

Meeting Agenda
Iowa Wine and Beer Promotion Board

Date/Time: April 20, 2023 at 10 am

Location: Iowa Economic Development Authority - 1963 Bell Ave. Suite 200, Des Moines, IA 50315; McNarney Conference Room

1. Roll Call and Introductions
 - a. Katie Kenne – IEDA
 - b. Stephanie Nepl – IEDA
 - c. Noreen Otto – Iowa Brewers Guild
 - d. Christie Jensen – Iowa Wine Growers Association
 - e. Stephanie Strauss – Iowa Alcoholic Beverages Division
 - f. Erica Davis – FleishmanHillard
 - g. Kesley Wolf – FleishmanHillard

2. Industry Updates
 - a. Noreen – Iowa Brewers Guild
 - i. June is Iowa Craft Beer Month – media event will be held
 - ii. National Craft Brewing conference is in Nashville
 - iii. Legislation has been approved to include brew pub gallonage taxes into the Wine and Beer fund
 - b. Christie – Iowa Wine Growers Association
 - i. Iowa Wine Month is May.
 - ii. Partnering with ISU Extension on a vineyard bus trip in July.
 - iii. Will do tasting room/staff training this fall.

3. FY23 Budget Update
 - a. Expenditures
 - i. Reviewed FY22 budget through 3Q 2023.
 - b. Scholarship opportunities
 - i. Need to get clarity on what conference expenses could be reimbursed.

4. FY23 Marketing Plan Discussion
 - a. Passports
 - i. Sweepstakes will run June through October
 - b. Other Advertising Opportunities
 - i. First e-newsletter is going out April 2023 to 750 consumers.
 - ii. Paid search is performing strongly.
 - c. Marketing collateral plan
 - i. Collateral will be sent in May/early June.
 - ii. Coasters are being redesigned

5. FY 24 Budget Discussion
 - a. Reviewed draft FY24 budget.
 - b. Education line item will remain specific to travel reimbursement.
 - c. \$5000 each for beer and wine for scholarships
 - d. The proposed marketing budget for FY24 was approved for \$150,000.

6. Economic Impact Studies
 - a. RFP is underway.
 - b. Data points are needed to include.
7. Other Business- Travel Iowa assets can be utilized during the Iowa Craft Beer Festival on June 3.
8. Comments from Guests (limited to 10 minutes each guest) - none
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