

**Agritourism Advisory Council**

**Thursday, March 1, 2018**

**4:30 p.m. following the Land of Kansas & Farmer's Market Conference**

**Bluemont Hotel**

**1212 Bluemont Avenue**

**Manhattan, KS**

***AGENDA***

Welcome & Introductions – Jay Schwinn

Jill Zimmerman, President – Kansas Agriculture and Rural Leadership (KARL)

Joel Beckner, Fire Prevention Public Education, Office of the State Fire Marshal

Farmer's Inspired Conference update – Jay Schwinn

Kansas Tourism Conference – Sue Stringer

Kansas Farm Bureau - Nancy Brown

USDA Rural Development– Jessica Bowser

Small Business Development Center – Diane Komarek

KS Dept of Agriculture/From the Land of Kansas – Lexi Wright

KSU Extension – Ariel Whitely and/or Tom Buller

Farm Credit update – Bret Henderson

Kansas Agritourism update - Sue and agritourism businesses in attendance

Tentative Agritourism Advisory Council Meeting dates for 2018:

**June 7, 2018 - KDWPT Office Topeka**

**August 20, 2018 - KDWPT Office Topeka**

**December 6, 2018 - KDWPT Office Topeka**