

**Michigan Commission of Agriculture Meeting
Michigan Department of Agriculture
Bavarian Inn Lodge & Conference Center
Braham's Room, One Covered Bridge Lane
Frankenmuth, Michigan**

**MEETING MINUTES
June 13-14, 2001**

PRESENT:

Jordan Tatter, Chair, Commission of Agriculture
Douglas Darling, Vice-Chair, Commission of Agriculture
James Maitland, Secretary, Commission of Agriculture
Nora Viau, Commission of Agriculture
Bill Pridgeon, Commission of Agriculture
Dan Wyant, Director, Michigan Department of Agriculture

OTHERS PRESENT *(All or part of the meeting):*

Michigan Department of Agriculture Staff
Ron Zellar, Assistant Attorney General
Dr. Margaret Benson, Michigan State University
Dr. Eric Hanson, Michigan State University
Judy Zehnder-Keller, Bavarian Inn Lodge & Convention Center
Charles Kline, Midland, Michigan
William Lechel, Saginaw County Mosquito Abatement Commission
Ron Nelson, Michigan Farm Bureau
Vern Viau, Bay DeNoc Beef Producers, Escanaba, Michigan
Christine White, Michigan Democratic Agriculture Committee

CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL

Chair Tatter called the meeting of the Commission of Agriculture to order at 1:00 p.m. on Wednesday, June 13, 2001. The roll was called with Director Wyant and all Commissioners present.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

MOTION: COMMISSIONER VIAU MOVED TO APPROVE THE JUNE 13-14, 2001 AGENDA AS PRESENTED. SECONDED. MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

WELCOME

Judy Zehnder-Keller, owner and manager of the Bavarian Inn Lodge and Convention Center, welcomed the Commission to the Inn and to Frankenmuth.

APPROVAL OF MAY 15, 2001 MEETING MINUTES

MOTION: COMMISSIONER MAITLAND MOVED TO APPROVE THE MAY 15, 2001 MEETING MINUTES AS PRESENTED. SECONDED. MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

NEXT MEETING

The next regular meeting of the Commission of Agriculture is scheduled for Tuesday, July 10, 2001. The meeting will be held in conjunction with MSU's Ag Expo and will take place at the Michigan Department of Agriculture, 611 West Ottawa Street, 4th Floor, Pridgeon Conference Room, State Ottawa Building, Lansing, Michigan.

APPROVAL OF DIRECTOR'S OUT-OF-STATE TRAVEL

MOTION: COMMISSIONER MAITLAND MOVED TO APPROVE DIRECTOR WYANT'S TRAVEL ON JUNE 14-16, 2001 TO PARTICIPATE IN THE MICHIGAN FARM BUREAU SPONSORED KEY LEADER LAND USE TOUR IN MARYLAND, PENNSYLVANIA AND NEW JERSEY. SECONDED. MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

COMMISSIONERS' COMMENTS

Commissioner Bill Pridgeon reported that the wet weather had affected soybeans and corn. The livestock industry is doing fairly well. Dairy and hog prices are up, but beef prices are down.

Commissioner James Maitland reported that the weather in the Traverse City area during May was very wet. Commissioner Maitland participated in the Household Hazardous Waste program that is held quarterly in the Grand Traverse area. MDA is a co-sponsor of this is a very important program. He noted that approximately 25 pounds of mercury were turned in to the program. The fruit crop in Northern Michigan is substantial and healthy. Apples, however, have been slow growing. There will be a large crop of both sweet and tart cherries, so there will most likely be a diversion.

Commissioner Nora Viau reported that the Upper Peninsula has been cold and wet. People have cut their hay, but it is still in the field.

Commissioner Douglas Darling reported that after last month's meeting he and Commissioner Viau toured the newly renovated MDA Geagley Laboratory in East Lansing, Michigan. It was very interesting and considerable improvements have been made. He said that Southeast Michigan has been very wet, and a number of crops still have not been planted.

During the last month, Commissioner Darling attended a meeting held in Lansing and hosted by Congressman Smith to discuss the Farm Bill. There were a number of commodity groups involved in the discussion. There continues to be a very depressed attitude across agriculture.

Commissioners Darling and Tatter represented MDA, along with Deputy Director Keith Creagh and International Marketing Manager Paul Burke, at a trade meeting held in Guelph, Ontario. The Great Lakes Regional Forum on Agri-Food hosted by the Ontario Ministry of Agriculture was very beneficial. It was agreed that discussions must continue. Commissioner Darling noted that when their flight arrived in Toronto, everyone received warnings about Foot-and-Mouth Disease. The check-in process was very thorough and the government is very aggressive in its efforts to keep the disease from entering into the country. However, on the return flight through Detroit there did not seem to be as much concern or warning.

