

**National Poultry Improvement Plan**  
**Technical Advisory Committee Meeting Agenda**  
**Omni Providence Hotel, Providence, RI**  
**Tuesday Morning, August 27, 2024**

**8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.**

**Room Location: TBD**

- 8:00 a.m. Welcome to Rhode Island  
❖ *Dr. Scott Marshall, Rhode Island Official State Agent*
- 8:05 a.m. New Assays for Consideration  
❖ *Dr. Savannah Applegate, Associate Market Development Manager, Hygiene*
- 8:35 a.m. Review of Technical Issues  
❖ *Various Groups, To Be Determined*
- 9:15 a.m. Technical Committee Recommendations:  
Salmonella Subcommittee  
❖ *Dr. Doug Waltman, Chair*  
Mycoplasma Subcommittee  
❖ *Dr. Naola Ferguson-Noel, Chair*  
Avian Influenza Subcommittee  
❖ *Dr. Erica Spackman, Chair*
- 10:15 a.m. **MORNING BREAK**
- 10:30 a.m. Virtual Technology for Farms and Hatcheries and Potential Uses  
❖ *Dr. Lisa Tenny, President, Association of Poultry Primary Breeder Veterinarians*
- 10:50 a.m. Export Considerations for Virtual Technology  
❖ *Dr. Shanna Siegel, APHIS National Director of Live Animal Import and Exports*
- 11:05 a.m. Surveillance Technology and Early Warning Programs for Wildlife:  
Waterfowl Alert Network and Software Development  
❖ *Dr. Maurice Pitesky, Associate Professor, UC Davis*
- 11:25 a.m. Surveillance Technology and Early Warning Programs for Wildlife:  
RABApp  
❖ *Dr. Jason Galvis, Research Scholar, NC State*
- 11:45 a.m. Using NPIP Programs to Reduce *Salmonella* in FSIS Regulated Products  
❖ *Dr. Sheryl Shaw, Director, Applied Epidemiology, FSIS*
- 12:00 p.m. **ADJOURN**