**ILLINOIS CORN GROWERS ASSOCIATION**

**EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

**Minutes of a Meeting**

**Held June 1, 2021**

A meeting of the Executive Committee of the Illinois Corn Growers Association was held at the IL Corn office in Bloomington, Illinois on June 1, 2021.

 Directors present were:

 Randy DeSutter Bill Leigh

 Sarah Hastings Dave Rylander

 Terry Smith Marty Marr

 Kate Danner

 Also present were:

 Rod Weinzierl Kayla Veeder

***NCGA Corn Congress***

The committee discussed the July NCGA Corn Congress meeting. We expect the meeting details to change between now and then. The NCGA corn board candidates will call in during the joint board meeting to address the board. Kevin Ross will also join us during the joint board meeting to review the election process.

***FY22 Proposed Meeting Dates***

The committee reviewed the proposed meeting dates for FY22.

 **It was moved by Terry Smith and seconded by Marty Marr**

 **THAT we approve the meeting dates for FY22.**

 **The motion carried.**

***Illinois State Fair***

Assuming the State Fair is operating normally this year, we will participate in the ag day luncheon and the agricultural exhibit for kids.

***ICGA Election***

A notice went out in districts 3, 6, 9, 12, and 15 to inform ICGA members about the upcoming ICGA election. Directors and members will have the opportunity to declare their intent to run during the full board meeting.

***50th Anniversary Committee***

Rolland Main, Floyd Schultz, Kent Kleinschmidt, Len Corzine, Paul Taylor, and Bill Leigh will start working on the 50th anniversary planning committee. Mark Lambert will work with the committee and will also start putting together a 50th anniversary book.

***Farm Bill Task Force***

The farm bill task force will be meeting to discuss the next farm bill later this summer. The task force will start working on setting up farm bill listening sessions throughout the state.

***Corn Vision***

We are in the planning stages with other states on a corn visioning process.

 **It was moved by Marty Marr and seconded by Kate Danner**

**THAT we adjourn the meeting.**

 **The motion carried.**

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 Kate Danner, Secretary