Commissioner Viau asked if water issues were discussed at the Ontario meeting.

Commissioner Darling replied that discussions were held about water quality and related programs such as the Conservation Reserve Enhancement Program (CREP). He noted that there also were discussions about large livestock operations and the Food Quality Protection Act.

Chair Tatter expressed his concern about the lack of warning and surveillance relating to Foot-and-Mouth Disease when entering the U.S.

Director Wyant agreed, but explained that there is a different protocol coming in from Canada and Mexico. Those countries are disease-free and the incoming procedures are different than they are for flights coming in from Europe.

Commissioner Maitland noted that when he returned in March from a trip to Mexico into Houston, Texas there was no warning or surveillance.

Chair Jordan Tatter reported that scattered hail damage occurred on May 25, 2001 throughout Berrien and western Van Buren counties. The last half of May and early June were wet and cold, and now it is even more wet, but warm.

The annual Fruit Crop Guesstimate will be held on June 21, 2001 in Kalamazoo. David Kleweno from the Michigan Agricultural Statistics Service will be in attendance. There is a heavy tart cherry crop the length of the state; the best crop since 1995.

Since the Commission's last meeting, Chair Tatter toured the Grosse horse farm operation in Berrien County, along with Wayne Whitman, in attempt to resolve a Right-To-Farm issue on the premises. Chair Tatter also took part in the Great Lakes Regional Forum on Agri-Foods held in Guelph, Ontario, along with Commissioner Darling, Deputy Director Creagh, and International Marketing Manager Paul Burke. This past weekend he was with Director Wyant at the annual meeting of the Michigan Food Processors Association held at Boyne Highlands Resort. On June 12, 2001 he was with 400 or so Michigan State University Alumni and friends at the annual Berrien County/MSU Alumni Outing. Prior to this month's Commission meeting, Chair Tatter and Director Wyant had the opportunity to meet and have lunch with MDA Region IV staff.

Chair Tatter noted that this past month has seemingly been focused on the financial difficulties of our Michigan fruit and vegetable industry and their accompanying burdensome inventory and trade issues that exacerbate the current dismal financial situation at both the grower and processor levels.

**REPORT ON AGRICULTURAL TRADE ISSUES AND POLICY STUDY TOUR TO MEXICO:
Commissioner James Maitland**

Commissioner James Maitland provided a video presentation and report on the Agricultural Trade Issues and Policy Study Tour to Mexico, sponsored by Michigan Farm Bureau and Michigan State University. The tour was held March 5-14, 2001. Benjamin Segovia, Marketing Specialist from the New Mexico Department of Agriculture accompanied tour participants and Dr. Malaquias Flores, who is a MSU graduate from Northern Mexico.

The study tour offered the opportunity to visit the following locations:

- The Lecheria Escobar Dairy Farm is one of Mexico's highest producing dairy herds. There were over 4,000 dairy cows, with about two-thirds of the herd infected with bovine tuberculosis. There is no concern about the disease because the animals are not moved out of the herd.
- The APHIS and USDA offices at the Santa Teresa border crossing; the Import Export Facilities on both sides of the border and Nerevo Casas Grandes in Northern Mexico where the group visited apple storage facilities and a honey producer. They also toured a chili farm and processing plant and discussed trade issues; a Mennonite Farm community; and a Salvador Corrol apple orchard that grows the most apple trees in the world, with over a million trees in production.
- A poultry ranch and feed mill owned by the Fernan Dez family. A visit to the Ford Motor Engine Plant, and a meeting in Mexico City with agricultural representatives from the University of Chapingo at Texcoco.
- A briefing at the U.S. Embassy with agricultural officials about agriculture, government issues, U.S. trade policy, and the role of the Embassy. The group also received a briefing by a Chapingo University professor on sugar, vegetable and grain production, and trade in Mexico.
- A visit to a wholesale food market in Mexico City where they received a briefing on perishable products trade. The group also visited an area where the new president of Mexico owns a broccoli farm.

