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Dear colleagues,

On behalf of the North American Plant Protection Organization's (NAPPO) Executive Committee (EC), and in my role as Chair of the EC for 2019, I am pleased to invite you to participate in the 43rd NAPPO Annual Meeting to be held from October 28 to 31, 2019 at the Marriott Chateau Champlain Hotel, Montreal, QC, Canada.

NAPPO provides a unique forum for the public and private sectors in Canada, the United States, and Mexico to collaborate in the development of regional science-based and risk-based phytosanitary standards aimed at protecting agricultural, forest and other plant resources against regulated plant pests while facilitating safe trade. Each year, the NAPPO Annual Meeting provides a unique opportunity for government officials and industry representatives to discuss key issues affecting plant protection in North America and examine ways in which to increase safe inter- as well as intra-regional trade of plants and plant products.

During the 43rd NAPPO Annual Meeting, NAPPO's Expert Groups will report on their work towards fulfilling NAPPO's strategic objectives. In addition, the organizing committee is working to select a stimulating topic for the science-based symposium planned for Thursday, October 31st. Details surrounding the symposium, as well as logistics for the full annual meeting, will be provided later this year in the NAPPO newsletter and Annual Meeting webpages.

Additional information concerning the NAPPO work program is available at http://www.nappo.org

I hope that you will participate in the 2019 NAPPO Annual Meeting and I look forward seeing you in Montreal.

Yours sincerely,

Greg

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