

# SECTION I: Public Access to Advisory Committee Data

## What is the FACA Database?

The FACA database is a specialized, Federal Government, interagency, information-sharing database available publicly on the web. The **Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA)** originally required that specific data items about advisory committees be collected by the President annually and transmitted to Congress for review. This data collection and summarization was done after the end of the calendar year in the seventies. When the government changed to a Fiscal Year starting in October rather than in July, the data collection was done in the fall, after the end of the FY. This data collection, collation, summarization, and publication continued, with minor changes in data items, content, and presentation, for 26 years from 1972 through 1998. The process would begin each year with the more than 1000 committees throughout the government submitting paper reports on approved forms and in a common format to their agencies. Some of the reports were hundreds of pages long due to the number of members and the numbers of meetings. The agencies duplicated the reports (8 copies per committee), summarized the numeric data (member counts, meeting counts, costs breakdowns, etc.) by their agencies, and sent the sets of duplicates and summaries to the Committee Management Secretariat. The Secretariat, with a small staff of usually less than 6 employees, spent most of a year combining the committee reports, arranged by agency, into multiple loose-leaf bound sets for shipment to the Library of Congress and for internal reference. The Secretariat summarized and analyzed the numeric data by agency, submitting that analysis as a printed report annually to Congress over the President's signature.

In 1997 this web-based database began to be used by all the government agencies that have advisory committees to collect and report that same data. In 1998, this online system was demonstrated to Congress (at a Government Oversight Committee Hearing). In 1999, Congress implemented the "Report Reduction Act" which had determined that "the printed and transmitted hard-copy annual report" was no longer required. However, the data has continued to be collected to facilitate compliance with the Annual Comprehensive Review (ACR) requirement of FACA. With this online, publicly accessible, continuously updated, data-collection and management system, the Congress, the President, federal agencies, the Committee Management Secretariat, and the public have complete access to the Federal Advisory Committee data in the system via the Internet in a read-only mode, in real time. However, the reality of the reporting cycle intrudes in that the data for any current year can only be considered complete and accurate after it is verified and certified by the agencies at the conclusion of the fiscal year.

The Federal Advisory Committee Act continues to require that the agencies, through their Committee Management Officers (CMOs), provide information about the agency's advisory committees for the annual comprehensive review. This web-based database accommodates and builds upon that requirement by both allowing the continual updating of committee information throughout the reporting year and providing some ongoing committee-management functionality. Each advisory committee's Designated Federal Official (DFO) primarily uses the system to update the information on their advisory committee during the current fiscal year. Doing so allows them to both 1) manage the committee information flow within the agency as frequently as required, as well as to 2) report the data required by law. The DFO is given their access rights to this online system, their logon (username) and their initial password, by their agency CMO. The CMO is given their access rights by the Committee Management Secretariat. The DFOs and CMOs, like any other public users, can view all of the information on all of the committees of all the agencies of the federal government available for the current fiscal year in a read-only mode. At the same time, only the DFO, or their designee, the agency CMO, or their designee, or a Committee Management Secretariat (CMS) staff member can edit or update their specific committee data for the current year.

When the FACA community began keeping the data continuously up-to-date, we converted the system and the process of record keeping from a focus on history and reporting, to a focus on management and immediate relevancy. With frequent and timely updates, the system became more useful to everyone. Everyone, in this extraction, ranged from the public user interested in a specific issue, to the agency official wanting an overview of specific committee activity, to the agency manager who wanted a broader view of

committee activity across the agency, to researchers at the Library of Congress, and finally to congressional or executive branch staff with oversight responsibility.

## What kind of data has been collected?

For the DFO, the program collects and displays

- Charters and related information,
- Members and their appointment information,
- Costs,
- The agency's recommendation for continuation or termination of the committee,
- The number of the committee's recommendations to the agency and the action taken on the recommendations,
- Report titles, publication dates, and the text of the report,
- Meeting purposes, dates, location, whether the meetings were open or closed, and the minutes or transcript,
- Activity and justification (raison d'être) information,
- DFO appointment and contact information,
- Committee Decision Maker contact information,
- Web site addresses for the committee or accessing committee information like the minutes, reports, and recommendations, and
- Committee interest or issue areas.

This information exists for each committee and is aggregated by the agency as well as by the whole government, by year. The database does not consistently contain meeting announcements, although proposed future meetings can be listed. Some of the agencies and committees upload their meeting minutes and/or reports to this system. Some of the committees also put their meeting minutes, transcripts, meeting content information, reports, and recommendations to the agency on their committee web site or the agency web site. While the law and associated regulation requires that the minutes and reports be maintained in a central and accessible location, during and beyond the active life of the committee, they do not require that the minutes and reports be uploaded to this system.

For the CMO, the program collects, totals, accesses, and/or displays all the information available to the DFO mentioned above. Specifically for the CMO the program also collects, totals, accesses, and displays information that includes

- A current year list of agency advisory committees and the committees' update status,
- An agency totals report of the distribution among committees of establishment authorities and committee functions, and the total meetings, reports, costs, and members,
- A listing of committee DFOs with their contact information,
- A complete set of the current annual comprehensive reviews for all the committees in the agency,
- The ability to add and manage agency users of the agency's committees' editable and reportable data,
- The ability to add a new committee to the FACA committee list online,
- A current status overview to quickly put the CMO in touch with the activity level of their committees as recorded in the online system and a growing set of heads-up/potential problem comparisons about and between agency committees,
- The available discretionary ceiling pertinent to the agency for new committees,
- The ability to create and manage sub-groups of committees within the agency, and
- E-mail listings for individuals in agency groups responsible for advisory committee activity.

In addition, when viewing an individual committee, the program allows the CMO to establish, renew, re-establish, amend, or terminate a committee, and upload a copy of the charter to the system (with the **Consultation** link). Public users do not see the **Consultation** link when viewing a Committee Menu page, since that process is essentially an internal government function. Users see the data and functions relevant to their role's requirements. Most of the meetings and work of federal advisory committees are considered public information, and all the data stored in the system except for committee members e-mail addresses is available for downloading and viewing. At the same time, the system provides management functionality

to the committee managers and the Committee Management Secretariat, so some internal, narrowly focused, government-function parts of the system are not viewable by all users.

## How does one use the system?

FACA stated that each agency shall establish uniform administrative guidelines and management controls for advisory committees created by that agency, and that each agency shall maintain systematic information on the nature, functions, and operations of each advisory committee within its jurisdiction. The law's language directs that the head of each agency that has an advisory committee shall designate an Advisory Committee Management Officer (CMO) who shall –

- Exercise control and supervision over the establishment, procedures, and accomplishments of advisory committees established by that agency;
- Assemble and maintain the reports, records, and other papers of any such committee during its existence; and
- Carry out, on behalf of that agency, the provisions of section 552 of title 5, United States Code, with respect to such reports, records, and other papers.

The law also states that

- There shall be designated an officer or employee of the Federal Government to chair or attend each meeting of each advisory committee. The officer or employee so designated is authorized, whenever he determines it to be in the public interest, to adjourn any such meeting. No advisory committee shall conduct any meeting in the absence of that officer or employee.
- Advisory committees shall not hold any meetings except at the call of, or with the advance approval of, a designated officer or employee of the Federal Government, and in the case of advisory committees (other than Presidential advisory committees), with an agenda approved by such officer or employee.

The FACA database system is designed to support the above requirements by capturing relevant information when the committee is created online by the CMO, and to carry that information forward as it is edited and updated by the DFO or her designee from year to year until the information is no longer required. When a committee is first established and chartered by an agency, the information on the committee is generally entered by the CMO or his designee and should address most of the committee's general information, membership information, and estimated cost information requirements under the law. Normally, when the CMO adds a committee to the system, the DFO is already officially appointed, and involved in the committee's mission and charter. The process is ordinarily expected to proceed as follows:

- The President, Congress, or a federal official in an agency decides that advice on an issue is needed and an advisory committee is the appropriate vehicle for getting that advice,
- In the case of the President, he or she executes an executive order.
- In the case of the Congress, the congress passes a law that includes language assigning the responsibility for the committee to an agency.
- In the case of an agency, the agency, given it has the means and latitude; simply starts the process of developing a charter.
- The agency uses the administrative guidelines and management controls it established under the law to develop the charter, secure members, appoint a CMO for the agency, appoint the DFO for the committee being established, and delegate or assign the other responsibilities established under the law.
- The CMO confers with the Committee Management Secretariat (CMS) regarding the new committee, ensures that a DFO has been appointed, creates the new committee online using the system, files the charter with the appropriate congressional oversight committees and the Library of Congress, and provides the appointed DFO and his designees with logons to the system.

When notified that she has been given a logon, the DFO logs onto the system and

- Edits all of the information entered by the CMO for completeness and accuracy. Most DFOs confer with the agency CMO before changing data entered by another user, but any user given edit rights by a CMO to a committee's data can make the changes they deem necessary. Two users can even be changing data in the same committee at the same time. The last data saved wins.
- Adds meetings and reports as they are scheduled or occur,
- Adds or deletes members as they are appointed or replaced,

- Adds or updates costs as they occur,
- Adds, updates, changes, or clarifies the justifications, activities, and committee recommendations to the agency if the situation warrants,
- Adds or updates the web addresses if a web site is created for the committee or committee information is available at other web sites,
- Adds or updates the committee performance measures,
- Adds or updates their own contact information as it changes, and,
- At the end of the fiscal year, the DFO, in consultation with the CMO, recommends the continuance or termination of the committee, and
- Verifies the accuracy and completeness of the committee data for the closing year.

At the beginning of each fiscal year, the system carries all of the data entered for the previous year forward for the new fiscal year, except for meetings and reports. Terminated committees are dropped from the agency list in the fiscal year following their termination, but their history and information will continue to be accessible and displayed under the Public Access link.

