

**AMENDED AGENDA #1**  
**SENATE AGRICULTURAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE**  
**8:00 A.M.**  
**Room WW53**  
**Thursday, February 19, 2026**

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<b>SUBJECT</b>	<b>DESCRIPTION</b>	<b>PRESENTER</b>
<b>MINUTES APPROVAL:</b>	Minutes of February 5, 2026	Senator VanOrden Vice Chairman Zito
<b>INTRODUCTION:</b>	Leadership Idaho Agriculture (LIA) Class 46	Mr. Rick Waitley, Director Emeritus
<b>PRESENTATION:</b>	Senate Page Farewell - Thanking Charles Butler for his service to the Senate Agricultural Affairs Committee	Chairman Nichols
<b>PRESENTATION:</b>	Idaho Potato Commission	Mr. Jamey Higham, President & CEO

***If you have written testimony, please provide a copy to the committee secretary.***

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