COUNTY OF YOLO
Yolo/Sacramento/Solano Agritourism Summit

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From the Capay Valley
To Clarksburg
And the Dunnigan Hills in between
Yolo County has a long-standing history of providing rural tourism opportunities
From hiking in the County’s regional parks
To rafting on Cache Creek
Capay Valley’s ranches and farms provide visitors with an agricultural experience.
From Seasonal Festivals

Almond Festival

2013 Capay Valley

Enjoy a Culinary Tour of Capay Valley

SUNDAY FEBRUARY 24 2013

Food, Arts & Crafts, Music, Car Show and much, much more!

Please visit espartoregionalchamber.com for locations and times of events.

Rumsey
Guinda
Brooks
Capay
Esparto
Madison
To Local Products
To Farm Dinners
Venues permitted for special events
Event Centers

Destination: Capay Valley

Sunday, October 23, 2016

Taste of Capay 2016
2 p.m. – 6 p.m.
FreeHeart Farm
Repurposing the Old Sugar Mill in Clarksburg
To Boutique Wineries
Farming for generations
To a new generation of vintners
Zoning Code Updates

• In 2014, the County updated its existing zoning code to comply with the 2030 Countywide General Plan that encourages rural tourism in the agricultural areas

• Since that time, the County has made minor annual edits to the Agricultural Zones to ensure accuracy and consistency
Recent changes

• In 2016, the Board of Supervisors directed staff to consider further changes to some of the agricultural commercial uses, such as large event centers and bed and breakfasts, primarily to distinguish non-farming uses from those commercial uses that are ancillary to existing agricultural operations.
Existing ag operations enhanced by a commercial use
Existing commercial uses in the ag zones