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## Technical Advisory Group (TAC) - Food Safety Meeting Agenda

**Date:** January 12, 2024 **Time:** 9:00-10:00am

**Location:** Phone Conference via Microsoft Teams

Attendees:

| Discussion Topic   | Additional Content & Notes                |
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| Welcome and Roll Call;<br>Introductions (All) (5 minutes)<br>9:00 - 9:05 | Meet and Greet                            |
| Profile Review & Discussion (5 minutes) 9:05 – 9:10                      | Review profiles submitted to date         |
| Program and Staffing Updates   | Recruitment for lead worker               |
| (15 minutes)   | Fully staffed Program                     |
| 9:10 – 9:25  | Reminder of fee schedule change 2024      |
|  | Program goals                             |
| FDA Voluntary Retail Food  | Introduce Helen Wolfram                   |
| Program Standards<br>(15 minutes)  | Review FDA Program Standards Achievements |
| 9:25 – 9:40  |   |
| Industry Updates   | Successes                                 |
| (15 minutes) 9:40 – 9:50   | • Challenges                              |
| Open Floor & suggested   |   |
| upcoming agenda items  |   |
| (5 minutes) 9:50-10:00   |   |
| 10:00 Adjourn  |   |

## **Guiding Principles**

- 1. A commitment to food safety that ensures minimum risk of foodborne illness;
- 2. Promoting public access to safe and healthy food;
- 3. Flexibility to anticipate future changes and needs;
- 4. Commitment to support food agriculture and markets;
- 5. Increased local control of food sources;

- 6. Integrity of food safety surveillance activities;
- 7. Cooperation and coordinated efforts among government agencies, food industry, coalitions, and citizens for assuring safe food production, storage, and handling.