The Public Access part of the system is a useful tool to the DFO and CMO as well as to the public, especially in areas related to their management concerns. Using the **Search** feature, the DFO can discover what other committees exist with issues and concerns similar to their committee's own charter. With that committee information, the user can **Drill Down** to the specific committees and determine if the system has information useful to them, or they can identify the appropriate people to contact for further investigation. In the Public Access part of the system the user drills down from the general **Year** to the **Agency** to the specific **Committee** to view the desired information. At any time the user can **Search** the entire collection for any word or phrase. Like the public user, the government user can

- Perform a **Database Search** using criteria to limit the data displayed,
- Perform a **Member Search** using criteria to limit the members displayed,
- Download selected data to a spreadsheet from the **Download Center**,
- Check the **Annual Comprehensive Reviews** from previous years,
- Examine the printed annual reports submitted by the president since 1972, and
- Search out legal nuances relevant to their committee concerns via the FACA Case Digest.

## Finding and Using the System

The opening screen for the **FACA Database** lets users know that they have found the data repository and lists their options. The most direct address for the system is [www.facadatabase.gov](http://www.facadatabase.gov). The FACADatabase is part of a family of shared-interagency-databases located at <http://www.fido.gov>. Hyperlinks and buttons control navigation throughout the system. The **hyperlinks** that are visible change depending upon the purpose of the page and the requirements (or access rights) of the user. The hyperlinks are located in the top border area. Users should move from page to page with the links in the program as much as possible and avoid use of the browser buttons (like the “**arrows**” to go back or forward) unless specifically instructed to do so on the web page they are viewing.

FACA Database at FIDO.GOV Federal Advisory Committees Database

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[Committee Management Secretariat Website](#)

[The Annual Report of the President on Federal Advisory Committees - 1972-1998](#)

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We emphasize the avoidance of the browser buttons because the **FACA Database** is an online application. A database and online application operates differently on the Internet than purely informational Internet pages. Browser buttons are designed to take the user backwards and forwards to pages of static, unchanged, and perhaps unrelated content. The pages of a database system change in content with every selection and filter, but have a distinct, “keyed” relationship with the preceding and following pages as the user drills down or moves back up through the data. The user is involved in an online work session viewing specific content in a specific context. If the user navigates around using the browser menu, it is possible for the database application to lose track of who the user is and what committee the user is examining. It doesn’t usually happen and the technology is continuously improving to prevent this conundrum, but a word to the wise.

The ten hyperlinks on the opening screen navigate to

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[Up](#),  
[Logon](#),  
[Search](#),  
[Help](#),  
[Public Access](#),  
[Score 300](#),

the [Committee Management Secretariat website on the GSA Portal](#),  
[The Annual Report of the President on Federal Advisory Committees – 1972-1998](#) list, and  
the [Case Digest Search](#) online database.

As you probably have noticed, the cursor becomes a hand as the mouse moves over the hyperlink so the user can tell which link is being selected.

**Up** moves the user up (or back) to the Federal Interagency Databases Online (FIDO) page.

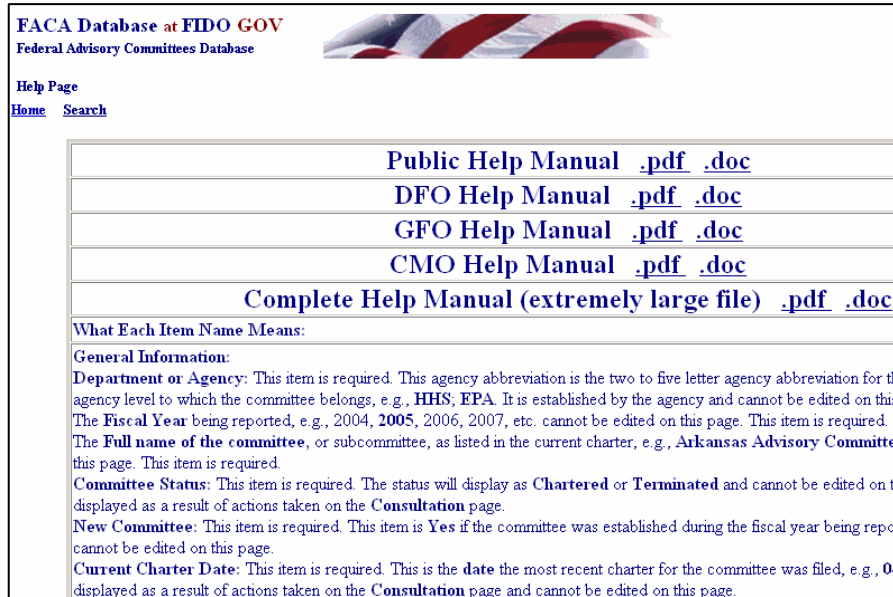
**Logon** allows users who are responsible for the committee data and who have editing rights to log on to the current year and view and update the management data. Users with DFO rights can edit and update their individual committees, users with CMO rights can edit and update all of their agency’s committees, and the Committee Management Secretariat’s staff can edit and update all the agencies’ data.

**Search** allows the user to Search six different ways: **Search for Committee by Name or Number** requires the committee number or part of a name; **Search for Committee by Interest Area** requires a topic; **Search in Documents** check for phrases in uploaded documents; **Case Digest Search** searches FACA Case Law; or use the **USA.Gov Search Engine**. Each search option provides a different access into the system and the committee data, so experiment with the possibilities to determine which access method fits your work style.



The screenshot shows the 'FACA Database at FIDO GOV' website. The page title is 'FACA Search' and the subtitle is 'Federal Advisory Committees Database'. There is a navigation menu with links: Home, Up, Logon, Search, Help, Public Access, Score 300, and FY2007. Below the navigation menu, there are three main search sections: 1. 'Search for Committee by Name or Number' with a text input field and a 'Search by Name or Number' button. 2. 'Search for Committee by Interest Area' with a dropdown menu and a 'Search by Interest Area' button. 3. 'Search in Documents' with a text input field, a 'Search Documents' button, and a 'Search Documents Help' link. There is also a 'Case Digest Search' link and a 'Search USA.Gov' button. At the bottom, there is a footer with the text: 'Visitor 380913 This site is brought to you by GSA and DataCall Systems Support Team GSA'.

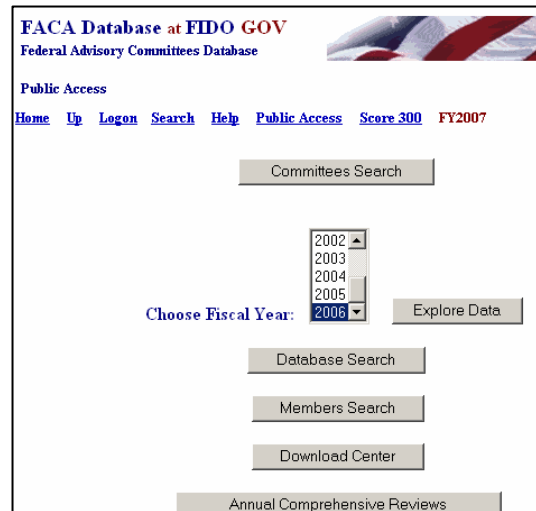
**Help** explains the syntax, terms, and meaning of items of information that were collected in the database to enable the ACR. **Help** also displays manuals that explain the system's functionality for the different types of users. Each user sees a slightly different system customized for their work and use. The manuals can be viewed on the screen or printed. The manuals were created in Microsoft



Word and saved as Word or Adobe pdf documents. The Adobe files are smaller and generally load and print faster. The on-line manuals explain the functionality of the system.



**Public Access** takes the user to the public part of the system. The Public Access page includes **Committees Search**, which repeats the search features described above, as well as lists the **Fiscal Years** of data in the



system. The page produces reports via the **Database Search**, the **Members Search**, the **Download Center**, and the **Annual Comprehensive Reviews** available online. The ACR summaries have been posted online since 1999. All the data in the **Public Access** section is read-only. While data added to the system by the users is available for viewing in real time, any one reviewing the data for the current Fiscal Year should consider the data to be in draft status and essentially incomplete. Any committee being researched has probably been updated throughout the year as events take place, however the frequency and thoroughness of the updates is determined by the individual DFO and the demands upon his or her time. At the end of the fiscal year, however, each DFO and the agency's CMO are required to verify the accuracy and completeness of each committee's data. The caution is that information on a committee should not be deemed official and complete until that committee's data has been verified by the agency CMO for that fiscal year. The **Help** link provides a complete manual for the use of the **Public Access** section.

The "**Score 300**" link displays an agency ranking in terms of usage and completeness of the data for the current fiscal year to date. The score also reflects the last agency update. It is a quick way to survey the completeness and accuracy of the data. The viewer can tell from the color and the number of committees updated just how much data entry/updating activity has occurred. CMOs could think of it as friendly competition while other users can tell the status of the completeness of the current data. The user returns from the **Score 300** page by using the browser menu's **BACK Button**. In all



cases, like the page below, where the **Up** link is not visible, the browser **Back Button** or **Back menu option** can be used to return the previous page.

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Federal Advisory Committees Database

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Score 300 (Updated + DFO Verified + CMO Verified + CMO Rolled Over = 300) Not related to Exhibit 300

Scoring Legend: 0 1-299 300

Agency	Committees	Updated	Verified By CMO	Verified By GFO	Verified By DFO	CMO Roll Over	Last Updated	Total Score
ADF-African Development Foundation	1	0	0	0	0			0
AID-Agency for International Development	2	2	0	0	0		9/21/2006 8:29:43 AM	75
AMC-Antitrust Modernization Commission	1	1	1	1	1		7/31/2006 2:18:24 PM	225
ATTCB-Architectural and Transportation Barriers Compliance Board	3	1	0	0	0		9/19/2006 1:48:23 PM	25
BBO-Broadcasting Board of Governors	1	0	0	0	0			0
CCR-Commission on Civil Rights	51	26	0	0	0		10/2/2006 10:55:23 AM	38
CFTC-Commodity Futures Trading Commission	3	1	0	0	0		2/7/2006 11:04:47 AM	25
CNCS-Corporation for National and Community Service	2	1	0	0	0		8/31/2006 9:46:26 AM	37
DHS-Department of Homeland Security	27	24	2	4	2		10/2/2006 4:03:36 PM	93
DOC-Department of Commerce	60	46	0	3	5		10/2/2006 1:13:17 PM	63
DOD-Department of Defense	53	53	11	14	16		10/2/2006 3:46:39 PM	112
DOE-Department of Energy	24	16	0	0	2		10/2/2006 3:29:05 PM	56
DOI-Department of the Interior	106	106	0	32	49		10/2/2006 3:59:53 PM	109
DOJ-Department of Justice	6	2	0	0	0		6/1/2006 1:51:51 PM	25
DOL-Department of Labor	15	10	0	0	1		9/27/2006 11:15:38 AM	55
DOS-Department of State	20	7	0	0	1		10/2/2006 11:02:04 AM	29
DOT-Department of Transportation	23	9	5	5	5		9/6/2006 12:53:08 PM	61
EAC-Election Assistance Commission	3	0	0	0	0			0

The **Committee Management Secretariat Website** links the user to the Committee Management Secretariat's organizational page on the **GSA Portal**. The direct address or URL for the Committee Management Secretariat organizational page is either [www.gsa.gov/committeemanagement](http://www.gsa.gov/committeemanagement) or [www.gsa.gov/faca](http://www.gsa.gov/faca).

