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CAPCA NEWSLETTER



**CAPCA**  
AT THE CENTER OF PLANT HEALTH

## Latest Information from CAPCA

JOIN US IN NAPA FOR THE 2024 CAPCA SPRING SUMMIT!



January 30, 2024 - January 31, 2024  
Napa Valley Marriott Hotel & Spa in Napa,  
CA



DPR Hours TBA, CCA Hours TBA

[Register Here](#)

### NEW CAPCA STATE OFFICE MAILING ADDRESS

Please mail your correspondence and member dues (if not paying online) to our new mailing address:

California Association of Pest Control Advisers  
P.O. Box 255382  
Sacramento, CA 95825

### CAPCA MEMBERS CAN EARN \$2,000+ IN 2024 THROUGH A CDFA GRANT STUDY!

CDFA has recognized the hard work and expertise of the PCA community and has awarded a grant to highlight the extensive IPM and SPM practices that dedicated PCAs implement daily.

Here's what you need to know:

- Our mission is to showcase how each PCA balances environmental and economic considerations in pest management decisions.
- A significant portion of this grant directly benefits YOU and your growers. By participating and meeting the study criteria, PCAs can earn a \$2,000 stipend. That's a potential \$400K for our PCA community! Plus, there are more incentives for you and your growers.
- We're teaming up with TELUS Agronomy for data integrity. *All data shared will be fully anonymized to protect your privacy.*

### LICENSE REMINDER FOR CONTINUING EDUCATION CREDITS

You must have a valid PCA license to earn credit for Continuing Education hours.

*If you haven't received your license from DPR yet, any CE hours you attend before the license issue date will be invalid. Invalid hours will not count toward the total hours needed when it is time to renew your license again.*

Once you receive your license from DPR, check to make sure that you attend CE courses that are on or after the issue date of your license.

### CAPCA ONLINE CE FOR 2023 - COURSES AND COMPLETIONS

- We'll deep dive into the practices in pistachios, grapes, lettuce, and tomatoes.
- This initiative isn't just CAPCA. It's a collaborative effort with TELUS Agronomy, UC IPM, American Pistachio Growers, California Fresh Fruit Association, and California Tomato Growers.

To learn more or to indicate your interest in participating in the program, click the link below. Let's continue making strides in sustainable agriculture together!

### Grant Information

## DPR CE TRACKING YOU CAN TRUST



Beta testing for the new CE Hours Reported software has begun, so schedule a demo!  
[Cereported.com](https://Cereported.com)

## RENEW YOUR CAPCA MEMBERSHIP

You don't have to wait for your DPR renewal to renew your CAPCA membership!

In celebration of CAPCA's 50th Anniversary, all 2024 CAPCA members (Active and Associate) will receive 10 hours of FREE online CE in 2024! Look for your free CE in April and August of 2024. Click below to renew your CAPCA membership today!

### Renew Here

## ADVICE FOR THE ADVISER PODCAST IN 2024

CAPCA is proud to announce our new bi-monthly podcast!

The podcast will premiere in January of 2024 and is hosted by Technology & Innovation Director Patrick Dosier and Communications Director Alexis Silveira.

The first episode will focus on 2024 changing regulations and a new grant opportunity for PCAs like you.

Advice for the Adviser can be found on Apple Podcasts, Spotify, or wherever you get your podcasts.

**CAPCA Online CE courses purchased in 2023 are available to access through 12/31/23.**

Please complete any unfinished course(s) by December 31st to receive credit.

CAPCA Members were gifted Online CE in 2023! If you received the following Online CE courses, please complete them by 12/31/23 to receive credit:

### -2023 Spring Label Updates & Product Profiles-

2.5 DPR Hours (2.0 Laws, 0.5 Other)

*Gifted to current members as of 4/30/23.*

### -2023 Conference Label Update-

2.0 DPR Hours (1.5 Laws 0.5 Other)

*Gifted to current members as of 8/30/23.*

Questions about how to access Online CE? Email [support@capca.com](mailto:support@capca.com)

There are currently 25.0 DPR-approved CE hours (8.0 Laws, 17.0 Other) in the CAPCA Online CE course catalog for purchase.

*Once purchased, all 2023 courses are available to complete through 12/31/2023.*

CAPCA's mission is to serve as an industry leader and continue providing quality continuing education. In a changing world, that mission and our service to members hasn't changed.

### Online CE Course Catalog



## CHAPTER EVENTS AROUND THE STATE

### CAPCA KERN COUNTY CHAPTER WINTER LABEL UPDATE CE MEETING

JANUARY 26, 2024 | 8:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Registration Opens: 7:30 am

REGISTRATION FEE:

\$80 (member\* pre-registration, ends 1/18/24)

\$120 (non-member pre-registration)

\$120 (on-site registration)

*\*You MUST be a 2024 CAPCA member to get the member discount price on pre-registration.*

CE HOURS APPROVED:

TBA

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

Online pre-registration closes on 1/18/24.

On-site registration available space permitting.

Cinnamon rolls and coffee are provided in the morning, and lunch is included for pre-registered attendees.

**Kern Seminar Registration**

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

Paola Guido - Ronald Koetsier - Jyoti Taneja - Kiley Jensen

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