

subcontractors with the Agency, the names of employees are revealed and not kept confidential. Additionally, many employees and employers publicly post names and business contact information on the internet.

II. Does this action apply to me?

This action is directed to all current and future EPA contractors and prospective contractors who submit information to the Agency after the effective date of this class determination, and it applies to information submitted both before and after a contract is awarded. Class Determination 1–24 does not apply to contractor or prospective contractor-submitted information that was in the Agency’s possession prior to the effective date of this class determination. Additionally, by its express terms, Class Determination 1–24 does not apply to the following categories of contractor or prospective contractor submissions:

- For information submitted after this class determination’s effective date, any information where ten years have passed after submission.
- Any information more than ten years old when submitted to EPA, regardless of submittal date.
- Except as otherwise provided, information submitted to EPA by or on behalf of any person or entity that is not an EPA contractor or subcontractor.

Any contractor or prospective contractor-submitted information that falls outside of the scope of Class Determination 1–24 or to which Class Determination 1–24 does not apply will be handled in accordance with EPA’s CBI regulations at 40 CFR part 2, subpart B.

This **Federal Register** notice may be of relevance to current and future EPA contractors that submit information to the Agency in connection with their performance of a contract, or to future prospective contractors that submit proposals to Agency solicitations. If you have further questions regarding the applicability of this action to a party, please contact the person listed in the **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT** section.

III. How can I get copies of this document and other related information?

Electronic Access. You may access this **Federal Register** document electronically from the Government Printing Office under the “**Federal Register**” listings. You may also access the full text of Class Determination 1–24 on the EPA web page titled

“Guidance Documents Managed by the Office of General Counsel.”

Jennifer Clark,

Associate General Counsel.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL–12143–01–OMS]

Good Neighbor Environmental Board

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: Under the Federal Advisory Committee Act, the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) gives notice of a public meeting of the Good Neighbor Environmental Board (GNEB). The purpose of this meeting is for the Board to discuss and approve its first in the series of four comment letters that will comprise the GNEB 21st report.

DATES: September 4, 2024, from 9 a.m.–1 p.m. (MT) and September 5, 2024, from 9 a.m.–1 p.m. (MT).

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held at the U.S. EPA Region 6, El Paso Border Office, 511 E San Antonio Avenue, Suite 145, El Paso, Texas 79901.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Eugene Green at (202) 564–2432 or via email at green.eugene@epa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Board is an independent federal advisory committee chartered under the Federal Advisory Committee Act, 5 U.S.C. 10. Its mission is to advise the President and Congress of the United States on good neighbor practices along the U.S. border with Mexico. Its recommendations are focused on environmental infrastructure needs within the U.S. states contiguous to Mexico. A copy of the agenda will be posted at www.epa.gov/faca/gneb. The meeting will be held virtually and in-person in El Paso, Texas at the EPA Region 6, El Paso Border Office, 511 E San Antonio Avenue, Suite 145, El Paso, Texas 79901. The meeting is open to the public with limited seating available for in-person attendance and on a first come first serve basis. Members of the public wishing to participate or attend in-person must contact Eugene Green at green.eugene@epa.gov or 202–564–2432 by August 28, 2024, to register. Members of the public wishing to attend or participate virtually must contact Eugene Green with the information above by August 28, 2024, to receive a link to the meeting. The Federal

Protective Service requires 48-hour notification for guests entering federal government spaces, therefore, it is imperative that the timeframe noted is met prior to the meeting.

Requests to make oral comments or submit written public comments to the Board, should also be directed to Eugene Green at least five business days prior to the meeting (August 28, 2024). Requests for accessibility and/or accommodations for individuals with disabilities should be directed to Eugene Green at the phone number or email address listed below. To ensure adequate time for processing, please make requests for accommodations at least 10 business days (August 21, 2024) prior to the meeting.

Oscar Carrillo,

Program Analyst.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL OP–OFA–139]

Environmental Impact Statements; Notice of Availability

Responsible Agency: Office of Federal Activities, General Information 202–564–5632 or <https://www.epa.gov/nepa>. Weekly receipt of Environmental Impact Statements (EIS)

Filed August 5, 2024 10 a.m. EST
Through August 12, 2024 10 a.m. EST

Pursuant to 40 CFR 1506.9.

Notice

Section 309(a) of the Clean Air Act requires that EPA make public its comments on EISs issued by other Federal agencies. EPA’s comment letters on EISs are available at: <https://cdxapps.epa.gov/cdx-enepa-II/public/action/eis/search>.

EIS No. 20240147, Final, USFS, NE, Nebraska National Forests and Grasslands Undesirable Plant Management, Review Period Ends: 09/23/2024, Contact: Melissa Martin 307–399–7346.

EIS No. 20240148, Draft, APHIS, PRO, Outbreak Response Activities for Highly Pathogenic Avian Influenza Outbreaks in Poultry in the United States and U.S. Territories, Comment Period Ends: 09/30/2024, Contact: Chelsea Bare 515–337–6128.

Amended Notice:

EIS No. 20170151, Draft, USFS, MN, WITHDRAWN—School Trust Land

Exchange, Contact: Peter Taylor
218-626-4368.

