



**2015 ANNUAL INDUSTRY MEETING
FOR USDA FOODS CONTRACTORS AND SUPPLIERS
Doubletree Hotel by Hilton – Crystal City
Arlington, Virginia**

**AGENDA
DAY TWO —LIVESTOCK, POULTRY, and SEED
Wednesday, October 28, 2015**

- 8:00 - 8:15** **Welcoming Remarks**
Mike Sheats, *Office of the Deputy Administrator, Livestock, Poultry, and Seed Program (LPS)*
- 8:15 - 8:30** **Review of Special Session: Harmonizing AMS Meat, Poultry, and Egg Specifications with Industry Best Practices**
Carl Schroeder, *Food Safety and Commodity Specification Division, LPS*
- 8:30 - 9:00** **Economic Outlook**
Sherry Wise, *Agricultural Analytics Division, LPS*
- 9:00 - 9:30** **Auditing and Processing Updates**
Jennifer Porter, *Quality Assessment Division, LPS*
- 9:30 - 10:00** **Break**
- 10:00 - 10:30** **Specification Updates**
Rod Bowling, Chandramohan Chawan, Darin Doerscher, Terry Lutz, and Steve Whisenant, *Food Safety and Commodity Specification Division, LPS*
- 10:30 - 11:00** **Food Safety, AMS Designated Laboratory, and Data Sharing Interface Application Updates**
Rod Bowling, Darin Doerscher, and Faras Khan, *Food Safety and Commodity Specification Division, LPS*
- 11:00 - 11:45** **Facilitated Discussion**
Mike Sheats, *Office of the Deputy Administrator, LPS*
- 11:45 - 12:00** **Concluding Remarks and Next Steps**
Craig Morris, *Office of the Deputy Administrator, LPS*

