

Title: Fertilizer Production Expansion Program.

OMB Control Number: 0570-0081.

Type of Request: New information collection.

Abstract: The Rural Business-Cooperative Service administers the Fertilizer Production Expansion Program (FPEP). The purpose of the program is to expand capacity, improve competition, and increase supply chain resilience within the agricultural fertilizer and nutrient management sector, in connection with the production of agricultural commodities. To meet its purpose, FPEP will support the production of agricultural commodities through the manufacturing and processing of fertilizer and nutrient alternatives that are:

- Independent and outside the dominant fertilizer suppliers—The goal is to increase domestic competition. Consequently, entities that hold a Market Share (in either production or distribution) that is greater than or equal to the entity that holds the fourth largest share of the market for nitrogen, phosphate, or potash, or any combination therefore, will not be considered for funding;

- Made in America—Produced within Tribal Lands or in the U.S. and its territories by entities operating within Tribal Lands or in the U.S. and its territories, creating good-paying jobs at home, and reducing the reliance on potentially unstable or inconsistent foreign supplies;

- Innovative—To improve upon fertilizer production methods and efficient-use technologies to jump start the next generation of fertilizers and nutrient alternatives;

- Sustainable—Reduces the greenhouse gas impact of transportation, production, and use through renewable energy sources, feedstocks, formulations, and incentivizing greater precision in fertilizer use; and

- Farmer-focused—Like other CCC investments, a driving factor will be making sure the additional domestic capacity supported by USDA is dedicated to U.S. agricultural commodity production.

The reporting burden covered by this collection of information consists of forms, documents and written burden to support a request for funding for an FPEP grant. This information collection will be used to obtain information necessary to evaluate grant applications to determine the eligibility of the applicant and the project for the program and to qualitatively assess the project's technical and financial merit to determine which projects should be funded.

Estimate of Burden: Public reporting burden for this collection of information is estimated to average 10.42 hours per response.

Respondents: Respondents for this data included but are not limited to Tribes, Tribal entities, for-profit entities, corporations, non-profit entities, producer-owned cooperatives and corporations, certified benefit corporations and state or local government entities.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 135.

Estimated Number of Responses per Respondent: 13.56.

Estimated Number of Responses: 1,831.

Estimated Total Annual Burden on Respondents: 19,082 hours.

Copies of this information collection can be obtained from Pamela Bennett, Rural Development Innovation Center, Regulations Management Division, at (202) 720-9639. All responses to this notice will be summarized and included in the request for OMB approval. All comments will also become a matter of public record.

Mark Brodziski,

Acting Administrator, Rural Business-Cooperative Service.

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COMMISSION ON CIVIL RIGHTS

Notice of Public Meeting of the Hawai'i Advisory Committee

AGENCY: U.S. Commission on Civil Rights.

ACTION: Announcement of meeting.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the provisions of the rules and regulations of the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights (Commission) and the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA) that a meeting of the Hawai'i Advisory Committee to the Commission will convene by ZoomGov on Monday, November 7, 2022, from 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. HST, to discuss and potentially vote on a project topic.

DATES: Monday, November 7, 2022, from 9:00 a.m.–10:30 a.m. HST.

Zoom Link: <https://tinyurl.com/yck26akb>.

Audio: (551) 285-1373; Meeting ID: 160 192 4110

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Kayla Fajota, Designated Federal Officer (DFO) at kfajota@usccr.gov or by phone at (434) 515-2395.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This meeting is available to the public

through the Zoom link above. Persons with hearing impairments may also follow the proceedings by first calling the Federal Relay Service at 1-800-877-8339 and providing the Service with the call-in number found through registering at the web link provided for this meeting.

Members of the public are entitled to make comments during the open period at the end of the meeting. Members of the public may also submit written comments; the comments must be received in the Regional Programs Unit within 30 days following the meeting. Written comments may be emailed to Kayla Fajota at kfajota@usccr.gov.

Records and documents discussed during the meeting will be available for public viewing prior to and after the meeting at <https://www.facadatabase.gov/FACA/FACAPublicViewCommitteeDetails?id=a10t000001gzl0AAA>.

Please click on "Committee Meetings" tab. Records generated from this meeting may also be inspected and reproduced at the Regional Programs Unit, as they become available, both before and after the meeting. Persons interested in the work of this Committee are directed to the Commission's website, <https://www.usccr.gov>, or may contact the Regional Programs Unit at the above phone number or email address.

Agenda

- I. Welcome and Roll Call
- II. Approval of August 23, 2022, Meeting Minutes
- III. Discussion and Potential Vote: Potential Project Topic
- IV. Next Steps
- V. Public Comment
- VI. Adjournment

Dated: October 4, 2022.

David Mussatt,

Supervisory Chief, Regional Programs Unit.

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COMMISSION ON CIVIL RIGHTS

Notice of Public Meetings of the Missouri Advisory Committee to the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights

AGENCY: U.S. Commission on Civil Rights.

ACTION: Announcement of meeting.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the provisions of the rules and regulations of the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights (Commission) and the Federal Advisory Committee Act that the Missouri Advisory Committee