LEGISLATIVE REPORT: Brad Deacon, Legislative Liaison

Brad Deacon, Legislative Liaison, distributed and reviewed the June 2001 Legislative Status Report 2001-02. The Legislature's primary focus at the present time is the 2002 budget. Mr. Deacon highlighted the following:

- Senate Bill 350 (Equine Testing) revises testing requirements for equines and establishes an identification system. SB 350 has passed the House and Senate.
- HB 4150 (Aquatic Species) clarifies Department of Natural Resources and Natural Resources Committee oversight of aquatic species. The bill has moved out of committee to the House floor.
- HB 4456 (Farm Tax) creates the Alternative Agriculture Production Tax Act, which implements a specific farm tax in lieu of property taxes. The bill has moved out of committee to the House floor.

DIRECTOR'S REPORT: Dan Wyant

Director Dan Wyant reviewed his activities during the last month and highlighted the following:

- **Budget:** There is approximately a \$750 million downward adjustment being considered. The Legislature is considering three proposals to address the economic situation: 1) repeal tax cuts already in place; 2) use monies from the Rainy Day Fund; or 3) raise the bonding cap, which would shift cash building projects into longer term bonding programs. The Governor is not supportive of these proposals, nor is there any consensus by the Legislature on any of these issues. The Governor is looking for the state departments to find the necessary reductions. However, the Department of Education is being considered for a higher appropriation. This will have an impact on all other state departments. MDA's budget decreases will not affect priority programs such as bovine tuberculosis, food safety, or plant pest programs. However, all other programs, including some grant programs, could see reductions.
- **Foot-and-Mouth Disease:** A Foot-and-Mouth Disease tabletop exercise will be held on June 18, 2001 at the Michigan State Police Emergency Operations Center in Lansing. The exercise will be used to improve MDA's Response Plan in the event of a Foot-and-Mouth Disease outbreak. Surveillance, education, and communication are also some of the important issues that need to be addressed.
- **MDA Move:** MDA will be moving to another location in mid October. The department will be relocated to Constitution Hall, 525 West Allegan, Lansing, Michigan.
- **Bovine Tuberculosis:** On June 25, 2001, news conferences will be held in Escanaba and in East Lansing to announce the successful completion of statewide dairy herd TB testing. The Food and Drug Administration has approved MDA's Pasteurized Milk Ordinance Dairy Herd Bovine TB Testing Protocol.

Michigan is currently in negotiations with USDA concerning split state status. One major issue continues to be deer herd management.

Chair Tatter and Director Wyant have been asked to meet with Natural Resources Commission Chair Keith Charters and Department of Natural Resources Director K. L. Cool to make educational and policy discussion visits to the hunt clubs located in Northeast Michigan.

Dr. Michael Chaddock will be leaving the Michigan Department of Agriculture effective September 1, 2001. He has accepted a fellowship in Washington, D.C. with the American Veterinary Medical Foundation. The position of State Veterinarian has been posted nationwide. Director Wyant expressed his appreciation to Dr. Chaddock for his leadership and service to the state of Michigan and the animal industry. Dr. Chaddock has dealt with some very difficult situations with regard to bovine tuberculosis, pseudorabies and scrapies.

Commissioner Maitland asked if hunting permits are easily accessible by the farmers located in the high-risk areas.

Director Wyant said he would contact DNR to get that information and share it with the Commission.

UPDATE ON BOVINE TUBERCULOSIS: Dr. Michael Chaddock, State Veterinarian and Director of the Animal Industry Division

Dr. Michael Chaddock, State Veterinarian and Director of the Animal Industry Division, distributed and reviewed information concerning the bovine tuberculosis situation in Michigan. He also distributed updated information about Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

Establishment of Potential High-Risk Area for Bovine Tuberculosis: Dr. Chaddock distributed and reviewed information addressing the establishment of potential high-risk areas for bovine tuberculosis in Emmett and Cheboygan counties, effective July 1, 2001. Cattle, bison and goat herds, 12 months of age or older, located within the potential high risk areas, must be whole herd bovine tuberculosis tested within six months after the MDA director has established a potential high-risk area. If not, there must be a written herd plan with a targeted whole herd bovine tuberculosis testing date established. Dr. Chaddock explained that there are currently three potential high-risk areas in Michigan. In Emmett County, there are 25 beef herds in that potential high-risk area, and eight of those herds have been tested. In Mecosta County, there are 231 beef herds in that potential high-risk area, and 106 herds have been tested.

Dr. Chaddock reviewed information about the *"Bovine Tuberculosis Positive Herds as of June 2001."*

On behalf of the Commission, Chair Tatter expressed his appreciation to Dr. Chaddock for his hard work and service to the people of Michigan.

