

**Agenda**  
**Joint Committee Meeting**  
**Rice and Small Grains Committee**  
**Soybean, Wheat and Feed Grains Committee**  
**Delta Council**  
**Tuesday, August 2, 2005**  
**10:00 a.m.**  
**B. F. Smith Administration Building Auditorium**  
**Stoneville, MS**

- I. Welcome and Opening Remarks  
  
Travis Satterfield, Chairman  
Rice and Small Grains Committee, Delta Council
- II. Rice, Oilseeds, and Grain Trade Outlook: Policy, Supply and Offtake  
  
Don A. Riffe, Manager, Producer Services  
Informa Economics
- III. Status of Checkoff Programs
  - Comments from Mississippi Department of Agriculture and Commerce:  
Patrick Sullivan
  - Rice (Actions in 2005 Mississippi Legislative Session): Gibb Steele
  - Soybean (Status of Mississippi Soybean Research and Promotion Act):  
Jim Robertson, Soybean Promotion Board
  - Corn (Outlook for Corn Checkoff legislation in Mississippi)  
Rob Coker
- IV. Research Highlights and the 2005 Crop Report
  - Rice: Tim Walker
  - Soybeans: Alan Blaine
  - Corn: Erick Larson
- V. Policy Considerations  
  
Jim Robertson, Presiding
- VI. Adjournment