



**20TH ANNUAL MEETING and TRADE SHOW
MISSISSIPPI PEANUT GROWERS ASSOCIATION
Lake Terrace Convention Center, One Convention Center Plaza, Hattiesburg, MS**

February 19, 2025

7:30 – 8:45 a.m.	Registration/Visit with Industry
8:45 – 9:00 a.m.	Welcome/ Introductions
9:00 – 9:30 a.m.	Platinum/Gold Sponsor Updates
9:30 – 10:00 a.m.	Dr. Brendan Zurweller, MSU Peanut Agronomist Peanut Production and Research Updates
10:00 – 10:30 a.m.	Refreshments/ Visit Industry Exhibits
10:30 – 11:00 a.m.	Miriam Crosby, Mktg & Communications Director, The Peanut Institute Role of The Peanut Institute in the Peanut Industry
11:00 – 11:30 a.m.	Dr. Brian Pieralisi, MSU Extension Cotton Specialist Cotton Production Updates
11:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Dr. Marshall Lamb, Research Leader, National Peanut Lab USDA ARS Research/Outlook for 2025
12:00 – 12:50 p.m.	Lunch/Visit Industry Exhibits
12:50 – 1:00 p.m.	Samantha Laird, Peanut Commodity MS Farm Bureau Federation, Greetings and Program Update
1:00 – 1:30 p.m.	Madison Dixon, Associate Dir. MSU Agricultural Autonomy Institute 2025 Spray Drone Regulatory Update

DOOR PRIZE DRAWINGS (See Sponsors listed in Program)

1:45 p.m. - Mississippi Peanut Growers Association 20th Annual Meeting

Welcome/Call to Order	Joe Morgan, President
Minutes 19th Annual Meeting & Financial Report for 2024	Dr. Malcolm Broome , Executive Director, MPGA
National Peanut Board	Ashton Pellom, Mktg & Communications Assoc.
MS Peanut Promotion Board	Lonnie Fortner, Chairman
2024 Association Activities & 2025 Plans	Dr. Malcolm Broome
Nominating Committee Report & Election of Directors	Alan Atkins, Committee Chairman
Other Business/Adjourn	President Morgan

Meeting Sponsor - National Peanut Board

AMADAS GROWER PRIZE

Certificate good for \$15,000 towards the purchase of a NEW Amadas Self-Propelled Peanut Combine or \$7,500 towards the purchase of a NEW Amadas 4 Row or 6 Row Pull-Type Peanut Combine or \$4,500 towards the purchase of a NEW Amadas 6-Row or 8-Row Digger or \$1,500 towards the purchase of a NEW Amadas Peanut Dump Cart. Also, along with the certificate, the winner will receive a customized Grizzly Cooler. Winner must be a certified peanut grower with an FSA Farm Number, and must be present to win.

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