



Meeting Announcement

**An informational meeting for Suisun Valley & Green Valley grape growers
is being hosted by Allied Grape Growers
in cooperation with the Suisun Valley Vintners and Growers Association**

Friday, April 7, 2017

8:00 AM – 1:00 PM

Rockville Corners – 4163 Suisun Valley Road, Fairfield, CA

Lunch Sponsored By:



Bayer CropScience



Agenda:

8:00 AM – Coffee and Donuts

Welcome and Introduction of Hosts, Sponsors and Speakers

Jeff Bitter - Vice President of Operations, Allied Grape Growers

8:30 AM - Understanding the Importance of Sustainability for Winegrape Growers

Lisa Francioni-Hai - Program Director, California Sustainable Winegrowing Alliance

9:30 AM – Understanding Vine Mealybug and the Importance of Effective Control

Dr. Monica Cooper - Viticulture Farm Advisor, UC Cooperative Extension

10:30 AM – Sponsor Updates: Controlling Vine Mealybug

David Andrada or Bob Austin, Bayer CropScience

Daniel Abruzzini, Dow AgroSciences

Loraine Lee, Suterra

11:15 AM – Suisun Valley/Green Valley Winegrape Market Analysis & Pricing Report Release

Jeff Bitter - Vice President of Operations, Allied Grape Growers

11:45 AM – Current Issues and Discussion Points for Suisun Valley

Roger King – President, Suisun Valley Vintners and Growers Association

Chad Clark – Manager of Coastal Operations, Allied Grape Growers

Jeff Bitter - Vice President of Operations, Allied Grape Growers

12:15 PM – Hosted Lunch with Suisun Valley Wines

Brown Bag Regional Wine Comparison

**For meal and wine planning, please RSVP by April 3rd to Jeff Bitter:
Phone (559) 276-7021 or email jeff@alliedgrapegrowers.org**