



2020-2021 ANNUAL REPORT



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FACAA Annual Membership Meeting (Via Teams)

EPAF 2021



Agenda

Call to Order – Stacy Strickland

Invocation and Pledge

Roll Call – Daniel Leonard

Introduction of new FACAA members – FACAA District Directors

Reading & Disposal of Minutes (None – no 2021 Mid-year meeting) – Daniel Leonard

Treasurer’s Report – Paulette Tomlinson

Budget, Finance & Membership Report – Paulette Tomlinson

Audit Report – Joe Walter

NACAA Update – Southern Region Director

2021 Sunbelt Ag. Expo – Chip Blalock

OLD BUSINESS:

Committee Reports

- Search For Excellence – Jonael Bosques
- Communications – Kalyn Waters
- Remaining reports will follow order in FACAA Annual Report – committee chairs

2022 NACAA AM/PIC Update – Libbie Johnson and Shawn Steed

NEW BUSINESS:

EPAF Conference Updates -

- August 29th – 1st, 2022 at Sheraton Bay Point Resort in Panama City

2022 Mid-Year Meeting – Brooke Moffis / Matt Van Wheelden

2022 FAC Country Store – Shawn Steed

JCEP & PILD – Stacy Strickland

Nominating Committee Report – Libbie Johnson

Committee Sign-up – Stacy Strickland

Presentation of the Gavel

Adjourn



PRESIDENT'S REPORT 2020 – 2021

Dear FACAA Members,

It has been an honor serving as your President during 2020-2021. We have faced many challenges during the last two years, but we have turned those challenges into opportunities. COVID 19 has forced us into previous uncharted waters, but we adapted to continue serving our clientele. We returned to in-person programming during the summer, but as we have learned from this pandemic, expect the unexpected. The delta variant now threatens to send us back into mask mandates and virtual programming.

COVID made us adopt technology at a more rapid rate, and for that I'm thankful. Many of the events that Presidents and President-elect travel to have been virtual or abbreviated. We attended JCEP and PILD virtually. Agents are social creatures and I'm sure we all look forward to in-person meetings. I still hear how much our NACAA colleagues enjoyed the 2004 AM/PIC. I'm certain that AM/PIC in 2022 will be highly successful. Florida Agents have always shined nationally but have now become the envy of Land-Grant Institutions nationwide for technological prowess.

We had many accomplishments in the past year. Under the leadership of our National President, Gene McAvoy, UF/IFAS hosted the first virtual AM/PIC in 2020. Most importantly this preserved a century of continuous meetings. In 2021, we were again called on to host AM/PIC virtually. A huge thanks to the IT professionals (Dewayne Hyatt, Joe Gasper, Kevin Hill, and Philip Lazenby) and the agents that volunteered to be technology facilitators. I am also happy to report that we have a good relationship with the other Associations which will be very useful with the AM/PIC looming in 2022.

My sincere appreciation goes to the Committee Chairs and members that served on various committees. These committees functioned as well-oiled machines. FACAA is in good hands with incoming President Dan Fenneman and the slate of officers that are in rotation. Our association, and Dan in particular, has a lot of work in the coming year.

Best regards,

Stacy



Vice President's Message 2020 – 2021



Dear FACAA Members,

I recently took a trip with my family to the Great Smoky Mountains along the northwest border of North Carolina. While we had a very invigorating trip with lots of outdoors recreation (I even caught my first trout on a fly rod), my wife and her mother managed to get us all to go “shopping” along one of the main streets in a small town. We stopped in at one of the shops that had endless bins of a great variety of candies that you could buy by the pound. If you have ever heard the expression “like a kid in a candy store,” well, I have first-hand knowledge of what that looks like as all six of my children ran wild with bag loads of candy that Mimi was helping to pay for. As my children, wild-eyed and salivating, were weighing out bags at the register, I managed to drift upstairs along with my thoughts to the clothing section of the store. As my mind wandered from contemplation of future dental bills, how fast could that amount of candy disappear in the Steed household, and the art of grand parenting, I came across a shirt that stated, “Don’t worry, nothing is under control.” It immediately made me think of this year at work and I sent a picture of it to my NACAA AM/PIC Co-Chair.

While serving as your Vice-President my main job is to publish the FACAA Annual report. It feels good to have a substantial hand in the works and feel in control of how that turns out. I know many of us feel somewhat rudderless and not in control amidst the circumstances and policies surrounding Covid, but as FACAA Extension professionals you don’t have to look too far to find good advice and assistance from generous colleagues who are making the best of the situation. It is amazing to see the creativity in dealing with the situation and serving their clientele needs. I truly feel that UF is the best Extension organization in the United States from the volume, depth and insight that our work takes on and the accomplishments and accolades that our faculty receive each year at our National Association of County Ag Agent Annual Meeting and Professional Improvement Conference. I am truly honored to be a part of it and represent you. Next year we will all be engaged with the hosting of the annual meeting in West Palm Beach and I would like to thank all those (especially our Committee Chair Captains and the endless energy of my Co-Chair Libbie Johnson) who are leading and giving of their limited time, financial resources, and personal connections to host what I hope to be an “AM/PIC to remember”—in a good way of course.

Just a last quick thought for our newer faculty, if you have the time and have not served on committees at the state or national level, I highly encourage you to apply and push yourself out of your comfort zone. You will get back many times over what you put in as professional advancement, relationships, and leadership opportunities to advance yourself. I know that has been my own personal experience as I look to take on the reigns as President Elect of FACAA next year and continue as Co-Chair of the 2022 AM/PIC.

I am looking forward to next year where hopefully we will be in control of our destiny at AM/PIC 2022 and advance our Extension mission of FACAA. Here’s to a good 2021-2022 Association year!

Respectfully,

Shawn Steed/ FACAA Vice President

FACAA Past Presidents

1936-37	K.C. Moore
1937-40	Fred Craft
1940-42	Paul Hayman
1942-44	John Henry Logan
1944-46	Ed Finlayson
1946-49	M.U. Mounts
1949-51	E.N. "Norbo" Stephens
1951-53	Alec White
1953-55	Jim Watson
1955-57	Lonnis Blich
1957-59	R.E. "Bob" Norris
1959-60	Harry Brinkley
1960-61	James T. Oxford
1961-62	Lloyd Rhoden
1962-63	Ralph T. Clay
1963-64	K. Harper Kendrick
1964-65	John H. Causey
1965-66	W.W. Glenn
1966-67	O.R. Hamrick
1967-68	Ken Clark
1968-69	Levi M. Johnson
1969-70	W.C. Farrell
1970-71	Horace Carr
1971-72	Jean Been
1972-73	Paul Dinkins
1973-74	Edsel Rowan
1974-75	John Russell
1976-77	Tom Braddock
1975-76	Leonard Cobb
1977-78	Jack Hayman
1978-79	Gil Whitton
1979-80	E.J. Cowan
1980-81	J. Lowell Loadholtz
1981-82	Bobby L. Taylor
1982-83	Albert D. Dawson
1983-84	Jack J. Spears
1984-85	Clayton Hutcheson
1985-86	Jesse Godbold
1986-87	Dr. John A. Baldwin
1987-88	Robert M. Davis
1988-89	Bobby R. Durden
1989-90	G. Tim Hurner, Jr

1990-91	Jim Dilbeck
1991-92	Marvin F. Weaver
1992-93	Sidney L. Sumner
1993-94	H.E. "Ed" Jowers
1994-95	Dallas B. Townsend
1995-96	Harold Jones
1996-97	Clay Olson
1997-98	James F. Selph
1998-99	Lawrence A. Heitmeyer
1999-00	William L. Schall
2000-01	Charles A. Williams
2001-02	Robert Hochmuth
2002-03	Patrick Hogue
2003-04	Henry Grant
2004-05	Gene McAvoy
2005-06	Liz Felter
2006-07	Mike Sweat
2007-08	John Brenneman
2008-09	Doug Mayo
2009-10	Teresa Olczyk
2010-11	Jennifer Welshans-Pelham
2011-12	Cindy Sanders
2012-13	Ed Jennings
2013-14	Larry Williams
2014-15	Ron Rice
2015-16	Mark Shuffitt
2016-17	Wendy Wilber
2017-18	Bridget Stice
2018-19	Libbie Johnson
2019-20	Lindsey Wiggins
2020-21	Stacy Strickland

Section I

Organization



NACAA/FACAA Organizational Information

FACAA has a list serve (batch email) setup on the IFAS email system. The FACAA list serve address is FACAA-L@LIST.IFAS.UFL.EDU. This is the recommended way to communicate with FACAA members. This list serve is up-dated by the FACAA Treasurer. Two important web sites to mark as favorites on every FACAA member’s computer are:

<http://faca.ifas.ufl.edu>

<http://www.nacaa.com>

Several FACAA committees are linked to NACAA. This means the NACAA structure requires member state associations to conduct the work of these committees. NACAA-linked committees are organized in one of three national “councils”, as follows:

1. Program Recognition Council (Awards & Recognition)
2. Extension Development Council
3. Professional Improvement Council

Program Recognition Council

This component contains the award-based programs that have been a very traditional part of NACAA. Members can enter competitive contests that highlight the following areas: 4-H & Youth, Communications, Professional Excellence, Public Relations, Recognition & Awards, Scholarship, and Search for Excellence (Extension Programs). Current programs that target specific subject matter or include a travel study tour will be assigned to the appropriate Professional Improvement Committee or Extension Development Committee. As new competitive awards programs are introduced, they would be placed into this block. All programs in this component are expected to identify sponsors and secure adequate funding to operate each award activity. Where possible the sponsor’s funding should include all committee expenses.

Extension Development Council

This component is designed to enhance our members in the area of general Extension training. One common thread among NACAA members is the fact that we are all Extension Agents/Educators. Therefore, it is imperative that our organization strengthen and continue to offer training in how to become a better extension professional. This is the one area that effectively separates NACAA from other subject specific professional organizations. These sub-areas would not be subject matter specific, but rather would cover broad, general extension related topics that could focus on the following: Administration Skill Development, Agriculture Issues & Public Relations, Early Career Development, and Teaching & Educational Technologies. Each of these broad headings would become a Committee.

Professional Improvement Council

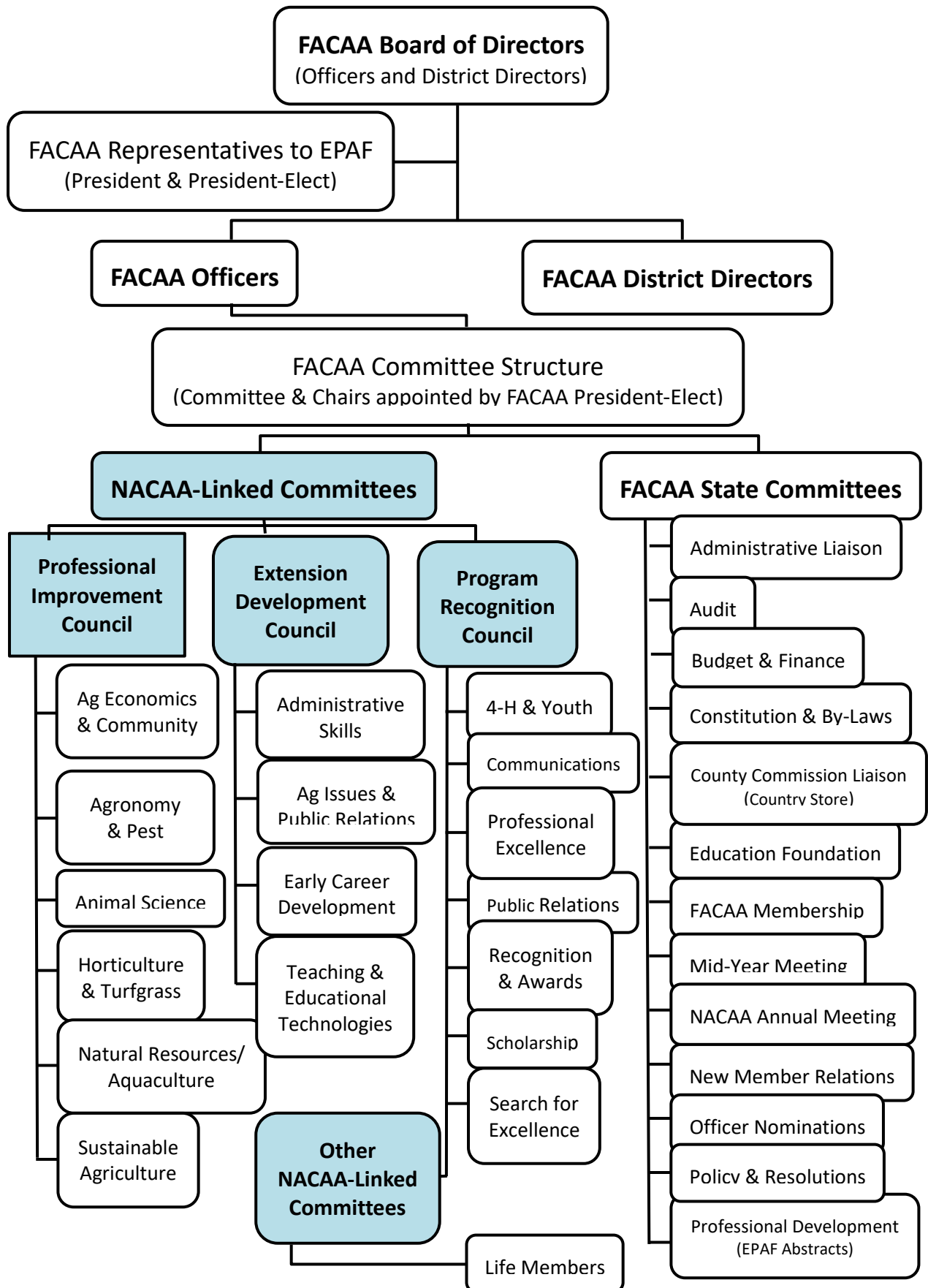
Our members have indicated a need for opportunities to present and receive specific subject matter information. This component was created and designed to better fulfill our mission: “...*to further the professional improvement of our members...*” as written in the NACAA mission statement. This area is devoted to enhancing the opportunities for our members to become more knowledgeable and competent in subject matter areas in which they work. Examples of training activities that might be included within this category include: discussion groups, seminars, refereed papers, demonstration sharing, study tours, and interstate/international exchanges. Six broad, fundamental subject matter areas were identified that would encompass the vast majority of work done by Extension agents/educators across the country. That list includes: Agricultural

Economics, Agronomy & Pest Management, Animal Science, Aquaculture/Sea Grant, Forestry & Natural Resources, Horticulture & Turfgrass, and Sustainable Agriculture.

Each of these seven broad subject matter areas would comprise a Committee. Additional committee categories can be added in the future or existing areas modified to better meet the needs of NACAA members. Each of these broad groups under the Animal Science Committee might include: Range/Pasture Management, Bio-Technology in Livestock, Beef Nutrition, Dairy Breeding, Swine Genetics, Rotational Grazing, and Animal Waste Management. This short list is not meant to be all-inclusive.

NACAA Councils and their associated committees provide opportunities for NACAA members to make regional and national presentations relative to their individual work experiences. This current structure provides opportunities for NACAA members to develop and implement regional and even national programs within their discipline that will meet objectives and goals contained in their annual Plan of Work.

FACAA Organizational Structure



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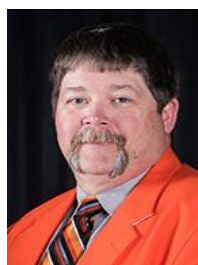
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FACAA Districts

<u>District 1</u>	<u>District 2</u>	<u>District 3</u>	<u>District 4</u>	<u>District 5</u>
Bay	Alachua	Brevard	DeSoto	Broward
Calhoun	Baker	Citrus	Hardee	Charlotte
Escambia	Bradford	Flagler	Highlands	Collier
Franklin	Clay	Hernando	Hillsborough	Dade
Gadsden	Columbia	Lake	Indian River	Glades
Gulf	Dixie	Marion	Manatee	Hendry
Holmes	Duval	Orange	Okeechobee	Lee
Jackson	Gilchrist	Osceola	Pasco	Martin
Leon	Hamilton	Putnam	Pinellas	Monroe
Liberty	Jefferson	St. Johns	Polk	Palm Beach
Okaloosa	Lafayette	Seminole	St. Lucie	Seminole Tribe
Santa Rosa	Levy	Sumter	Sarasota	
Wakulla	Madison	Volusia		
Walton	Nassau			
Washington	Suwannee			
	Taylor			
	Union			



FACAA Committee Assignments (2020-2021)

Committees Linked to the NACAA Professional Improvement Council

<http://www.nacaa.com/committees/pic.php>

Ag Economics and Community Development

Chris Prevatt, Chair

Caitlin Bainum

Agronomy and Pest Management

Bonnie Wells, Chair

Ethan Carter, Co-Chair

Matt VanWeelden

Jim Davis

Sylvia Willis

Joe Walter

Maxine Hunter

Animal Science

Kalyn Waters, Chair

Kalan Taylor, Co-Chair

Caitlin Bainum

Courtney Darling

Joe Walter

Cassidy Dossin

Horticulture and Turfgrass

Alicia Lamborn, Chair

Jim Davis

Bonnie Wells

Lisa Sanderson

Maxine Hunter

Natural Resources/Aquaculture

Brittany Scharf, Chair

Jim Davis, Co-Chair

Bonnie Wells

Maxine Hunter

Sustainable Agriculture

Jessica Ryals, Chair

Matt Smith, Co-Chair

Committees Linked to the NACAA Extension Development Council

<https://www.nacaa.com/committees/edc.php>

Leadership and Administrative Skills

Maxine Hunter, Chair

Bill Lester

Agriculture Issues and Public Relations

Mark Mauldin, Chair

Early Career Development

Matt Orwat, Chair
Matt VanWeelden
Jim Davis

Teaching and Educational Technologies

Nicole Pinson, Chair
Jim Davis, Co-Chair
Bill Lester
Lisa Sanderson
Maxine Hunter

Committees Linked to the NACAA Program Recognition Council

<https://www.nacaa.com/committees/prc.php>

4-H and Youth Development

Prissy Fletcher, Chair
Jim Davis
Matt Smith
Caitlin Bainum

Communications

Kalyn Waters, Chair
Brad Burbaugh
Matt VanWeelden
Caitlin Bainum
Jim Davis
Bonnie Wells
Sylvia Willis
Courtney Darling
Lisa Sanderson
Cassidy Dossin
Luke Harlow
Ron Rice

Professional Excellence

Ralph Mitchell, Chair
Pat Williams
Lisa Sanderson
Maxine Hunter
Don Rainey
Ron Rice

Public Relations

Paulette Tomlinson, Chair
Jim Davis

Recognition and Awards

Krista Kirby, Chair

Scholarship

Jim Davis, Chair

Lisa Sanderson (Co-Chair)
Matt Smith
Yvette Goodiel

Search for Excellence

Vanessa Campoverde, Chair
Jim Davis
Matt Smith
Bonnie Wells
Sylvia Willis
Lisa Sanderson
Don Rainey

