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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service

[Docket No. APHIS–2016–0066]

Secretary’s Advisory Committee on Animal Health; Notice of Solicitation for Membership

AGENCY: Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, USDA.

ACTION: Notice of solicitation for membership.

SUMMARY: We are giving notice that the Secretary is soliciting nominations for membership for this Committee to serve for terms of 2 years.

DATES: Consideration will be given to nominations received on or before November 28, 2016.

ADDRESSES: Completed nomination forms should be sent by email or mail to the person listed under FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Dr. Diane L. Sutton, Designated Federal Officer, APHIS Veterinary Services, 4700 River Road Unit 43, Riverdale, MD 20737–1231; email: SACAH.Management@aphis.usda.gov; phone (301) 851–3509.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Secretary’s Advisory Committee on Animal Health (SACAH or the Committee) advises the Secretary of Agriculture on strategies, policies, and programs to prevent, control, or eradicate animal diseases. The Committee considers agricultural initiatives of national scope and significance and advises on matters of public health, conservation of national resources, stability of livestock economies, livestock disease management and traceability strategies, prioritizing animal health imperatives, and other related aspects of agriculture.

The Committee Chairperson and Vice Chairperson are elected by the Committee from among its members.

Terms will expire for the current members of the Committee in April or August 2017. We are soliciting nominations from interested organizations and individuals. An organization may nominate individuals from within or outside its membership. Individuals may nominate themselves or someone else. Nomination forms are available on the Internet at https://www.ocio.usda.gov/document/ad-755 or may be obtained from the person listed under FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT. The Secretary will select members to obtain the broadest possible representation on the Committee, in accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (5 U.S.C. App. 2) and U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) Regulation 1041–1. Equal opportunity practices, in line with the USDA policies, will be followed in all appointments to the Committee. To ensure that the recommendations of the Committee have taken into account the needs of the diverse groups served by the Department, membership should include, to the extent practicable, individuals with demonstrated ability to represent minorities, women, and persons with disabilities.

Done in Washington, DC, this 5th day of October 2016.

Kevin Shea,
Administrator, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service.

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Forest Service

Forestry Research Advisory Council

AGENCY: Forest Service, USDA.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: The Forestry Research Advisory Council (FRAC) will meet in Washington, DC. The Council is required by Section 1441 of the Agriculture and Food Act of 1981 (Act) and operates in compliance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA). Additional information concerning FRAC can be found by visiting the FRAC’s Web site at: http://www.fs.fed.us/research/about/forestry-research-council/.

DATES: The meeting will be held on the following dates and time:

• Wednesday, October 12, 2016 from 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
• Thursday, October 13, 2016 from 8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

All FRAC meetings are subject to cancellation. For updated status of the meeting prior to attendance, please contact the person listed under FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held at the USDA Forest Service, Yates Building, Leopold Conference Room (2SE01), 201 14th Street SW., Washington, DC.

Written comments may be submitted as described under SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION. All comments, including names and addresses, when provided, are placed in the record and available for public inspection and copying. The public may inspect comments received at the USDA Forest Service—Washington Office. Please call ahead at 202–205–1724 to facilitate entry into the building.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Tracy C. Hancock, Designated Federal Officer, USDA Forest Service, Office of the Deputy Chief for Research and Development by phone at 202–205–1724, or by email at tch Hancock@fs.fed.us.

Individuals who use telecommunication devices for the deaf (TDD) may call the Federal Information Relay Service (FIRS) at 1–800–877–8339 between 8:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m., Eastern Standard Time, Monday through Friday.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The purpose of the meeting is to:

1. Discuss current and emerging forestry and natural resource research issues;
2. Provide a presentation and discussion on budget outlooks and program priorities of the US Forest Service Research and Development, and USDA National Institute of Food and Agriculture, including the McIntire-Stennis Cooperative Forestry Research Program; and
3. Discuss anticipated matters that may include USDA engagement in natural resource-related STEM research and education, partnerships with other agencies, interdisciplinary research,
research in urban forestry, wood products development, and landscape-scale forest management.

The meeting is open to the public. The Council discussion is limited to the Forest Service, National Institute of Food and Agriculture staff and Council members; however, persons who wish to bring forestry research related matters to the attention of the Council may file written statements with the Designated Federal Officer (DFO) before or after the meeting.

Written comments must be sent to Tracy C. Hancock, Designated Federal Officer, Forestry Research Advisory Council, USDA Forest Service, Office of Research and Development, Knowledge Management & Communication Staff, 201 14th Street SW., Room–2 Central, Washington, DC 20250; by email to tchancock@fs.fed.us, or via facsimile to 202–410–1189 by October 5, 2016.

