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**Subject:** R7&8 Meeting Action Items  
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Hello all,

Thank you again for traveling to Denver to participate in the EPA Region 7&8 State department of agriculture meeting.

Below are the action items below from each session of this meeting. Please review to make sure we captured everything correctly.

The completed tasks are in purple below.

Thank you.

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**ACTION ITEMS:**

- National EPA Ag Update:
  - Jeff Sands = Provide RVP scientific analysis related to the renewable fuel standard to Doug Goehring.
  
- Office of Pesticide Programs Update:
  - Rick Keigwin - Provide Worker Protection Standards implementation timeline slide to states. **COMPLETED – Attached to this email.**

- Rick Keigwin - Provide Certification and Training of Pesticide Rule (C&T) implementation timelines slide to states. **COMPLETED – Attached to this email.**
- **Cooperative Federalism:**
  - Jim – Will connect the Criminal Investigation Division Special agent in Region 7 with Missouri regarding their questions for status of criminal prosecution investigations.
  - Rebecca – Will check to see if states can participate in the EPA Ag Issues monthly forum. **COMPLETED – Unfortunately the Ag Issues Forum call is between federal agencies.**
  - Jim – Will check schedule to meet with NE Dept. of Agriculture when in NE again.
  - Jim – Will check to see if there can be discussion on assessed penalties for state feedback prior to issuance.
  - R7/R8 - States wanted to know: (1) What happens after states federal inspection report? (2) Asked us to clearly identify who at EPA is the contact for the facility after the inspection.
- **Water Quality:**
  - Jim - Will find out the status on DNA Bacteria Source Tracking and share that information.
  - Rebecca - Find out status of CSU's CLEAN center on their background nutrient research and provide update.
- **Air Quality and Agriculture:**
  - Rebecca - Send copy of presentation to states. **COMPLETED – Attached to this email.**
  - Rebecca – send website link and info about the comment period on the “30 day” report to states. **COMPLETED – Email sent on 12/13/17.**
- **Wrap up:**
  - Patrick (R8) - Compile list of the contracts or delegated programs which EPA R8 has with our state agriculture departments.
  - R8 states – Provide input on existing systems between EPA and state. Can system(s) be improved, replaced, or are they working?