Other NACAA Linked Committees

Life Member

Richard Tyson, Chair

FACAA State Committees

Administration Liaison

Shawn Steed, Chair

Budget and Finance

Paulette Tomlinson, Chair
Maxine Hunter

Constitution and By-Laws

Dan Fenneman, Chair
Joe Walter

Educational Foundation Professional Development

Lindsey Wiggins, Chair

Funding and Support (Appointed-Past Presidents)

Lindsey Wiggins, Chair

Policy and Resolutions

Dan Fenneman, Chair

County Commission Liaison “The Country Store”

Dan Fenneman, Chair
Tom Becker
Matt VanWeelden
Ralph Mitchell
Bonnie Wells

Mid-Year Meetings

Brooks Moffis, Chair
Jim Davis, Co-Chair
Caitlin Bainum

NACAA Annual Meeting

Dan Fenneman, Chair
Libbie Johnson

New Member Relations

Brooke Moffis, Chair
Jim Davis (Co-Chair)
Pat Williams
Yvette Goodiel
Libbie Johnson

Officer Nominations (Past Presidents)

Lindsey Wiggins, Chair

FACA Membership

Paulette Tomlinson, Chair
Jim Davis
Libbie Johnson

Professional Development and Abstract

Danielle Sprague, Chair
Matt VanWeelden
Bonnie Wells
Caitlin Bainum
Ethan Carter
Luke Harlow
Ron Rice
Audit
Joe Walter, Chair

Section II

FACAA Meetings Agendas & Minutes





FACAA Board Meeting [ZOOM](#)

Thursday, August 20, 2020

10:00 AM (EST)



Agenda

Call to Order – Lindsey Wiggins

Invocation and Pledge – Dan Fenneman

Roll Call – Shawn Steed

Minutes - (FACAA Mid-Year Board mtg.) – Shawn Steed

Treasurer's Report - Nick Simmons

OLD BUSINESS:

2022 NACAA AM/PIC (Florida) – Libbie Johnson and Shawn Steed

NEW BUSINESS:

EPAF Conference Updates - Stacy Strickland and Lindsey Wiggins September 13th – 16th, 2021 at Sheraton Bay Point Resort in Panama City is the next meeting time and place

2020 NACAA AM/PIC (Virtual) - Lindsey Wiggins

2020 Sunbelt Ag. Expo. – Lindsey Wiggins

2021 JCEP and PILD Conferences- Stacy Strickland

Paid Time Off for Faculty – Kalyn Waters

Country Store- Dan Fenneman

Sending Off Gene McAvoy – Lindsey Wiggins

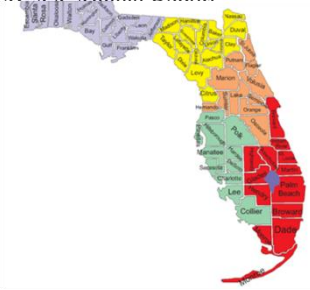
Fate of Donation to Virginia Beach AM/PIC –

Nominating Committee Report – Libbie Johnson



FACAA Board Meeting ZOOM

Thursday, August 20, 2020
10:00 AM (EST)



Minutes

Call to Order – Lindsey Wiggins

Invocation and Pledge – Dan Fenneman

Roll Call – Shawn Steed

In attendance: Kalyn Waters, Daniel Leonard, Dan Fenneman, Francisco Rivera, Lindsey Wiggins, Hannah Wooten, Stacey Strickland, Danielle Sprague, Libbie Johnson, Nick Simmons, Matt Van Wheldon, Alicia Halbritter, Taylor Davis, and Jay Capasso.

Minutes - (FACAA Mid-Year Board mtg.) – Shawn Steed sent out the minutes to the Board Meeting via email. Libbie Johnson made a motion to accept, Taylor Davis seconded the minutes. Motion passed to accept the minutes.

Treasurer's Report - Nick Simmons gave the Treasurers Report
Reporting Period: 7/1/19 – 06/30/20

Total Checking Account Balance – 7/1/19	\$25,508.27
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Total Saving Account Balance – 7/1/19	\$12,675.15
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Income

Membership Income(checks)	\$ 5,900.00
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Farm Credit Sponsorship	\$ 400.00
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2019 SNO payments	\$ 2,355.08
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JCEP RMB	\$ 450.00
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Membership Income (Eventbrite)	\$ 8,800.00
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Taylor Davis (Education scholarship payment)	\$ 100.00
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<u>Total</u>	<u>\$18,005.08</u>
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Expenses

2019 AM/PIC Sponsorship (VAAA)	\$ 3,000.00
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Sporting Chance (EPAF awards)	\$ 1,893.00
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Don Halls Gas House (SNO)	\$ 2,329.60
Nicole Pinson (FACAA AA RMB Travel)	\$ 200.00
Lindsey Wiggins (EPAF mtg expense)	\$ 101.94
Lindsey Wiggins (2019 AM/PIC travel)	\$ 1,084.03
Stacey Strickland (2020 JCEP Travel)	\$ 1,434.00
NACAA (Memberships)	\$ 7,750.00
UF FACAA Foundation (Taylor Davis)	\$ 100.00
Florida Dept of Corporations	\$ 70.00
Total	\$ 17,962.57
Total Checking Account Balance – 06/30/20	\$26,550.78
Savings Account Balance – 06/30/20	\$12,681.51
Total asset summary – 05/18/20	\$39,296.23

Membership Report as of 06/30/20:

Membership:

151 members;

3 complimentary memberships (Dr. Obreza, Dr. Place, and Dr. Muhktar);

94 life members

A discussion was held about moving some money from savings that is generally not used in operating funds to a savings bond to generate interest that can be used in the future. Lindsey recommended Edward Jones investments and using \$5000 bonds in AAA-rated investment vehicles. Edward Jones takes out their percentage in the price of the bond and manages the investment. A motion was made to go forward with this option by Libbie Johnson and seconded by Dan Fenneman. The motion passed unanimously. Francisco Rivera mentioned the potential of using other institutions for the same purpose at perhaps a better rate and made a motion to assess the investment in one year and reevaluate the investment. Shawn Steed seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

OLD BUSINESS:

2022 NACAA AM/PIC (Florida) – Libbie Johnson and Shawn Steed updated the group on the progress of the NACAA AM/PIC 2022 Meeting. Libbie would like to see Dan Fenneman show up to one of the committee meetings. Fund raising is needed. Looks like the letter to the research faculty will not be going out to research faculty at this point. Shawn mentioned that we might need to speak with our research peers and allied organizations sooner than later with all that is happening with Corona virus. Cayln brought up the idea of a “Steer a Year” from the different Cattlemen’s Groups donating the money of one steer for our organization.

NEW BUSINESS:

EPAF Conference Updates - Stacy Strickland and Lindsey Wiggins gave an update on the Virtual Meeting format in TEAMS and that people outside the UF organization should make sure

that they have access to TEAMS. The meeting time is September 1-3, 2020. At this meeting we will have some new presentations on the Communications Awards and the Search for Excellence Awards. Committee sign up will be an Excel sheet on the Teams site. Matt Van Wheeldon or Stacy Strickland will get Shawn a copy of member attendees for the minutes.

- September 13th – 16th, 2021 at Sheraton Bay Point Resort in Panama City is the next meeting time and place

2020 NACAA AM/PIC (Virtual) - Lindsey Wiggins updated the Board that the 2020 NACAA AM/PIC would be virtual this year and not a physical event.

2020 Sunbelt Ag. Expo. – Lindsey Wiggins updated that there would be no Sunbelt Ag Expo this year but they are planning that there would be one next year. Chip Blalock would talk to us about it at EPAF.

2021 JCEP and PILD Conferences- Stacy Strickland updated the Board on the two conferences stating that JCEP would be held in Kansas City next. PILD is held in Washington. It was also mentioned that a poster should be submitted due to the lack of posters at the conference.

Paid Time Off for Faculty – Kalyn Waters discussed the new changes in policy for sick and vacation time no being switched to Paid Time Off with a cap of 480 hrs. The policy seems vague and moves accrued sick time over 480 into a “Sick Leave Account” for use with an FMLA Leave. There will also be an eight-week Parental Leave option for parents of new children. There was some ill-will at this new policy and it was suggested that we communicate that through our organization as well as other extension organizations, Faculty Senate and union. Libbie asked Shawn to bring up at the EFAC Meeting.

Country Store- Dan Fenneman discussed the Country Store that will be June 29 – July 2 2021 in Orlando. We will be needing labor and booth donations. Keith Gouin will be paying for the booth.

Sending Off Gene McAvoy – Lindsey Wiggins stated that there would be no ceremony celebrating Gene McAvoy’s and thought that FACAA should do something to honor his role as NACAA President. Gift options were discussed. Kalyn moved that we should approve \$500.00 towards a gift and allow Lindsey to use her discretion. Matt Van Weeldon seconded the motion. The motion passed with one dissenting vote.

Fate of Donation to Virginia Beach AM/PIC – \$3000 was made to Virginia for the NACAA 2020 Meeting as a donation. Lindsey asked Virginia if there would be any loss of funds from the cancellation. There being none a motion was made to ask for the money back and be put into the FACAA 2022 Account. Dan Fenneman moved and Libbie Johnson seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Nominating Committee Report – Libbie Johnson stated who the next officers and directors would be.

2020-21 Officer Rotation:

Past President: Lindsey Wiggins

President: Stacy Strickland

President Elect: Dan Fenneman
Vice President: Shawn Steed
Secretary: Daniel Leonard
Treasurer: Paulette Tomlinson
Web Design: Jennifer Bearden

Directors:

District 1 Kalyn Waters, Jr. Director: Ethan Carter
District 2 Jay Capasso, Jr. Director: Sylvia Willis
District 3 Hannah Wooten, Jr. Director: Caitlin Bainum
District 4 Taylor Davis, Jr. Director: Lauren Butler
District 5 Yvette Goodiel, Jr. Director: Frank Dowdle

She also mentioned that this year she did not select a student for the scholarship and we should do two next year.

Respectfully submitted by Shawn Steed 8/20/20



FACAA Annual Membership Meeting (Via Teams)

Tuesday, September 1, 2020 at 9:00 AM (EST)



Agenda

Call to Order – 9:00-Lindsey Wiggins

Invocation and Pledge – Dan Fenneman

Roll Call - Shawn Steed

Introduction of new FACAA members – FACAA District Directors

Reading & Disposal of Minutes (2020 Mid-Year Meeting, Zoom) – Shawn Steed

Treasurer's Report – Nick Simmons

Budget, Finance & Membership Report – Nick Simmons

Audit Report – Joe Walter

NACAA Update– Mike Reeves, NACAA Southern Region Director & Gene McAvoy

2021 Sunbelt Ag. Expo – Chip Blalock

OLD BUSINESS:

Committee Reports

- Search For Excellence – Vanessa Campoverde
- Communications – Luke Harlow
- Remaining reports will follow order in FACAA Annual Report – committee chairs

2022 NACAA AM/PIC Update – Libbie Johnson and Shawn Steed

NEW BUSINESS:

EPAF Conference Updates - Lindsey Wiggins

- September 13th – 16th, 2021 at Sheraton Bay Point Resort in Panama City

2021 Mid-Year Meeting – Brooke Moffis

Fate of Donation to Virginia Beach AM/PIC – Lindsey Wiggins

2021 FAC Country Store – Dan Fenneman

JCEP & PILD – Stacy Strickland

New PTO Policy – Kalyn Waters

Nominating Committee Report – Libbie Johnson

Committee Sign-up – Stacy Strickland

Presentation of the Gavel

Adjourn



FACAA Annual Membership Meeting

(Via Teams)

Tuesday, September 1, 2020 at 9:00 AM (EST)

Meeting Minutes

Call to Order – 9:00-Lindsey Wiggins

Invocation and Pledge – Dan Fenneman

Roll Call - Shawn Steed took virtual attendance with a printed report from Teams.

Those in attendance at the time of the report:

Joseph Strickland, Natasha Parks, Danielle Sprague, Serap Gorucu, Patricia Nobles, Matthew Van Weelden, Lindsey Wiggins, Amir Rezazadeh, Mike Reeves, Luke Harlow, Nicholas Simmons, Caitlin Bainum, Karen Stauderman, Sylvia Willis, Sonja Crawford, Libbie Johnson, Joseph Walter, Matthew Lollar, Bridget Stice, Robert Hochmuth, Anna Paulette Tomlinson, Erin Harlow, Ralph Mitchell, Brittany Justesen, Tatiana Sanchez, Bonnie Wells, Frank Dowdle, Ronald Rice, Nadja Schimmel-Cruz, De Broughton, Alicia Halbritter, Lisa Sanderson, Gene McAvoy, Brooke Moffis, Jessica Sullivan, Sarah Bostick, Shannon Edwards, Wayne Hobbs, Patrick Williams, Christa Kirby, Daniel Leonard, Maxine Hunter, Wendy Mussoline, Craig Frey, Luke Miller, James Yarborough, Molly Jameson, Saqib Mukhtar, Kalyn Waters, Cassidy Dossin, Keith Wynn, Kevin Athearn, Emily Marois, Taylor Davis, Mark Mauldin, Chip Blalock, Ethan Carter, Colleen Larson, Jennifer Pelham, Donald Rainey, Chris Prevatt, Doug Mayo, Francisco Melendez, Laura Bennett, Clay Cooper, Hannah Wooten, Larry Williams, Kevin Hill, Sheila Dunning, Wael Elwakil, Kristina McIntyre, Liz Felter, Kevin Camm, Dan Fenneman, Justina Dacey, Shawn Steed, Jennifer Bearden, Mark Tancig, Brad Burbaugh, Anita Neal, Norma Samuel, Terra Freeman, Jamielyn Daugherty, Chris Oswalt, Megan Mann, Nicole Pinson, Jay Capasso, Lauren Butler, Carolyn Saft, Elizabeth Bolles, Edmund Thralls, Jonael Bosques, Christine Kelly-Begazo, Yvette Goodiel, Vanessa Campoverde, Ed Jennings, Tiare Silvasy, David Austin, William Schall Jr, Kevin Korus, Eva Pabon, Julie McConnell, Pete Vergot III, Cynthia Sanders

Introduction of new FACAA members – FACAA District Directors: Alicia Halbritter and Dan Leonard introduced Lisa Strange of Taylor County; Clay Cooper introduced Morgan Pinkerton of Seminole County. Lynn Nobles of Marion County was also introduced.

Reading & Disposal of Minutes (2020 Mid-Year Meeting, Zoom) – Shawn Steed, Emailed the membership the minutes of the Mid-Year Meeting. Dan Fenneman made a motion of approve the minutes, Karen Stauderman seconded. Motion passed.

Treasurer’s Report – Nick Simmons

Budget, Finance & Membership Report – Nick Simmons

Reporting Period: 7/1/19 – 06/30/20

Total Checking Account Balance – 7/1/19	\$25,508.27
Total Saving Account Balance – 7/1/19	\$12,675.15

Income

Membership Income(checks)	\$ 5,900.00
Farm Credit Sponsorship	\$ 400.00
2019 SNO payments	\$ 2,355.08
JCEP RMB	\$ 450.00
Membership Income (Eventbrite)	\$ 8,800.00
Taylor Davis (Education scholarship payment)	\$ 100.00

Total	\$18,005.08
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Expenses

2019 AM/PIC Sponsorship (VAAA)	\$ 3,000.00
Sporting Chance (EPAF awards)	\$ 1,893.00
Don Halls Gas House (SNO)	\$ 2,329.60
Nicole Pinson (FACAA AA RMB Travel)	\$ 200.00
Lindsey Wiggins (EPAF mtg expense)	\$ 101.94
Lindsey Wiggins (2019 AM/PIC travel)	\$ 1,084.03
Stacey Strickland (2020 JCEP Travel)	\$ 1,434.00
NACAA (Memberships)	\$ 7,750.00
UF FACAA Foundation (Taylor Davis)	\$ 100.00
Florida Dept of Corporations	\$ 70.00

Total	\$ 17,962.57
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Total Checking Account Balance – 06/30/20	\$26,550.78
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Savings Account Balance – 06/30/20	\$12,681.51
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Total asset summary – 05/18/20	\$39,296.23
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Membership 2019-2020

Active Members – 151

Life Members – 94

Total Membership – 245

Active Members:**A**

Albrecht, Laurie
Anderson, Evan
Asuaje, Cesar R.
Athearn, Kevin R.
Atkins, John D
Atkinson, Michelle
Austin, David A

B

Badurek, Theresa
Bailey, Mark
Bainum, Caitlin
Barber, Lynn A
Barrett, Charles
Bearden, Jennifer
Beckford, Marguerite

Bennett, Laura
Bodrey, Ray
Bolles, Elizabeth
Bosques, Jonael
Bostick, Sarah
Broughton, De
Burbaugh, Brad J.
Butler, Lauren

C

Campoverde, Vanessa
 Cant, Jane Elizabeth
 Capasso, Jay
 Carter, Ethan T
 Chapin, Travis
 Clem, Taylor
 Cooper, Clay
 Crawford, Sonja C

D

Dacey, Justina
 Darling, Courtney
 Davis, James E
 Davis, Taylor
 Dossin, Cassidy
 Dowdle, Frank
 Dunning, Sheila

E

Elwakil, Wael
 England, Gary K
 Eubanks, Shepard D

F

Felter, Elizabeth "liz"
 Fenneman, Daniel K
 Figart, Lawrence
 Fletcher, Evelyn V
 Freeman, Terra

G

Gamble, Sharon Fox
 Goodchild, Mike
 Goodiel, Yvette
 Greer, Kelly

H

Haddock, Susan
 Halbritter, Alicia
 Harlow, Erin
 Harlow, Luke
 Hicks, Greg
 Hobbs, Wayne
 Hochmuth, Robert Conway
 Hunter, Maxine
 Hurner, Laurie

J

Jameson, Molly
 Jarvis, Bj
 Jennings, Ed
 Johnson, Libbie
 Jordi, Rebecca L.
 Justesen, Brittany

K

Kelly-Begazo, Christine A.
 Kerr, Christopher
 Kirby, Christa L.
 Korus, Kevin

L

Lamborn, Alicia R
 Larson, Colleen C
 Leonard, Daniel J.
 Lester, William
 Lollar, Matthew

M

Maddox, Martha B
 Mann, Megan
 Mauldin, Mark D
 Mayo, Doug
 McAvoy, Eugene
 Mcconnell, Julie
 McIntyre, Tina L
 Miller, Christian F.
 Miller, Luke
 Mitchell, Ralph E
 Moffis, Brooke L.
 Mudge, Dennis M.
 Mussolino, Wendy

N

Neal, Anita

O

Olczyk, Teresa
 Orwat, Matthew J.
 Oswald, Chris

P

Pabon, Eva M
 Pelham, Jennifer
 Pinson, Nicole D.
 Pittman, Tyler
 Popenoe, Juanita
 Prevatt, Christopher

R

Rainey, Donald P
 Rice, Ronald W
 Ricketts, Grantly E.
 Rivera-Melendez, Francisco
 Primitivo
 Rotindo, Kate
 Ryals, Jessica Mendes

S

Saft, Carolyn S.
 Salinas, Mary L
 Samuel, Norma
 Sanchez, Mayerling Tatiana
 Sanders, Cindy
 Sanderson, Lisa
 Schall, William L
 Scharf, Brittany J.
 Schortinghouse, Alyssa M.
 Simmons, Nicholas
 Smith, Matthew
 Snodgrass, Crystal
 Sprague, Danielle
 Stauderman, Karen M
 Steed, Shawn T.
 Stevenson, Carrie
 Stewart, Ashley
 Stice, Bridget
 Strickland, J Stacy
 Stump, Krista
 Sullivan, Jessica
 Swanson, Stewart

T

Tancig, Mark

Taylor, Kalan
 Thralls, Edmund L.
 Tomlinson, Paulette
 Treadwell, Danielle

V

Vann, Christopher
 VanWeelden, Matthew T
 Vreeland, Mimi

W

Wallau, Marcelo
 Walter, Joseph H
 Wang, Qingren
 Warren, Mark
 Wasielewski, Jeff
 Waters, Kalyn
 Wells, Bonnie C.
 Wichman, Tom
 Wiggins, Lindsey
 Wilber, Wendy
 Williams, Larry L
 Williams, Pat
 Willis, Sylvia
 Wilson, Timothy W
 Wooten, Hannah
 Wynn, Keith

Y

Yarborough, Jk
 Yasalonis, Anne
 Yeager, Tom

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Zekri, Mongi

Audit Report – Joe Walter- Everything was exactly as it should be. He mentioned a \$1000.00 transfer to the AM/PIC Account. His complete report is below in the committee reports.