Revision to FR Notice Published 08/11/2017; Officially Withdrawn per request of the submitting agency.

EIS No. 20240114, Draft, USACE, MS, Yazoo Backwater Area Water Management Project, Comment Period Ends: 08/27/2024, Contact: Mike Renacker 601-631-5842. Revision to FR Notice Published 06/28/2024; Extending the Comment Period from 08/12/2024 to 08/27/2024.

Dated: August 13, 2024.

Timothy Witman,

Acting Director, NEPA Compliance Division, Office of Federal Activities.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[EPA-HQ-ORD-2015-0765; FRL-12151-01-ORD]

Request for Nominations of Experts to the Office of Research and Development's Board of Scientific Counselors Advisory Committee

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) is seeking nominations for technical experts to serve on its Board of Scientific Counselors (BOSC), a Federal advisory committee to the Office of Research and Development (ORD). Submission of nominations should be made via the BOSC website at: <https://www.epa.gov/bosc>.

DATES: Nominations should be submitted by September 6, 2024.

ADDRESSES: Please submit nominations by completing the nomination form provided on the BOSC website at <https://www.epa.gov/bosc>.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Any member of the public needing additional information regarding this Notice and Request for Nominations may contact Mr. Tom Tracy, Office of Science Advisor, Policy and Engagement, Office of Research and Development, Mail Code B343-01, 109 T.W. Alexander Drive, Research Triangle Park, NC 27711; via phone/voice mail at: (919) 541-4334; or via email at: tracy.tom@epa.gov. General information concerning the BOSC can be found at the following website: <https://www.epa.gov/bosc>.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

The BOSC is a chartered Federal Advisory Committee established by the EPA to provide independent scientific and technical peer review, advice, consultation, and recommendations on ORD's research programs. As a Federal Advisory Committee, the BOSC conducts business in accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA) (5 U.S.C. app. 10) and related regulations.

The BOSC is comprised of an Executive Committee and one or more supporting subcommittee(s). Current subcommittees are: Social and Community Science, and Climate Change. All the work of BOSC subcommittees and ad-hoc panels is conducted under the auspices of the chartered BOSC Executive Committee. The BOSC Executive Committee members review all BOSC subcommittee and ad-hoc panel draft reports and determine whether each meets the BOSC's criteria and high-quality standards required to deliver them to the EPA Administrator. General information concerning the BOSC, including its charter, current membership, and activities can be found on the EPA website at: <https://www.epa.gov/bosc>.

BOSC Membership

Members of the BOSC constitute a distinguished body of non-EPA scientists, engineers, and economists who are experts in their respective fields. EPA will consider nominees from industry, business, public and private research institutes or organizations, academia, government (Federal, State, local, and Tribal) and non-government organizations, and other relevant interest areas. Members are appointed by the EPA Administrator to serve as special government employees and provide independent expert advice to the agency, for a maximum of six years of service. EPA compensates special government employees for their time and provides reimbursement for travel and other incidental expenses associated with official government business related to the BOSC meetings, as allowed.

Members of the BOSC are subject to the provisions of 5 CFR part 2634, Executive Branch Financial Disclosure, as supplemented by the EPA in 5 CFR part 6401. In anticipation of this requirement, each nominee will be asked to submit confidential financial information that fully discloses, among other financial interests, the candidate's employment, stocks and bonds, and

where applicable, sources of research support. The information provided is strictly confidential and will not be disclosed to the public. Before a candidate is considered further for service on the BOSC, EPA will evaluate each candidate to assess whether there is any conflict of financial interest, appearance of a lack of impartiality, or prior involvement with matters likely to be reviewed by the Board.

Expertise Sought

The chartered BOSC provides scientific advice to the EPA Administrator on a variety of EPA science and research topics. EPA invites nominations of individuals to serve on the chartered BOSC with expertise or extensive experience in the following scientific disciplines and topic areas as they relate to human health and the environment:

Agronomy, Soil Science
Air Quality
Atmospheric Sciences
Biology and Microbiology
Chemistry (including Environmental)
Climate Science and Change
Community Engagement
Contaminated Site Remediation
Disaster Science
Ecology
Ecosystem Services
Emergency Management
Energy and the Environment
Environmental Economics
Environmental Engineering
Environmental Justice
Environmental Life Cycle Assessment
Environmental Modeling
Epidemiology
Exposure Science and Assessment
Forestry and Natural Resource Management
Information and Data Science
Materials/Waste Management
New Approach Methods
Novel Analytical Methods
Participatory Science (including Community and Citizen Science)
Physiologically Based Pharmacokinetic (PBPK) Modeling
Public Health
Research Program Evaluation
Risk Assessment (including Human Health, Ecological, Environmental)
Science Policy/Public Policy
Social, Behavioral and Decision Sciences
Sustainability
Systems Science
Toxicology
Water Quality (including drinking water, surface water, groundwater)
Water Quantity and Reuse
Watershed Management

Submission of Nominations

To nominate a candidate for consideration or self-nominate, please visit the BOSC website at <https://www.epa.gov/bosc> to access and complete the nomination form. Nominations should be submitted no