Meeting Accommodations: If you require sign language interpreting, assistive listening devices or other reasonable accommodation, please request this in advance of the meeting by contacting the person listed in the section titled FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT. All reasonable accommodations requests are managed on a case-by-case basis.

Dated: September 26, 2016.

Carlos Rodriguez-Franco,
Acting Deputy Chief, Research and Development.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
Performance Review Board Membership

AGENCY: Economics and Statistics Administration, Department of Commerce.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: In accordance with 5 U.S.C. 4314(c)(4), the Economics and Statistics Administration (ESA) announces the appointment of members who will serve on the ESA Performance Review Board (PRB). The purpose of the PRB is to provide fair and impartial review of senior executive service and scientific and professional performance appraisals, bonus recommendations, pay adjustments and Presidential Rank Award nominations. The term of each PRB member will expire on December 31, 2018.

DATES: Effective Date: The effective date of service of appointees to the ESA Performance Review Board is based upon publication of this notice.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The names and position titles of the members of the PRB are set forth below:

John M. Abowd, Associate Director for Research and Methodology, Census Bureau
Lisa M. Blumerman, Associate Director for Decennial Census Programs, Census Bureau
William G. Bostic, Jr., Senior Advisor to the Deputy Director, Census Bureau
Stephen B. Burke, Acting Deputy Under Secretary for Economic Affairs, ESA
Joanne Buenzli Crane, Chief Financial Officer, Census Bureau
Austin J. Durrer, Chief of Staff, ESA
Ron S. Jarmin, Associate Director for Economic Programs, Census Bureau
Enrique Lamas, Associate Director for Demographic Programs, Census Bureau
Brent R. Moulton, Associate Director for National Economics, Bureau of Economic Analysis (BEA)
Brian C. Moyer, Director, BEA
Timothy Olson, Associate Director for Field Operations, Census Bureau
Joel D. Platt, Associate Director for Regional Economics, BEA
Nancy A. Potok, Deputy Director, Census Bureau
Mary Saunders, Associate Director for Management Resources, National Institute of Standards and Technology
Angela Simpson, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Communications and Information, National Telecommunications and Information Administration
Jeanne L. Shiffer, Associate Director for Communications, Census Bureau
Erich Strassner, Associate Director for Industry Accounts, BEA
Sarabeha Thompson, Deputy Director, BEA

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Lataasha Ellis, Program Manager, Executive Resources Office, Human Resources Division, Census Bureau, 4600 Silver Hill Road, Washington, DC 20233, 301–763–3727.

Dated: October 4, 2016.

Stephen B. Burke,
Acting Deputy Under Secretary for Economic Affairs, Chair, ESA Performance Review Board.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
Economics and Statistics Administration

Commerce Data Advisory Council

AGENCY: Economic and Statistics Administration, Department of Commerce.

ACTION: Notice of Public Meeting.

SUMMARY: The Economic and Statistics Administration (ESA) is giving notice of the fifth meeting of the Commerce Data Advisory Council (CDAC). The CDAC will discuss Council recommendations, the institutionalization of the Commerce Data Service, as well as other Council matters. The CDAC will meet in a plenary session on Friday, October 28, 2016. Last-minute changes to the schedule are possible, which could prevent giving advance public notice of schedule adjustments.

DATES: October 28, 2016. On Friday, October 28th, the meeting will begin at approximately 9:00 a.m. and end at approximately 5:00 p.m. (ET).

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held in the Commerce Research Library, U.S. Department of Commerce, 1401 Constitution Ave. NW., Washington, DC 20230.

The meeting is open to the public. Members of the public are welcome to observe the business of the meeting in person or via webcast on the CDAC Web site linked to http://www.esa.gov. A public comment session is scheduled in the afternoon on Friday, October 28, 2016. The public is invited to make statements or ask questions in person. The public may also submit statements or questions via the CDAC Twitter handle: #CDACMTG, the CDAC email address, or: DataAdvisoryCouncil@doc.gov (subject line “OCTOBER 2016 CDAC Meeting Public Comment”), or by letter to the Director of External Communication and DFO, CDAC, Department of Commerce, Economics and Statistics Administration, 1401 Constitution Ave. NW., Washington, DC 20230. Submissions by letter will be included in the record for the meeting if received by Thursday, October 20, 2016.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: Photo identification is required for entry. If you plan to attend the meeting in person, you must complete registration online no later than Tuesday, October 25, 2016; http://www.eventbrite.com/o/economic-and-statistics-administration-department-of-commerce-8227114475. The meeting is physically accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for sign language interpretation or other auxiliary aids should be directed to the Director of External Communication as soon as possible, preferably two weeks prior to the meeting. Seating is available to the public on a first-come, first-served basis.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:
Burton Reist, BReist@doc.gov Director of External Communication and DFO,