NACAA – Mike Reeves, NACAA Southern Region Director & Gene McAvoy, NACAA President- Mr. Reeves mentioned that membership was fast acting and quickly got up to speed with an online presence. NACAA AM/PIC will be virtual this year with no registration. Next year it will be in Philadelphia on 7/4/21. He mentioned that the next on the rotation will be TX. He said it was an honor to serve and said relationships with other agents are a very important part of the service position he occupies.

Gene mentioned that John Henry Lodge was the last Floridian to serve as NACAA President. He also has the distinction of advocating for moving the AM/PIC around the US. Gene's distinction will be the first president to serve during a virtual meeting. He thanked the Virginia leadership for all that they have done. The meeting will be 9/28/20. He mentioned that agents should get involved as it is very rewarding, and to take advantage of the scholarship funds made available for travel.

Lindsey presented Gene with a custom made NACAA knife from FACAA for his leadership as president of NACAA. The link to the registration for the 2020 AM/PIC is <https://www.nacaa.com/ampic/2020/2020VirtualAMPIC.php>

2021 Sunbelt Ag. Expo – Chip Blalock- Discussed the cancellation of the 2020 show. The hay contest submittal date was 9/1/20 but any entries after that date are valid for the next contest. Rick Roth is the Florida Farmer of the year.

OLD BUSINESS:

Committee Reports started with presentations of SFE and Communications presentations at EPAF.

Search for Excellence

Communications

Luke Harlow, CHAIR Union
Vice-chair – Tatiana Sanchez, Alachua County
Members

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Hannah Wooten, Kalyn Waters, Matt Lollar, Maxine Hunter, Molly Jameson, Christine Kelly, Mark Tancig, Daniel Leonard, Terra Freeman, Bonnie Wells, Cassidy Dossin, Danielle Sprague, Ron Rice, Matt Smith, Lisa Sanderson, Courtney Darling, Sylvia Willis, Jessica Sullivan, Frank Dowdle, Clay Cooper, Brittany Justesen, Evan Anderson

I would like to extend my thanks to an excellent and dedicated communications committee. The committee judged 92 entries in the 13 categories. This year we had 5 regional winners, 2 national finalists and hopefully 2 national winners! The following are the results of our state entries:

Category	Total Number of Entries	State Winner	Southern Regional Winner	National Finalists	National Winner
Audio Recording	2	Mark Tancig	X		
Published Photo	9	Alicia Halbritter	X	X	TBA
Computer Generated Presentations	5	Taylor Clem			
Program Promotional Package	14	Erin Harlow	X		
Personal Column	13	Taylor Clem			
Featured Story	10	Kalyn Waters			
Newsletter, Individual	0	-			
Newsletter, Team	1	Christine Kelly-Begazo*			
Video Presentation	15	De Broughton**			
Fact Sheet	7	Alicia Halbritter	X	X	TBA
Publication	6	Wayne Hobbs***			
Web Site	3	Doug Mayo****			
Learning Module	4	William Lester	X		
Bound Book	3	Rebecca Jordi			

* Cole, D.² , Munroe, L.³

** Fenneman, D.² , Hochmuth, R.³ , Barrett, C.⁴,

*** Knox, G.² , Mallinger, R.E.³ , Yasalonis, A.⁴,

**** Mauldin, M.² , Albertin, A.³ , Andersen, P.⁴ , Atkins, J.⁵ , Bearden, J.⁶ , Blount, R.A.⁷ , Boatwright, L.⁸ , Bodrey, R.⁹ , Carter, E.¹⁰ , Devkota, P.¹¹ , DiLorenzo, N.¹² , Dubeux, J.¹³ , Dufault, N.¹⁴ , Eubanks, S.¹⁵ , Freeman, J.¹⁶ , Funderburk, J.¹⁷ , Gonella-Diaza¹⁸ , Goodchild, M.¹⁹ , Grabau, Z.²⁰ , Harrison, G.²¹ , Hersom, M.²² , Jameson, M.²³ , Johnson, L.²⁴ , Leonard, D.²⁵ , Lollar, M.²⁶ , Mackowiak, C.²⁷ , Martini, X.²⁸ , Mulvaney, M.²⁹ , Orwat, M.³⁰ , Paret, M.³¹ , Prevatt, C.³² , Sellers, B.³³ , Simmons, N.³⁴ , Small, I.³⁵ , Sprague, D.³⁶ , TenBroeck, S.³⁷ , Tillman, B.³⁸ , Wallau, M.³⁹ , Waters, K.⁴⁰,

Then other reports followed after the presentations.

Agricultural Economics & Community Development

Chris Prevatt, CHAIR

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No activity to report for 2019-2020

Agronomy & Pest Management

Bonnie Wells, CHAIR

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No committee activity to report.

Animal Science

Kalyn Waters, CHAIR

Holmes

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The animal science committee is working to establish statewide reporting initiatives to strengthen our impacts. In addition, the committee will be meeting to determine means to establish more effective working relationships with state specialists to increase field research in the animal science sector.

Horticulture & Turfgrass

Alicia Lamborn, CHAIR Baker alamborn@ufl.edu

Committee members promoted webinars and in-service trainings of statewide interest to Horticulture Agents.

Natural Resources/Aquaculture

Maxine Hunter Marion maxine32666@ufl.edu

No activity to report for 2019-2020

Sustainable Agriculture

Hannah Wooten, CHAIR Seminole hwooten@ufl.edu

Sustainable Ag is working with committee members in the South Central District to prepare for the SARE Pre- Tour for the 2022 AMPIC, and appreciate contributions from other agents in the district for your support already.

Administrative Skills

Nick Simmons, CHAIR Escambia nsimmons@ufl.edu

This committee has nothing to report for 2019-2020.

Agricultural Issues & Public Relations

Mark Mauldin, CHAIR Washington mdm83@ufl.edu

No activity to report

Early Career Development

Matthew Orwat, CHAIR Washington mjorwat@ufl.edu

For the Early Career Development committee, we are working on a Webinar to help new agents write an ROA, annually, that will help them in developing an excellent promotion packet. It will be titled Reporting and Promotion Packet Pointers for New Agents.

Teaching & Educational Technologies

Nicole Pinson, CHAIR Hillsborough nicolepinson@ufl.edu

This year focused on online learning resources, especially during COVID-19. UF/IFAS Extension, IFAS Communications and faculty have created and shared numerous guidance documents, online trainings and best practices guidelines for Extension programming using online formats and digital tools. Many Agents have developed online courses, webinars, podcasts and virtual workshops and conferences to name a few. Help desks and offices hold virtual hours accessible by phone and email. Groups use Microsoft TEAMS to organize team members (which many include internal and external members), assign tasks/action items and complete projects. Security and accessibility concerns continue to be addressed. Sharing of resources and increased collaboration has been an outcome of Extension work this year.

4-H and Youth

Christa Kirby, CHAIR Manatee ccarlson@ufl.edu

No activity to report for 2019-2020

Professional Excellence

Ralph Mitchell, CHAIR Charlotte shadowed@ufl.edu

Posters

Poster Committee members reviewed eighteen (18) entries in Applied Research and Extension Education within this competition. We had a good number of participants and excellent submissions – 40 in total! This included six (6) individuals entered under Applied Research with three (3) requesting that their entry be judged, and thirty-four (34) submissions for Extension Education with fifteen (15) requesting that their entry be judged.

Our Florida State Winners Are:

- Brittany Justesen won for Applied Research with her entry, **“LONG-TERM EFFECTS OF SMUTGRASS CONTROL”**
- Krista Stump won for Extension Education with **“TEEN GREEN: CONNECTING UNDERSERVED YOUTH TO CAREERS IN NATURAL RESOURCES”**. This is also a National Finalist.

They will go on to the Regional competition, and if successful, on to the National level. Congratulations to our winners and thanks to all our participants for their hard work and effort! Thanks also to our judges, Don Rainey, Co-Chair, Nicole Pinson, Lisa Sanderson, and Gene McAvoy, Vanessa Campoverde, Wendy Wilber, Ron Rice, Maxine Hunter, Terra Freeman, for their diligence and evaluation skills.

Respectfully submitted,

Ralph E. Mitchell, Chair
County Extension Director and Horticulture Extension Agent
UF/IFAS Charlotte County Extension Service

Public Relations

Paulette Tomlinson, CHAIR Columbia apt@ufl.edu

Committee Members:

Paulette Tomlinson, Chair
 Laurie Hurner
 Norma Samuel
 Julie McConnell

On behalf of the Public Relations Committee I respectfully submit the following for the 2020 Annual Report.

A Mid-Year report was given at the FACAA Mid-Year Meeting which included the following: To date the committee has reviewed and selected the winner for the Agriculture Awareness and Appreciation Award in April and submitted the winner forward to the Public Relations Regional Chair of NACAA for further consideration.

This year's winner was actually a team. The team from Baker County included: Alicia Halbritter, Alicia Lamborn and Shaina Spann and the title of their submission was: *Unique Engagement Fostered through Ag Awareness Sensory Station*. The only addition for the final report is that the Award winner was also the Regional Winner and competed at the National level. At this time, there is no other information to report.

Respectfully,
 Paulette Tomlinson
 Chair

Recognition & Awards

Bridget Stice, CHAIR	Polk	bccarlis@ufl.edu
Christa Kirby, CO-CHAIR	Manatee	ccarlson@ufl.edu

The recognition and awards committee is responsible for reviewing nominations and selecting winners for the Achievement, Distinguished Service, Hall of Fame, Outstanding Agriculturalist and Specialist of the Year Awards.

The committee was presented with ten nominees for the Achievement Award (AA), seven for the Distinguished Service Award (DSA) and one nominee for the Hall of Fame Award. According to FACAA membership numbers and NACAA policy, Florida is eligible to present three award winners for AA and DSA. All nominees were outstanding candidates. This year the Committee selected the following members for Achievement and Distinguished Service Awards and the Hall of Fame Award. Their names were forwarded for recognition at this year's NACAA AM/PIC originally slated to be held in Virginia Beach, VA:

Achievement Award: Vanessa Campoverde
 Chris Prevatt
 Keith Wynn

Distinguished Service Award: Dan Fenneman
 Christine Kelly-Begazo
 Dennis Mudge

Hall of Fame Award: Tim Hurner

The FACAA Recognition and Awards Committee received six excellent nominations for the 2020 Specialist of the Year Award, and seven excellent nominations for Outstanding Agriculturalist Awards, and as per FACAA policy two Specialists of the Year, and four Outstanding Agriculturalist awards may be given, and the following were selected to receive these awards for 2020.

Specialist of the Year Award: Dr. Carey Minter, UF/IFAS IRREC
Dr. Mathews Paret, U/IFAS NFREC

Outstanding Agriculturalist Award: Loran Brookins, Lotoma Ranch, Levy
Mack Glass, Cherokee Ranch, Jackson County
Donell Gwinn, Gwinn Brothers Farm, Suwannee County
Rodney & Mike Helton, Helton Farms, Escambia County (AL)

Submitted by: Bridget Stice, Recognition and Awards Committee Chair on behalf of the entire 2020 Recognition and Awards Committee: : Liz Felter, Ed Jennings, Christa Kirby, Doug Mayo, Brooke Moffis, Teresa Olczyk, Jennifer Pelham, Cindy Sanders, Ed Skvarch and Larry Williams.

Scholarship

Jim E. Davis, CHAIR Sumter

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The NACAA offers financial support for professional development. The FACAA committee is tasked with encouraging members to contribute to the NACAA Scholarship Fund, identifying eligible members, and certifying eligible applicants, and forwarding them to NACAA for final review and approval.

Members of FACAA that have donated a minimum of \$40 to the NACAA scholarship fund before the prior year's NACAA convention are eligible to apply for up to a \$1000 per year scholarship. If they increase their donation to \$100, they can qualify for another scholarship totaling \$2000 during a member's Extension career. No more than \$1,000 will be awarded in one year. Donations to the silent Auction at the Annual convention can also be counted toward being vested to receive a scholarship.

For applicant(s) who applied for scholarship this year, applications will be reviewed and approved at the NACAA meeting.

The recipients will be selected by the Scholarship Selection Committee with final approval of the Trustees, NACAA Educational Foundation.

Please do not forget about the requirement to be vested (at either \$40 or \$100) in the Scholarship Program by the close of the AM/PIC the year **before** you intend to apply. To apply for a scholarship in 2021, you must have been vested by the end of the 2020 Virtual NACAA AM/PIC. (October 1). You must also be a member in good standing for 2 years.

Life Members (FACAA)

Richard Tyson, CHAIR 407-328-6972, rvt@ufl.edu

Co-Chair: Karen Stauderman, 386-822-5778, kstauderman@ufl.edu

Co-Chair Nicholas Simmons, 850-475-5230, n.simmons@ufl.edu

Below is the list of deceased members from Florida:

Oliver Rudolph Hamrick, (Madison County CED) passed 4/16/2020 at the age of 97

Ralph Thomas Clay Jr. (Putnam County Agriculture Agent) passed 12/8/2018 at the age of 92

Recommendations: In order to effectively update the life members list, all future applications for membership should include the date of birth and the middle name of the applicant. This will facilitate obituary searches.

93 Current Life Members (updated 2020)

Andreasen, A. M.	Austin, Richard S.	Beach, Billy	Blixt, H. Ira
Boyles, Cliff	Boynton, Charles	Braddock, Thomas	Bradley, Richard L.
Brasher, Charles	Breman, Jacque W.	Brown, William H.	Carr, Horrace
Causey, John H.	Clary, Walter M.	Cole, Ernest J.	Cowen, Edward J.
Cummings, James	Daigle, Louis	Davis, Robert	Dayton, Lewis
Delvalle, Terry B.	Durden, Bobby	Egge, Dennis	Estes, James B.
Faison, John Ray	Ferrer-Chancy, M.	Ferris, Harold	Gaiser, William H.
George, Donald	Halsey, Larry	Hannan, Jesse B.	Hanson, Richard
Harrell, Aubrey	Harrison, H. Oscar	Hayman, Jack C.	Heft, Marvin E.
Hodyss, Loretta	Howe, Bill	Howes, Earl D.	Hurner, Tim
Hutcheson, Clayton	Jacobson, J. O.	Jones, Harold C.	Jorgensen, Harold
Jowers, H. E.	Klacke, Frank	Knight, Calvin	Kumpf, Earl
Laird, Cubie R.	Lamberts, Mary	Landrum, Linda	Loadholtz, J. Lowell
Loadholtz, Larry L.	MacQueen, George	McFeeters, Donald	McLure, Victor B.
Mentzer, Francis	Michael, Julia	Muller, Bill	Newbury, George H.
Nichols, Raymond C.	Owens Jr., G. M.	Padgham, C. H.	Palmer, David
Pastorius, Edwin	Paulk, Harvey	Poffenberger, J. B.	Price, Rayburn
Rippey, Donald M.	Rozar Jr., Luther L.	Russell, John C.	Schiemann Jr., L. J.
Selph, Jim	Serfass, Harry E.	Spandorf, Aaron	Stebbins, Lawrence
Strain, J. Robert	Stricker, Jim	Sumner, Sid	Taylor, Bobby L.
Tilton, Austin	Townsend, Dallas B.	Tyson, Richard	Vaughan, John
Watson, Loew	Weaver, Marvin	Westbrook, Bill	Wilt, Harry S.
Withrow, John E.	Wyatt, Jenta	Young, Don	Zerba, Ray
Zerr, John			

Administration Liaison

Shawn Steed, CHAIR

Hillsborough

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Extension Faculty Advisory Committee Meetings

November 15, 2019

Salary as a possible gender bias question was a topic of concern. Dr. Obreza mentioned he has data but wasn't sure how to proceed due to the complications with analysis (ie. Duration of tenure, location, area of expertise, comparisons of other UF faculty, etc.)

Urban Farming and issues with research related questions.

Symposium options for Extension

March 13, 2020

For the March meeting Dr. Place and Dr. Obreza suggested that we seek input on the following two topics: Revenue Enhancement and Effectiveness of RSAs & SSAs.

May 8, 2020 at 9:00am During COVID-19:

1. How are people doing and managing?
2. What issues are people encountering?
3. Effectiveness of communications
4. Effectiveness of Boot Camps by IFAS Communications and other Zoom Trainings

Please send any future questions for administration for discussion and meeting considerations to Shawn Steed. His updates are at the Annual and Mid-Year Meeting and can go over results from the meetings personally if you want to schedule a time to discuss.

Respectfully submitted Aug. 17, 2020 by Shawn Steed.

Audit

Joe Walter, CHAIR

Brevard

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Chris Prevatt, Range Cattle REC-Ona

Jennifer Walter, Independent Financial Accountant

The financial records of the Association were reviewed by the audit committee through June 30, 2020. The QuickBooks files were audited along with paper documentation. The Association appears to be in a sound financial situation and accounts reconcile as of 6/30/2020; checking account balance of \$26,550.78, and savings account balance of \$12,681.51. The 2022 AM/PIC account number 0091 showing \$11,000 in May of 2019 shows as a “0” balance in the Campus USA account 0091 as of July 2019; this money is assumed to have been transferred to a separate FACAA AM/PIC 2022 account not included in this audit. The \$11,000 in account 0091 was transferred to checking account 0090 so that a check could be written. However, the check was coded as an expense to the Association instead of an asset transfer. As a result, the FACAA overall QB account shows a negative \$11,000 under “other assets”.

