

**Program Committee Report**  
**April 2005 CFP Board Meeting**  
**R. H. Linton (for L Eils)**

The program committee has been working on the program content for the April 2006 meeting. Rich Linton approached the committee and the Board with a proposal that he has, in turn, submitted to USDA-CSREES. The proposal submission and letter of support were supported by a Board vote (December 2005). If funded, the grant would provide the majority of funding required for the program content for the 2006 meeting. The content is related to *L. monocytogenes* at Retail.” The grant is attached to this report. We will learn if the proposal is funded in June of this year. If not funded, the program committee will go back to the drawing board and develop an alternative plan of action.