

The Florida Senate
COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

AGRICULTURE
Senator Siplin, Chair
Senator Bullard, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Thursday, January 12, 2012

TIME: 8:30 —10:00 a.m.

PLACE: *Mallory Horne Committee Room, 37 Senate Office Building*

MEMBERS: Senator Siplin, Chair; Senator Bullard, Vice Chair; Senators Alexander, Dockery, Garcia, Hays, Montford, and Simmons

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
1	SB 852 Siplin	Healthy Foods Retail Act; Directing the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services to establish a financing program to help fund projects that increase access to fresh fruits and vegetables in underserved areas; authorizing the department to contract with other organizations to administer the program; specifying how the funding is to be used; providing who is eligible for funding; providing criteria for project funding and evaluation; requiring an annual report to the Legislature; authorizing available funds to be leveraged to access federal funding; authorizing the department to adopt rules, etc. AG 01/12/2012 Favorable BC	Favorable Yeas 7 Nays 0
2	Presentation "The Institute for Food Safety: Training Workers for Florida's Agriculture, Aquaculture, and Food Processing Industries" By Dr. Christal Albrecht, President Downtown Campus Florida State College Jacksonville, FL		Presented
3	Issue Brief 2012-201 (Status of Health-related Consequences to Muck Farm Workers in the Lake Apopka Region)		Presented
4	Other Related Meeting Documents		