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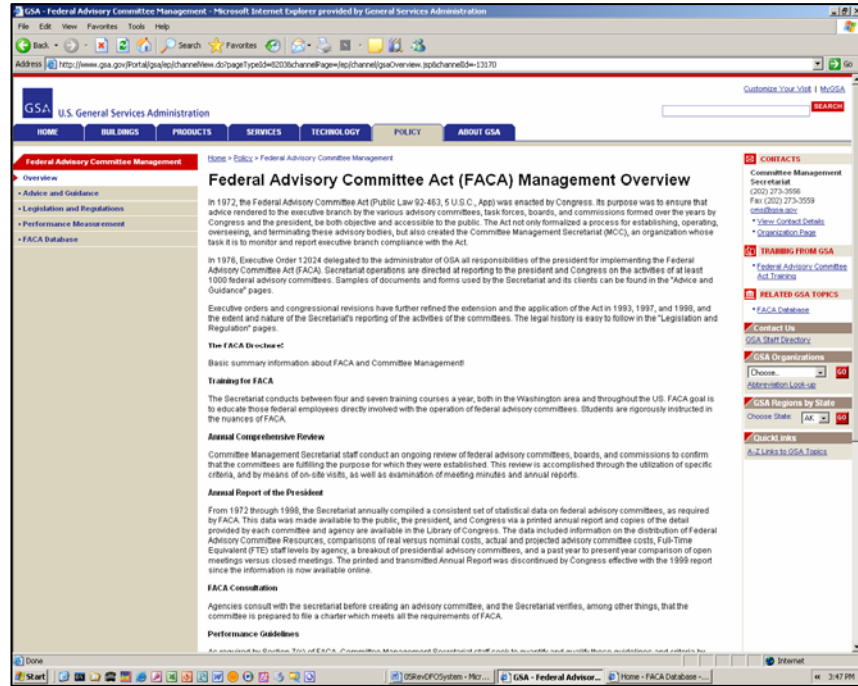
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The GSA Portal website addresses:

<http://www.gsa.gov/committeemanagement>, or <http://www.gsa.gov/faca>,

are the Committee Management Secretariat's Home Pages on the GSA Portal. This mini-portal on the GSA agency portal is a comprehensive listing of documents examining the advisory committee process, practices, history, case law, advice and training.



- [Committee Management Secretariat Website](#)
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The Annual Report of the President on Federal Advisory Committees - 1972-1998 is a link to an online set of the reports prepared by the Committee Management Secretariat yearly

from 1972 through 1998 and sent to the Congress over the President's signature reporting the status of Federal Advisory Committees. While the printed report was discontinued in 1999, the FACADatabase system continues to collect an expanded dataset for the Annual Comprehensive Review.

Case Digest Search is a link to an on-line, searchable compilation of the case law concerned with FACA

<b>Federal Advisory Committee Act</b>	
<b>Printed Annual Reports 1972 - 1998</b>	
Congress eliminated the requirement for the Printed Annual Report in 1999.	
File Name	File Size
<a href="#">1998-Twenty-Seventh Annual Report Of The President On Federal Advisory Committees.pdf</a>	7,835,834 Bytes
<a href="#">1997-Twenty-Sixth Annual Report Of The President On Federal Advisory Committees.pdf</a>	7,845,617 Bytes
<a href="#">1996-Twenty-Fifth Annual Report Of The President On Federal Advisory Committees.pdf</a>	5,010,466 Bytes
<a href="#">1995-Twenty-Fourth Annual Report Of The President On Federal Advisory Committees.pdf</a>	7,102,055 Bytes
<a href="#">1994-Twenty-Third Annual Report Of The President On Federal Advisory Committees.pdf</a>	5,779,446 Bytes
<a href="#">1993-Twenty-Second Annual Report Of The President On Federal Advisory Committees.pdf</a>	7,632,359 Bytes
<a href="#">1992-Twenty-First Annual Report Of The President On Federal Advisory Committees.pdf</a>	8,968,350 Bytes
<a href="#">1991-Twentieth Annual Report Of The President On Federal Advisory Committees.pdf</a>	5,645,559 Bytes



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Subject Matter	Title	Text	Type	FACA Sections
Carpenter v. Morton, 424 F.Supp. 603 (D.Nev. 1976).		The court addressed whether the Secretary of Interior was obligated to recharter the advisory boards created by the Taylor Grazing Act ("TGA"), 43 U.S.C. § 315, et seq., and terminated by Section 14 of the Federal Advisory Committee Act ("FACA"), 5 U.S.C. app. II, § 5, 1 - 15, et seq. In 1939, Congress amended the TGA to establish boards of grazing district advisors in the several districts. Pursuant to the TGA, the Dept of the Interior promulgated a regulation relating to the appointment, term of office and removal of members of grazing district boards. 43 CFR Section 411.4.1-3. Plaintiffs were members of grazing boards until January 1995. The board members asserted that the boards established under the TGA were exempt from any effect of the FACA because to allow termination of the boards under the FACA would necessarily involve an implied repeal of the TGA. The court agreed that implied repeals were not favored but disagreed with the basic assertion of the board members. The court noted that the purpose of FACA, "as it relates to this controversy, is to provide a means by which advisory committees which had been established by Congress, the President and various agencies could be reviewed so that those no longer furthering the purpose for which they were established could be terminated." Carpenter, 424 F. Supp. at 604; 5 U.S.C. app. 2 II, § 2. "Section 14(b)(1) of the FACA provides that each advisory committee existing at the time of the effective date of the Act shall terminate within two years unless, among other things, the advisory is one established by an act of Congress and for which Congress has provided a longer duration period. Section 14(b)(1) contemplates that an advisory committee which had been terminated may be renewed." Carpenter, 424 F. Supp. at 604; 605; 5 U.S.C. app. II, § 14. The court concluded that when Congress enacted the FACA, it was concerned with the proliferation of advisory committees that had outlived their usefulness and that, to remedy this, Congress chose to terminate all advisory committees. Further, the court also concluded, however, that Congress contemplated that the FACA would affect provisions of existing substantive laws and that, if later decided the advisory boards were necessary, Congress could enact the necessary legislation to recharter them. Thus, the court found that the Secretary had no obligation or authority to recharter the advisory boards originally established under the TGA.	Case Law	2:14(a)(1);14 (b)(1)
Center for the Defense of Free Enterprise v. President's Comm'n on Americans Outdoors, No. C87-32C (W.D. Wash. Mar. 31, 1987) (order granting motion to intervene and		On January 28, 1985, President Reagan established an advisory commission, the President's Commission on American Outdoors ("Commission"), to study outdoor recreation resources. After preparing its report, the Commission disbanded on January 31, 1987. Plaintiff, the Center for the Defense of Free Enterprise ("Center"), sought injunctive relief to prevent defendant from printing and disseminating the Commission's report. This request was based on alleged violations of the Federal Advisory Committee Act ("FACA"), 5 U.S.C. app. II, § 5, 1 - 15, et seq. Specifically, the Plaintiffs asserted "that the Commission held closed meetings in violation of FACA by failing to publish notice of each meeting in the Federal Register (5 U.S.C. app. II, § 10(a)(2)), failing to appoint a federal officer or employee to chair or attend each committee meeting (5 U.S.C. app. II, § 10(c)), and failing to keep minutes of meetings (5 U.S.C. app. II, § 10(c))." Center, No. C87-32C at 2. Further, Plaintiff asserted that the FACA violations dated back to December 12, 1985. The court granted the joint motion by the National Parks and Conservation Association ("NPCA"), the National Resources Defense Council ("NRDC"), Paul C. Pritchard, and Nathaniel P. Reed, to intervene as a group. NPCA and NRDC are non-profit organizations with large memberships. Paul Pritchard, president of the NPCA, and Nathaniel Reed, a NRDC trustee, were senior advisors to the Commission. The intervenors asserted that the Plaintiff could not demonstrate that it suffered actual prejudice from any failure to comply with FACA's technical requirements. Accordingly, the court noted that "the Ninth Circuit has adopted a	Case Law	10(a)(2);10 (C)

## Public Access Page

The **Public Access** page presents the Advisory Committee data organized by the constructs and parameters that the different audiences in the FACA user community have requested over the past ten years. **Committees Search** encompasses several different methods all on its own. We will examine the possibilities found on the Public Access page in order, one at a time, and beginning with the **Committees Search** option on the next page.

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## Committees Search

The FACA Search page, accessed by the **Committees Search** button from the **Public Access** page or the **Search** link found upon almost every web page in the system, contains six distinct methods for searching the contents of the system, Name or Number, Interest Area, Advanced Interest Area, Documents Search or Case Digest Search. The Search USA.Gov is for the USA.Gov web site.

### Search for Committee by Name or Number

Search for Committee by Name or Number

**or Number** button, the user is presented with a list of committees. Then by clicking on a specific name presented as a link, like the **National Cancer Advisory Board-960-HHS**, the user is presented with a Committee Menu page for the current year's information on the selected committee.

From the **Committee Menu** page, the user can find out what data was posted to the committee thus far this current fiscal year.