Current deposit issues:

09-24-2019 Deposit of \$2,436.88 included \$2,336.88 from Eventbrite for States Night Out for 2019. However, the “States Night Out Income 2019” account was setup as an expense account rather than an income account.

01-16-2020 Deposit of \$9,218.20 included \$310.20 from FACAA auction proceeds less the FACAA Award expenses, in order to follow generally accepted accounting principles and properly record income and expenses the deposit entry should have been a +\$1,254.20 showing the full amount of auction proceeds and a -\$936.00 showing the actual expense of awards.

Current check issues:

02-03-2020 Check 870 for \$7,350 to NACAA for annual dues was posted to an income account rather than an expense account.

02-18-2020 Check 871 for \$100 to UF Foundation FACAA Educational Fund cleared the bank on 2-18-2020 but there is no physical documentation in the book.

03-02-2020 Check 873 for \$1,434 was never entered in QB.

Checking account was not reconciled since the last audit in June 2019.

Current Savings Account issues:

Dividend from 02-2020 thru 06-2020 were not entered in QB and the account was not reconciled since the last audit in June 2019.

Dividends from 08-2019 thru 12-2019 were entered as “uncategorized income” instead of “dividend income”.

Membership issues:

The 2019-2020 membership forms are incomplete (half do not exist) even though the statement on the form states “your membership is not complete without receipt of this form”

William Lester’s form indicates that he paid via Eventbrite however his name does not appear on documentation from Eventbrite payments. The audit committee is working with the treasurer to resolve this issue at the time of this report deadline.

General Recommendations:

The QB “memo” section of a deposit should be used for a short description of the deposit and not just “Deposit Shared Branch”.

The QB “memo” section of a check should include a short description of the expense instead of “Draft # XXX”.

In QB the written check # should be entered in the “Number” cell located just to the right of the date cell.

All checks should be entered as of the date written not the date they clear the bank.

Once again, it is imperative that both the checking and savings accounts be reconciled monthly.

Deposit Issues not corrected after the 2018-2019 audit and remain in QB file:

8-20-18 Deposit for \$4,186.83 – there is not any detailed information in QB or the paper records for the report from Eventbrite to identify who made payments and for how much for the States Night Out dinner for 2018. There is also no indication of payment method or check number if applicable in QB.

8-20-18 Deposit for \$40 – there is not any detailed information in QB or paper documentation to indicate who made this cash payment for State Night Out dinner 2018. There is also no indication of payment method in QB.

10-2-18 Deposit for \$750 – there is not any detailed information in QB or paper documentation to indicate which members these dues payments were for. There is also no indication of payment method or check number if applicable in QB.

11-2-18 Deposit for \$2384.26 – there is not any detailed information in QB or paper documentation to indicate which members these dues payments were for. There is also no indication of payment method or check number if applicable in QB.

12-11-18 Deposit for \$3,800 – there is not any detailed information in QB or paper documentation to indicate which members these dues payments were for. There is also no indication of payment method or check number if applicable in QB. This was actually was 4 separate deposits but was entered as one in QB.

1-1-19 Deposit for \$660 – there is not any detailed information in QB or paper documentation to indicate which members these 2 county dues payment were for. There is also no indication of payment method or check number if applicable in QB.

1-23-19 Deposit for \$9,000 – there is not any detailed information in QB or the paper records for the report from Eventbrite to identify who made payments and for how much for the membership dues. There is also no indication of payment method or check number if applicable in QB.

2-23-19 Deposit for \$550 - there is also no indication of payment method or check number if applicable in QB.

3-19-19 Deposit for \$400 - there is also no indication of payment method or check number if applicable in QB.

6-13-19 Deposit for \$830 - there is also no indication of payment method or check number if applicable in QB.

Check Issues not corrected after the 2018-2019 audit and remain in QB file:

It appears that all checks were entered into QB with the date they cleared the bank instead of the actual date each check was written. This makes it very difficult to audit the records since some checks were off by two to four months.

The August paper records show a check request for Gary England for \$200 that indicated it was written on check #849 on 8-24-18. However, check #849 was actually a check written to Cody Guto for \$500 which cleared on 1-25-19. There is no record in QB of any payment being made to Gary England so it appears that this payment was not actually made.

8-27-18 check #844 entered into QB as \$1,935.50 but was actually written and cleared the bank for \$1, 932.50. This created a \$3 discrepancy that was not corrected until 6-30-19 by using a “Balance discrepancy adjustment” because the QB account was not reconciled every month but only once at

the end of the fiscal year on 6-30-19. The accounts should be reconciled every month and any discrepancies corrected before completing the reconciliation report.

1-24-19 according to QB a check was issued to FACAA AMPIC 2022 for \$1,000 but no check number was used. The transaction was actually a transfer between the FACAA account #0090 and the AMPIC 2022 acct #0091. The entry should have been done in QB as a transfer instead of a check.

2-12-19 check #852 was written to NACAA for annual dues but there is no detail in QB to indicate who these dues were for and there is not any actual documentation in the paper records at all for this payment.

3-28-19 check #857 there is no detailed documentation in QB to indicate what this awards expense was, only documentation is “Draft 857”.

3-28-19 check #858 there is no detailed documentation in QB to indicate what this JCEP Expense was, only documentation is “Draft 858”.

4-18-19 check #856 there is no detailed documentation in QB to indicate whose dues were being paid, only documentation is “Draft 856”. There was no check # entered in QB for this transaction as well.

5-7-19 check #860 there is no detailed documentation in QB and no documentation in the paper records to support this payment. The payment appears to be a movement of funds from the FACAA acct to an outside account for the AMPIC 2022. The check should have been written against the “Other Assets” account line since that appears to be where the initial money transfer was credited.

5-13-19 check #861 there is no detailed documentation in QB to indicate what this donation Expense was, only documentation is “Draft 861”.

5-28-19 check #862 there is no detailed documentation in QB to indicate what this PILD Expense was, only documentation is “Draft 862”.

6-5-19 check #863 there is no detailed documentation in QB to indicate what this Young Professionals Award Expense was, only documentation is “Draft 863”.

The series of checks used in this fiscal year range from #839 through #863. However, there is no record in QB or in the paper records in reference to check #859 either as a check written or voided. It has not cleared the bank as of the statement dated 6-30-19. If the check was voided then it should have been entered into QB as a voided check.

There were 16 checks that entered into QB as having been paid to a “Customer Name” rather than a “Vendor Name”. There may be a person who is both a customer and a vendor, but their transactions should be kept separate by their purpose either as a customer or a vendor. When the transactions are intermixed then the individual reports for customer and vendors are not accurate. It is important to watch which list a name is being pulled from when entering it into a transaction in QB. (check #839, 842, 843, 847, 848, 841, 846, 850, no number use but for check #856, 854, 857, 858, 860, 862, and 863)

Recommendations from the 2018-2019 audit that were not implemented for the 2019-2020 year.

Money received through Eventbrite should be broken down in the QB deposit entry with details regarding who made the payment and how much each individual paid.

The date entered in QB for checks written should be the date that the check was written not the date that the check cleared the bank. The check paper documentation should be filed in the month the check was written not the month the check cleared.

Deposit entries in QB need to include the payment method (ex: cash, check, money order) and the check number if applicable. This will make it much easier to locate a specific payment if there is an issue.

QB accounts should be reconciled to the bank statement each month and any discrepancies should be corrected before the final reconciliation report is run to avoid balance adjustment error entries.

Submitted by: Joe Walter, Chair Audit Committee 2019-2020

Constitution & By-Laws

Dan Fenneman, CHAIR Madison dfenneman@ufl.edu

No activity to report in 201-2020

County Commission Liaison (Country Store)

Stacy Strickland, CHAIR Osceola jsstrick@ufl.edu

The Florida Association of Counties annual meeting was canceled due to covid19.
Respectfully submitted,
Stacy Strickland

Educational Foundation Committee Report

Libbie Johnson, CHAIR Escambia libbiej@ufl.edu

The following candidates were approved to receive scholarships, but the national meeting was cancelled. None of the money was distributed, so none of this applies to their overall use for scholarship.

Name	Amount	Location	2020 Date of travel
Mark Mauldin	\$1000	NACAA AMPIC, Virginia Beach	September 28-October 2
Matt Lollar	\$1000	NACAA AMPIC, Virginia Beach	September 28-October 2
Keith Wynn	\$1000	NACAA AMPIC, Virginia Beach	September 28-October 2
Ethan Carter	\$1000	NACAA AMPIC, Virginia Beach	September 28-October 2
Joe Walter	\$1000	NACAA AMPIC, Virginia Beach	September 28-October 2
Dan Fenneman	\$1000	NACAA AMPIC, Virginia Beach	September 28-October 2

Submitted by Libbie Johnson

Mid-Year Meeting

Brooke Moffis, CHAIR

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On May 19th, 2020 we hosted our first virtual FACAA Mid-Year Meeting and Professional Development Conference online via ZOOM. One hundred and twenty-seven FACAA members attended the morning membership session, doubling attendance from the previous Mid-Year meeting. This is one positive outcome from quickly moving the meeting from a traditional in-person setting to a virtual format due to Covid-19.

A UF/IFAS Extension administrative update was provided by Dr. Saqib Mukhtar, Associate Dean for Extension, Agricultural, and Natural Resources Programs. Dr. Bill Burdine, 2020 Vice-President of NACAA and Mississippi State University Agronomic Crops Extension Specialist delivered a NACAA organization update and discussed upcoming AM/PICS. Updates were followed by FACAA committee reports and announcements as reported in the minutes.

In the afternoon, twenty-four lecture presentations were delivered in one of five concurrent breakout sessions. Abstract proceedings from the break-out sessions were developed by Laura Bennett and e-mailed to the FACAA membership immediately following the conclusion of the meeting.

Thank you to the Mid-Year Meeting and Professional Development Conference Committee for their support. The committee consisted of co-chair Meg Mann, abstract and proceedings coordinator Laura Bennett, and presentation co-hosts Brittany Scharf, Meg Mann, Lauren Butler, Lori Johnson, and Juanita Popenoe. Jim Davis provided ZOOM technical support for the morning Membership Meeting.

Thank you to Dr. Bill Burdine and Dr. Saqib Mukhtar for their support.

LECTURE TOPICS:

The authors of the lectures presented are all FACAA members unless otherwise noted.

Natural Resources:

Stop the Spread: Invasive Plant Education for Residents

K. Stump

Assisting Land Managers in Reversing the Declining Quail Populations on Working Ranches in Florida
Stice, B., Bosques, J., Butler, L., Davis, T., Kirby, C.

Impact of Bio-solids Application at Deer Park Ranch on Lake Washington – Developing a Collaborative Methodology to Arrive at a Consensus of Impact

Walter, J., V. Baker, Brevard Natural Resources, Viera, FL, A. Gubler, Brevard Natural Resources, Viera, FL, C. O'Rourke, USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service, Kissimmee FL, M. Engelgau, Brevard Soil and Water Conservation District, Cocoa, FL, P. Deal, USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service, Kissimmee, FL, M. Badolato, Brevard Natural Resources, Viera, FL, V. Hoge, Bureau of Water Resources, St. Johns River Water Management District, Palatka, FL

Beekeeping in the Panhandle: From Conference to Webinar

M. Orwat, D. Leonard, R. Bodrey, UF/ IFAS Extension, Gulf County Wewahitchka, FL., and L.S. Jackson

Livestock/Forages:

Helping Bull Buyers Utilize Performance Data More Effectively

Mark Mauldin

Hosting an Effective Cattle Meeting Without an Agenda or Powerpoints

K. Waters

Cattlemen's College: Cattle Management for Women

Bennett, L., Butler, L., Crawford, S., Davis, T., Kirby, C., Larson, C, Stice, B., Wiggins, L.

Utilizing Cull Potatoes and Bahiagrass in an Ensiling System to Develop a Value-Added By-Product Feedstuff

T. Wilson, M. Hersom, Clemson University, Simpson-Campus Farms REC, Clemson, SC, W. Mussoline, P. Fletcher

Application of Cool-Season Forages on Central Florida Livestock Operations

C. Bainum and T. Wilson

Horticulture/FYN/FFL:

Landscaping for Livestock

Maxine Hunter, Caitlin Bainum

Master Gardener's "Growing Florida Friendly Series"

L. Munroe

Promoting Behavior Change in Residential Fertilizer Users

T. McIntyre and Dr. T. Fullerton

Fostering an Association Between Space Coast Golf and Sports Turf Professionals to Promote Integrated Management Strategies and Enhance Sustainability

B. Wells

A Florida-Friendly Landscaping Program Case Study: Participatory Planning Methods Leads Communities to Success

T. Clem

Miscellaneous:

Utilizing Multiple Resources to Enhance Service to Schools

F. Dowdle

Using Live Social Media Videos to Increase the Reach of your Extension Programming

K. Waters

Agricultural Entrepreneurship in North-Central Florida

Sanchez, T., and K. Athearn, UF/IFAS, North Florida Research and Education Center – Suwannee Valley, Live Oak, FL.

Using Community Partnerships to Achieve Agriculture Awareness

C. Bainum

Young Farmers and Ranchers Group Hosts Successful Inaugural Food and Agriculture Festival
Korus, K.

Crops:

Southwest Florida Small Farms Network Regional Impacts for Peer-to-Peer Learning

Ryals, J, Hickey, L, Bostick, S.

Research and Extension Programs Addressing Florida’s Invasive Stink Bugs in Rice

M. T. VanWeelden and R. Cherry, Entomology and Nematology Department, Everglades REC, Belle Glade, FL

Use of Overhead Irrigation on Leafy Greens may Require Additional Water Treatment to Satisfy Market-Driven Food Safety Demands

Joyjit Saha¹, German Sandoya Miranda², Haimanote Bayabil³, Sandra Guzman⁴, Lorrie Friedrich¹, Katelynn Stull¹, Michelle D. Danyluk¹, and Travis K. Chapin¹

¹UF/IFAS Citrus Research and Education Center, Lake Alfred, FL; ²UF/IFAS Everglades Research and Education Center, Belle Glade, FL; ³UF/IFAS Tropical Research and Education Center, Homestead, FL; ⁴UF/IFAS Indian River Research and Education Center, Fort Pierce, FL

The Beneficial Partnership Between UF/IFAS and the Local Farm-to-School Program

W. Mussoline

Hands-On Diagnostic Training Improves Crop Scouting Skills for Ag Professionals

Korus, K.

NEW BUSINESS:

EPAF Conference Updates - Lindsey Wiggins

- September 13th – 16th, 2021 at Sheraton Bay Point Resort in Panama City

There was no loss of money from the hotel provided that we return there next year for the annual conference. Stacey Strickland provided a virtual tour of the EPAF Conference on MS Teams.

2021 Mid-Year Meeting – Brooke Moffis

Brooke asked if we might establish a date that would not conflict with other activities. She polled the membership for their responses.

Fate of Donation to Virginia Beach AM/PIC – Lindsey Wiggins

Our donation to Virginia for the 2020 AM/PIC was not used for the meeting and Virginia asked us what we wanted to do with the money. The FACAA Board decided to ask for a return of the money and donate it to the 2022AM/PIC.

2021 FAC Country Store – Dan Fenneman

There was no Country Store this year. Next year is will be 6/29 - 7/2/20 in Orlando

JCEP & PILD – Stacy Strickland

The next Joint Council of Ext. Professionals meeting is 2/10-11/20 in Kansas City, MO. The next Public Issues Leadership Development Conference will be 4/11-14/20 in Washington D.C. Both will probably wind up being virtual.

New PTO Policy – Kalyn Waters

The Human Resource Department is recommending changes to the current Vacation/Sick Leave Policy. Nadia Cruz from HR gave an update on the new policy. UF will change the current vacation and sick leave into a Paid Time Off Policy where leave is combined up to 480 hours. Anything accumulated over 480 will go into a FMLA account. There will also be a new parental paid leave that will go in effect. Ms. Cruz's contact information is n.schimmelcruz@ufl.edu 352-273-1738.

Nominating Committee Report – Libbie Johnson

The nominating committee has approved the following for next years officers and board of directors:

2020-21 Officer Rotation:

- Past President: Lindsey Wiggins
- President: Stacy Strickland
- President Elect: Dan Fenneman
- Vice President: Shawn Steed
- Secretary: Daniel Leonard
- Treasurer: Paulette Tomlinson
- Web Design: Jennifer Bearden

Directors:

- District 1 Kalyn Waters, Jr. Director: Ethan Carter
- District 2 Jay Capasso, Jr. Director: Sylvia Willis
- District 3 Hannah Wooten, Jr. Director: Caitlin Bainum
- District 4 Taylor Davis, Jr. Director: Lauren Butler
- District 5 Yvette Goodiel, Jr. Director: Frank Dowdle

Committee Sign-up – Stacy Strickland

Stacey mentioned that there will be sign-ups for the membership if they wish to participate in any of the committees on the Teams site.

2022 NACAA AM/PIC Update – Libbie Johnson and Shawn Steed

We are working on our final meeting venue as well as working out the details of the Beach Party Venue. Many of the committees are well underway especially the Tours committee. We have about \$90,000 donated to the fundraising by our members.

Presentation of the Gavel- Lindsey Wiggins presented the gavel to Stacy Strickland as the incoming new President.

Meeting adjourned at 11:55 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted on September 18th, 2020 by:

Shawn Steed

FACAA Secretary

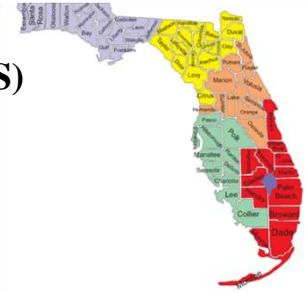
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FACAA Winter Board Meeting (TEAMS)

Thursday, December 10, 2020

9:00 AM (EST) on TEAMS



Agenda

Call to Order – Stacy Strickland

Invocation – Dan Fenneman

Reading & Disposal of Minutes (Annual FACAA Board Meeting EPAF) – Shawn Steed

Treasurer's Report – Paulette Tomlinson

Budget, Finance & Membership Report – Paulette Tomlinson

Old Business

EPAF Update – Stacy Strickland

2020 NACAA AM/PIC Wrap-up – Stacy Strickland

New Business

Mid-Year Meeting – Dan Fenneman

Diversity and Inclusion Committee Nomination from Florida – Stacy Strickland

2021 NACAA AM/PIC Update – Stacy Strickland

2022 NACAA AM/PIC Update – Shawn Steed

FAC/Country Store 2021 – Dan Fenneman

2021 dates for JCEP and PILD— Stacy Strickland

Discussion regarding bookkeeper for FACAA – Stacy Strickland

Spring Board Meeting date

Adjourn



FACAA Winter Board Meeting (TEAMS)

Thursday, December 10, 2020

9:00 AM (EST) on TEAMS



Minutes

Call to Order – The meeting was called to order at 9:09 am EST by President Stacy Strickland with Lindsey Wiggins, Dan Fenneman, Shawn Steed, Daniel Leonard, Paulette Tomlinson, Caitlin Bainum, Jay Capasso, Sylvia Willis, and Taylor Davis in attendance.

