

## Cherry Strategic Investment Advisory Panel meeting summary

**Date:** 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2017

## Attendance:

SIAP: Fiona Hall, Nic Hansen, Tony Hannaford, Michael Batinich, Lucy Gregg, Andrew Smith,
Steve Chapman, Tom Eastlake
Apologies: Dugald Close, Michael Rouget
Chair: Richard de Vos
Hort Innovation: Mark Spees, Michael Rogers

Location: Teleconference Next Meeting: June/July 2017

## **Overview**

Hort Innovation's cherry industry Strategic Investment Advisory Panel (SIAP) met via teleconference on 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2017.

Richard de Vos chaired this meeting and provided an overview to members outlining the objective, governance of the panel.

The panel discussed and gave advice on industry feedback on a new concept for an end point treatment seminar with a national grower delegation to be held in China with CIQA.

Additionally, alternative investment options to achieve similar objectives were also discussed.

Anyone seeking further information on Hort Innovation's cherry R&D investments should note that a full list of projects, together with an overview of the program financials are available on the cherry webpage of the Hort Innovation website.

## Next steps

A SIAP meeting will be planned for June/July 2017 to prioritise strategies and give advice on potential investments.

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