By entering the committee number if it is known, or part of the committee's name, and then clicking the **Search by Name**

Multiple matches found for - Cancer :

- [Advisory Committee to the Director, National Cancer Institute -- 5149 -- HHS](#)
- [Board of Scientific Counselors for Basic Sciences, National Cancer Institute -- 25160 -- HHS](#)
- [Board of Scientific Counselors for Clinical Sciences and Epidemiology, National Cancer Institute -- 86 -- HHS](#)
- [Breast and Cervical Cancer Early Detection and Control Advisory Committee -- 1952 -- HHS](#)
- [National Cancer Advisory Board -- 960 -- HHS](#)
- [National Cancer Institute Board of Scientific Advisors -- 1483 -- HHS](#)
- [National Cancer Institute Clinical Trials Advisory Committee -- 29125 -- HHS](#)
- [National Cancer Institute Director's Consumer Liaison Group -- 5248 -- HHS](#)
- [National Cancer Institute Initial Review Group -- 814 -- HHS](#)
- [National Cancer Institute Special Emphasis Panel -- 85 -- HHS](#)
- [NCLC, Cancer Centers -- 814 -- HHS](#)
- [NCLC, Cancer Epidemiology, Prevention and Control -- 814 -- HHS](#)
- [President's Cancer Panel -- 1001 -- HHS](#)

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## Search for Committee by Interest Area

By selecting one of the interest areas from the **Interest Area** list, the user displays a list of committees that have been identified by their DFOs as including that **Interest Area**.

Selecting **Air Traffic** from the list and clicking the **Search by Interest Area** button presents a committee list that includes some advisory committees you would expect, and perhaps some that you would not. The user can click on any of the named links to see the Committee Menu page for that committee for the current year.

Multiple matches found for - Air Traffic :

- [Air Traffic Procedures Advisory Committee -- 675 -- DOT](#)
- [California Desert District Advisory Council -- 1784 -- DOI](#)
- [Cultural Diversity Advisory Committee -- 10711 -- NCD](#)
- [Industry Trade Advisory Committee on Aerospace Equipment -- 21403 -- DOC](#)
- [Industry Trade Advisory Committee on Services and Finance -- 21414 -- DOC](#)
- [Investment Working Group \(IWG\) -- 21403 -- DOC](#)
- [SONORAN DESERT NATIONAL MONUMENT ADVISORY COUNCIL -- 29111 -- DOI](#)
- [Subcommittee on Export Credit Working Group -- 21403 -- DOC](#)
- [Subcommittee on Non-Tariff Trade Barriers \(NTBs\) -- 21403 -- DOC](#)
- [Subcommittee on Space -- 21403 -- DOC](#)
- [Subcommittee on Streamlining Paperwork Requirements for Textile and Apparel Trade Preference Programs -- 21403 -- DOC](#)
- [United States Travel and Tourism Advisory Board -- 25137 -- DOC](#)

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Spend a few minutes thinking about the term “air traffic”, and you might start to see how some of the committees above got on the list. You might also see why you might want to use the **Search by Interest Area’s “Advanced Interest Area Search”** feature to add some additional criteria and further limit the eventual result set you get from the choices you make.

When the user clicks on the link for Advanced Interest Area Search, the user can select multiple criteria from the page by clicking a check mark in the various boxes. When the Search button is clicked, the resulting committee list will only include committees where all the selections are included.

Matches found for - [Animal Sciences and Husbandry](#), [Air Traffic](#), [California Desert District Advisory Council -- 1784](#), [Cultural Diversity Advisory Committee -- 10711](#)

In the example to the right, clicking **Animal Sciences and Husbandry** in

addition to **Air Traffic** results in a much more limited list of committees, which you see above. This is much more likely to include the advisory committee that the user hopes to find. The danger, of course, is that the DFO might not have included all the criteria when he or she selected the interest areas for his or her committee, and you miss getting the committee by being too specific and targeted.

## Search in Documents

**Search in Documents** allows the user to type in a word or phrase into the text box, and the program will search a word index of the text in the documents that have been uploaded to the FACADatabase system.

The documents that have been uploaded are all identified with a committee number or a committee name, so the search result can be utilized with the **Search for Committee by Name or Number** feature above to link to the committee. This is a two step process and the user cannot link directly from the document to the committee. Other than the charters, committee managers are not required to upload documents to the system.

Your Search for **pandemic flu** matched 7 Documents (Page 1 of 1).  
Results Indexed by relevance.

1. [SMAG 11/16/05 Minutes](#) (13%)  
**Abstract:** Special Medical Advisory Group (SMAG) Minutes November 16, 2005 Welcome and Day's Charge: The Principal Deputy Under Secretary for Health began the meeting by updating the group on the Department of V...  
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File Name: 2006-1351-143147\_minutes\_(2006-07-17-11-41-18).doc, Size: 52.5 KB, Last Modified: Monday, July 17, 2006 at 3:41:18 PM
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The **Search Document Help** link provides some useful advice about how to effectively conduct text searches.

**Exceptions:**  
**'Noise' words:**  
These are common words such as: [a](#), [an](#), [and](#), [as](#) and others. These words will be ignored by the search engine unless they are part of a Boolean (see below) search.

**Punctuation marks:**  
Punctuation marks such as: [;](#) (semicolon), [:](#) (colon), [.](#) (full stop/period), [,](#) (comma) and others are ignored by the search engine.

**Special Characters:**  
To use specially treated characters such as [&](#), [|](#), [^](#), <#>, [@](#), [\\$](#), [\(](#), [.\)](#), in a query, enclose your query in quotation marks ("").

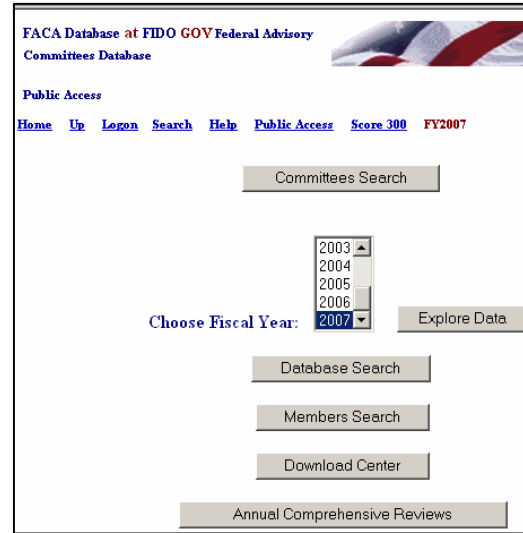
**Search Help:**  
**Case:**  
The search engine is case insensitive so the query "User Manual" will return the same results as "user manual".

**Case Digest Search** links to the searchable legal case file database mentioned above on page 9. The user can search all of the fields for specific text or phrases, or can search for cases groups by Subject Matter category.

**Search USA.Gov** links to the USA.GOV web site.

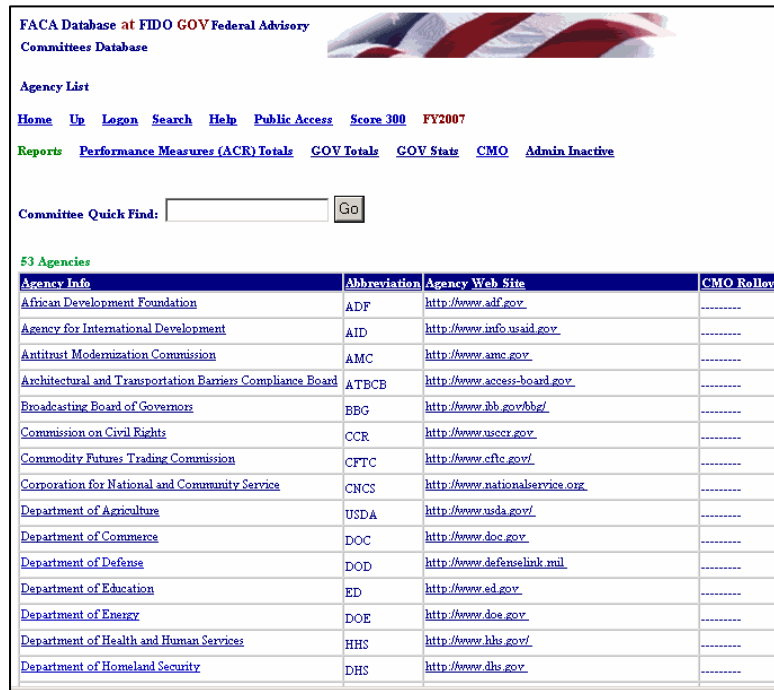
## The Drill Down Feature

The **Explore Data** button is for the user interested in information on a specific committee or with questions about specific advisory committee operations. To use the **Explore Data** feature, users make choices as they drill down into the data. The **Up** hyperlink takes the user back up a level.



## Agency List

When the user selects a year and clicks the **Explore Data** button, the program presents an **Agency List** page listing all the agencies that had advisory committees that year. In addition to the navigation links discussed back on page 5, the **Agency List** page has five report links, Performance Measures, GOV Totals and Stats, a CMO report and an Administrative Inactive report. These reports will be discussed below. The page also features a **Committee Quick Find** data entry box for jumping directly to a committee when the number or name of the committee of interest is known. A partial name will list all the committees that have the part of the name in common.




If the column heading for the page contents is underlined, like **Agency Info** above, clicking on the column heading sorts the column. If field contents, like the agency names in the picture, are underlined, they are drill-down hot links that jump directly to that agency's **Committee List** on another page.

## Performance Measures (ACR) Totals

Clicking the **Performance Measures Totals** link displays the **Performance Measures** report.

**FACA Database at FIDO GOV**  
Federal Advisory Committees Database



Annual Comprehensive Review Totals Report

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### FY 2007 Performance Measures Totals Report

88 Committees have Updated the Performance Measures this year, 834 have not.

What are the most significant program outcomes associated with these committee(s)? Select all that apply.

	Yes	%
Improvements to health or safety	19	21.6
Trust in government	31	35.2
Major policy changes	24	27.3
Advance in scientific research	10	11.4
Effective grant making	1	1.1
Improved service delivery	29	33.0
Increased customer satisfaction	31	35.2
Implementation of laws or regulatory requirements	25	28.4
Other	6	6.8

What are the cost savings associated with these committee(s)?

None	13
Unable to Determine	63
Under \$100,000	0
\$100,000 - \$500,000	0
\$500,001 - \$1,000,000	0
\$1,000,001 - \$5,000,000	1
\$5,000,001 - \$10,000,000	0
Over \$10,000,000	0
Cost Savings Other	11

What is the approximate Number of recommendations produced by these committee(s) for the life of the committee(s)?