PRESENTATION OF THE DRAFT GENERALLY ACCEPTED AGRICULTURAL AND MANAGEMENT PRACTICES (GAAMP) FOR SITE SELECTION AND ODOR CONTROL FOR NEW AND EXPANDING LIVESTOCK PRODUCTION FACILITIES: Dr. Maynard Hogberg, Task Force Chair

Dr. Maynard Hogberg, Task Force Chair, presented and reviewed the draft *Generally Accepted Agricultural and Management Practices for Site Selection and Odor Control for New and Expanding Livestock Production Facilities*.

Chair Tatter noted that the page numbers should be corrected and the titles of committee members need to be added. Also, the committee list should be placed in the front of the document in order to be consistent with the other GAAMPs.

MOTION: COMMISSIONER MAITLAND MOVED TO ACCEPT THE DRAFT GENERALLY ACCEPTED AGRICULTURAL AND MANAGEMENT PRACTICES FOR SITE SELECTION AND ODOR CONTROL FOR NEW AND EXPANDING LIVESTOCK PRODUCTION FACILITIES AND MAKE THEM AVAILABLE FOR PUBLIC REVIEW. SECONDED. MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

PUBLIC COMMENT:

Charles Kline of the Midland County Fair Board said that the first fair of the season gets underway this week in Ithaca. He noted that there would be racing held on Saturday afternoon. Mr. Kline said that county fairs in Michigan are having a rough time. He said they need assistance and support from MDA. Mr. Kline is concerned that the county fairs are not receiving that support. He noted that over five million people attend Michigan county fairs, and a county fair is the perfect place to communicate the agriculture message. Mr. Kline expressed his appreciation for the efforts of Bill Woodman of the MDA Fairs, Exhibitions and Racing Division. However, Mr. Kline said that Mr. Woodman needs support. Rules keep changing and MDA needs to help communicate the rules. Mr. Kline added that he would like to see the Commission of Agriculture visit the Midland County Fair.

Vern Viau of the Bay de Noc Beef Producers expressed his concern about bovine tuberculosis testing. Most cattle in the Upper Peninsula are marketed through Wisconsin, Iowa, and Minnesota. Those states will not accept cattle from Michigan unless they have been tested. If Michigan receives split state status, producers would not receive reimbursement for their testing, which is a financial burden. MDA needs to communicate with other states and convince them not to require bovine tuberculosis testing.

Director Wyant agreed that it is important for the state to consider the financial burden on livestock producers if other states do not recognize Michigan's split state status. This is a legitimate concern and will be considered.

Commissioner Darling suggested that Director Wyant and Dr. Chaddock meet again with the new Wisconsin State Agriculture Director.

APPROVAL OF GENERALLY ACCEPTED AGRICULTURAL AND MANAGEMENT PRACTICES:

Dr. Margaret Benson, Task Force Chair, presented the *Generally Accepted Agricultural and Management Practices for the Care of Farm Animals* for Commission approval. A public input meeting was held on May 30, 2001, with no comment received.

MOTION: COMMISSIONER MAITLAND MOVED TO APPROVE THE GENERALLY ACCEPTED AGRICULTURAL AND MANAGEMENT PRACTICES FOR THE CARE OF FARM ANIMALS AS PRESENTED. SECONDED. MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

Dr. Eric Hanson, Task Force Chair, presented the *Generally Accepted Agricultural and Management Practices for Cranberry Production* for Commission approval. A public input meeting was held on May 30, 2001, with no comment received.

MOTION: COMMISSIONER MAITLAND MOVED TO APPROVE THE GENERALLY ACCEPTED AGRICULTURAL AND MANAGEMENT PRACTICES FOR CRANBERRY PRODUCTION AS PRESENTED. SECONDED. MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

REVIEW OF RIGHT-TO-FARM FILE: Vicki Pontz-Teachout, Director of the Environmental Stewardship Division

Vicki Pontz-Teachout, Director of the Environmental Stewardship Division, reported that at last month's meeting the Commission had directed Chair Tatter and MDA staff to meet with Mr. Greg Grosse regarding a Right-To-Farm complaint. The complaint involved manure mismanagement. Since the meeting with Mr. Grosse, a letter was sent requesting that he provide a manure management plan by June 10, 2001. MDA did receive a letter from Mr. Grosse on June 11, 2001; however, the letter outlining his plan for manure management did not utilize Right to Farm practices. Mr. Grosse was notified by telephone and letter that the plan submitted was not acceptable. However, Mr. Grosse responded that the plan remains as submitted.

