



**Minutes of November 2012 Meeting**

**AATCC Chemical Applications Interest Group  
Wednesday, November 14, 2012  
Research Triangle Park NC**

Bert Truesdale, Chair      Presiding

Meeting was called to order at 10:15AM. There were 25 in attendance. Mark Granja, Methods Development Scientist & Chuck Crawford, Technology Development Director, both of Sun Products, made a presentation and demonstration of today's current laundry detergent formulations. They covered the major components of formulations including surfactants, enzymes, optical brighteners, polymers, and fragrance additives. In the demonstration they showed the usefulness of protease enzymes as formulation components for the removal of grass stains.

Old Business:

1. Reminded attendees to submit ideas for topics.
2. IC 2013 – Will be held in Greenville, SC April 9 – 11. CAIG track has been set.

New Business: Officers elected for 2013- 2014:

Chair: Nelson Houser, M. Dohmen USA

Member – at – Large: Mike Cheek, Huntsman International, Textile Effects

Secretary: Bert Truesdale, Ten Cate Protective Fabrics, USA

Vice-Chair: position remains vacant

Meeting was adjourned at 11:45AM. Next meeting will be during the May 7- 9, 2013 series of meetings in Research Triangle Park, NC..

Respectfully submitted,

Bert Truesdale

Chair, AATCC Chemical Applications Interest Group