1,426 Total

What is the approximate Percentage of these recommendations that have been or will be Fully implemented by the agency?

49%

What is the approximate Percentage of these recommendations that have been or will be Partially implemented by the agency?

19%

Does the agency provide the committee with feedback regarding actions taken to implement recommendations or advice offered?

Yes: 44                      No: 27                      Not Applicable: 8

# Government Totals Report

The **GOV Totals** report link presents the totals for what were originally the data items of interest and concern to Congress for the first 26 years of the FACA Annual Reports. Congress and the President generally wanted to know for measurement purposes,

- The number of new committees,
- The number of terminated committees,
- The distribution of the committees established by Congress or the President or Agencies,
- The general focus of the committees,
- The number of reports submitted,
- The number of meetings held and whether the meetings were open or closed,
- The total cost to the government, and
- The number of people involved.

To return to the **Agency List** page from the **GOV Totals** page, the user clicks the **Up** hyperlink.

FACA Database at FIDO GOV Federal Advisory Committees Database			
Government Totals			
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FY2007 Government Totals			
	ACTIVE	ACTIVE COMMITTEES	920
	ADMIN INACTIVE "Y"	ADMINISTRATIVELY INACTIVE COMMITTEES	2
4.	NEW "YES"	NUMBER OF NEW COMMITTEES	35
8a.	TERMINATE "YES"	NUMBER OF TERMINATED COMMITTEES	14
11.	COMMITTEE AUTHORITY	a. REQUIRED BY STATUTE	417
		b. AUTHORIZED BY STATUTE	193
		c. AGENCY AUTHORITY	277
		d. PRESIDENTIAL DIRECTIVE	35
14.	COMMITTEE TYPE	a. AD HOC	16
		b. CONTINUING	906
		c. PRESIDENTIAL	43
15.	COMMITTEE DESCRIPTION	a. NATIONAL POLICY/ISSUE	124
		b. NON-SCIENTIFIC	266
		c. SCIENTIFIC/TECHNICAL	205
		d. GRANT REVIEW	92
		---GRANT REVIEW SPECIAL EMPHASIS PANEL	27
		e. REGULATORY NEGOTIATION	2
		f. OTHER	206
16a.	REPORTS	NUMBER OF REPORTS	167
17.	MEETINGS	a. OPEN	659
		b. CLOSED	1182
		c. PARTIALLY CLOSED	81
		d. TOTAL	1922
18.	COMMITTEE COST	DATA ELEMENTS	
		a. PERSONNEL PAYMENTS	
		(1) NON-FEDERAL MEMBERS	\$50,841,701.00 \$51,145,529.00
		(2) FEDERAL MEMBERS	\$2,434,512.00 \$2,330,701.00
		(3) FEDERAL STAFF	\$155,915,992.00 \$157,577,297.00
		(4) NON-MEMBER CONSULTANTS	\$17,073,696.00 \$14,252,506.00
		b. TOTAL TRAVEL AND PER DIEM	\$156,714,786.00 \$157,643,691.00
		c. OTHER	\$249,355,924.00 \$248,285,504.00
		d. TOTAL	\$632,336,611.00 \$631,235,228.00
		19.	FEDERAL STAFF SUPPORT YEARS
5a.	MEMBERS		32609
5b.	SEP MEMBERS		21281
5.	TOTAL MEMBERS SERVING DURING FISCAL YEAR		53890

# Committee Management Officer Report

The **CMO** Report link deploys the **CMO Report** page that displays the Committee Management Officer list for that year.

The **Up** hyperlink returns the user to the **Agency List Page**.

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Federal Advisory Committees Database					
CMO Report					
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FY2007					
Agency	Name	Title	Phone	Fax	Email
ADF-African Development Foundation	Doris Martin	General Counsel	(202) 673-3916	(202) 673-3810	dmartin@adf.gov
AID-Agency for International Development	Josene Pasker	Chief, Information and Records Division	(202) 712-1217	(202) 216-3070	jpasker@usaid.gov
AMC-Antitrust Modernization Commission	Andrew Heimert	Executive Director & General Counsel	(202) 233-0707	(202) 233-0710	heimert@amc.gov
ATBCB-Architectural and Transportation Barriers Compliance Board	James Raggio	CMO	(202) 272-0080	202-272-0081	raggio@access-board.gov
BBG-Broadcasting Board of Governors	Carol Booker	Committee Management Officer	(202) 203-4545	(202) 203-4585	cbooker@bbg.gov
CCR-Commission on Civil Rights	Ivy Davis	CMO	(202) 376-7533	202-376-7548	idavis@uscrr.gov
CFTC-Commodity Futures Trading Commission	Martin White	CMO	(202) 418-5129	(202) 418-5524	mwhite@cftc.gov
CHCS-Corporation for National and Community Service	Frank Trinity	General Counsel/CMO	(202) 606-6677	(202) 606-3467	ftrinity@ncsc.gov
DHS-Department of Homeland Security	Georgia Abraham	Committee Management Officer	(202) 282-9150	(202) 282-9599	Georgia.Abraham@dhs.gov
DOC-Department of Commerce	Linda Anadale	CMO	(202) 482-7873	202-482-1422	LAnadall@doc.gov
DOD-Department of Defense	Frank Wilson	CMO/Chief, Administrative Services Division	(703) 601-2554 x113	(703) 601-3000	Frank.wilson@vhsa.mil
DOE-Department of Energy	James Solt	Director, Office of the Executive Secretariat	(202) 586-3279	(202) 586-6879	James.Solt@hq.doe.gov
DOI-Department of the Interior	Sharon Norman	CMO	(202) 208-4524	202-208-1481	Sharon_Norman@ios.doi.gov
DOJ-Department of Justice	Lee Loftis	Assistant Attorney General for Administration (CMO)	(202) 307-1872	(202) 307-1874	Kathy.S.Third@usdoj.gov
DOL-Department of Labor	Mahni Close	Agency Liaison Officer	(202) 693-6115	202-693-6111	close-mahni@dol.gov
DOS-Department of State	Nilsene Schmidt	CMO	(202) 647-8170	202-647-2202	SchmidtN@state.gov

# Administratively Inactive Report

A significant number of advisory committees were established by legislation. Some of these committees did not have sunset clauses in the legislation. When such a committee has finished its work, the committee has to be kept on the books until

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Federal Advisory Committees Database										
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FY	AgencyAbbr	AgencyName	CNo	CommitteeName	CommitteeFunction	Presidential	PresidentialAppointments	EstablishmentAuthority	CommitteeType	CommitteeSt
2007	ADF	African Development Foundation	250	African Development Foundation Advisory Council	Non Scientific Program Advisory Board	No	No	Statutory(Congress Created)	Continuing	AdminInact
2007	BBG	Broadcasting Board of Governors	1316	Advisory Board for Cuba Broadcasting	Non Scientific Program Advisory Board	Yes	Yes	Statutory(Congress Created)	Continuing	Chartered
2007	DHS	Department of Homeland Security	5321	U.S. Customs Service COBRA Fees Advisory Committee	Non Scientific Program Advisory Board	No	No	Statutory(Congress Created)	Continuing	Chartered
2007	DOC	Department of Commerce	315	Advisory Council on Children's Educational Television	Non Scientific Program Advisory Board	No	No	Statutory(Congress Created)	Continuing	Chartered
2007	DOD	Department of Defense	30786	Commission on the Implementation of the New Strategic Posture of the	Other	No	No	Statutory(Congress Created)	Continuing	Chartered

Congress passes legislation to abolish the committee. The **Administratively Inactive Report** is a list of committees that the agencies and the Secretariat have agreed are currently Administratively Inactive. Some are waiting for legislation to be abolished and some are waiting for legislation to provide funding. A committee in this category can come back to active use and go back into a state of hiatus several times before it is formally terminated.



## Sorting the Columns on the Agency List Page

Sorting the column can help the user to find an item in the list more efficiently. By clicking on the underlined column headings (**Agency Name** or **Abbreviation** or **Web Site**) the user can order the display by that column. The first click sorts in ascending (A-Z or low to high) order. Following clicks reverse the previous order. Ascending becomes descending (Z-A and high to low). The columns above were sorted by Abbreviation in reverse order.

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Federal Advisory Committees Database

Agency List

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53 Agencies

Agency Info	Abbreviation	Agency Web Site	CMO R
<a href="#">African Development Foundation</a>	ADF	<a href="http://www.adf.gov">http://www.adf.gov</a>	-----
<a href="#">Agency for International Development</a>	AID	<a href="http://www.info.usaid.gov">http://www.info.usaid.gov</a>	-----
<a href="#">Antitrust Modernization Commission</a>	AMC	<a href="http://www.amc.gov">http://www.amc.gov</a>	-----
<a href="#">Architectural and Transportation Barriers Compliance Board</a>	ATBCB	<a href="http://www.access-board.gov">http://www.access-board.gov</a>	-----
<a href="#">Broadcasting Board of Governors</a>	BBG	<a href="http://www.ibb.gov/ibbg/">http://www.ibb.gov/ibbg/</a>	-----
<a href="#">Commission on Civil Rights</a>	CCR	<a href="http://www.usccr.gov">http://www.usccr.gov</a>	-----
<a href="#">Commodity Futures Trading Commission</a>	CFTC	<a href="http://www.cftc.gov/">http://www.cftc.gov/</a>	-----
<a href="#">Corporation for National and Community Service</a>	CNCS	<a href="http://www.nationalservice.org">http://www.nationalservice.org</a>	-----
<a href="#">Department of Agriculture</a>	USDA	<a href="http://www.usda.gov/">http://www.usda.gov/</a>	-----
<a href="#">Department of Commerce</a>	DOC	<a href="http://www.doc.gov">http://www.doc.gov</a>	-----
<a href="#">Department of Defense</a>	DOD	<a href="http://www.defenselink.mil">http://www.defenselink.mil</a>	-----
<a href="#">Department of Education</a>	ED	<a href="http://www.ed.gov">http://www.ed.gov</a>	-----
<a href="#">Department of Energy</a>	DOE	<a href="http://www.doe.gov">http://www.doe.gov</a>	-----

## Selecting an Agency and Drilling Down to a Committee List

After an agency has been selected, the user can drill down to the next level (i.e., from agencies down to a list of the agency's committees) by clicking on the hyperlinked text (in this case, the agency name). On a web page, text is hyperlinked if it is underlined. Hyperlinked text is a different color than the remaining displayed text. The cursor will change from an Arrow to a Hand when the cursor is positioned over hyperlinked text.