Invocation – Dan Fenneman led the Board in the invocation.

Reading & Disposal of Minutes – Shawn Steed presented the minutes from the Annual FACAA Meeting at EPAF. He also emailed to the association and posted to the FACAA Teams page on 10/2/2020. Daniel moved to approve the minutes as presented and the motion was seconded by Dan Fenneman. The motion to approve passed unanimously.

Treasurer's Report – Paulette Tomlinson presented the Treasurer's Report to the Board.

Reporting Period: 6/30/20 – 12/10/20

Total Checking Account Balance – 6/30/20 **\$26,550.78**

Total Saving Account Balance –

Income (Deposits)

9/29/2020 **\$ 300.00**

11/10/2020 **\$ 1,500.00**

11/20/2020 **\$ 200.00**

12/8/2020 **\$ 900.00**

Total **\$ 2,900.00**

Expenses

Sporting Chance (EPAF awards) **\$ 1,920.50**

Sporting Chance (EPAF awards) **\$ 69.50**

Total **\$ 1,990.00**

Total Checking Account Balance – 12/10/20 **\$27,460.78 (Paulette)**

12/8/20

\$30,860.78 (Bank)

\$3,400 in deposits missing, statements not coming to Paulette yet. Will check with previous Treasurer, Nick Simmons.

Motion to approve the Treasurer’s Report by Dan, seconded by Shawn. Motion passed unanimously.

Membership Report as of 12/10/2020:

Treasurer Paulette Tomlinson reported a total of:
95 members paid through Eventbrite or Check as of 12/10. This number unfortunately lags 2019.

Lindsey discussed the idea of investing \$5,000 with Edward Jones and will partner with Paulette to further inquire and develop a timeline. Motion to approve the Membership report made by Dan, seconded by Daniel. Motion passed unanimously.

Old Business

Stacy Strickland led an update of 2021 EPAF. The conference is still scheduled to take place from September 13-16, 2021 in Panama City Beach. A “plan B” hybrid option has been discussed by the EPAF board but is unlikely as it is prohibitively expensive. If an in-person event is not feasible, EPAF would likely be virtual again.

Stacy led a wrap-up discussion of the 2020 NACAA AM/PIC. The conference went very well, a special thanks to UF/IFAS Extension Agents who helped facilitate sessions and to UF/IFAS IT personnel. Florida represented ~25% of all professional development presenters at the conference.

New Business

Dan reported that the Midyear Meeting will take place virtually May 3-7, 2021 (same week as the Beef Cattle Short Course). Stacy mentioned that he and FACAA are currently working with Dr. Muhktar on developing IST subjects for the Midyear Meeting. Lindsey inquired as to whether the previous year’s (2020) FACAA Midyear Meeting proceedings were posted online. Stacy checking on that and if not, they will be.

Stacy Strickland reported that Kevin Camm, CED of Orange County, volunteered for and will serve as FACAA’s representative on Diversity and Inclusion Committee.

Stacy updated the group on the status of the 2021 NACAA AM/PIC. The meeting will take place the week of July 4, 2021 in Philadelphia, PA. Craig Williams, NACAA President, is working with UF/IFAS IT to develop a virtual “Plan B” meeting in case Pennsylvania is unable to host. Stay tuned.

Shawn Steed provided an update on the 2022 NACAA AM/PIC. He reported that ~1/2 of Agents have contributed to the Agent Fundraising Challenge and that if the other half did the same, we'd be in great shape. The budget for the meeting has been finalized and sent to the committees. Working on the Beach Party event and an after-tour dinner spot (maybe Palm Beach County Fairgrounds). We need to start video production for an intro teaser video for the Philly meeting. The plan is to add an intro and outro to the current "The Florida I Know" video developed by Libbie Johnson and team. This video will also be sent to UF Administration for fundraising. Lindsey reported that her tour committee is finding most of the planned tour stops are still very closed off due to COVID, especially in and around the Seminole Reservation. Still planning on everything being open in 2022. Stacy mentioned that the 2022 AM/PIC will likely be the first one held in person post-COVID. Dan requested that Lindsey compile mileage estimates for tours so we can solicit bids from tour bus companies. She and Shawn will work on developing that.

Dan reported that the Florida Association of Counties (FAC) Country Store will be held this year from June 29-July 2, 2020 and next year from June 28-July 1, 2021. Both events will be held in person (tentatively) at the Hyatt Regency in Orlando. Still have non-perishable items from last year left over and will use for this year's giveaways.

Stacy Strickland updated the group on JCEP and PILD. 2021 PILD will be held April 11-14 at the Hyatt Regency in Crystal City, VA and will most likely be a virtual meeting.

Stacy has discussed with Paulette the possibility of hiring a permanent bookkeeper, in addition to the elected Treasurer, that would keep track of financials with accounting software. Would be some cost involved. The Auditing Committee has recommended this for several years and this would be a way to satisfy that recommendation. Lindsey posited that the Treasurer could use their in-house office person to be the bookkeeper. Dan mentioned that we should ask former Treasurers if they feel we should hire a permanent bookkeeper. Paulette discussed that having a bookkeeper would help with the grey area "transition period" between treasurers. Stay tuned.

Spring Association and Board meeting will occur at the Midyear Meeting from 2:00 - 3:30 EST on one of the three days of the virtual Extension Symposium. Specific dates to be finalized by a Doodle poll sent to membership.

Dan motion to adjourn and seconded by Shawn. Motion passed unanimously.

Respectfully submitted by Daniel Leonard.



FACAA Mid-Year Board Meeting

Teams at Extension Symposium

Tuesday, May 4, 2021

2:30 PM



Agenda

Call to Order – Stacy Strickland

Invocation – Dan Fenneman

Minutes - (FACAA Winter Board Meeting) – Daniel Leonard

Treasurer's Report – Paulette Tomlinson

OLD BUSINESS:

2021 JCEP and PILD Virtual - Stacy Strickland

EPAF update – Dan Fenneman

Bookkeeper to assist treasurer – Stacy Strickland

NEW BUSINESS:

2021 NACAA AM/PIC (Pennsylvania) – J. Craig Williams

Expense approval for 2022 AM/PIC – Stacy Strickland

P-Card for Treasurer – Paulette Tomlinson

Country Store – Dan Fenneman

Farm Bureau Appreciation Dinner – Dan Fenneman

2022 NACAA AM/PIC (Florida) - Shawn Steed

District director reports – District Directors



FACAA Mid-Year Board Meeting

Teams at Extension Symposium
 Tuesday, May 4, 2021
 2:30 PM

Minutes



Call to Order – The meeting was called to order at 2:30 PM EST by President Stacy Strickland with Lindsey Wiggins, Dan Fenneman, Shawn Steed, Daniel Leonard, Paulette Tomlinson, Caitlin Bainum, Jay Capasso, Sylvia Willis, Ethan Carter, Molly Jameson, Alicia Halbritter, and Taylor Davis in attendance.

Invocation – Dan Fenneman led the Board in the invocation.

Reading & Disposal of Minutes – Shawn Steed presented the minutes from the Annual FACAA Meeting at EPAF. He also emailed to the association and posted to the FACAA Teams page on 10/2/2020. Daniel moved to approve the minutes as presented and the motion was seconded by Dan Fenneman. The motion to approve passed unanimously.

Treasurer’s Report – Paulette Tomlinson presented the Treasurer’s Report to the Board.

Checking’s Balance-	\$35,199.53
Savings Balance-	\$ 12,681.80

Motion to approve the Treasurer’s Report by Dan, seconded by Kaitlyn. Motion passed unanimously.

Membership Report as of 5/4/2021:

Treasurer Paulette Tomlinson reported a total of: ????????

Old Business

Stacy discussed the PILD program and how this year, instead of going to Washington D.C., it was done virtually. At PILD, Agents meet with representatives and develop leadership skills. We are now looking to do legislative visits with the representatives within their own districts to meet with them. Looking for board members down south that will do this.

JCEP was also talked about by Stacy and this association is on a national scale and covers many things such as 4-H, national resources, and Ag. Gene McAvoy is the leader of JCEP and did an excellent job.

Dan discussed the EPAF program which will be held September 14th through the 16th. The board will meet on June 9th to discuss this event. The registration link will be open on the 10th of June. The cost for registration will be covered by the Dean, which was \$425.

Stacy has discussed with Paulette the possibility of hiring a permanent bookkeeper, in addition to the elected Treasurer, that would keep track of financials with accounting software. Would be some cost involved. The Auditing Committee has recommended this for several years and this would be a way to satisfy that recommendation. Lindsey posited that the Treasurer could use their in-house office person to be the bookkeeper. Dan mentioned that we should ask former Treasurers if they feel we should hire a permanent bookkeeper. Paulette discussed that having a bookkeeper would help with the grey area “transition period” between treasurers. She believes that there are complications that can be solved if there was someone that knows how to keep books. Looking at filling the position with Jennifer Walter, who does 4-H books in Osceola County and Orange County. The position would be paid by the hour at a rate of around \$12. This is tabled for now.

New Business

The National President J. Craig Williams was introduced and discussed the 2021 AM/PIC, which will be held on Teams again.

Stacy introduced the topic of the expense approval of the 2022 AM/PIC. It is a rule now that we must approve of all their spending throughout the year. However, their money is not connected or tied to our money whatsoever. Therefore, we should not oversee or approve their expenses. There was a motion by Dan to have this organization be in charge of their own money and expenses and have nothing to do with us. It was seconded by Daniel, and it passed unanimously.

Paulette wanted to talk about the idea of getting a P-card for paying off certain expenses throughout the year. The spending on the P-card would be checked regularly and done responsibly. It would make things for paperwork and for Paulette a lot simpler. The motion was presented by Paulette for a P-card, and was seconded by Dan. The motion was passed unanimously.

The topic of the Country Store was taken up by Dan. The exhibit hall will be open Tuesday 29th from 7pm to 9pm. Also, on Wednesday the 30th from 8am to 7pm. All the positions and shifts are filled, and everyone knows what they are doing. Around 6 people will be working those shifts. Eric will have staging at his office for stuff. He has 4 baskets, honey, sugar rice, plants, notepads, Everglades seasoning, and gator saws from different people.

Dan discussed the Farm Bureau Appreciation Dinner will be held on August 10th and is a EPAF function. A couple of members from each association will attend. Besides the steaks all the other food will be catered this year. EPAF will pay for all the food expenses.

Shawn Steed sent a report to Stacy that talked about the 2022 AM/PIC and how the planning and preparation was going well. The video team is now finishing up that to play for display. Food team has a new captain Wendy Wilber, and she will help with their planning. They have \$ 100,000 dollars for the meeting and are halfway done with fundraising. They are still collecting money from anyone willing to and would love some help from the FACAA president with reaching out to other extension organizations for contributions. For anyone wanting to see the venue, they are doing that June 22nd and 23rd. There will be no cost for travel, and it will be \$159 dollars per room for people who wish to spend the night. Dinner plans are for 6-22 for those who are staying overnight.

Northwest District - Ethan had no updates.

Southeast District- She got around 8 or so new members to join. She is also starting to work with helping with agent fundraising for NAHA 2022.

Northeast District- Jay had no updates.

Central District - Caitlyn had no new hires in her area but one departure, Clay Cooper.

Taylor Davis in District 4 had no new hires but a ton of new openings. She had two departures, Sarah and Franciso. New CED position was filled by old Ag agent Ashley Gill. Now they are looking for new general Ag agent.

2 weeks from now we will do a general membership meeting that is not combined with the usual board meetings and will be separate.

Jennifer gave an update on the website, and it should be up to date.

Dan motion to adjourn and seconded by Frank. Motion passed unanimously.

Respectfully submitted by Daniel Leonard.



FACAA Mid-Year Membership

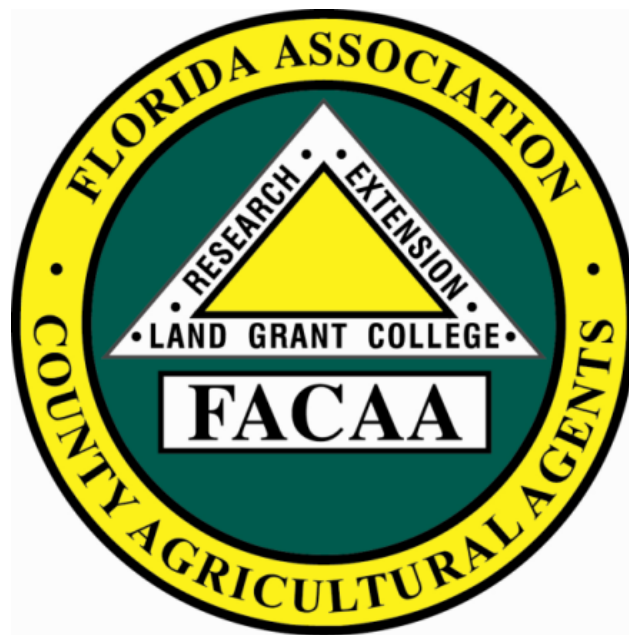
Agenda and Minutes



There was no meeting this year.

Section IIIa

National Committee Reports



Committees Linked to the NACAA Professional Improvement Council

<http://www.nacaa.com/committees/pic.php>

Agricultural Economics & Community Development

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There was no report.

Agronomy & Pest Management

Bonnie Wells, CHAIR

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There was no report.

Animal Science

Kalyn Waters, CHAIR

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There was no report.

Horticulture & Turfgrass

Alicia Lamborn, CHAIR

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There was no report.

Natural Resources/Aquaculture

Brittany Scharf, CHAIR

Hernando bhallscharf@ufl.edu

There was no report.

Sustainable Agriculture

Jessica Ryals, CHAIR

Collier <mailto:jessicaryals@ufl.edu>

The Sustainable Agriculture Committee has been supporting the SARE Pre-Tour for the 2022 AMPIC with locations and planning.

Hanna Wooten

Extension Agent, Commercial Horticulture
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407-254-9200

Committees Linked to the NACAA Extension Development Council

<http://www.nacaa.com/committees/edc.php>

Leadership & Administrative Skills

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There was no report.

Agricultural Issues & Public Relations

Mark Mauldin, CHAIR, Washington

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There was no report.

Early Career Development

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There was no report.

Teaching & Educational Technologies

Nicole Pinson, CHAIR, Hillsborough

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There was no report.

Committees Linked to the NACAA Program Recognition Council

<http://www.nacaa.com/committees/prc.php>

4-H and Youth

Prissy Fletcher, CHAIR, St. Johns

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There was no report.

Communications

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There was no report.

Professional Excellence

Ralph Mitchell, CHAIR, Charlotte

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Dear FACAA Members,

Please join me, and the Professional Excellence Poster Committee, in congratulating this year's winners:

- **Matthew T VanWeelden for Applied Research - ASSESSING THE RELATIVE ABUNDANCE OF INVASIVE STINK BUGS (HEMIPTERA: PENTATOMIDAE) INFESTING RICE IN FLORIDA**
- **Morgan Grace Pinkerton for Extension Education - EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING TO SUPPORT HORTICULTURE INDUSTRY DURING COVID-19**

We had a total of fourteen excellent posters submitted for judging and we thank them all for the great dedication to their programming!

All the best,

Ralph E. Mitchell
Chair, Professional Excellence Committee

Committee Members:

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- Lisa Sanderson - lsanderson@ufl.edu
- Maxine Hunter - maxine32666@ufl.edu
- Ron Rice – rwr@ufl.edu
- Patrick Williams - williams.p@ufl.edu

Public Relations

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There was no report.

Recognition & Awards

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Bridget Stice, CO-CHAIR, Polk bccarlis@ufl.edu

The recognition and awards committee is responsible for reviewing nominations and selecting winners for the Achievement, Distinguished Service, Hall of Fame, Outstanding Agriculturalist and Specialist of the Year Awards.

The committee was presented with four nominees for the Achievement Award (AA), four for the Distinguished Service Award (DSA) and no nominee for the Hall of Fame Award. According to FACAA membership numbers and NACAA policy, Florida is eligible to present three award winners for AA and DSA. All nominees were outstanding candidates. This year the Committee selected the following members for Achievement and Distinguished Service Awards and the Hall of Fame Award. Their names were forwarded for recognition at this year's NACAA AM/PIC originally slated to be held in Philadelphia, PA:

Achievement Award: Lauren Butler; Prissy Fletcher; Kalan Taylor

Distinguished Service Award: Jim Davis; Ralph Mitchell; Chris Oswalt

The FACAA Recognition and Awards Committee received five excellent nominations for the 2021 Specialist of the Year Award, and six excellent nominations for Outstanding Agriculturalist Awards, and as per FACAA policy two Specialists of the Year, and four Outstanding Agriculturalist awards may be given, and the following were selected to receive these awards for 2021.

Specialist of the Year Award: Dr. Michael Dukes, Agricultural and Biological Engineering; Dr. Marcello Wallau, Forage Extension Specialist, Agronomy

Outstanding Agriculturalist Award: Chance Clay, Clay Ranch, Putnam County; Jay Skillman, Harrell's, Manatee County; Brightman Logan, Pasco County; Alan Hitchcock, Santa Fe River Ranch, Alachua County

Submitted by: Christa Kirby, Recognition and Awards Committee Chair on behalf of the entire 2021 Recognition and Awards Committee: Ed Jennings, Bridget Stice, Doug Mayo, Brooke Moffis, Teresa Olczyk, Jennifer Pelham, Cindy Sanders, Shawn Steed and Larry Williams.

Scholarship

Jim E. Davis, CHAIR, Sumter
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Jim Davis, Chair
 Lisa Sanderson, Co-Chair
 Matt Smith
 Yvette Goodiel

9/3/21

The NACAA offers financial support for professional development. The FACAA committee is tasked with encouraging members to contribute to the NACAA Scholarship Fund, identifying eligible members, and certifying eligible applicants, and forwarding them to NACAA for final review and approval.

Members of FACAA that have donated a minimum of \$40 to the NACAA scholarship fund before the prior year's NACAA convention are eligible to apply for up to a \$1000 per year scholarship. If they increase their donation to \$100, they can qualify for another scholarship totaling \$2000 during a member's Extension career. No more than \$1,000 will be awarded in one year. Donations to the silent Auction at the Annual convention can also be counted toward being vested to receive a scholarship.

Please do not forget about the requirement to be vested (at either \$40 or \$100) in the Scholarship Program by the close of the AM/PIC the year **before** you intend to apply. To apply for a scholarship in 2022, you must have been vested by the end of the 2021 Virtual NACAA AM/PIC (July 9, 2021). For a list of invested faculty, go to: <https://www.nacaa.com/scholarship/index.php> You must also be a member in good standing for 2 years. Deadline for application submission is June 1, 2022. For new and current faculty members: This is a great opportunity to receive support for your programs and this fits well into your ROA. Do not pass this up!

