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**Agronomy Journal, Editorial Board Meeting
Tuesday, October 23, 2012, 3:00-5:00 pm**

3:00-3:05 Welcome

3:05-3:20 ASA Publications Director, Mark Mandelbaum
Digital Library and Page charges

3:20-3:25 Recognize incoming and outgoing Editors

3:25-3:30 AJ Statistics, 2012 (submissions, accepted, rejected, etc.) 2011 symposium papers,
Barry Glaz

3:30-3:40 Managing Editor’s Report, Sue Ernst (new page charges, electronic only, open access, TOC headings)

3:40-3:50 Software issues, Brett Holte

1. Impact Factor (discussion)
2. Need to change due dates by SAE’s
3. Easy access to web page showing AJ statistics

<http://www.scimagojr.com/journalsearch.php?q=15639&tip=sid>

3:50-4:00 Top reasons why papers are 1) accepted, 2) rejected

 ASA Abstract, example (326)

4:00-4:20 AJ Editorial Structure (SAE-AE-SE, versus TE-AE)

 Utility of the Screening Editor, fake peer reviews

4:20-4:50 Added issues as raised by SAE’s and AE’s

AJ board needs to encourage authors to publish in AJ (symposia from the meetings)
Need for added Crops SAE (genetics)

5:00 Adjourn