WSWS Officer and Committee Report
2019 Board Meeting – Denver, CO

Office or Committee Name: Sustaining Membership
Officer or Chairperson Name: Charlie Hicks
Date of Preparation (include year): 3/08/2019

Activities during the year:

Historically, a letter to all past sustaining members requesting donations is sent out in December prior to the next year's meeting. This is done to utilize any unused company funds from that year to cover sustaining membership in the upcoming year. Due to another oversite, no such letter was sent in December of 2018. A letter requesting support was sent out to previous sustaining members on 1/26/19. Two follow up requests were sent after that date. As company contacts change, it is the chair's responsibility to attempt to find the appropriate person. So in the general session, please recognize the following companies.

Bayer	pd
Syngenta	pd
GOWAN	pd
Wilbur-Ellis	pd
AMVAC	pd

Corteva	invoiced
BASF	invoiced
Helena	invoiced
UPL NA	invoiced
Winfield United	invoiced

Recommendations for Board Action:

Business manager to send a reminder to current committee chair to send a letter to all prospective sustaining members on or around December 1.

Remove Monsanto, Arysta and Dow/Dupont from list. Add Corteva and UPL NA to list. On 2/1/19, UPL NA purchased Arysta. Arysta no longer exhists.

Budget Needs: Dues increased for large companies from $1000 to $1200 for 2019. As consolidations continue, the board may need to consider future increases.

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