Search for Excellence

Vanessa Campoverde, CHAIR, Miami-Dade

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This the Search for Excellence committee judged 20 abstracts (refer to table 1. Below). The committee consisted of Don Rainey, Jim Davis, Matt Smith, Keith Wynn, Sylvia Willis, Lisa Sanderson and Bonnie Wells. The committee initially had been chaired by Vanessa Campoverde. She stepped down and asked me to fill in for her due to personal reasons.

From these state winning abstracts 3 were national finalists and 2 were national winners (Search for Excellence in Consumer or Commercial Horticulture by Liz Felter and Search For Excellence in Crop Production by Keith Wynn).

Search for Excellence	Submissions	Winners	Status
Sustainable Agriculture	1	Jay Capasso	National Approved
Crop Production	2	Keith Wynn	State Approved
Consumer or Commercial Horticulture	5	Liz Felter	State Approved
4-H Programming	4	Ronnie Lee Cowan	State Approved
Livestock	3	Caitlin Bainum	State Approved
Young, Beginning or Small Farmer/Rancher	2	Tatiana Sanchez	National Approved
Environmental Quality, Forestry and Natural Resources	2	Caitlin Bainum	National Approved

Table 1. Summary of Search for Excellence abstract submissions and winners by category.

I appreciate the team's swift response in judging these abstracts and congratulate all the participants on once again honoring FACAA with great educational materials that represent UF/IFAS Extension at the national level.

Respectfully submitted by,



Jonael Bosques, Agriculture Agent II
UF/IFAS Extension Hardee County
FACAA Search for Excellence Committee

Committees Linked to the NACAA “Other Committees”

<http://www.nacaa.com/members/showcommittees.php?council=3>

Life Members (FACAA)

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Richard Tyson, Chair

Chair: Richard Tyson, 407-328-6972, rvt@ufl.edu

Co-Chair: Paulette Tomlinson, apt@ufl.edu

Below is the list of deceased FACAA Life members:

William L. Brown Jr. (Alachua County CED) passed 4/17/2021 at the age of 74

Henry P. Davis (Taylor County CED) passed 8/30/2020 at the age of 93

John C. Russell, (UF Professor and Gadsden County Agent) passed 8/2/2020 at the age of 94

Below is the list of deceased FACAA colleagues who were not on the Life members list:

Shepard Eubanks (Gadsden County CED) passed 11/6/2020 at the age of 58

Rebecca Jordi (Nassau County CED) passed 7/31/2020 at the age of 66

Dr. Freddie Johnson (Central District DED) passed 12/17/2019 at the age of 81

Charles R. Smith (Multi-county Poultry Agent) passed 1/3/2021 at the age of 92

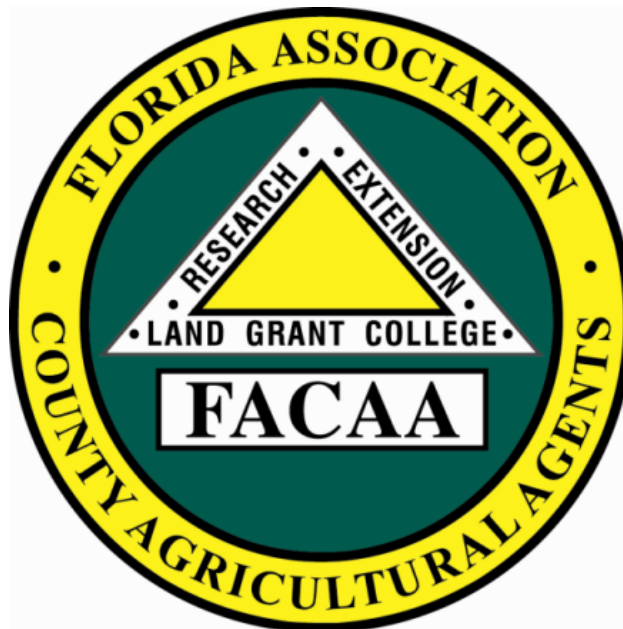
Recommendations: Please review the list and report any missing updates. To effectively manage the list, future applications should include the date of birth and the middle name of the applicant.

95 Current Life Members (updated 2021)

Andreasen, A. M.	Austin, Richard S.	Beach, Billy
Blixt, H. Ira	Boyles, Cliff	Boynton, Charles
Braddock, Thomas	Bradley, Richard L.	Brasher, Charles
Breman, Jacques W.	Brown, William H.	Carr, Horrace M.
Causey, John H.	Clary, Walter M.	Cole, Ernest J.
Cowen, Edward J.	Cummings, James	Daigle, Louis
Davis, Robert	Dayton, Lewis	Delvalle, Terry B.
Durden, Bobby	EGge, Dennis	England, Gary K.
Estes, James B.	Faison, John Ray	Ferrer-Chancy, M.
Ferris, Harold	Gaiser, William H.	George, Donald
Halsey, Larry	Hannan, Jesse B.	Hanson, Richard
Harrell, Aubrey	Harrison, H. Oscar	Hayman, Jack C.
Heft, Marvin E.	Hodyss, Loretta	Hogue, Patrick J.
Howe, Bill	Howes, Earl D.	Hurner, Tim
Hutcheson, Clayton	Jacobson, J. O.	Jones, Harold C.
Jorgensen, Harold	Jowers, H. E.	Klacke, Frank
Knight, Calvin	Kumpf, Earl	Laird, Cubie R.
Lamberts, Mary	Landrum, Linda	Loadholtz, J. Lowell
Loadholtz, Larry L.	MacQueen, George	McFeeters, Donald
McLure, Victor B.	Mentzer, Francis	Michael, Julia
Muller, Bill	Newbury, George H.	Nichols, Raymond
Owens Jr., G. M.	Padgham, C. H.	Palmer, David
Pastorius, Edwin	Paulk, Harvey	Poffenberger, J. B.
Price, Rayburn	Rippey, Donald M.	Rozar Jr., Luther L.
Schiemann Jr., L. J.	Selph, Jim	Serfass, Harry E.
Skvarch, Edward	Spandorf, Aaron	Stebbins, Lawrence
Strain, J. Robert	Stricker, Jim	Sumner, Sid
Taylor, Bobby L.	Tilton, Austin	Townsend, Dallas B
Tyson, Richard	Vaughan, John	Watson, Loew
Weaver, Marvin	Westbrook, Bill	Wilt, Harry S.
Withrow, John E.	Wyatt, Jenta	Young, Don
Zerba, Ray	Zerr, John	

Section IIIb

State Committee Reports



State-Level FACAA Committees

Administration Liaison

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There was no meeting held with administration this year.

Audit

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There was no report.

Budget & Finance

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There was no report.

Constitution & By-Laws

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No activity to report in 2020-2021

County Commission Liaison (Country Store)

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The 2021 Florida Association of Counties annual meeting was held at the Hyatt Regency Orlando on June 29-July 2, 2021. This meeting is attended by Florida County Commissioners, Florida County Administrators, and County staff from across the state. It is designed as a continuing education and networking venue. The FACAA, other Florida Extension agents and Extension administration partner to hold an exhibit of three booths at the meeting's trade show where we showcase UF/IFAS Extension efforts and thank county commissioners and managers for their support of local Extension. We call the exhibit the UF/IFAS Extension "Country Store." "Ag Swag Bags" are loaded with goodies that represent some of our agricultural commodities and services to give to every commissioner or administrator to thank them for their partnerships with IFAS Extension. We would like to thank all the agents that worked at the event as well as those that procured donations to give away and those that donated baskets. Our booth is very popular, and it is there that we see how much your county officials value you.

This is truly a team effort, and I would like to thank all who contributed especially Dr. Simonne.

Stacy Strickland, Lynn Barber, Susan Haddock, Prissy Fletcher, Matt VanWeelden, Caitlin Bainum, David Austin, Kalan Taylor, Ralph Mitchell, Liz Felter, Jessica Altum, Hannah Wooten, Kevin Camm, Jenny Rodriguez and Nickie Monroe. Hope I didn't miss anyone.

A Special Thanks to Dr. Obreza and Dr. Mukhtar for their continued support of this booth so we can keep local UF IFAS extension efforts in the forefront of County Administration's supportive agendas.

And thanks to Keith Gouin for handling the behind-the-scenes efforts to make the IFAS exhibit/ Country store a success.

Respectfully submitted,
Dan Fenneman, Chair

Educational Foundation Committee

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There was no report.

Mid-Year Meeting

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There was no report.

NACAA Annual Meeting / Professional Improvement Conference (AM/PIC)

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There was no report.

New Member Relations

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There was no report.

Officer Nominations

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There was no report.

Policy & Resolutions

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No activity to report in 2020-2021

Professional Development (EPAF Abstracts)

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There was no report.

Section IV

FACAA Top Honors



NACAA Achievement Award Recipients (FACAA)

2021

Lauren Butler	Okeechobee
Evelyn Prissy Fletcher	St. Johns
Kalan Taylor	Volusia

2020

Vanessa Campoverde	Miami-Dade
Chris Prevatt	SSA, Ona
Keith Wynn	Hamilton

2019

Laurie Hurner	Highlands
Matt Orwat	Washington
Nicole Pinson	Hillsborough

2018

Michelle Atkinson	Manatee
Frank Dowdle	Palm Beach
Mark Mauldin	Washington

2017

Alicia Lamborn	Baker
Matt Lollar	Jackson
Blake Thaxton	Santa Rosa

2016

Dan Fenneman	Madison
Mary Beth Henry	Polk
Shawn Steed	Hillsborough

2015

Norma Samuel	Marion
Jim DeValerio	Bradford
Gary England	Lake

2014

Courtney Davis	Okeechobee
Stacy Strickland	Hernando
Lindsey Wiggins	Hendry

2013

Libbie Johnson	Escambia
Mark Warren	Flagler
Ron Rice	Palm Beach

2012

Les Baucum	Hendry
Brad Burbaugh	Duval
Elena Toro	Suwannee

2011

Ed Skvarch	St. Lucie
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Theresa Friday	Santa Rosa
<u>2010</u>	
Cindy Sanders	Alachua
Rebecca Jordi	Nassau
<u>2009</u>	
Adrian Hunsberger	Miami-Dade
Christa Carlson-Kirby	Manatee
<u>2008</u>	
Alejandro Bolques	Gadsden
Jennifer Welshans	Osceola
<u>2007</u>	
Pamela R. Mattis	Duval
Maia P. McGuire	St. Johns
<u>2006</u>	
Elizabeth Bolles	Escambia
Teresa Olczyk	Miami-Dade
<u>2005</u>	
Gene McAvoy	Hendry
Laura Powell	Palm Beach
<u>2004</u>	
Mike Goodchild	Walton
Mark Shelby	Sarasota
<u>2003</u>	
Joseph Walter	Brevard
Paulette Tomlinson	Columbia
<u>2002</u>	
Anita Neal	St. Lucie
Tom Wichman	Hort Science Dept
<u>2001</u>	
Liz Felter	Orange
Doug Mayo	Jackson
<u>2000</u>	
Mary Sowerby	Hillsborough
Daniel Culbert	Indian River
<u>1999</u>	
Frank Melton	Manatee
Larry Williams	Okaloosa
<u>1998</u>	
Patricia Grace	Putnam
Mark Kistler	Okeechobee
<u>1997</u>	

Celeste White William Schall	Orange Broward
<u>1996</u> Gerald Edmondson Bruce Ward	Okaloosa Walton
<u>1995</u> Ben Castro Tom Schueneman	Gadsden Palm Beach
<u>1994</u> Anthony Drew Ed Jennings	Levy Pasco
<u>1993</u> Terry DelValle Andy Andreasen	Duval Jackson
<u>1992</u> David Dinkins	Nassau
<u>1991</u> Joan Bradshaw	Pinellas
<u>1989</u> Sydney Park-Brown	Hillsborough
<u>1988</u> James F. Selph	Desoto
<u>1987</u> Uday Yadav	Seminole
<u>1986</u> David Marshall	Leon
<u>1985</u> Kenneth D. Shuler	Palm Beach
<u>1984</u> Larry Halsey	Jefferson
<u>1983</u> W. Austin Tilton	Putnam
<u>1982</u> John Baldwin	Levy
<u>1981</u> Ed Jowers	Madison
<u>1980</u> Tom MacCubbin	Orange

1979

Harold Jones	Duval
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1978

Mike Demaree	Pasco
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1977

Clayton Hutcheson	Palm Beach
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1976

Dan Mullins	Escambia
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1975

Richard Bir	Alachua
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1974

Jim Dilbeck	St. Johns
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1973

Tom Oswalt	Polk
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NACAA Distinguished Service Award Recipients (FACAA)2021

James E. Davis	Sumter
Ralph E. Mitchell	Charlotte
Chris Oswalt	Polk

2020

Dan Fenneman	Madison
Christine Kelly-Begazo	Indian River
Dennis Mudge	Volusia

2019

Mary Beth Henry	Polk
Brooke Moffis	Lake
Shawn Steed	Hillsborough

2018

Jim DeValerio	Bradford
Gary England	Lake
Libbie Johnson	Escambia

2017

Shiela Dunning	Okaloosa
Ron Rice	Palm Beach
Lindsey Wiggins	Hendry

2016

Steve Futch	CREC
Carrie Stephenson	Escambia
Stacy Strickland	Sumter

2015

Elena Toro	Suwannee
Larry Figart	Duval
Les Baucum	Highlands

2014

Sonja Crawford	Hendry
Ed Skvarch	St Lucie
Wendy Wilber	Alachua

2013

Alejandro Bolques	Gadsden
Mike Goodchild	Walton
Anita Neal	St. Lucie

2012

Christa Kirby	Manatee
Jennifer Pelham	Osceola
Cindy Sanders	Alachua

2011

Bridget Carlisle	Polk
Shep Eubanks	Holmes
Ken Rudisill	Bay

2010

Teresa Olczyk	Miami Dade
John Mark Shuffitt	Marion
Joe Walter	Brevard

2009

Martha Maddox	Sumter
Doug Mayo	Jackson
Richard Tyson	Orange

2008

Jacque Breman	Union
Gerald R. Edmondson	Okaloosa
Gene McAvoy	Hendry

2007

Andy Andreasen	Washington
Beth Bolles	Escambia
Larry Williams	Okaloosa

2006

Dan Culbert	Okeechobee
David Dinkins	St. Johns
Clay Olson	Taylor

2005

Dale Bennett	Wakulla
Liz Felter	Orange

Jim Fletcher	Brevard
<u>2004</u>	
George Hochmuth	North Florida REC
Oliver Patrick Miller	Okeechobee
Michael Sweat	Baker
<u>2003</u>	
Charles L. Brasher	Jackson
Ed Jennings	Sumter
Robert C. Hochmuth	North Florida REC
<u>2002</u>	
Terry DelValle	Duval
Patrick Hogue	Okeechobee
Eugene Joyner	Palm Beach
<u>2001</u>	
David Holmes	Marion
Bill Schall	Palm Beach
Earnest Stephens	Duval
<u>2000</u>	
Henry Grant	Gadsden
Travis Seawright	Manatee
Roy Carter	Gulf
<u>1999</u>	
Gary Brinen	Alachua
Tim Crocker	Hort Science Dept
Eleanor Foerste	Osceola
<u>1998</u>	
Loretta Hodyss	St. Johns
Daniel Mullins	Santa Rosa
<u>1997</u>	
James Selph	Desoto
Michael McKinney	Hillsborough
<u>1996</u>	
Robert Tervola	Suwannee
David Marshall	Leon
Gary Simonne	Gainesville Campus
<u>1995</u>	
Richard Aalberg	Manatee
Michael Donahoe	Santa Rosa
William Thomas	Columbia
<u>1994</u>	
George Henry Jr.	Leon
Linda Landrum	Volusia

E. Ben Whitty	Agronomy
<u>1993</u>	
Lawrence Halsey Jr.	Jefferson
<u>1992</u>	
Freddie Johnson	Entomology
Raymond Zerba Jr.	Clay
Lamar Christenberry	Escambia
Sydney Park-Brown	Hillsborough
<u>1991</u>	
James Stephens	Vegetable Crops
Robert Renner	Marion
Kenneth Shuler	Palm Beach
John Brenneman	Polk
<u>1990</u>	
David Hall	Herbarium
Carrol Douglas	Poultry Science
Austin Tilton	Putnam
<u>1989</u>	
Michael Demaree	Pasco
Lawrence Heitmeyer	Leon
Marvin Weaver	Gilchrist
<u>1988</u>	
Reggie Brown	Collier
William (Bill) Brown	Alachua
Wayne Wade	Hillsborough
<u>1987</u>	
John Baldwin	Levy
Ed Jowers	Jackson
Thomas MacCubbin	Orange
<u>1986</u>	
O.J. (Jay) Hebert	Orange
Sidney (Sid) Sumner	Polk
William Phillips	Marion
<u>1985</u>	
James Dilbeck	St. Johns
Dallas Townsend	Hendry
Robert Whitty	Martin
<u>1984</u>	
James Cummings	St. Lucie
George T (Tim) Hurner	Highlands
Harold Jones	Duval
<u>1983</u>	
T. Jesse Godbold	Clay

Clayton Hutcheson	Palm Beach
Charles Walthall	Okaloosa
<u>1982</u>	
Al Dawson	Hernando
Larry Loadholtz	Volusia
Luther Rozar	Sarasota
<u>1981</u>	
Ed Allen	Duval
Roy Champagne	Dade
Bob Davis	Polk
<u>1980</u>	
Raleigh Griffis	Palm Beach
Tom Oswalt	Polk
Bobby Taylor	Bradford
<u>1979</u>	
Donald George	Sumter
William Smith Jr.	Suwannee
Jack Spears	Holmes
<u>1978</u>	
James Estes	Franklin
Jack Haddox	Lake
Roger Newton	Hillsborough
<u>1977</u>	
A.T. Andrews	Alachua
Bobby Durden	Wakulla
L. Lowell Loadholtz	Brevard
<u>1976</u>	
Paul Glasscock	Hillsborough
Sylvester Rose	Brevard
<u>1975</u>	
Rance Andrews	Hamilton
Bernard Clark	Gadsden
David Solger	Polk
<u>1974</u>	
Donald Lander	Collier
Henry Davis	Taylor
Ken Price	Okeechobee
James Walker	Escambia
<u>1973</u>	
Thomas Braddock	Duval
Seymour Goldweber	Dade
Gil Whitton	Pinellas