The **Committee List** page has three report links:

**Performance Measures (ACR) Totals**,  
**Agency Totals**, and  
**All Annual** reports.

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**Commission on Civil Rights**

Committee Name	Number	Last Updated	DFO Date	GFO Date	CMO Date
<a href="#">Alabama Advisory Committee</a>	251	4/26/2007			
<a href="#">Alaska Advisory Committee</a>	253				
<a href="#">Arizona Advisory Committee</a>	254	1/31/2007			
<a href="#">Arkansas Advisory Committee</a>	255				
<a href="#">California Advisory Committee</a>	256	4/2/2007			
<a href="#">Colorado Advisory Committee</a>	257	3/22/2007			
<a href="#">Connecticut Advisory Committee</a>	258				
<a href="#">Delaware Advisory Committee</a>	259				
<a href="#">District of Columbia Advisory Committee</a>	260				
<a href="#">Florida Advisory Committee</a>	261	3/29/2007			
<a href="#">Georgia Advisory Committee</a>	262	6/5/2007			
<a href="#">Hawaii Advisory Committee</a>	263				
<a href="#">Idaho Advisory Committee</a>	264				

## Performance Measures

Clicking the **Performance Measures Totals** link displays the **Performance Measures** report. The agency level report is the same design as the government level report but limited to the specific agency. Since Performance Measure data was not collected for this system before 2003, selecting an earlier year will not produce a report.

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**FY 2007 Performance Measures Totals Report**  
**DOD - Department of Defense**

15 Committees have Updated the Performance Measures this year, 36 have not.

What are the most significant program outcomes associated with these committee(s)? Select all that apply.


	Yes	%
Improvements to health or safety	1	6.7
Trust in government	5	33.3
Major policy changes	2	13.3
Advance in scientific research	1	6.7
Effective grant making	0	0.0
Improved service delivery	6	40.0
Increased customer satisfaction	6	40.0
Implementation of laws or regulatory requirements	4	26.7
Other	2	13.3

In the event that a report is requested by a user about an agency where no performance measure data has yet been entered for the current year, the report is limited to a statement of that fact.

**No committees provided ACR information**

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## Agency Totals

The **Agency Totals** hyperlink provides the same kind of information to the agency that GOV Totals provided to the government as a whole, the data items of interest and concern to Congress for the first 26 years of the FACA Annual Reports.

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**Department of Commerce**

ACTIVE	ACTIVE COMMITTEES	58
ADMIN INACTIVE "Y"	ADMINISTRATIVELY INACTIVE COMMITTEES	1
4. NEW "YES"	NUMBER OF NEW COMMITTEES	2
8a. TERMINATE "YES"	NUMBER OF TERMINATED COMMITTEES	2
11. COMMITTEE AUTHORITY	a. REQUIRED BY STATUTE	37
	b. AUTHORIZED BY STATUTE	1
	c. AGENCY AUTHORITY	16
	d. PRESIDENTIAL DIRECTIVE	5
14. COMMITTEE TYPE	a. AD HOC	0
	b. CONTINUING	59
	c. PRESIDENTIAL	4
15. COMMITTEE DESCRIPTION	a. NATIONAL POLICY/ISSUE	33
	b. NON-SCIENTIFIC	10
	c. SCIENTIFIC/TECHNICAL	15
	d. GRANT REVIEW	0
	e. REGULATORY NEGOTIATION	0
	f. OTHER	1
16a. REPORTS	NUMBER OF REPORTS	45
17. MEETINGS	a. OPEN	42
	b. CLOSED	96
	c. PARTIALLY CLOSED	27
	d. TOTAL	165

	DATA ELEMENTS	CURRENT ACTUAL	NEXT ESTIMATE
<b>18. COMMITTEE COST</b>	<b>a. PERSONNEL PAYMENTS</b>		
	(1) NON-FEDERAL MEMBERS	\$114,700.00	\$119,000.00
	(2) FEDERAL MEMBERS	\$14,544.00	\$16,984.00
	(3) FEDERAL STAFF	\$2,816,718.00	\$3,100,262.00
	(4) NON-MEMBER CONSULTANTS	\$19,000.00	\$39,000.00
	<b>b. TOTAL TRAVEL AND PER DIEM</b>	<b>\$444,090.00</b>	<b>\$615,607.00</b>
	c. OTHER	\$300,136.00	\$873,493.00
	<b>d. TOTAL</b>	<b>\$3,709,188.00</b>	<b>\$4,764,346.00</b>
<b>19. FEDERAL STAFF SUPPORT YEARS</b>	<b>TOTAL FTE YEARS</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>35</b>
<b>5. TOTAL MEMBERS SERVING DURING FISCAL YEAR</b>		<b>892</b>	

## All Annual Reports

The **All Annual Reports** hyperlink provides a quick way to display and print all of the Annual Comprehensive Review information for the selected agency for the selected year.

2001 Annual Report: Review of Federal Advisory Committee				
1. Department or Agency <b>Department of Commerce</b>				2. Fiscal Year <b>2001</b>
3. Committee or SubCommittee <b>Advanced Technology Program Advisory Committee</b>				3b. GSA Committee No. <b>5281</b>
4. Is this New During Fiscal Year? <b>No</b>	5. Current Charter <b>7/13/2001</b>	6. Expected Renewal Date <b>7/13/2003</b>	7. Expected Term Date <b>7/13/2003</b>	
8a. Was Terminated During FY? <b>No</b>	8b. Specific Termination Authority		8c. Actual Termination Date	
9. Agency Recommendation for Next FY <b>Continue</b>	10a. Legislation Req to Terminate?	10b. Legislation Pending?		
11. Establishment Authority <b>Agency Authority</b>	12. Specific Establishment Authority <b>Secretary's Decision Memorandum</b>	13. Effective Date <b>5/7/1999</b>	14. Committee Type <b>Continuing</b>	14c. Presidential? <b>No</b>
15. Description of Committee <b>Scientific Technical Program Advisory Board</b>				
16a. Total Number of Reports <b>1</b>				
16b. Report Titles and Dates				
<b>2000 Annual Report of the Advanced Technology Program Advisory Committee</b> 1/1/2001				
17a. Open: <b>0</b>	17b. Closed: <b>0</b>	17c. Partially Closed: <b>3</b>	17d. Total <b>3</b>	
Discussion of streamlined/revamped proposal process, ATP 2000 awardee demographics, discussion of outreach efforts, leveraging states and future ATP strategic initiatives				
Update on ATP, recent program offsite, the		10/17/2000 8:25:00 AM	10/17/2000 4:30:00 PM	
		2/13/2001 8:25:00 AM	2/13/2001 4:00:00	

## Selecting a Committee

To select a specific committee, the user clicks on the hyperlinked committee name (the underlined committee name). This selection will take the user to the **Committee Menu** page for that committee. Note in the screenshot to the right that the data is from FY2005 and that the CMO has verified the completeness and accuracy of the data provided.

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**USDA 99-Advisory Committee on Meat and Poultry Inspection**

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<a href="#">Costs</a>	<a href="#">View Charter</a>
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CMO has verified this committee, 12/7/2005 11:27:20 AM

The hyperlinks on the **Committee Menu** page group the information about the committee into related units. Information reported at least annually is grouped in the left column of buttons and agency information relative to the committee is grouped in the right column of buttons. The **Committee Menu** page hyperlinks are

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- [Web Site,](#) and
- [Participant Logon.](#)

## The General Information Page

The **General Info** hyperlink displays the **General Info** page. Most of the information on the **General Info** page doesn't change from year to year, other than the current charter date and the dates a committee is renewed or terminated. The committee name, function, and authority under which the committee was established tend to remain the same for the life of the committee. The links on the **General Info** page under the **Committee**

**Name** are to facilitate movement and data entry to the rest of the information pages without having to return each time to the **Committee Menu** page.

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USDA 99 - Advisory Committee on Meat and Poultry Inspection - Statutory(Congress Created)		
<a href="#">Committee Menu</a> <a href="#">General Info</a> <a href="#">Agency Recommendations</a> <a href="#">Reports</a> <a href="#">Meetings</a> <a href="#">Costs</a> <a href="#">Justifications</a> <a href="#">Members</a> <a href="#">Performance Measures</a>		
<b>Department or Agency:</b>	USDA	This agency abbreviation is the two to five letter agency abbreviation at the agency level to which the committee belongs, e.g., HHS; EF cannot be edited on this page. This data is displayed as a result of data entered by the Committee Management Secretariat.
<b>Committee Status:</b>	Chartered	The status will display as <b>Pending</b> or <b>Chartered</b> or <b>Term</b> cannot be edited on this page. This data is displayed as a result of data entered by the Committee Management Secretariat on the <b>Consultation Form</b> page when the <b>Consultation Form</b> is saved.
<b>New Committee:</b>	No	This item is <b>Yes</b> if the committee was established during the current fiscal year and cannot be edited on this page. This data is displayed as a result of data entered by the Committee Management Secretariat on the <b>Consultation Form</b> page when the committee is established.
<b>Current Charter Date:</b>	3/16/2005	This is the date the most recent <b>Establishment</b> or <b>Renewal</b> of the committee was filed with the congressional oversight committee. <b>Filing an amended charter does not change the charter date.</b> This data is displayed as a result of data entered on the <b>Consultation Form</b> page by the Committee Management Secretariat and cannot be edited on this page. This data is displayed as a result of data entered when the <b>Consultation Form</b> is saved.
<b>Expected Renewal Date:</b>	3/16/2007 <input type="text"/>	This is the <b>date</b> on which the current charter is expected to be renewed. This date is normally two years after the <b>Current Charter Date</b> and is automatically entered by the program as a result of data entered on the <b>Consultation Form</b> .

