National Grain Center
Tour – Day 1

Grain Inspection Advisory Committee Meeting
September 5, 2018
Board of Appeals and Review

Primary Functions

- Board appeals
- Supervision of FGIS/agency QASs
- Licenses FGIS inspectors
- Serves as reference method for visual inspections
- Conducts grain grading seminars
  - Industry
  - International trade groups
  - QASs
  - Inspectors
Inspection Instrumentation

Primary Functions

• Quality Control and Standardization
  • NIRT, NMR, Moisture Meter
• Official Calibrations
  • NIRT and NMR
• Official and Commercial Calibrations
  • Moisture
Inspection Instrumentation

Primary Functions

• Evaluate Instruments and Equipment
  • Official Inspection
  • Commercial Inspection
• Research and Development
• Evaluate and Approve D/T samplers
Wheat Functionality

Primary Functions

• Evaluate methods for characterizing end-use quality factors
• Administer national falling number quality assurance program
• Provide varietal identification of wheat by chemical analysis
• Provide rice iron enrichment test kits to official service providers
• Provide reference materials for wheat hardness test
Digital Media

Primary Functions

• Visual References for Inspection Standardization

• eLearning Content
  • Inspector Training
  • Industry Education

• Marketing Materials for Outreach
Digital Media

Support Functions

• NGC A/V equipment
• NGC Digital Signage
• Graphic Illustration
• Image Editing
• Video/Photography
• 508 Compliance
• Page Layout