

# AASCO

Association of American Seed Control Officials

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37th Annual Meeting  
Lafayette, Indiana  
July 10<sup>th</sup> -14<sup>th</sup>, 2023

## **MONDAY, JULY 10**

3:00 pm - 5:00 pm

**Registration-**

5:00 pm – 6:30 pm

**Board of Directors Meeting-**

## **TUESDAY, JULY 11**

7:00 am – 5:00 pm

**Registration-**

7:00 am – 8:00 am

**Breakfast-**

## **GENERAL SESSION-**

8:00 am – 10:00 am

**Roll Call – Introductions**

**Necrology**

**Presidents Address**

**Welcome –**

**Allied Organization Reports:**

- AOSA –
- SCST –
- AOSCA –
- ASTA –
- CFIA –
- IPSA –

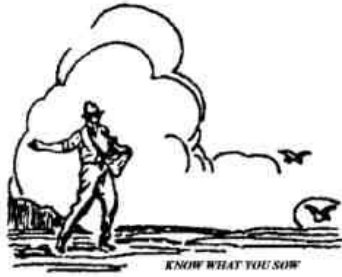
10:00 am – 10:30 am

**Break**

10:30 am – 11:30 am

**AASCO Affiliate Meeting Reports:**

- AOSA/SCST-
- ASTA –
- AOSCA –



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## TUESDAY, JULY 11 (continued)

### **Preliminary Committee Reports**

- Legislation, Labeling & RUSSL Committee
- Meeting Place & Program Committee-
- Elections & Nominations Committee-
- Seed Inspector Qualifications & Training Committee
- Handbook Committee
  - Subcommittee Seed Health Sampling
- Special Committee: Administrative Handbook Committee
- Awards/Membership Committee

11:30 am – 12:00 pm

**New Member Orientation –**

12:00 pm – 1:30 pm

**Lunch break**

1:30 pm – 2:00 pm

**RUSSL Review/changes –**

2:00 pm – 2:30 pm

**Adding Seed Health Sampling information to the Handbook on Seed Sampling - Johnny Zook**

2:30 pm – 2:45 pm

**Break**

2:45 pm – 3:45 pm

**Regional Committee Meetings,**

- Southern Regional Committee
- North Central Regional Committee
- Western Regional Committee
- Northeast Regional Committee

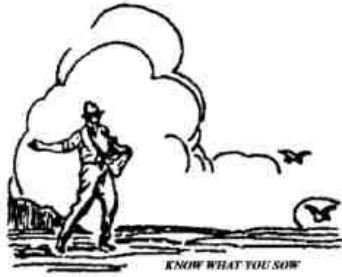
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**Committee Meetings,**

5:00 pm

**Hospitality Room-**

Dinner on your own



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## WEDNESDAY, JULY 12

7:00 am - 5:00 pm                      **Registration -**  
7:00 am – 8:00 am                      **Breakfast-**

### GENERAL SESSION-

8:00 am – 9:00 am                      **Seed Innovation & Protection Alliance, SIPA,  
Is there a place to address Plant Patents in RUSSL?  
Has VNS labeling surpassed its usefulness?  
Eloy Corona, Executive Director**

9:00 am – 9:30 am                      **Treated Seed Disposal – Group Discussion**

9:30 am – 10:00 am                      **Requirements for declaring test dates in mixtures-Differences in  
FSA and RUSSL – Mark Ashcroft**

10:00 am – 10:15 am                      **Break**

10:15 am – 11:00 am                      **Changing or updating test dates on seed labels Discussion- Jeff  
Claxton**

11:00 am – 12:00 pm                      **Brand labeling and Trademark labeling USDA**

12:00 pm – 1:30 pm                      **Lunch Break**

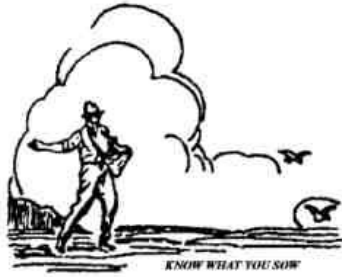
1:30 pm – 2:00 pm                      **Harmonizing maximum seed lot size between AASCO and ISTA  
recommendations- Johnny Zook**

2:00 pm – 2:45 pm                      **SAFHER - System for Agriculture, Food, Health, e-Inspections and  
Registration – Jacob Fleig, Jennifer Pierquet, The Association of  
Food and Drug Officials**

2:45 pm - 3:00 pm                      **Break**

3:00 pm – 4:30 pm                      **Federal Seed Act Training for State Seed Control Officials –  
USDA Update –  
Plant Variety Protection Office Update**

5:00 pm                                      **Hospitality Room  
Dinner on your own**



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## **THURSDAY, JULY 13**

7:00 am – 12:00 pm      **Registration-**  
7:00 am – 8:00 am      **Breakfast-**  
7:00 am – 8:00 am      Presidents Breakfast-  
Past Presidents and members of the Board of Directors

## **GENERAL SESSION-**

8:00 am – 8:30 am      **How States Handle Biological Seed Treatments & Expiration Dates Discussion**

8:30 am – 9:15 am      **AASCO Operating Procedures Manual & Bylaws Update-** Stephen McMurry

9:15 am – 10:00 am

10:00 am – 10:15 am      **Break**

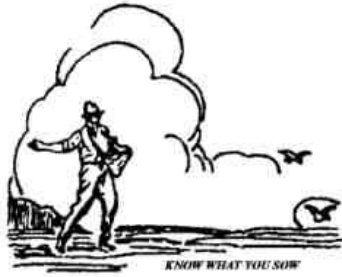
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11:15 am -12:15 pm      **Lunch Break – Box Lunch**

12:30 pm                  **Leave Hotel for Tour & Banquet**  
**Becks Seed Company**

5:30 pm – 7:30 pm      **Banquet**

8:00 pm                    **Hospitality Room**



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## **FRIDAY, JULY 14**

7:00 am – 8:00 am

**Breakfast-**

## **GENERAL SESSION –**

8:00 am – 10:30 am

### **AASCO Annual Business Meeting**

- Secretary's Report
- Treasurer's Report
- Board Meeting Minutes
- Regional Meeting Reports
- Committee Reports
- Old Business
- New Business
- Adjourn

10:30 am – 10:45 am

**Break**

10:45 am – 12:00 pm

**Executive Board Meeting – Board Room**

**Thank you all for attending and have a safe trip home!**