

ADGA MIDYEAR REPORT

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Date 3-20-16

TASK FORCE: **Performance Programs Data & Services Long Range Task Force**

TASK FORCE COORDINATOR: Lisa Shepard

COMMITTEE MEMBERS: Mark Baden, Lynn Benedict, Phil Cassette, Daniel Considine, Elizabeth Henning, Shirley McKenzie, Jennifer Mellett, Joan Dean Rowe, Robin Saum, Megan Tredway-Carter, John White

1. COMMITTEE GOALS AND OBJECTIVES FOR THE YEAR:
 - Review new agreement with CDCB regarding National Data (June expiration)
 - Review needs for national ID for non-registered animals to replace previous DHI tags

2. SUMMARY OF WORK DONE THUS FAR:
 - Links were provided to task force with regard to CDCB status and National ID program
 - Coordinator has made initial contact with the CEO of CDCB.
 - Coordinator has worked out back up plan with ARS depending on new directions CDCB may make .

3. FINANCIAL REPORT - COMMITTEE EXPENSES THUS FAR: None

4. PROBLEMS ENCOUNTERED: None

5. PLANS FOR THE REMAINDER OF THE YEAR:
 - Continue to explore options to ensure genetic evaluations for dairy goats.
 - Determine options for non-ADGA, non-AGS breeds and unregistered stock

6. COMMITTEE MEMBERS NOT RESPONDING TO CORRESPONDENCE: None

CHAIRPERSON'S SIGNATURE :

