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## DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

### Agricultural Marketing Service

[Doc. No. AMS-SC-24-0006]

#### Fruit and Vegetable Industry Advisory Committee: Notice of Intent To Renew Charter

**AGENCY:** Agricultural Marketing Service, USDA.

**ACTION:** Notice of intent to renew charter.

**SUMMARY:** Through this Notice, the Agricultural Marketing Service (AMS), U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA), is announcing its intent to renew the Charter of the Fruit and Vegetable Industry Advisory Committee (FVIAC), which expires May 23, 2024.

**DATES:** The current FVIAC Charter expires on May 23, 2024.

*Comments:* Interested persons are invited to submit comments on this notice. Comments will be accepted until 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time on May 1, 2024, via <https://www.regulations.gov>: Document # AMS-SC-24-0006. AMS, Specialty Crops Program strongly prefers comments be submitted electronically. However, written comments may be submitted (*i.e.*, postmarked) via mail to the person listed in the **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT** section by or before the abovementioned deadline.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Jennie Varela, Senior Marketing Specialist, AMS Specialty Crops Program—U.S. Department of Agriculture, 1124 1st Street South, Winter Haven, FL 33880. Jennie Varela serves as the Designated Federal Officer and can be reached by Telephone: (202) 658-8616 or by Email: [SCPFVIAC@usda.gov](mailto:SCPFVIAC@usda.gov). Mailing address: Jennie Varela, U.S. Department of Agriculture, AMS Specialty Crops Program—U.S. Department of Agriculture, 1124 1st Street South, Winter Haven, FL 33880,

Attn: Fruit and Vegetable Industry Advisory Committee.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Pursuant to the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA) (5 U.S.C. 10), notice is hereby given that the Secretary of Agriculture intends to reestablish the FVIAC for two years. The purpose of the FVIAC is to examine the full spectrum of issues faced by the fruit and vegetable industry and provide suggestions and ideas to the Secretary on how USDA can tailor its programs to better meet the fruit and vegetable industry's needs.

The Deputy Administrator of the AMS Specialty Crops Program serves as the FVIAC Executive Secretary. Representatives from USDA mission areas and agencies affecting the fruit and vegetable industry could be called upon to participate in the FVIAC's meetings as determined by the FVIAC Executive Secretary and the FVIAC. Industry members are appointed by the Secretary of Agriculture and serve 2-year terms, with a maximum of three 2-year terms. Up to 25 members shall represent: fruit and vegetable growers and/or shippers; fruit and vegetable wholesalers and/or receivers; brokers; retailers; fruit and vegetable processors and/or fresh-cut processors; foodservice suppliers; organic and/or non-organic farmers; farmers markets and community-supported agricultural organizations; state agriculture departments; and trade associations.

Equal opportunity practices in accordance with USDA's policies will be followed in all member appointments to the FVIAC. To ensure that the recommendations of the FVIAC have considered the needs of the diverse groups served by USDA, membership shall include, to the extent possible, individuals with demonstrated ability to represent the many communities, identities, races, ethnicities, backgrounds, abilities, cultures, and beliefs of the American people, including underserved communities.

The Charter for the FVIAC will be available on the website at: <https://www.ams.usda.gov/about-ams/facas-advisory-councils/fviac> or may be requested by contacting the person listed in the **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT** section of this notice.

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gender expression), sexual orientation, disability, age, marital status, family/parental status, political beliefs, income derived from a public assistance program, or reprisal or retaliation for prior civil rights activity in any program or activity conducted or funded by USDA (not all bases apply to all programs).

Dated: March 20, 2024.

**Cikena Reid,**

*Committee Management Officer.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

### Forest Service

#### Northwest Forest Plan Area Advisory Committee

**AGENCY:** Forest Service, Agriculture (USDA).

**ACTION:** Notice of meeting.

**SUMMARY:** The Northwest Forest Plan Advisory Committee will hold a public meeting according to the details shown below. The committee is authorized under the National Forest Management Act and operates in compliance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA). The purpose of the committee is to provide advice and pragmatic recommendations regarding potential regional scale land management planning approaches and solutions within the Northwest Forest Plan area within the context of the 2012 Planning Rule.

**DATES:** An in-person and virtual meeting will be held on April 16, 09:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Pacific Daylight Time (PDT), April 17, 2024, 11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. PDT, and April 18, 2024, 09:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. PDT.

*Written and Oral Comments:* Anyone wishing to provide in-person oral comments must pre-register by 11:59 p.m. PDT on April 5, 2024. Written public comments will be accepted through 11:59 p.m. PDT on April 5, 2024. Comments submitted after this date will be provided by the Forest Service to the committee, but the committee may not have adequate time to consider those comments prior to the meeting.

All committee meetings are subject to cancellation. For status of the meeting prior to attendance, please contact the

person listed under **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT**.

**ADDRESSES:** This meeting will be held in person, at the Redding Rancheria Trinity Health Center, 81 Arbuckle Ct., Weaverville, CA 96093. Committee information and meeting details can be found at the Northwest Forest Plan Federal Advisory Committee website at <https://www.fs.usda.gov/detail/r6/landmanagement/planning/?cid=fsprd1076013> or by contacting the person listed under **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT**.

