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FIRST NOTICE PUBLIC NOTICE OF A SCHEDULED REGULAR BOARD MEETING OF THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE'S AQUACULTURE ADVISORY BOARD

January 24, 2025

- §1. Regular Meeting: Pursuant to Executive Order 2024 - 01, the Guam Department of Agriculture hereby gives notice that a **Regular Aquaculture Advisory Board Meeting** will be held on **Friday, January 31, 2025 from 10:00 am – 12:00 pm at the Agriculture & Life Sciences Building, Room 104, University of Guam.**
- §2. Purpose of Meeting: The meeting is a regular advisors' meeting.
- §3. Compliance with ADA: People with disabilities are hereby advised, pursuant to Title 2 of The Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), that anyone requiring special accommodations, auxiliary aids, or services should submit a request therefore to the GEDA's coordinator, Ricardo Duenas at (671) 647-4332.
- §4. Nature of Meeting: Such meeting of the Department of Agriculture's Aquaculture Advisory Board shall be open and public, and any member of the public shall be permitted to attend it, and shall not be required to register his or her name or give any other information, complete a questionnaire, or otherwise fulfill any condition precedent to his or her attendance; provided, that even though a person is admitted to an advisory board meeting he or she shall not because of his or her mere presence be accorded an opportunity to participate in this meeting, and Department of Agriculture retains the right to reserve areas of the meeting room for the public and to exclude the public from any area necessary for the ordinary conduct of its business. Please find the agenda attached.
- §5. Public Viewing: Members of the public may attend via Zoom upon request to Ricardo Duenas at (671) 647-4332 or via email at ricardo.duenas@investguam.com by Thursday, January 30, 2025. The meeting will be streamed live on GEDA's YouTube Channel and may be accessed at investguam.com/live.

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REGULAR AQUACULTURE ADVISORY BOARD MEETING

Pursuant to Executive Order 2024 - 01, The Guam Department of Agriculture hereby gives notice that a **Regular Guam Aquaculture Advisory Board (GAAB) Meeting** will be held on **Friday, January 31, 2025, from 10:00 am – 12:00 pm Agriculture & Life Sciences Building , Room 104, University of Guam.**

MEETING AGENDA

1. **Preliminary Matters**
 - a. Call to order
 - b. Roll Call
 - c. Approval of Agenda
 - d. Approval of Minutes – December 2024 Board Meeting | December 10, 2024

2. **Old Business**
 - a. By-laws for GAAB
 - i. Update from Melanie Mendiola
 - b. Giant Clam Endangered Species Act Listing
 - i. Update on GAAB’s Position Letter from the Governor

3. **New Business**
 - a. Division of Aquaculture Office Space and Other Facilities
 - b. Division of Aquaculture Funding Sources (Local and Federal – Matching & Grant Funds)
 - c. Division of Aquaculture Capacity Building
 - i. Grant Writing Trainings
 - d. Cooperative Working Agreements
 - i. United States Department of Agriculture
 1. Natural Resources Conservation Service
 2. Farm Service Agency
 - ii. Guam Economic Development Authority
 - iii. National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration
 - iv. University of Guam/Guam Community College
 - v. Guam Environmental Protection Agency
 - vi. Guam Energy Office
 - vii. Bureau of Statistics and Plans
 - viii. Non-profits
 1. Guahan Sustainable Culture
 2. Farm to Table Guam
 3. Island Girl Power
 4. Famagu’on Farm

4. Miscellaneous Announcements

- a. Recent events
- b. Upcoming events
 - i. Aquaculture Symposium
 - ii. Center of Island Sustainability Conference
 - iii. Guam Annual, Aquaculture Stakeholders Meeting – January 2025

5. Public Comments

6. Adjournment