Therefore, it is recommended that per the Memorandum of Understanding between MDA and the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality (MDEQ) this case be referred to MDEQ.

MOTION: COMMISSIONER MAITLAND MOVED TO REFER THE GREG GROSSE EQUINE FACILITY RIGHT-TO-FARM FILE TO THE MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY. SECONDED. MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

Letters dated June 13, 2001 to Mr. Greg Grosse and to Director Russell Harding of the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality were signed by Chair Tatter.

Ms. Pontz-Teachout also referred to a case brought to the Commission at its May 15, 2001 meeting regarding a Right-To-Farm complaint against Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Rall. She indicated that since the last meeting, a telephone call was received from Mrs. Rall indicating that she would be willing to meet with MDA staff. The complaint involves an environmental problem concerning the uncontrolled access of dairy cows to a creek. Commissioner Viau will accompany MDA staff when they meet with Mr. and Mrs. Rall.

PRESENTATION BY USDA RURAL DEVELOPMENT: Brian Buehler, USDA Public Affairs Office, and Robert Craig, Director of the Agriculture Development Division

Brian Buehler of the USDA Public Affairs Office, distributed and reviewed information about the USDA Rural Development program. Mr. Buehler highlighted the following:

- Financing programs for community and economic development available in Michigan include the Rural Housing Service, the Rural Business Cooperative Development Service, and the Rural Utilities Service. Information about these programs can be obtained at the USDA Rural Development web site: www.rurdev.usda.gov.
- Total obligation for FY 2000 in Michigan was \$277,555,969; 2,444 homes purchased; 332 homes improved; 310 rental housing units rehabilitated and constructed; 99,020 rural residents benefited from improved community facilities and fire protection; 2,857 jobs created and/or saved; 40 businesses benefited from financing, and 14,888 rural residents benefited from improved water and waste systems.

- Rural Business Enterprise Grants for FY 2001 totaled \$870,150; Rural Utility Service, Water and Sewer Loans/Grants for FY 2001 total \$35,412,000.

Robert Craig, Director of the Agriculture Development Division, noted that MDA works closely with USDA Rural Development on many agricultural projects. He added that MDA appreciates the close partnership it has with the USDA Rural Development office. The Rural Development Council of Michigan also works closely with the USDA office in many areas.

UPDATE ON MDA REGION IV ACTIVITIES: Mike Juhasz, Region IV Manager, and Dan Keane, Region IV Supervisor, Pesticide and Plant Pest Management Division

Mike Juhasz, Region IV Manager and Supervisor of the Food and Dairy Division, provided a brief overview of regional activities. The regional office will be moving to a new location in Saginaw. The Food and Dairy Division has been educating its clients about the new Food Law. Staff is currently working with county fair boards with regard to their water supplies. The regional office welcomed the addition of Animal Industry Division staff working on the bovine tuberculosis situation. Forty percent, or 1,254, of the 3,197 Michigan dairy herds are located the Region IV area. There have been no TB positive livestock or wildlife found in Region IV. In a four-month period from March through June, comparative cervical testing was completed on 2,343 animals from 468 herds by the Saginaw region TB staff. Dairy field staff has been working with producers on the National Conference of Interstate Milk Shipments changes in the Pasteurized Milk Ordinance.

Dan Keane of the Pesticide and Plant Pest Management Division said his division does nursery inspections and seed, fertilizer and export sampling. Staff also has been focusing on giving pesticide certification exams. Staff has been working with firms on mosquito control activities. There have been some aquatic complaints received and staff hosted training with industry representatives. They are also working with Dow Gardens. Mr. Keane referred to a snail problem in southern Lapeer County. The snail originates in Europe and contaminates some agricultural commodities, especially grapes.

UPDATE ON VECTOR-BORNE DISEASES: Kenneth Rauscher, Director of the Pesticide and Plant Pest Management Division; Tim Flint, Region VII Supervisor, Pesticide and Plant Pest Management Division

Kenneth Rauscher, Director of the Pesticide and Plant Pest Management Division, distributed and reviewed information about vector-borne diseases and MDA's involvement in their surveillance and control.

