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8-9	Laura Hernandez Merced County Mosquito Abatement Biology and control of Mosquitos	Robert Banks Ag Biologist Merced County Ag Commissioner Reviewing new Telone regulations from DPR LAWS	Scott Stoddard UCCE Merced Vegetable Crops Advisor Weed Management in Tomatoes	Milford Esau Ag Biologist Merced County Ag Commissioner Grower Head Quarter Pesticide Inspection LAWS	Merced Master Gardeners -Non-Chemical Vegetable Pest Mgmt -Pest Mgmt Safety in the home
9-10	Karl Lund, PhD UCCE Madera Viticulture Grape Powdery Mildew Biology and Control Methods	Michele Leinfelder Miles, PhD, UCCE San Joaquin Biology/management of insect/ disease pests that affect field crops - Considerations in field diagnosis for effective IPM	Lara Sparks/Tommy Grove California Department of Fish and Wildlife Update: Nutria Eradication Project	Captain Teddy Perales CalFire Merced County HazMat Team Response to Hazardous Chemical/Pesticide Spills	Madiya Nabong, DPR Antimicrobials as pesticides and the Safe Schools Act LAWS
10-11	Elvis Martinez California DPR Worker/Handler safety training requirements LAWS	Pierce Hanning, PCA Stanislaus Farm Supply Picking the Right Pesticide Issues to consider • Safety • Application • Efficacy • Efficiency	Dr. Zheng Wang Vegetable Crops Advisor UCCE Stanislaus County Stanislaus County Soil-borne and insect- vectored diseases in vegetable crops in the Central Valley	Larry Lima Bee Pests and Protecting Bees from Pesticides Retired Merced Ag Biologist Bee Pests and Protecting Bees from Pesticides	Dr Tapan Pathak UC Merced How climate change may impact pest management decisions
11-12	Jhalendra Rijal, PhD IPM Advisor UCCE Stanislaus County Updates on new invasive Carpophilus beetle infestation in nut crop: management strategies	William Griffin Supervising Ag & Standards Inspector Madera County Aluminum Phosphide Regs LAWS	Larry Burrow Community Ed Specialist UCCE Merced Robotics in Pest Management	Alison Deak Fire Advisor UCCE Mariposa County Prescribed burns in forest and rangeland	Cameron Zuber Orchard Crops Advisor UCCE Merced/Madera Selecting Almond Rootstock for abiotic conditions vs diseases