NAME: EYE GNAT ABATEMENT APPEALS BOARD

LEGAL AUTHORITY: County Administrative Code, Article XV-AA; Ordinance No. 10241 (NS) adopted on 12/5/2012 (3).

MEMBERSHIP COMPOSITION: The Eye Gnat Abatement Appeals Board (EGAAB) shall be composed of two persons who are owners or operators of a commercial organic farm, one person who is a California licensed pest control advisor and not associated with the County of San Diego, Department of Environmental Health, or Agriculture, Weights and Measures, or any commercial organic farm, and two persons who are representatives of the community at large, not associated with any commercial organic farm, one of whom is a business owner. Appointees to the EGAAB may concurrently serve on the Fly Abatement Appeals Board if appointed to do so.

Members shall be nominated by the following for appointment by the Board of Supervisors:

1. First community at large member (for an initial two-year term), by the Supervisor, District 2. For subsequent vacancies, any Supervisor from a district that has recently generated a substantial number of eye gnat complaints may also make a nomination for this position.
2. Second community at large member (for an initial three-year term) by the Supervisor, District 3. For subsequent vacancies, any Supervisor from a district that has recently generated a substantial number of eye gnat complaints may also make a nomination for this position.
3. First owner or operator of an organic farm (for an initial four-year term), by the Supervisor, District 5.
4. Second owner or operator of an organic farm (for an initial three-year term) by the Supervisor, District 4.
5. California licensed pest control advisor (for an initial two-year term) by the Supervisor, District 1.

TERMS: Initial appointments to create EGAAB shall have staggered terms of two to four years as set out in section 235.1. All subsequent appointments shall be for a term of three calendar years. Members shall be eligible for reappointment.
DUTIES: The Board shall have the following duties and responsibilities:

(1) To hear administrative appeals filed pursuant to Chapter 4 of Division 4 of Title 6 of the County Code.

(2) To respond to petitions for advisory opinions as set out in Chapter 4 of Division 4 of Title 6 of the County Code.

MEETING DATE AND LOCATION: To be determined

COMPENSATION: Members of the Board shall serve without compensation and shall not be reimbursed for expenses incurred in performing their duties under this Article.

FILING NECESSARY: Statement of Incompatible Activities
Oath Cards

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