Tim Flint, Region VII Supervisor of the Pesticide and Plant Pest Management Division gave a Power Point presentation on Vector-Borne Disease Activity and Surveillance in Michigan. He discussed mosquito-vector-borne diseases in Michigan (Eastern Encephalitis, St. Louis Encephalitis, California Group Encephalitis, and Dog Heartworm). He also discussed tick-vector-borne diseases in Michigan, such as Lyme disease and Rocky Mountain Spotted Fever. During the year 2000, MDA worked with 30 counties in surveillance programs that involved setting traps for mosquitoes and testing them for various diseases. The system ran 20,000 mosquitoes and 1,000 bird sera samples collected during July and August. The samples were sent to MDA and MSU to test for all

of the encephalitis diseases and West Nile virus. Two adult birds tested positive for EEE in Kalamazoo and Montcalm counties. There are "Standard Operating Procedures for Michigan Arbovirus Emergencies" available if arbovirus activity is detected in Michigan. MDA works closely with the Michigan Department of Community Health and MSU to develop West Nile Virus testing capabilities in Michigan as part of the 2001 surveillance program.

PUBLIC COMMENT:

Ron Nelson of the Michigan Farm Bureau expressed concern about MDA's budget as it relates to animal health. Mr. Nelson said that he also looks forward to the news conference announcement on June 25, 2001 regarding the completion of dairy herd testing. He believes that the state economy is now catching up with the agriculture economy. Food safety, animal health, weights and measures, are some of the many challenges that must be addressed, no matter what the state's budget constraints are.

Mr. Nelson noted that one of the things that must be looked for in hiring a new state veterinarian is the ability to work with industry prior to the introduction of new legislation. Dr. Chaddock worked well with the industry.

He also said that the Michigan Farm Bureau is developing a promotional effort on Michigan cattle, as Michigan cattle are now the best disease-tested cattle in the nation.

One of the recent challenges faced by the Michigan Farm Bureau is the aquatic species bill. Recent drafts of the bill provided that fish producers currently regulated by MDA would also be regulated by the DNR. Double regulation would be difficult for producers and not well received by the industry.

RECESS:

The meeting recessed at 5:10 p.m.

Mr. William Lechel of the Saginaw County Mosquito Control District joined the Commissioners at dinner and provided information on his agency's efforts to control the mosquito population in Saginaw County. He discussed the life cycle of a mosquito, noting the periods at which it is susceptible to control through the use of pesticides. He also provided handout material that is used to educate citizens about how they can help control mosquitoes and the diseases they carry.

RECONVENE:

The meeting reconvened at 8:30 a.m. on Thursday, June 14, 2001. The Commission participated in a tour of Star of the West Milling, Frankenmuth, Michigan; tour of the new MDA Region IV office in Saginaw, and a tour of the Little Orchard Company and Michigan Hydroponics located in Bay City.

ADJOURN:

The meeting adjourned at 12:00 p.m. on June 14, 2001.

ATTACHMENTS:

The following documentation is on file in the Commission of Agriculture office and is available upon request. Contacting Dave Charney or Vicki Burke at (517) 373-1104.

Attachment A	Commission of Agriculture May 15, 2001 Meeting Minutes
Attachment B	2001 Mexico Study Tour - Videotape
Attachment C	Legislative Status 2001-02 June 2001
Attachment D	Director's Report – June 2001
Attachment E	Map – TB Tests Completed/Total Dairy Farms, 06/12/2001
Attachment F	Foot-and-Mouth Disease Update, 06/13/2001
Attachment G	Establishment of Potential High-Risk Area for Bovine Tuberculosis, 06/06/2001
Attachment H	Map – Apparent Prevalence of Bovine Tuberculosis in White-Tailed Deer 1996-2000
Attachment I	Bovine Tuberculosis Positive Herds – June 2001
Attachment J	Draft Generally Accepted Agricultural and Management Practices for Site Selection and Odor Control for New and Expanding Livestock Production Facilities, June 2001
Attachment K	Generally Accepted Agricultural and Management Practices for The Care of Farm Animals, June 2001
Attachment L	Generally Accepted Agricultural and Management Practices for Cranberry Production, June 2001
Attachment M	Public Input Meeting – Generally Accepted Agricultural and Management Practices Cranberry Production and The Care of Farm Animals, May 30, 2001
Attachment N	Letter dated June 13, 2001 to Mr. Russell Harding, Director, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality re: Greg Grosse Equine Facility
Attachment O	Letter dated June 13, 2001 to Mr. Greg Grosse, Three Oaks, Michigan
Attachment P	USDA Rural Development – Financing Programs for Community and Economic Development Available in Michigan, June 2001
Attachment Q	Year 2001 Vector-Borne Disease Activity and Surveillance in Michigan
Attachment R	Brochures about “West Nile Virus,” “Saginaw County Mosquito Abatement Commission,” and “Diseases Transmitted by Mosquitoes”