

Food Protection Manager Certification Committee
Report to the CFP Executive Board, August 7-8, 2012

The Food Protection Manager Certification Committee (FPMCC) had 51 people who expressed interest in being on the committee. Our committee bylaws stipulate that we have 28 voting members, in addition to the chair and vice-chair. Voting members represent constituencies from regulatory, industry, certification providers, training providers, academia, and consumer/independent.

Vice-chair Christine Hollenbeck and I made our selections for committee membership, including alternates, and have contacted them to confirm that they are still interested in serving on the committee. At this time we have received responses from approximately 60% of the candidates. Our bylaws state that "the incoming Chair of the Committee shall make every effort to retain at least 50% of the Committee membership for a continuing term." We anticipate that we will have 16 voting members continuing on the committee from the 2010-12 session, and 12 new voting members. A preliminary committee membership roster, as of 7/18/12, is attached to this report. The finalized membership roster will be presented for approval at the August 7-8 Executive Board meeting.

The committee's first face-to-face meeting will be this fall. The exact dates and location have not been determined. We also plan to meet in Orlando in May 2013, in conjunction with the Executive Board meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

Jeff Hawley, Chair
Christine Hollenbeck, Vice-Chair
7/18/12