

Ag Policy and Research Committee Meeting
June 11, 2026, 8:45am-10:15pm CT
Cozad, Neb.

- 8:45 a.m. Call to Order
Chair, Steve Wellman
a. Additions to Agenda
- 8:50 a.m. Federal Ag Policy and Research Update
NCBA Executive Director, Government Affairs, Sigrid Johannes
- 9:20 a.m. Unicameral Brief
Senator Hallstrom
- 9:50 a.m. State Legislative Update
NC Director of State Government Affairs, Matthew Melchor
- 10:00 a.m. Open Discussion Regarding Current APR Policy and Future Direction
Chair, Steve Wellman

AGENDA
Allied Industries Council]
Thursday, June 11, 2026, 11:00 a.m.
Cozad High School, Cozad

11:00 a.m. Call to Order

 Austin Woltemath, Chair

Additions to agenda

Approval of minutes

11:05 a.m. Partnership Packages

 Annual Convention 2026

 - Career fair
 - Trade show
 - Marketing Plan

Summer Allied Industry meeting

Webinar – needed topics

12:00 p.m. Adjourn

Mark your calendar:

Seedstock Luncheon for beef exhibitors at Nebraska State Fair – Tuesday, September 1

Beef for Troops at Nebraska State Fair – Monday, September 7

2026 Beef Pit Crew @ Nebraska State Fair – Tuesday, September 1 9:45am - 3:45pm

Beef Pit Volunteer – help is needed during the week *ask Bonita for schedule

NC Board of Directors Meeting, Lincoln – Friday, October 9

PAC Cornhole Tournament, Lincoln – Friday, October 9

NC Tailgate, Lincoln – Saturday, October 10

NC Annual Convention, Kearney – December 9-10

AGENDA
Animal Health and Nutrition Committee Meeting
June 11, 2026
Cozad, Neb.

- 2:00 p.m. Call to Order
Jeff Heldt, Chair
 - a. Additions to Agenda
 - b. Approval of Minutes
- 2:05 p.m. Presentation and Q&A on Theileria and the Asian Longhorned Tick
John F. Currin, DVM, DABVP-Dairy
Clinical Associate Professor, Virginia-Maryland College of Veterinary Medicine
- 3:05 p.m. State Updates
Roger Dudley, DVM
State Veterinarian, Nebraska Department of Agriculture
- 3:20 p.m. Federal Updates
Sigrid Johannes
Executive Director, National Cattlemen's Beef Association Government Affairs
- 3:45 p.m. Adjourn

AGENDA

Brand and Property Rights Committee

June 11, 2026, 2:00 pm

Cozad High School, Cozad

- 2:00 p.m. Call to Order
Chair, Matt Blackford
- Additions to Agenda
- Approval of Minutes
- 2:05 p.m. State Legislative Update
Matthew Melchor, NC Director of State Government Affairs
- 2:30 p.m. Nebraska Legislature LB1187 - Change provisions of the Livestock Brand Act
Senator Mike Jacobson
- 3:00 p.m. Nebraska Brand Committee Updates
Staff and Leadership
- 3:30 p.m. Adjourn

Agenda
NC Marketing and Commerce Committee
June 11, 2026
Cozad High School
Cozad, NE

- [10:00 a.m.] Call to Order
Chance McLean - Committee Chair
- Recognition of 2026 NC midyear meeting sponsors
- Additions to agenda
- Approval of minutes
- [10:05 a.m.] Ongoing CME Group Feeder Cattle futures contract review
Jeff Stolle - NC Staff
- [10:10 a.m.] CME Live Cattle / Feeder Cattle futures daily price limits update / standing NC policy review
Mike Drinnin - NCBA Live Cattle Marketing Committee Chairman
Chairman McLean
- [10:30 a.m.] Beef industry fundamentals / packing infrastructure update
Jeff Stolle
- [10:50 a.m.] Recent LRP updates
Landon Nelson - Commercial Insurance Vice President - Farm Credit Services of America
- [11:10 a.m.] Ongoing beef import/export trade issues & Washington D.C. update
Ethan Lane - NCBA Senior Vice President of Government Affairs
- [11:40 a.m.] Other business
- [11:45 a.m.] Adjournment

AGENDA
Member Services and Revenue Development Committee
Thursday, June 11, 2026, 9:30 a.m.
Cozad High School, Cozad

- 9:30 a.m. Call to Order
 Quentin Dailey, Chair
- Additions to the Agenda
- Approval of Minutes
- 9:40 a.m. Nebraska Cattlemen Staff Updates
- Membership Application
- Dues restructuring
- Membership Recruitment – Top Hand
- Communication of NC activities
- NCBA Collegiate Partnership Program
- 10:15 a.m. Adjourn

TENTATIVE AGENDA
Natural Resources and Environment Committee Meeting
June 11, 2026, 10:30am-12:00pm CT
Cozad, Neb.

- 10:30 a.m. Call to Order
Chair, Sam Drinnin
a. Additions to Agenda
b. Approval of Minutes
- 10:35 a.m. State Wildfire Update
USDA Farm Service Agency (invited)
- 11:05 a.m. UNL Animal Sciences Research Briefing
Dr. Galen Erickson, UNL Feedlot Extension Researcher (invited)
- 11:35 a.m. State Legislative Update
Matthew Melchor, NC Director of State Government Affairs
- 12:00 p.m. Adjourn

AGENDA
Taxation and Education Committee
Thursday, June 11, 2026, 8:45 a.m.
Cozad High School, Cozad

8:45 a.m. Call to Order
Stephen Sunderman, Chair

Additions to the Agenda

Approval of Minutes

8:50 a.m. State Legislative Update
Matthew Melchor, Director of State Government Affairs

9:15 a.m. *Senator Jan Hughes*

10:15 a.m. Adjourn