## The Agency Recommendations Page

The [Agency Recommendations](#) hyperlink on the [Committee Menu](#) page and the [Agency Recommendations](#) link on the [General Info](#) page display the [Agency Recommendations](#) page. The [Agency Recommendations](#) page is sometimes misinterpreted. It does not report the committee recommendations to the government official it advises. This page actually reports the agency's recommendations regarding the continued usefulness of the committee. The advisory committee's recommendations to the federal official asking for the advisory committee's advice were not reported in the Comprehensive Annual Reviews (ACRs) of the past. However, they are a vital part of an advisory committee's ACRs now and will continue to be a vital part in the future.

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<b>Recommendation</b>	Continue	This item is required. This item reflects responsibility for the continuation or termination of the committee. It should be either <b>Continue</b> or <b>Terminate</b> or <b>Me</b>
<b>Is Legislation Required to Terminate?</b> (Fill in if Recommendation Field is Terminate)	No	This item should be completed with a selected in <b>Recommendation</b> above <b>Remarks</b> below.
<b>Legislation Status</b> (Fill in if Legislation Required to Terminate Field is Yes)	Enacted	If legislation is required to terminate the <b>Enacted</b> to indicate the status of the proposed legislation or the statute (U.S.
<b>Remarks</b> <small>Note: Use 21 Remarks to provide additional information about this committee. It will be included in the Current FY Committee Report.</small>		This memo field can be used for any needed to properly answer or quality of
	Changed At 12/7/2005 8:18:28 AM By Sonya West, sonya.west@usda.gov, (202) 720-2561	This information identifies the last pers update occurred.

## The Reports List and Form Pages

The [Reports](#) hyperlink on the [Committee Menu](#) page and the [Reports](#) link on the [Agency Recommendations](#) page display the [Reports](#) page. The [Reports](#) page is a list of reports. When a list is shown, the user can drill down to see if further detail is available with either the [View](#) link on the left side of the report list.

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<a href="#">View</a> Minutes and Report of Committee Recommendations: 2000	11/1/2000
<a href="#">View</a> Joint Meeting of Race and Ethnic, Professional and Decennial Census Advisory Committees	3/15/2001
<a href="#">View</a> Race and Ethnic Advisory Committees Census 2000 Debriefing Report	6/19/2001
<a href="#">View</a> Minutes and Report of Committee Recommendations: 2001	3/14/2001

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The detail on the individual **Reports** form page might not display any more information than the user had available while looking at the report list. However, the system does support the capture and display of committee reports if the DFOs choose to provide them here online rather than requiring a request at their office. If the DFO does upload the reports to the FACADatabase web site, the **View Reports at FACA Website** hyperlink will display the files as further links. Some committees also maintain their own web sites and provide access to reports at that site.

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<b>Report Title</b>	Minutes and Report of Committee Recommendations: 2000	This item is required. All forms made to the agency, the President, e.g., <b>Annual Report to the President</b> uniquely identified. The only agency has determined otherwise. It is also not ne
<b>Report Date</b>	11/1/2000 <input type="text"/>	This item is required for each or last day of the month. Re
<b>Presidential Action?</b>	No	This item is required. This <b>Information</b> page) otherwise President in response to the
<b>View Report At Another Website</b>	<input type="text"/> Go The URL to your site should be entered with the "http.//" in front	If the committee posts the report (http://www.gsa.gov/FACA/R/ generate a hyperlink to the r
	<b>View Reports at FACA Website</b>	This link displays a list of re
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## The Meetings List and Form Pages

Either the **Meetings** hyperlink from the **Committee Menu** page or the **Meetings** link from the **Reports** page displays the **Meetings** page. Like the **Reports** (list) page, the **Meetings** page is a list page. The user can drill down to the **Meetings** form page with the **View** link on the left side of the meetings list.

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	Purpose	MeetingStartDate	MeetingStopDate	MeetingType
<a href="#">View</a>	To discuss Census 2000 Evaluations and Working Groups	3/14/2001	3/14/2001	Open
<a href="#">View</a>	A joint meeting of all Census Advisory Committees to discuss the Census Bureau's recommendation on Census 2000 Adjustment.	3/15/2001	3/15/2001	Open
<a href="#">View</a>	To participate in a formal debriefing on Census 2000 operations and programs.	6/21/2001	6/22/2001	Open
<a href="#">View</a>	Meeting of the Race and Ethnic Advisory Committees	11/1/2000	11/3/2000	Open

The **Meetings** (form) page has included the notation of a purpose and location for the meeting from 2002 forward. The DFOs can upload the meeting minutes for display on the online system if they wish or if they do not have the resources to have the minutes available on their own web sites.

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<b>Open Or Closed</b>	Open List all other activities the agency decides to include in this report, e.g., site visits, information-gathering or research sessions, etc., by using <b>N/A</b> in the <b>Open Or Closed</b> field above and by adding an explanation to <b>Remarks</b> on the <b>Recommendation</b> page.	This item is required. Each meeting selection of whether the meeting was used to report an activity that is not included and listed, each on a separate meeting. The program produces a total count if more than one meeting is held on each separate meeting. The total number of meetings report subsequently canceled) in the <b>Federal</b> notices in the future.
<b>Meeting Start Date</b>	3/15/2001 <input type="text"/> The system can list the meetings entered in date order.	This item is required. The date the r
<b>Meeting Stop Date</b>	3/15/2001 <input type="text"/>	This item is required. The date the r Both the Start Date and Stop Dates
<b>Location</b>		This item is required. The detail in
<b>Purpose</b>	A joint meeting of all Census Advisory Committees to discuss the Census Bureau's recommendation on Census 2000 Adjustment.	This item is required. The detail in
<b>View Minutes At Another Website</b>	<a href="#">Go</a> The URL to your site should be entered with the "http://" in front	This item is not required to be added on a web site, enter the web site address (http://www.gsa.gov/FACA/MeetingM
	<a href="#">View All Meeting Documents on FACA Website</a>	If the minutes or other documents available will provide a listing here.

## The Costs Page

By clicking the **Costs** hyperlink from either the **Committee Menu** page or the navigation button from the **Meetings** page, the user displays the **Costs** page. A common misunderstanding of Advisory Committee costs derived from the fact that the costs are usually paid out of an agency's annual appropriation and are not a separate line item in the agency's budget. Committees set up by the Congress or the President may have their own budgets, but the costs for most advisory committees are taken from other agency programs. The returns from the advice provided are expected to justify the funds lost to other activities.

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	<b>Note:</b> The value of Federal Staff Support is normally equivalent to Payments to Federal Staff	
	<b>Current FY</b>	The <b>Current FY</b> is the fiscal year for each item and do not use either Available, or leave the entry field
<b>Payments to Non-Federal Members</b>	\$0	This item is required if funds are Government to any advisory committee where the monies are not reimbursed
<b>Payments to Federal Members</b>	\$0	This item is required if funds are Government to any advisory committee

## The Justifications Page

By using either the **Justifications** link from the **Costs** page or the **Justifications** hyperlink from the **Committee Menu** page, the user displays the **Justifications** page. The Justifications reflect the agency's reasons for creating and continuing to utilize the advisory committee.

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**IMPORTANT: Show the effect of Committee reports, advice or recommendations on Agency operations. Be as specific as possible and include workload indicators as appropriate.**

<p><b>How does the Committee Accomplish its Purpose?</b></p>	<p>The Committee assessed the implementation of Census 2000 operations and programs by conducting onsite field evaluations of census operations throughout the country. Their input provided valuable first-hand assessments to Census managers. Committee members have participated in numerous community activities across the nation in support of Census 2000, including participating in regional outreach activities, providing presentations at national conferences, sponsoring fairs and kick-off events, disseminating Census posters, tee-shirts and caps, as well as numerous other activities. The Committee provided invaluable input to the paid advertising campaign recommending specific strategies to reach English-speaking Latinos. Committee members reviewed and provided substantive comments on Census 2000 outreach materials relating to language translations and literacy. The Committee has</p>	<p>This item is required. When a committee was first established this response was a statement of the plan for achieving the committee's purpose. For all subsequent reviews, this response should be a statement of how the committee continues to accomplish its purpose.</p>
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## The Members List and Form Pages

The user clicks the **Members** hyperlink from either the **Committee Menu** page or the **Justifications** page to display the **Members** page. From the Members page, the user clicks the **View** link to the left of the member's name to view the member's detailed data. Like the **Reports** and **Meetings** pages discussed previously, the **Members** page is a list page.

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	FirstName	LastName	MemberDesignation	RepresentedGroup	OccupationOrAffiliation	StartDate	EndDate	Chairperson	AppointmentType	AppointmentTerm	PayPlan	Pa
<a href="#">View</a>	Manisa	Demeo	Not required until FY05	Not required until FY05	Vice Chair, Decennial Census Advisory Committee (Ex-officio member)	7/15/1999	9/30/2002	No	Other	No Fixed Term	None	No
<a href="#">View</a>	Susana	Gomez	Not required until FY05	Not required until FY05	Assistant Director, Civil Rights Department, AFL-CIO	8/23/2000	12/31/2003	No	Other	No Fixed Term	None	No
<a href="#">View</a>	Maria	Roman	Not required until FY05	Not required until FY05	Special Assistant, Governor George Pataki, New York	11/1/1997	12/31/2003	No	Other	No Fixed Term	None	No
<a href="#">View</a>	Jorge	Chapa	Not required until FY05	Not required until FY05	Professor/Director, Latino Studies, Indiana University	11/1/1994	12/31/2002	No	Other	No Fixed Term	None	No
<a href="#">View</a>	Aileen	Lucero	Not required until FY05	Not required until FY05	Associate Professor, Department of Sociology and Anthropology	11/1/1994	12/31/2002	Yes	Other	No Fixed Term	None	No
<a href="#">View</a>	John	Garcia	Not required until FY05	Not required until FY05	University of Arizona	11/1/1994	12/31/2002	No	Other	No Fixed Term	None	No
<a href="#">View</a>	Anthony	Chavez	Not required until	Not required until	Attorney	11/1/1994	12/31/2002	No	Other	No Fixed Term	None	No



Internet Pages are usually arranged with the most important and/or used information at the top and left of the screen display to try to minimize the need to scroll. In the early years of this system, the agencies were not required to provide all of the information found on the **Members** form page.

