DECLARATION OF ELECTION RESULTS  
NAPA ELECTION 2020

We would like to announce that the following individuals have been elected unopposed for the positions listed below for the NAPA Executive Committee of 2020-2022:

1. **President** – Dr. Megha N. Parajulee, Texas A&M University  
2. **Vice President** – Dr. Pradeep Wagle, USDA-ARS  
3. **General Secretary** – Dr. Ramjee Ghimire, Michigan State University  
4. **Joint Secretary** – Dr. Dev Paudel, University of Florida  
5. **Treasurer** – Dr. Santosh Dhakal, Johns Hopkins University  
6. **Member** – Dr. Aditya Khanal, Tennessee State University  
7. **Member** – Mrs. Gita Koirala Bhandari, Texas  
8. **Member** – Dr. Nityananda Khanal, Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada  
9. **Member** – Dr. Sushil Thapa, Texas A&M University  
10. **Member** – Dr. Shyam L. Kandel, USDA-ARS  
11. **Member** – Vacant

We would like to congratulate all of the newly elected officers and members! We also greatly appreciate your passion and enthusiasm to serve NAPA for the next 2 years and take NAPA to another level of prominence.

The Oath Ceremony will be held during the NAPA AGM on May 24, 2020. We will see you all there.

The Election Commission would like to thank all nominees as well as general members of NAPA for their full cooperation during the election process. We would also like to thank the president of NAPA, Dr. Lila Karki and the executive committee for entrusting us (the Election Commission) to conduct a free and fair election of NAPA Executive Committee following the bylaws of NAPA.

Respectfully,

**Election Commission**  
Dr. Prakash B. Malla, Chief Commissioner  
Dr. Narayan Khadka, Commissioner  
Dr. Ramesh Pokharel, Commissioner