1972

Nolan Duree	Dade
Donald Jordon	Flagler
Lewis Watson	Broward

1971

Horace Carr	Bay
Luther Harold	Baker
Hugh Whelchel	St. Lucie

1970

John Causey	Palm Beach
E.J. Cowan	Dixie
Harvey Paulk	Calhoun

1969

Paul Dinkins	St. Johns
Neal Dukes	Columbia
John Russell	Gadsden

1968

Jack Hayman	Hardee
Jack Patton	Okaloosa
Jim Yelvington	Gilchrist

1967

Leonard Cobb	Levy
J.E. Davis	Washington
Cecil Tucker	Seminole

1966

Jean Beam	Hillsborough
Wilburn Farrell	Alachua
Cubie Laird	Gulf

1965

J.B. Smith	Osceola
William Zorn	Santa Rosa
Ralph Townsend	- Volusia

1964

Edsel Rowan	Marion
O.R. (Rudy) Hamrick	Madison
Bob Pryor	Palm Beach

1963

R.T. Clay	Putman
J. Paul Crews	Suwannee

1962

Gordon Ellis	Nassau
Woodrow Glenn	Jackson
B.J. Harris Jr.	Highlands

1961

Oscar Harrison	Walton
Hubert Maltby	Putnam
Henry Swanson	Orange

1960

John Campbell	Dade
Lloyd Rhoden	Leon

1959

Harper Kendrick	Manatee
W.J. Cowan	Union

1958

Jim Watson	Duval
Jim Higgins	Pasco County BOCC

1957

E.N. Stephens	Escambia
J.O. Armour	Hillsborough

1956

George Huggins	Bradford
Kennith Clark	Sarasota

1955

James Oxford	Brevard
Harry Brinkley	Pinellas

1954

Emmett McCall	Santa Rosa
P.Q. McMullen	St. Johns

1953

Shelby Brothers	Lafayette
W.L. Woods	Desoto

1952

William Platt Jr.	Volusia
W.P. Hayman	Polk

1951

N.H. McQueen	Charlotte
Mitchell Wilkins	Walton

1950

Ed L. Ayers	Manatee
Fred Baetzman	Orange

1949

Albert Lawton	Duval
Carl Heuck	Lee

1948

Robert Norris	Lake
Lonnis Blich	Alachua

1947

M.U. Mounts	Palm Beach
Alex White	Hillsborough

1946

Beverly Lawton	Broward
John Henry Logan	Pinellas

1945

K.C. Moore	Orange
Joseph Malone	Jackson

1944

S.C. Kierce	Suwannee
C.H. Steffani	Dade

1943

J.R. Gunn	Osceola
E.H. Finlayson	Escambia

Young Professional Award Recipients Florida Farm Credit Association of Florida

2021

Tatiana Sanchez	Suwannee
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2020

Nick Simmons	Escambia
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2019

Kalyn Waters	Holmes
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2018

Qingren Wang	Miami-Dade
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2017

Mace Bauer	Columbia
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2016

Vanessa Campoverde	Miami-Dade
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2015

Matt Lollar	Jackson
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<u>2014</u>		
Shawn Steed		Polk
<u>2013</u>		
Aparna Gazula		Alachua
<u>2012</u>		
Erin Harlow		Duval
<u>2011</u>		
Brad Burbaugh		Duval
<u>2010</u>		
Leslie Baucum		Hendry
<u>2009</u>		
Christine Kelly-Begazo		Indian River
<u>2008</u>		
Elena Toro		Suwannee
<u>2007</u>		
Theresa Friday		Santa Rosa
<u>2006</u>		
Rebecca Jordi		Nassau
<u>2005</u>		
Cynthia Sanders		Alachua
<u>2004</u>		
Alex Bolques		Gadsden
<u>2003</u>		
Adrian Hunsberger		Dade
<u>2002</u>		
Gene McAvoy		Hendry
<u>2001</u>		
Beth Bolles		Escambia
<u>2000</u>		
Doug Mayo		Jackson
<u>1999</u>		
Liz Felter		Orange
<u>1998</u>		
Laurie Hurner		Palm Beach
<u>1997</u>		
Larry Williams		Okaloosa

1996

No nominations

1995

Kenneth Gioeli St. Lucie

Outstanding Agriculturist Award Recipients

2021

Chancey Clay	Putnam
Brightman Logan	Pasco
Jay Skillman	Manatee
Alan Hitchcock	Alachua

2020

Loran Brookins	Levy
Mack Glass	Jackson
Donell Gwinn	Suwannee
Rodney & Mike Helton	Escambia

2019

Buzz Eaves	St. Lucie
Flint Johns	Okeechobee
Kenneth McDuffie	Hendry

2018

Bill Barthle	Pasco
Alex Johns	Seminole Tribe of Florida
George Richardson	Duval

2017

Tim Carpenter	Marion
Cliff Coddington	Manatee
Nate & Anna Jameson	Sumter

2016

Steve Brown	Orange
Dalton Dowdy	Duval
Bill Hester	Volusia
Wilton Simpson	Pasco

2015

Bradley Arnold	Sumter
Sarah Childs	Highlands
Gary Reeder	Manatee
Paul Allen	Palm Beach

2014

Ken Barton	Holmes
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Bruce Christmas	Jackson
Mickey Diamond	Santa Rosa
Marc Harrell	Sumter

2013

Ron O'Connor	Polk
Tom Braddock	Duval
Danny Johns	St Johns
Ray Hull	Hendry

2012

Billy Kempfer	Brevard
Monty Knox	Orange
Allen & Nikki Smith	Okeechobee
Alto Straughn	Alachua

2011

John Hoblick	Volusia
Kathleen Eubanks	Alachua
Jim Strickland	Manatee
Erica Santella	Lake

2010

Emil Belibasis	Suwannee
Ron Hamel	Hendry
Dwight Stansel	Suwannee
Ned L Waters	Polk

2009

Richard Carroll	Pinellas
Jimmy Cunningham	Escambia
Edgar Stokes	Highlands
Valentine Rooks	Citrus

2008

Doyal Godwin	Union
Ken Harrison	Desoto
Debra Joneck	Palm Beach
Bill Resee	Marion

2007

Lin Taber	Baker
PJ Klinger	Sumter
Larry Beasley	Hendry
Chuck Obern	Hendry

2006

Jerry Davis	Santa Rosa
William (Billy) Sellers	Hernando
Ralph Palaez	Okeechobee

2005

Wade Grigsby	Hendry
Jack Price	Collier

George Poucher	Suwannee
Phil Turner	Desoto

2004

Pat Cockrell	Alachua
Mike Milicevic	Highlands
John (Jack) Paul Jr.	Hendry
Andy Tucker	Brevard

2003

Donald Bennink	Gilchrist
Herman Moore	Gadsden
Dot Driggers	Putnam
George Owens	Washington

2002

Chanley Carter	Jackson
Doyle Conner	Jefferson
James Davis	Washington
Robert Evans	Okaloosa

2001

F. Allen Boyd	Jefferson
William R. Cotton	St. Johns
Barney Greene	Indian River
Madeline Mellinger	Palm Beach

2000

Dr. Joe Cialone	Lake
Doug Bournique	Indian River
Jeff Crawford	Jackson
Davis Neill	St. Lucie

1999

Ralph Sexton	Indian River
Dan McClure	Manatee
Howard Lerch	Jackson
W. Bernard Lester	Hendry

1998

Dooley Houghtaling	Hillsborough
Norma Todd	Hendry
Frank Williamson Jr.	Okeechobee
Frank Zorn	

1997

George Finora	Pasco
Bernard Lewis	Gadsden
Robert Morris	Hillsborough
Ray Norman	Bradford

1996

John Shadd	Union
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Max Fletcher	Gadsden
Leland Thomas	Jackson
William Owens	Martin

1995

Hugh English	Hendry
Judson Minear	Martin
Robert Revel	Putnam

1994

Joe Marlin Hilliard Sr.	Hendry
L.E. McMillian Jr.	Jackson
Ernest Nunez	Pasco
Klaus Sengelemann	Palm Beach

1993

Frank Pohill	Hendry
Edwin Klipstine	St. Johns
Joe Barthle	Pasco

1992

Donald Sellers Sr.	Palm Beach
Kelly E. Smith	Putman
Peter Carlin	Sarasota
Addy Jones	Gilchrist

1991

Thomas Smith	Gadsden
John Hey	Lake
Bert Harris Jr.	Highlands
Leroy Baldwin	Marion

1990

Buster Pratt	Polk
Gene Ragan	Jackson/Holmes
Ted Winsberg	Palm Beach
John Stitt	Hendry

1989

Gene Felton	Hendry
Joe Forshee	Duval
James Luttrell	Manatee
Francis Brubaker & BettyJo Brubaker	St. Johns

1988

James Ray	Okaloosa
Al Bellotto	Polk
Ralph Clay, Sr.	Putnam
Robert Barben	Highlands

1987

James Fogerty	Leon
Carolyn Kempfer	Brevard

Will Maxwell	Gadsden
Marshall Watkins	Hillsborough

1986

Saundra Gray	Volusia
Jim Flanagan	Osceola
John V. D'Albora	Brevard
G. Franklin Ward	Highlands

1985

Carl B Loop Jr.	Duval
Fount May Sr.	Gadsden
Bill Grant	Lafayette
G. Franklin Ward	Highlands

1984

Dan Childs	Highlands
R.D. Bennett	Jackson
Albin Crutchfield	Volusia
Hugh Grambling	Hillsborough

1983

Truman J. Smith	Hernando
T.G. Lee	Orange
Red Phillips	Polk
Copeland Newburn	Hillsborough

1982

Henry Douglas	Pasco
Max Hammond	Polk
J.J. Parrish	Brevard
E.D. (Buddy) Neel	Washington

1981

Merwyn Barrineau	Escambia
Murray Spooner	Gadsden
Fred Montsdeoca	Marion
Jerry Soowal	Broward

1980

Arthur Aukema	Jackson
Norma Gill	Manatee
Sam Sounders	Clay
Allen Nease	St. Johns

1979

Hallie Hearn	Jackson
Jim Southerland	Taylor
Ray Crawford	Union
J.O. Pearce	Okeechobee

1978

A.T. Alvarez	Duval
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Vick Blackstone	Manatee
E.H. Finlayson	Jefferson
Carroll L. (Bud) Ward	Lake

1977

J.P. Sandlin	Levy
C. Aubrey Caruthers	Sumter
Mike Macheck	Palm Beach
John R. Biebenthaler	Pinellas

1976

John Davis	Escambia
Wiley Blair	Madison
Henry W. Land	Orange
Frank Sullivan III	Brevard

1975

Rep. Wayne Mixon	Jackson
L.E. Lawson	Okeechobee

1974

Carroll Lamb	Leon
Paul Hayman	Polk
Thornton Hartley	Alachua
V.C. Johnson	Duval

1973

Billy Hill	Hamilton
William H. Stuart	Polk
W. Herman Boyd	Dade
Steve Simmons	St. Johns

1972

M.A. Schack	Jackson
Buford Council	Hillsborough
Marvin Kahn	Highlands
Gilbert Tucker	Brevard

1971

Henry Gattrell	Marion
Walter Welkner	Duval
Wilmer Bassett	Jefferson
Lamar Hancock	Suwannee

1970

W.C. (Teddy) Barrineau	Escambia
S. John Folks	Pinellas
Doug Oswald	Marion
Raymond R. Tucker	Flagler

1969

Frank Pope	Leon
George Townsend	Madison

Erwin Bryant Jr. Sumter
Charnelle Campbell St. Johns

1968

W.M. Inman Gadsden
J. Bryan Dye Jr. Broward
Jim Griffin H Hillsborough

1967

Clarence R. Walker Escambia
Lat Turner Sarasota
William Earl Boyd St. John

1966

Elba Wilson Carswell Washington
Louis Gilbreath St. Johns

1965

M. Langley Bell Sr. Escambia
Ed Fraser Baker
Francis D. Brannen Marion

Extension Specialist Award Recipients2021

Dr. Michael Dukes Agricultural and Biological Engineering
Dr. Marcello Wallau Agronomy

2020

Dr. Carey Minter Indian River REC
Dr. Mathews Paret NFREC Quincy

2019

Dr. Shinsuke Agehara Horticulture
Dr. Chris Marble Env. Horticulture

2018

Dr. Todd Thrift Animal Science
Dr. Jeff Williamson Horticulture

2017

Dr. Danielle Treadwell Horticulture
Dr. Carissa Wickens Animal Science

2016

Dr. Norm Leppa Entomology
Dr. Bryan Unruh West Florida REC

2015

Dr. Jennifer Gilette Kaufman Entomology
Dr. Laurie Trenholm Env. Horticulture

2014

Dr. Ann Blount North Florida REC

Dr. Cliff Lamb	North Florida REC
<u>2013</u>	
Dr. Maria Silveira	Range Cattle REC
Dr. Jamie Ellis	Entomology/Nematology
<u>2012</u>	
Dr. Matt Hersom	Animal Science
Dr. Richard Raid	Everglades REC
<u>2011</u>	
Dr. Joao Vendramini	Range Cattle REC
<u>2010</u>	
Dr. Brent Sellers	Range Cattle REC
<u>2009</u>	
Dr. Steve Olson	North Florida REC
<u>2008</u>	
Dr. Jason A. Ferrell	Agronomy
<u>2007</u>	
Dr. Robert Stamps	Environmental Hort.
<u>2006</u>	
Dr. Tim Marshall	Animal Science
<u>2005</u>	
Dr. John Arthington	Animal Science
Dr. Ron Muraro	Food & Resource Econ.
<u>2004</u>	
Dr. Bob Sand	Animal Science
Dr. Bryan Unruh	Turf Grass
<u>2003</u>	
Dr. Findlay Pate	Animal Science
Dr. Richard Sprenkel	North Florida REC
<u>2002</u>	
Chuck Cichra	Fisheries/Aquatic Sci.
Tom Yeager	Horticulture
<u>2001</u>	
Dr. George Hochmuth	North Florida REC
<u>2000</u>	
Dr. Fedro Zuzueta	Information Tech
<u>1999</u>	
Dr. Gerald Kidder	Soil & Water Sci.
<u>1998</u>	

Dr. Gary W. Simone	Plant Pathology
<u>1997</u>	
Dr. Gary Knox	Environ. Hort.
<u>1996</u>	
Dr. Kathleen Ruppert	Environ. Hort.
<u>1995</u>	
Dr. Bill Stall	Vegetable Crops
<u>1994</u>	
Dr. David Wright	North Florida REC
<u>1993</u>	
Dr. Carroll Douglas	Poultry Science
<u>1992</u>	
Dr. Larry Jackson	Fruit Crops
<u>1991</u>	
Dr. Ben Whitty	Agronomy
<u>1990</u>	
Dr. Tom Kucherek	Plant Pathology
<u>1989</u>	
Dr. Freddie Johnson	Entomology
<u>1988</u>	
Dr. Ed J. Richey	Vet Medicine
<u>1987</u>	
Dr. David Tucker	Fruit Crops
<u>1986</u>	
Dr. Dan Webb	Dairy Science
<u>1985</u>	
Dr. Timothy Crocker	Fruit Crops
<u>1984</u>	
Mr. Jim Stephens	Vegetable Crops
<u>1983</u>	
Mr. Dalton Harrison	Ag Engineering
<u>1982</u>	
No Nominations	
<u>1981</u>	
Dr. Barney Harris	Dairy Science

1980

Mr. Tony Jensen Forestry

1979

Mr. Kenneth Durrance Animal Science

1978

Mr. Lester Kalch Poultry Science

1977

Mr. Dave Jones Agronomy

1976

Dr. James Montelar Vegetable Crops

1975

Mr. Jim Pace Animal Science

Mr. Tom Skinner Ag Engineering

FACAA Hall of Fame Award Recipients

2021

No recipient

2020

George Timothy “Tim” Hurner Retired CED, Highlands County

2019

No recipient

2018

Thomas Braddock Duval County Extension

2017

No recipient

2016

No recipient

2015

No recipient

2014

No recipient

2013

No recipient

2012

Austin Tilton
Retired CED, Putnam County

2011

No recipient

2010

Dallas Townsend
Ag Agent Retired, Hendry County

2009

No recipient

2008

Henry E. Jowers
Jackson County Extension

2007

James Watson
CED, Ag Agent Retired, Duval County

2006

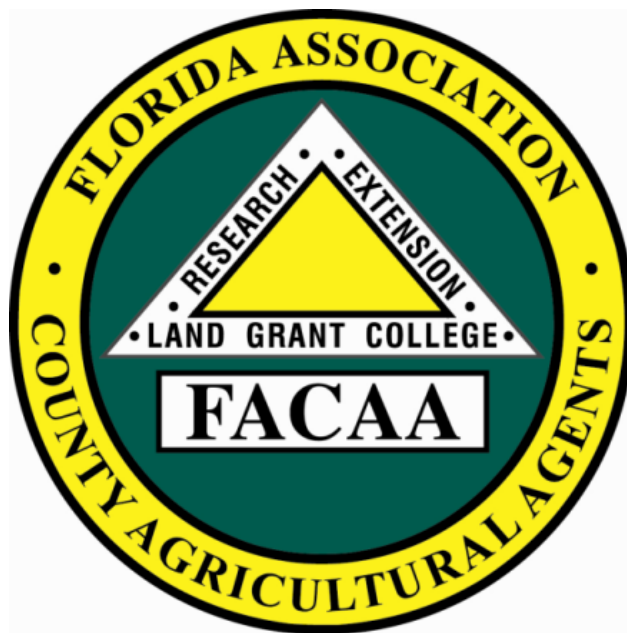
Lowell Loadholtz

CED, Ag Agent Retired, Brevard County

*2006 Southern Region NACAA Hall of Fame Award Winner

Section V

Additional Information



**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF FLORIDA ASSOCIATION OF
COUNTY AGRICULTURAL AGENTS, INC
(A CORPORATION NOT FOR PROFIT)**

WE, the undersigned subscribers to these Articles of Incorporation, each a natural person competent to contract, hereby associate ourselves to form a corporation, not for profit, under the provisions of Chapter 617, Florida Statutes.

**ARTICLE ONE
NAME**

The name of the corporation shall be FLORIDA ASSOCIATION OF COUNTY AGRICULTURAL AGENTS, INC., and is to be located in Alachua County, Florida. *(revised 9/10/02)*

**ARTICLE TWO
PURPOSE
*(revised 9/10/02)***

The purpose of this corporation shall be:

1. To encourage, promote, and provide professional improvement for all FACAA members; to provide for the educational exchange of ideas, methods, and techniques among FACAA members; and to promote public confidence, esteem, and respect for the Florida Cooperative Extension Service and FACAA members.
2. To advance the professional status of county Extension educators and state faculty with an Extension appointment.
3. To maintain official affiliation with the National Association of County Agricultural Agents (NACAA) and to cooperate with NACAA and other professional organizations to further objectives of common interest with the association.

**ARTICLE THREE
MEMBERSHIP**

Any county, area or multi-county Extension agent or state faculty with an Extension appointment with active employment in the State of Florida, serving as a professional Agent or Specialist and meeting the qualification for employment of the Florida Cooperative Extension Service may become a member of the Association in a manner provided in the By-laws.

Members may continue active memberships upon retirement. Members, upon retirement may be granted Life Membership upon approval of the Board of Directors. The Board of Directors by a two-thirds (2/3) affirmative vote may approve Honorary members.