**Written Comments:** Written comments must be sent by email to [sm.fs.nwfp\\_faca@usda.gov](mailto:sm.fs.nwfp_faca@usda.gov) or via mail (postmarked) to Katie Heard, USDA Forest Service, 1220 Southwest 3rd Avenue, Ste. G015, Portland, OR 97204. The Forest Service strongly prefers comments be submitted electronically.

**Oral Comments:** Persons or organizations wishing to make oral comments must pre-register by 11:59 p.m. PDT, April 5, 2024, and speakers can only register for one speaking slot. Requests to pre-register for oral comments must be sent by email to [sm.fs.nwfp\\_faca@usda.gov](mailto:sm.fs.nwfp_faca@usda.gov) or via mail (postmarked) to Katie Heard, USDA Forest Service, 1220 Southwest 3rd Avenue, Ste. G015, Portland, OR 97204.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Jacqueline Buchanan, Designated Federal Officer, by phone at 303–275–5452 or email at [Jacqueline.buchanan@usda.gov](mailto:Jacqueline.buchanan@usda.gov); or Katie Heard, FACA Coordinator, at [Kathryn.Heard@usda.gov](mailto:Kathryn.Heard@usda.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The purpose of the meeting is to:

1. Provide recommendations to the Forest Service for updates to the Northwest Forest Plan.

2. Schedule the next meeting.

The agenda will include time for individuals to make oral statements of three minutes or less. Individuals wishing to make an oral statement should make a request in writing at least three days prior to the meeting date to be scheduled on the agenda. Written comments may be submitted to the Forest Service up to 14 days after the meeting date listed under **DATES**.

Please contact the person listed under **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT**, by or before the deadline, for all questions related to the meeting. All comments, including names and addresses when provided, are placed in the record and are available for public inspection and copying. The public may inspect comments received upon request.

**Meeting Accommodations:** The meeting location is compliant with the Americans with Disabilities Act, and the

USDA provides reasonable accommodation to individuals with disabilities where appropriate. If you are a person requiring reasonable accommodation, please make requests in advance for sign language interpretation, assistive listening devices, or other reasonable accommodation to the person listed under the **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT** section or contact USDA's TARGET Center at (202) 720–2600 (voice and TTY) or USDA through the Federal Relay Service at (800) 877–8339. Additionally, program information may be made available in languages other than English.

USDA programs are prohibited from discriminating based on race, color, national origin, religion, sex, gender identity (including gender expression), sexual orientation, disability, age, marital status, family and parental status, income derived from a public assistance program, political beliefs, or reprisal or retaliation for prior civil rights activity, in any program or activity conducted or funded by USDA (not all bases apply to all programs). Remedies and complaint filing deadlines vary by program or incident.

Equal opportunity practices in accordance with USDA's 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 USDA, membership shall include to the extent possible, individuals with demonstrated ability to represent minorities, women, and persons with disabilities. USDA is an equal opportunity provider, employer, and lender.

Dated: March 19, 2024.

**Cikena Reid,**

*USDA Committee Management Officer.*

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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:** 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 (Committee) will hold a public briefing meeting on Thursday, April 4, 2024, at

2:30 p.m.–5:00 p.m. Central time. The purpose of the meeting is for the Committee to hear testimony regarding project in their state.

**DATES:** The meeting will take place on Thursday, April 4, 2024, at 2:30 p.m.–5:00 p.m. Central Time.

**Public Call Information:** Dial: (833) 435–1820, Webinar ID: 161 101 7824.

Registration Link (Audio/Visual): [https://www.zoomgov.com/webinar/register/WN\\_K436kL9hRSqtejO5E6u4hQ](https://www.zoomgov.com/webinar/register/WN_K436kL9hRSqtejO5E6u4hQ).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** David Barreras, DFO, at [dbarreras@usccr.gov](mailto:dbarreras@usccr.gov) or (202) 656–8937

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Members of the public may listen to this discussion through the above call in number. An open comment period will be provided to allow members of the public to make a statement as time allows. Callers can expect to incur regular charges for calls they initiate over wireless lines, according to their wireless plan. The Commission will not refund any incurred charges. Callers will incur no charge for calls they initiate over land-line connections to the toll-free telephone number. Individual who is deaf, deafblind and hard of hear hearing may also follow the proceedings by first calling the Federal Relay Service at 1–800–877–8339 and providing the Service with the conference call number and confirmation code.

Members of the public are entitled to submit written comments; the comments must be received in the regional office within 30 days following the meeting. Written comments may be mailed to the Regional Programs Unit, U.S. Commission on Civil Rights, 230 S. Dearborn, Suite 2120, Chicago, IL 60604. They may also be faxed to the Commission at (312) 353–8324, or emailed to Corrine Sanders at [csanders@usccr.gov](mailto:csanders@usccr.gov). Persons who desire additional information may contact the Regional Programs Unit at (312) 353–8311.

Records generated from this meeting may be inspected and reproduced at the Regional Programs Unit Office, as they become available, both before and after the meeting. Records of the meeting will be available via [www.facadatabase.gov](http://www.facadatabase.gov) under the Commission on Civil Rights, Mississippi Advisory Committee link. Persons interested in the work of this Committee are directed to the Commission's website, <http://www.usccr.gov>, or may contact the Regional Programs Unit at the above email or street address.