
DT: February 19, 2014
RE: Pest Management Advisory Committee (PMAC)

Thank you to those who submitted their names for consideration for membership on the PMAC. The following table shows the individuals selected for the committee. As you will note there is one area that we do not have a representative. We need a representative who is a business licensee and/or a qualifying party from outside Maricopa and Pima Counties.

<u>Name</u>	<u>Company</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Term Expiration</u>
Ruth Leo	Helena Chemical Company	Public Member	June 30, 2017
Steve Thoenes	Beemaster Inc.	BL less than 5 employees	June 30, 2017
Linda Harrington	SOS Exterminating	Qualifying Party	June 30, 2016
Dr. Kirk Smith	Maricopa County, Environmental Services Division	Political Subdivision	June 30, 2016
Vacant		BL or QP - Outside Pima and Maricopa County	June 30, 2015

The PMAC is to assist and make recommendations to the Director regarding administration and implementation of the OPM laws. **The OPM is currently accepting applications for the business licensee/qualifying party outside of Maricopa and Pima Counties slot. Applications will be accepted for this PMAC position until a suitable candidate is found. In no circumstance will the acceptance of applications close before March 14.**

Members serve three year staggered terms, which means some of the initial members will serve less than three years. Members cannot serve consecutive terms, except that a member who is appointed to fill a vacancy may serve the unexpired term that fills the vacancy plus one regular term. A member is ineligible for reappointment for three years.

Those interested in serving on the PMAC from this area should submit the accompanying form along with at least two original letters of support endorsing you for appointment. Industry member's letters of support must be from other business licensees or qualifying parties. Please ensure you fill out the form completely. All applications and letters of support should be sent to my attention.

If anyone has questions, please contact me at 602-542-3575 or jpeterston@azda.gov.