

XII. Misrepresentation, Scheme or Device

A person shall be ineligible to receive assistance under this program, and be subject to such other remedies as may be allowed by law, if, with respect to such program, it is determined by the FSA State or county committee, or an official of FSA, that such person has:

(a) Adopted any scheme or other device that tends to defeat the purpose of the program operated under this notice;

(b) Made any fraudulent representation with respect to this program; or

(c) Misrepresented any fact affecting a program determination.

XIII. Liens and Claims of Creditors

Any benefit or portion thereof due any person under this program shall be allowed without regard to questions of title under State law, and without regard to any claim or lien in favor of any person, except agencies of the U.S. Government.

XIV. Power of Attorney

In those instances in which, before the issuance of this notice, a producer has signed a power of attorney on an approved FSA-211 for a person or entity indicating that such power shall extend to all programs listed on the form, without limitation, such power will be considered to extend to this program unless by April 1, 2003, the person granting the power notified the local FSA office for the control county that the grantee of the power is not authorized to handle transactions for this program for the grantor.

XV. Administration

Where circumstances preclude compliance due to circumstances beyond the applicant's control, the county or State committee may request that relief be granted by the Deputy Administrator under this notice. In such cases, except for statutory deadlines and other statutory requirements, the Deputy Administrator may, in order to more equitably accomplish the goals of this notice, waive or modify deadlines and other program requirements if the failure to meet such deadlines or other requirements does not adversely affect operation of the program and are not prohibited by statute. The 2003 Act funds allocated to CCC to provide assistance under LCP-II have been estimated not to exceed \$350 million.

Signed at Washington, DC, on April 23, 2003.

James R. Little,

Executive Vice President, Commodity Credit Corporation.

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Forest Service

Notice of Southwest Idaho Resource Advisory Committee Meeting

AGENCY: USDA, Forest Service.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to the authorities in the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463) and under the Secure Rural Schools and Community Self-Determination Act of 2000 (Pub. L. 106-393), the Boise and Payette National Forests' Southwest Idaho Resource Advisory Committee will meet for a business meeting.

DATES: Thursday, May 22, 2003, beginning at 10:30 a.m.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held at the Emmett City Hall, 501 East Main Street, Emmett, Idaho.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Randy Swick, Designated Federal Officer, at (208) 634-0401 or electronically at rswick@fs.fed.us.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Agenda topics include review and approval of project proposals, and an open public forum. The meeting is open to the public.

Dated: April 29, 2003.

Mark J. Madrid,

Forest Supervisor, Payette National Forest.

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Forest Service

South Mt. Baker-Snoqualmie Resource Advisory Committee (RAC)

AGENCY: Forest Service, USDA.

ACTION: Notice of meetings.

SUMMARY: The South Mt. Baker-Snoqualmie Resource Advisory Committee (RAC) will meet Friday, May 23, 2003, at the Community Center at Mercer View, Room A-4, 8236 Southeast 24th Street, Mercer Island, WA 98040.

The meeting is scheduled from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m. The agenda for the meeting will focus on review and

recommendation of field projects to be completed in 2004.

All South Mt. Baker-Snoqualmie Resource Advisory Committee meetings are open to the public. Interested citizens are encouraged to attend.

The South Mt. Baker-Snoqualmie Resource Advisory Committee advises King and Pierce Counties on projects, reviews project proposals, and makes recommendations to the Forest Supervisor for projects to be funded by title II dollars. The South Mt. Baker-Snoqualmie Resource Advisory Committee was established to carry out the requirements of the Secure Rural Schools and Community Self-Determination Act of 2000.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Direct questions regarding this meeting to Penny Sundblad, Management Specialist, USDA Forest Service, Mt. Baker-Snoqualmie National Forest, 810 State Route 20, Sedro Woolley, Washington 98284 (360-856-5700, Extension 321).

Dated: April 29, 2003.

John Phipps,

Designated Federal Official.

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Natural Resources Conservation Service

Task Force on Agricultural Air Quality

AGENCY: Natural Resources Conservation Service, USDA.

ACTION: Notice of appointment of members and of meeting.

SUMMARY: The Secretary of Agriculture has appointed new members to the Task Force on Agricultural Air Quality. Please see the list at the end of this notice. In addition, the Task Force on Agricultural Air Quality will meet to continue discussions on critical air quality issues in relation to agriculture. Special emphasis will be placed on obtaining a greater understanding about the relationship between agricultural production and air quality. The meeting is open to the public.