**ARTICLE FOUR
TERM OF EXISTENCE**

This corporation is to exist perpetually.

ARTICLE FIVE
NAME AND RESIDENCE OF SUBSCRIBERS

The names and residence of the subscribers are as follows:

Jack Spears	201 N. Oklahoma St., Bonifay, FL 32425
Clayton Hutcheson	531 N. Military Trail, West Palm Beach, FL 32043
Jesse Godbold A.C.	2463 St. Rd. 16 W, Green Cove Springs, FL 32043
Al Dawson	6460 W. Broad St., Brooksville, FL 38512
Robert Davis	AREC 700 Experiment Station Road, Lake Alfred, FL 33850

ARTICLE SIX
OFFICERS

Section 1. The officer of the corporation shall be a President, President Elect, Secretary and Treasurer, and such other officers as may be provided in the By-laws.

Section 2. The names of the persons who are to serve as officers of the corporation until the first meeting of the Board of Directors are:

<u>OFFICE</u>	<u>NAME</u>
President	Jack Spears
President Elect	Clayton Hutcheson
Secretary	Jesse Godbold
Treasurer	John Baldwin

Section 3. The officers shall be elected at the annual meeting of the membership as provided by the By-laws.

ARTICLE SEVEN
BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Section 1. The Board of Directors shall manage the business affairs of this corporation. This corporation shall have ten (10) directors. The number of directors may be increased from time to time, by-laws, but shall never to less than (10).

Section 2. The Board of Directors shall be a member of the corporation.

Section 3. Members of the Board of Directors shall be elected and hold office in accordance with the By-laws.

Section 4. The names and address of the persons, who are to serve as directors for the ensuing year, or until the first annual meeting of the corporation, are:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>
Bobby Durden	PO Box 810, Quincy, FL 32351
Charles Walthall	PO Box 488, Crestview, FL 32536
Wayne Odegaard	Rt 1 Box 15, Mayo, FL 32066
Larry Loadholtz	3200 E New York Ave, Deland, FL 32724
James Dilbeck	49 King S., St. Augustine, FL 32804
Jim Selph	PO Box 310, Arcadia, FL 33821

Mark Spelbring	1516 Hwy 52, W. Dade City, FL 33825
Ken Shuler	2976 State Road 15, Belle Glade, FL 33430
Tim Hurner	1416 5th Ave., Sebring, FL 33870
Phillip Rowan	1302 11 St SW, Live Oak, FL 32060

**ARTICLE EIGHT
BY-LAWS**

Section 1. The Board of Directors of this corporation may provide such By-laws for the conduct of its business and the carrying out of its purposes, as they may deem necessary from time to time.

Section 2. Upon proper notice the by-laws may be amended, altered or rescinded by a majority vote of those members of the Board of Directors present at any regular meeting or any special meeting call for that purpose.

**ARTICLE NINE
AMENDMENTS TO ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**

These Articles of Incorporation may be amended by a two-thirds vote of the membership present at the annual business meeting. The Board of Directors shall approve proposed amendments. The Secretary of the Association shall notify the entire membership not less than (30) days prior to consideration for adoption of any proposed amendment. No amendment shall be adopted without such prior notice.

**ARTICLE TEN
DISTRIBUTION OF ASSETS UPON DISSOLUTION**

No person, firm or corporation shall ever receive dividends or profits from the undertaking of this corporation and upon dissolution of this organization of its assets remaining after payment of all costs and expenses of such dissolution shall be distributed to organizations which have qualified for exemption under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the Federal Government, or to a state or local 71 government or a public purpose, and none of the assets will be distributed to any member, officer, or director of this corporation.

**ARTICLE ELEVEN
LOCATION**

The location of this corporation shall be at Alachua County Extension Office, 2800 NE 39th Ave, Gainesville FL 32609-2658. *(Revised 9/10/02)*

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we the undersigned subscribing incorporators have hereunto set our hands and seals, this 1st day of June, 1984, for the purpose of forming this nonprofit corporation under the laws of the State of Florida and whereby make and file in the Office of the Secretary of the State of Florida these Articles of Incorporation and certify that the facts herein stated are true.

Revised 9/10/02

Constitution and By-laws

Florida Association of County Agricultural Agents (FACAA)

<http://faca.ifas.ufl.edu/by-laws.shtml>

Article I: Membership Dues

Section 1

The name of this Association shall be the Florida Association of County Agricultural Agents (FACAA), hereinafter referred to as the “Association”. The Association shall continue to function until it officially is voted out of existence by a two-thirds (2/3) majority of the membership. This organization is a charter of the National Association of County Agricultural Agents, a non-profit organization, hereinafter NACAA and shall operate in a manner consistent with the NACAA Constitution and By-Laws. Extension agents and state faculty with an Extension appointment are eligible for membership and induction at the annual business meeting. Members of the Association shall be members of NACAA, through payment by the Association of membership dues to the National Association.

Section 2

The annual membership dues shall be set by the FACAA Board of Directors with changes approved by the membership, collectible by the Treasurer on or before the date of the annual business meeting. Dues shall be waived for first-year membership of new members who join during first year of employment.

Section 3

Agents granted Life Membership in the Association may be Life Members of NACAA upon payment of a fee, as prescribed by the By-Laws of that Association.

Section 4

Life and Honorary members shall not pay annual dues to the Association.

Section 5

Membership shall be revoked for failure to pay membership dues prior to March 15. The Board of Directors may revoke membership, for cause, providing the member is allowed a hearing with the Board in a regular meeting.

Section 6

Members may be considered for awards, recognition, scholarships, and other programs of the Association if, and only if, the Treasurer receives annual dues by January 1.

Article II: Board of Directors and Officers

Section 1

The Board of Directors shall be the governing body of the Association, The Board of Directors shall consist of the officers and ten (10) elected non-officer member Directors.

Section 2

A. The officers shall be President, President-Elect, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, and Immediate Past President. (Revised (9/14/94)

B. The President-Elect shall automatically move into the office of the President. At the Annual Meeting, the following shall be elected: President-Elect, Vice President, Secretary, and Treasurer. Each shall hold office for a one year term or until a successor is elected and installed, President, President-Elect, Vice President, and Secretary commencing on the date of their installation; the Treasurer on January 1 of the year following the election. The Treasurer may be reelected, but shall not serve more than three (3) one year terms. No other officer shall be eligible to serve for more than one term in the same office. (Revised 9/14/94)

C. Except for the Treasurer, at least one officer shall be elected from each of the FACAA Districts in rotation as established by Section 3 of this article. (Revised 9/14/94)

D. The President-Elect will have the responsibility of working with committee chairs to insure that committee assignments are carried out in a timely manner. (Adopted 9/2009)

Section 3

Two (2) Directors shall be elected to represent each of the FACAA Districts of Florida. The districts shall be made up of the following counties:

District #1 – Escambia, Santa Rosa, Okaloosa, Walton, Holmes, Washington, Bay, Jackson, Calhoun, Gulf, Liberty, Franklin, Gadsden, Leon, and Wakulla.

District #2 – Jefferson, Madison, Hamilton, Taylor, Suwannee, Lafayette, Dixie, Gilchrist, Levy, Columbia, Baker, Union, Bradford, Alachua, Clay, Duval, and Nassau.

District #3 – St. Johns, Putnam, Flagler, Volusia, Lake, Seminole, Orange, Osceola, Hernando, Marion, Sumter, Citrus, and Brevard.

District #4 – Pasco, Pinellas, Hillsborough, Manatee, Polk, Hardee, DeSoto, Sarasota, Highlands, Indian River, Okeechobee, and St. Lucie.

District #5 – Martin, Palm Beach, Glades, Hendry, Collier, Broward, Dade, Charlotte, Lee, Seminole Tribe, and Monroe.

State faculty with Extension appointments will be members of the District in which their office is located.

Directors shall be elected for a period of two (2) years with staggered terms. The two (2) Directors representing a District shall not be agents in the same county or faculty from the same department. (Revised 9/14/94)

Section 4

One (1) Webmaster will be assigned to the board. This position will be responsible for maintaining the information posted on the FACAA website (<http://facaa.ifas.ufl.edu>). These duties include communication with the president and treasurer for up-to-date changes to membership, committee chairs, by-laws, policies, etc. This non-voting position will be appointed annually by the board and can be reassigned to an unlimited number of terms. (Adopted 8/31/11).

Article III: Meetings

Section 1

There shall be an annual business meeting of the Association, held at a time and place selected by the Board of Directors.

Section 2

Special meetings other than the annual business meeting may be held at the call of the President for purposes designated by the Board of Directors.

Section 3

The Board of Directors shall meet at least three (3) times during the year, at the call of the President. A quorum for meetings of the Board of Directors shall consist of a majority of the members of the board.

Section 4

The Secretary shall notify the membership of any meeting of the Association at least fifteen (15) days prior to the meeting. Notice shall include an agenda of the meeting. The Secretary shall forward a copy of the minutes of all meetings to the membership within thirty (30) days after the meeting.

Section 5

The order of business meeting shall be: 1. Call to Order by Presiding Officer 2. Invocation 3. Reading and Disposal of Minutes of Previous Meeting 4. Reports of Officers and Committees 5. Unfinished Business 6. New Business 7. Program 8. Adjournment

Section 6

Roberts Rules of Order shall apply in all meetings of the Association. (Revised 9/14/94).

Article IV: Delegation of NACAA, Awards, Recognition

Section 1

The Association shall have delegates to the Annual Meeting of the NACAA. The President shall designate delegates on or before June 30 of each year, in a manner prescribed by NACAA policy. The President shall be, or shall appoint, the chair of the delegation.

Section 2

Distinguished Service Award (DSA) and Achievement Award (AA) nominations shall be made in accordance with guidelines set forth by the National Association of County Agricultural Agents. Nominees for these awards shall be selected by a statewide committee of former recipients of the DSA, appointed by the President, representing each of the Association Director Districts equally. (Revised 9/1994)

Section 3

The Association shall grant other recognition for outstanding Extension programs, and shall offer professional development opportunities. The President shall delegate responsibility for selection of members of recognition and professional improvement.

Article V: Nomination, Elections, Filling of Vacancies

Section 1

The President shall appoint a Nominating Committee, to nominate candidates for the elected officers of the Association. The Nominating Committee shall report a slate of candidates at least thirty (30) days prior to the annual business meeting to the Secretary. Nomination will be called from the floor following the report of the Nominating Committee. Election shall be held during the Annual business meeting.

Section 2

Directors shall meet with members from the Districts they represent prior to the annual business meeting to nominate at least one candidate for Director for that District. The Director shall report nominations to the President-Elect and Nominating Committee. Nominations will be called for from the floor. Election shall be by the entire membership at the same time as election of officers.

Section 3

Each member shall be privileged to cast one vote for each elective office and for each elective position for each Director position.

Section 4

Voting shall be by voice, show of hands, or written ballot. Election of officers and Directors shall require a simple majority.

Section 5

Officers and newly elected Directors shall be installed in office at the close of the annual business meeting.

Section 6

A) The President-Elect shall serve in the absence or disability of the President. Vacancies in the offices of President-Elect, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, or Directors shall be filled by appointment of the President for the remainder of the term of office, subject to approval of the Board of Directors. (Revised 9/14/94)

B) If a FACAA board member or officer misses 2 consecutive meetings without written prior communication and justification, they will be asked by the president to step down from their position on the board. (Adopted 9/2009)

Article VI: Committees

Section 1

Committees and the nature and extent of their duties shall be such as the Board of Directors deems necessary to further the purpose of the Association. The President shall appoint all committee chairs and members. (Revised 08/25/17)

Section 2

A) Educational Foundation Committee shall be composed of four members appointed by the president plus the past-president serving as chair. This committee will be responsible for screening and selection of scholarship recipients. Those serving on the committee may not apply for a scholarship during the same year. (Adopted 8/31/11).

B) The five most recent Past Presidents shall comprise the Officer Nominating Committee. The immediate Past President will Chair this Committee. (Adopted 9/2009)

C) All members of the Awards and Recognition Committee shall have been recipients of the Distinguished Service Award. (Adopted 9/2009)

D) The Life Member Committee Chair will be a Life Member. (Adopted 9/2009)

E) Only paid members may serve on Association Committees. To insure this, after January 1, the President and President-Elect will verify all Committee members are in good standing with the Association. (Adopted 9/2009)

F) The selection of an annual Hall of Fame Award will be the responsibility of the Awards & Recognition Committee. (Adopted 9/2009)

Section 3

The Funding and Support committee shall be a standing committee and shall be composed of the five (5) most recent active past presidents having active membership in the Association. The Funding and Support Committee is responsible for raising funds for the Educational Foundation. (Adopted 8/31/11)

Article VII: Financial Affairs

Section 1

The Treasurer shall deposit all funds of the Association in a bank or banks designated by the Board of Directors as depositories for the funds of the Association.

Section 2

The President and the Treasurer must approve the withdrawal of any funds from the Association's account.

Section 3

The Board of Directors may refuse to pay any expense accounts by any person or committee until all required expense accounts are properly presented to and filed with the Treasurer and have been approved by the Board of Directors.

Section 4

The fiscal year of the Association shall begin on run from July 1 to June 30. (Adopted 8/2017)

Article VIII: Amendments

Section 1

These By-laws shall be amended by majority vote of members in attendance at the annual meeting. The Secretary shall notify the entire membership of any proposed amendments of the By-laws at least thirty (30) days prior to consideration for adoption. No amendments shall be adopted without such prior notification.

Section 2

All amendment shall include an effective date. (Revised 9/10/02)

**Policies of FACAA
(Updated August 2017)**

1. Financial support is provided by the Dean of Extension's Office for FACAA each year is to be used to offset expenses of DSA and AA award winners attending the National Meeting to receive their awards. A maximum of \$250 per DSA or AA award winner will be provided. In addition, \$200 is available to offset the costs for a spouse, family member, or significant other to attend the national meeting. These are not funds that FACAA administers. (August 2017)
2. The President Elect of FACAA shall register as President of FACAA at the National Meeting should it occur during the summer months preceding his or her being installed as President at the FACAA Annual Meeting, generally held in September.
3. The FACAA President Elect shall attend and register as an Associate Member for the Florida Association of Counties (FAC) Annual Meeting. The President-Elect should notify the executive director of the Florida Association of Counties prior to becoming President, that he/she will represent FACAA as an Associate Member. The FACAA Treasurer will pay the necessary registration fees, in accordance with the Bylaws.
4. The President and President Elect shall attend the NACAA Public Issues Leadership Development Conference (PILD) and Joint Council of Extension Professionals Leadership Conference (JCEP) during their terms of office. Other officers may attend the Southern Region meeting provided funds are available. Registration fees, lodging, meals, and transportation will be paid by the FACAA, in accordance with the Bylaws. (August 2017)
5. The President Elect will Chair the County Commissioners Liaison Committee and will coordinate the FACAA "Country Store" at the Annual Meeting of the Florida Association of Counties.
6. FACAA shall provide one night's lodging and meals for Outstanding Agriculturist Award recipients and their spouses at the FACAA Annual Meeting.
7. If any active member passes away, FACAA will donate \$50 to the Educational Foundation in memorial. The Secretary will see that proper notification, carrying the President's signature, be sent to the family.
8. The FACAA Past-President will serve as chair and FACAA President as Vice-Chair of the FACAA Foundation Committee and their duties will include managing the foundation, coordinating the annual foundation breakfast and coordinating the scholarship and application and award. (Revised December, 2009).
10. The Treasurer will notify all potential Life Members that they need to pay their one-time Life Member dues.
12. Membership dues are not generally refundable; the Board of Directors must approve exceptions.
13. Requests for FACAA membership mailing list. The President and one member of the Executive Board will review each request and make a decision based on the merits of the request.
14. A plaque in recognition of service to FACAA will be presented to the President upon retirement from office at the EPAF Annual Conference.

15. Annually the FACAA President shall appoint an ambassador(s) to attend the New Agent In-Service Training social event to promote FACAA Membership. The association will attempt to coordinate this activity with the participation of the other Extension Agent professional associations.

16. The Winner of the FACAA “Young Professional Award” will receive a Plaque and \$100. In addition, they will be granted a stipend of up to \$300 to attend a National Meeting. This amount will be held in escrow for a period of not more than 2 years, after which time it will be transferred to the Educational Foundation Fund if not used and credit for contribution to the Foundation will be given to the recipient. (June 2005.)

17. Reimbursement of officer expenses for travel on behalf of the Association to attend training programs such as PILD, regional, and national training programs of JCEP and NACAA will be based on PeopleSoft guidelines for meals as well as actual expenses for registration, airfare, hotel and incidentals such as airport parking and shuttle services. (Sept. 2005).

18. An annual \$500 scholarship will be awarded from the educational foundation to a UF student in consultation with advisors from the College of Agricultural and Life Sciences. The Chair of the Educational Foundation (Past President) shall coordinate with the student advisor to present the student with the scholarship recognition at an official FACAA meeting or at an official Agricultural and Life Sciences student function. (Revised December 2008, May 2019).
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FACAA Educational Foundation Criteria for Scholarships

<http://faca.ifas.ufl.edu/scholarship.shtml>

1. Each applicant must have contributed at least \$100 to the FACAA Education Foundation by December 31 of the prior year of application.
2. Applicants must be a member in good standing of FACAA for at least the immediate two years prior to the application for scholarship funds and current year FACAA dues must have been paid by the date required for awards applications.
3. Scholarship application can be made for any Professional Improvement activity including tours, seminars, conferences, sabbaticals, annual professional improvement meetings, advanced study degree hours or programs, International activities, In-Service Education, JCEP, PILD, or others as deemed appropriate by the Educational Foundation Committee of FACAA.
4. Scholarship funds will be awarded based on need, merit of the application and scholarship funds available, but will not exceed \$1000 to an individual applicant in one fiscal year and will not exceed \$10,000 to an individual in their Extension career.
5. Scholarship funds may be awarded to agent groups, but each individual must meet membership and donation requirements and total amount will not exceed individual award amounts outlined above for the number in the group applying. (ex. number in group = 5, total award not to exceed \$5,000).
6. Scholarship funds will not be paid until they are actually required for payment of expenses incurred or to be incurred for the intended activity for which scholarship was awarded.
7. Fiscal year for awarding scholarship funds will be the same as FACAA fiscal year from the beginning of October of each year to the end of September the following year based on the FACAA Annual meeting being held in September of each year.
8. The FACAA Educational Foundation Committee will meet in April to consider scholarship applications. Applications must be received by April 1. Applicants awarded scholarships will be announced by the Educational Foundation Committee Chair at the FACAA Mid-Year meeting in April.
9. Upon completion of the intended professional improvement activity for which scholarship funds have been awarded, the scholarship recipient must provide a brief written report to the FACAA Educational Foundation Chair (within 30 days of completion of training) that shows the main professional development value the agent received from their scholarship-funded travel. The penalty for misuse of FACAA Scholarship Funds is repayment of the funds to FACAA and prohibition from future FACAA Scholarships.

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