Southern Administrative Heads and CARET DRAFT 6/19 Joint Summer Meeting, Lexington, KY

July 26 – 28, 2024

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| **Date / Time** | **Agenda Item / Activity** |
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| **Saturday, July 27, 2024** |
| **6:45 – 8:00 am** | **Breakfast** |
| **8:00 – 9:45 am** | **Joint Southern AHS/CARET Business Meeting – Keith Coble, Chair, S-AHS** |
| 8:00 – 8:10 | Welcome and Introductions – Keith Coble* AHS introduce themselves and their institution’s CARET Delegates
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| 8:10 – 8:20 | Kentucky welcome |
| 8:20 – 8:50 | NIFA Update – Brent Elrod, USDA-NIFA |
| 8:50 – 9:20 | Federal Budget, Farm Bill, and Legislative Update – Doug Steele, APLU |
| 9:20 – 9:45 | APLU and FANR Update – Doug Steele |
| **9:45 – 10:00 am** | **Break** |
| **10:00 – 11:15 am** | **Southern CARET Business Meeting – Larry Holmes, Chair, S-CARET** |
|  | Call to order and Welcome – Larry Holmes |
|  | Agenda TBD |
| **10:00 – 11:15 am** | **Southern AHS Business Meeting – Keith Coble** |
| 10:00 – 10:10 | AHS Executive Committee Report from Leadership Meeting, July 16-17 in Providence, RI – Keith Coble and Deacue Fields |
| 10:10 – 10:20 | Nomination for Southern AHS Secretary (election at winter meeting) – Keith Coble |
| 10:20 – 10:40 | Future Southern AHS meetings – Eric Young* Winter 2025 – Feb 3, Irvine, TX, during SAAS Conference
* Update on Southern Mini Land-grant – June 9-12, 2025, Fayetteville, AR
	+ Schedule for separate & small joint sessions
	+ Topic suggestions for large joint sessions
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| 10:40 – 11:15 | Institution Updates – All |
| **11:15 – 9:00 pm** | **Lunch, tour, and dinner** |

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| **Sunday, July 28, 2024** |
| **6:45 – 8:00** | **Breakfast** |
| **8:00 – 10:00** | **Joint AHS/CARET Meeting – Larry Holmes** |
| 8:00 – 8:30 | Kentucky speaker(s) |
| 8:30 – 9:00 | Business Meeting Reports and other Updates –* S-CARET – Larry Holmes
* S-AHS – Keith Coble
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| 9:00 – 10:00 | Action Items from Saturday's Meetings and Joint Discussions (possible topics below)* Growth of Foreign Agricultural Research vs the US
* Communicating Return on Investment for Agricultural Research & Extension
* Effective Year-round Advocacy
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| **10:00** | **Adjourn** |