DATES: The meeting will convene Tuesday, May 20, 2003, at 9 a.m., and continue until 4 p.m. and will resume Wednesday, May 21, 2003, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Individuals with written material and those who have requests to make oral presentations should contact the Natural Resources Conservation Service, at the address below, on or before May 7, 2003.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held at the Hall of the States Building in Room 333, 444 North Capitol Street, Washington, DC 20001, telephone (202) 624-8570. Written material and requests to make oral presentations should be sent to Beth Sauerhaft, USDA-NRCS, Post Office Box 2890, Room 6158, Washington, DC 20013.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Questions or comments should be directed to Beth Sauerhaft, Designated Federal Official; telephone: (202) 720-8578; fax: (202) 720-2646; e-mail: Beth.Sauerhaft@usda.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Notice of this meeting is given under the Federal Advisory Committee Act, 5 U.S.C. App. 2. Additional information about the Task Force on Agricultural Air Quality, including any revised agendas for the May 20 and 21, 2003, meeting that occur after this **Federal Register** Notice is published, may be found on the World Wide Web at <http://fargo.nserl.purdue.edu/faca>.

2003-2004 Task Force on Agricultural Air Quality—Members

Alabama

Tommy L. Coleman, Alabama A&M University

Arizona

Kevin G. Rogers, Producer

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Mark P. Boese, San Joaquin Valley Unified Air Pollution Control District
Manuel F. Cunha, Jr., Nisei Farmers League
Robert G. Flocchini, University of California-Davis
Roger Isom, California Cotton Ginners & Growers

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Stephanie A. Whalen, Hawaii Agricultural Research Center

Idaho

Dave Roper, Producer
Dar Olberding, Idaho Grain Producers

Illinois

James K. Trotter, Producer

Indiana

Robert N. Jackman, Veterinarian, State Senator
Rita Sharma, Producer

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Douglas Shelmidine, Producer

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Joseph Rudek, Environmental Defense
Sally L. Shaver, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency

Oklahoma

Annette H. Sharp, Oklahoma Department of Environmental Quality

Texas

Robert V. Avant, Jr., Texas Food and Fibers Commission
Calvin B. Parnell, Jr., Texas A&M University
John M. Sweeten, Jr., Texas A&M University

Utah

Nan Wankier Bunker, Producer

West Virginia

Timothy Wade Maupin, Cargill Turkey Products

Draft Agenda of the May 20 and 21, 2003, Meeting

- A. Welcome to Washington, DC
 1. USDA and NRCS Officials
- B. Discussion of Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA) Rules
- C. USDA Update
 - NRCS
 - ARS
 - CSREES
 - FS
- D. EPA Update
 - National Academy of Sciences Scientific Assessment
 - Status of the Voluntary Compliance Policy
 - Other Issues
- E. New Topics
 - Clean Air Advisory Committee Update
 - Discussion of Goals for Task Force During This Charter
 - External Speaker—to be decided upon
- F. Next Meeting, Time/Place
- G. Public Input (Time will be reserved before lunch and at the close of each daily session to receive public comment. Individual presentations will be limited to 5 minutes).

Procedural

This meeting is open to the public. At the discretion of the Chair, members of the public may give oral presentations during the meeting. Persons wishing to make oral presentations should notify Beth Sauerhaft no later than May 7, 2003. If a person submitting material would like a copy distributed to each

member of the committee in advance of the meeting, that person should submit 25 copies to Beth Sauerhaft no later than May 7, 2003.

Information on Services for Individuals With Disabilities

For information on facilities or services for individuals with disabilities or to request special assistance at the meeting, contact Beth Sauerhaft.

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Signed in Washington, DC, on April 25, 2003.

Bruce I. Knight,

Chief, Natural Resources Conservation Service.

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Natural Resources Conservation Service

Little Otter Creek Watershed, Caldwell County, MO

AGENCY: Natural Resources Conservation Service, USDA.

ACTION: Notice of availability of record of decision.

SUMMARY: Roger A. Hansen, responsible federal official for projects administered under the provisions of Public Law 83-566, 16 U.S.C. 1001-1008, in the State of Missouri, is hereby providing notification that a record of decision to proceed with the installation of the Little Otter Creek Watershed project is available. Single copies of this record of decision may be obtained from Roger A. Hansen at the address shown below.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Roger A. Hansen, State Conservationist, Natural Resources Conservation Service, Parkade Center, Suite 250, 601 Business Loop 70 West, Columbia, Missouri 65203, (573) 876-0901.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The project purposes are to provide