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<b>Prefix</b>	Mr.	This item is not Honorable, Ms.,
<b>First Name</b>	Gerald	This item is not
<b>Middle Name</b>		This item is not
<b>Last Name</b>	Lee	This item is required. <b>Prefix, First n, Name</b> is the only must identify an be used to indicate next Fiscal Year Last Name field members.
<b>Suffix</b>		This item is not EdD.

List each member on a separate record. The program counts the number of members for each committee by counting the number of records. Report all members serving on the committee at any time during the fiscal year being reported.

**NOTE:** The determination of which persons are to be counted as "members" of the committee, including members of any subcommittee, is subject to the statutory or administrative authority for the committee under which such members are appointed or selected, and is the responsibility of the agency. This includes such undefined categories as "substitute" (or "alternate"), or "ad hoc" (i.e., temporary member).

Member Designation

Special Government Employee (SGE)  
If Representative, then enter Represented Group below.

This item is required. Individual agencies are responsible, under appropriate statutory mandates and personnel rules, for determining the designation of members who will serve on their Federal advisory committees. For purposes of the FACA Database, advisory committee members normally come under ONE of the following designation categories. Please ensure that each reported advisory committee member is characterized properly in the Database as designated previously by the agency. The default entry to the database will be Special Government Employee (SGE).

**Regular Government Employee (RGE) Member:** Generally, an individual employed within the meaning of 5 U.S.C. 2105, or a Federal officer as defined in 5 U.S.C. 2104. For purposes of the FACA Database only, this category also includes a Federal officer holding a position in the uniformed services (See 5 U.S.C. 2101(3) for a listing of the uniformed services.)

**Special Government Employee (SGE) Member:** An officer or employee of the executive or legislative branch who is retained, designated, appointed, or employed to perform temporary duties (either on a full-time or intermittent basis) for not to exceed 130 days during any period of 365 consecutive days. An SGE may serve with or without compensation. The full definition of SGE also includes individuals in certain miscellaneous positions, who are deemed SGEs without any regard to the number of days of service. In general, SGEs provide Federal advisory committees with their own best independent judgment based on their individual expertise. (For more information on the definition of a SGE, see 18 U.S.C. 202(a), or consult with the agency's ethics official.)

**Representative Member:** An individual who is not a Federal employee (or a Federal employee who is attending in a personal capacity), who is selected for membership on a Federal advisory committee for the purpose of obtaining the point of view or perspective of an outside interest group or stakeholder interest. While representative members may have expertise in a specific area, discipline, or subject matter, they are not selected solely on the basis of this expertise, but rather are selected to represent the point of view of a group or particular interest. (See, for example, Office of Government Ethics (OGE) Internal Advisory Letter 93 x 14.) A representative member may represent groups or organizations, such as industry, labor, consumers, or any other recognizable group of persons having an interest in matters before the committee, including on occasion the public at large. (See, generally, OGE Memorandum 82 x 22.)

**Ex Officio Member:** An individual who serves on a Federal advisory committee strictly by virtue of holding a particular governmental or organizational office, title, or other specified position. For example, if the committee's authority or charter states that a Federal officer by position, or the Governor of a particular State, or the leader of a particular tribe, or the head of a particular trade association or other organization will serve as a member of the committee, that individual would be characterized as an Ex Officio member for purposes of the FACA Database.

**Peer Review Consultant Member:** An individual, primarily non-government expert, qualified by training and experience in particular scientific or technical fields, or qualified as an authority knowledgeable in the various disciplines and fields related to the scientific areas under review. For purposes of the FACA Database, this category applies only to an individual serving on a particular Department of Health and Human Services, National Institutes of Health peer review Federal advisory committee, who provides expert advice on the scientific and technical merit of grant applications or contract proposals, or the concept of contract proposals. (See 42 CFR Part 52h.)

Represented Group

This item is required if Representative Member is selected in the field above. The group represented must be entered in this field.

The data requirements have changed and grown over the years, usually at the behest of congress or the current administration. For instance, the Member Designation field was added as a data collection requirement in 2005. The need for this data became an issue as the result of an audit of the committee member appointment process performed by the Government Accountability Office (GAO) at the request of congress.

The **Appointment Start Date** and **Appointment Stop Date** were added in 1997 for clarity and convenience. The Annual Report, prepared from 1972 through 1978, required that everyone who served during the year be listed. The Annual Comprehensive Review (ACR), which has always served as the statutory basis for data collection by the Secretariat, continues to collect similar information. Listing all the members that serve in a single year could be misleading, because, often, a committee might have 15 members required in the charter, but some members serve only part of the year and then are replaced for the remainder of the year by someone else. When everyone is listed the count of the members of a 15-member committee could easily be any number between 15 and 30. The **Appointment Start** and **Stop** dates add clarity to whom served when, especially when two terms overlap the same report year. The other appointment information collected helps help assure the law's requirement that committee membership be balanced.

<b>Represented Group</b>	Not required until FY05	This item is required if Representative Me
<b>Chairperson</b>	No	This item is required and is Yes if the me
<b>Occupation Or Affiliation</b>	Consultant/National Economic Research Associates	This item is required, but the specific dept indicating either the member's profession,
<b>Appointment Start Date</b>	10/1/1997 <input type="text"/>	This item is required and is the date for the original appointment start date. The de
<b>Appointment End Date</b>	9/30/1998 <input type="text"/>	This item is required and is the date for the
<b>Appointment Type</b>	Not Reported	This item is required. The Pull-down lists default entry is Agency since most comm
<b>Appointment Term</b>	Not Reported	This item is required. Selection from the Pull
<b>Pay Plan</b>	Not Reported	This item is required. Selection from the Pull
<b>Pay Source</b>	Not Reported	This item is required. Selection from the Pull
<b>E-mail Address</b>		This item has been required from 2002 to by Committee Management solely for Per
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The user can return to the **Committee Menu** page from the **Member** form page by clicking the **“Up”** hyperlink. The user can return to the **Members** list page from the Member form page by clicking the **Return** button. As an alternative, the user can return directly to the **Committee Menu** page with the **Committee Menu** link below the **Committee Name**.

## SubCommittees

The **SubCommittees** hyperlink is available for those committees that want to report the committee's subcommittees and/or break out the data for **Reports, Meetings, Costs, and Members** among subcommittees. Breaking out the distribution of committee costs and members, and reporting meetings and individual reports by subcommittees is not required in this system, because that data is not required by the current FACA regulation. Subcommittees normally bring all of their work to the parent committee for review and the parent committee's understanding and approval and/or further development. The chartered parent committee advises the federal government, not the subcommittee. However, sometimes the DFO wants to break out the distribution of cost and effort by the subcommittees' work. In those cases the hyperlinks, navigation buttons, and data entry pages

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<a href="#">2</a>	Dance, Planning & Stabilization
<a href="#">3</a>	Folk & Traditional Arts, Creation & Presentation, Planning & Stabilization
<a href="#">4</a>	Literature, Creation & Presentation/Planning & Stabilization
<a href="#">5</a>	Local Arts Agencies/ Presenting, Creation & Presentation
<a href="#">6</a>	Media Arts, Creation & Presentation/Planning & Stabilization
<a href="#">7</a>	Multidisciplinary, Creation & Presentation
<a href="#">8</a>	Multidisciplinary, Planning & Stabilization
<a href="#">9</a>	Museums, Creation & Presentation
<a href="#">10</a>	Museums/Design, Creation & Presentation
<a href="#">11</a>	Museums/Visual Arts, Planning & Stabilization
<a href="#">12</a>	Museums/Visual Arts/Design, Planning & Stabilization
<a href="#">13</a>	Music, Creation & Presentation
<a href="#">14</a>	Music/Opera, Planning & Stabilization
<a href="#">15</a>	Opera, Creation & Presentation
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function for the subcommittee just the same as those already described at the committee level. The data from the subcommittee pages is combined with the data from the parent committee pages to produce a single summary report.

When the user clicks the **SubCommittees** link in those cases where the committee has either not established subcommittees or the agency and/or committee have opted to not break out or report subcommittee data, the adjoining screen is displayed. This is considered perfectly acceptable under FACA and the GSA Final Rule since all subcommittee activity is supposed to be subsumed in the committee reporting anyway.

## Performance Measures

While performance measures have always been a behind-the-scenes part of effective advisory committee work, a reporting page on some specific Performance Measures was added for the first time in FY 2003. The user gets to the Performance Measures page by clicking on the hyperlink **Performance Measures** found on the Committee Menu page or by the quick navigation link found at the top of the other committee information pages.

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NEA 1093-President's Committee on the Arts and the Humanities

**No Sub Committees were entered for this year.**

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<a href="#">Justifications</a>	<a href="#">Web Site</a>
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The data fields on the **Performance Measure** page are all required fields, but the user has to use some judgment about whether and how the questions apply. The data and answers are carried forward from the previous year, so after the first year of a committee's life, the process is one of making sure the entries are accurate for the committee in the current Fiscal Year. Because the **Performance Measures** page utilizes so many **Comments** fields to explain the "Other" options, displaying the contents can require significant scrolling.

The **Narrative Description** asked the DFO to illustrate how the committee supports the agency's mission and its strategic plan.

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Please provide a narrative description of how the committee supports the agency's mission and its strategic plan.

The Committee supports the Environment Business Function of the U. S. Army Corps of Engineers Civil Works Strategic Plan

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What are the most significant program outcomes associated with this committee? Select all that apply.

- Improvements to health or safety
- Trust in government
- Major policy changes
- Advance in scientific research
- Effective grant making
- Improved service delivery
- Increased customer satisfaction
- Implementation of laws or regulatory requirements
- Other. Please explain in comments.

Comments  
NA

The **Program Outcomes** section supplies some typical, expected outcomes. The DFO answered **Yes** or **No** to all the provided outcomes that applied and was asked to provide an explanation in the **Comments** field, if "Other" was among the selected outcomes.

The **Cost Savings** section asked the DFO to make a ball-park estimate on the cost savings to the agency over the life of the committee through the end of the reported fiscal year. This is often a difficult question for the DFO to answer for any number of reasons. For example, this data was not even requested before FY 2003 and some committees were decades old at that point in time. The DFO was asked to select the single most appropriate answer or range and add any necessary explanatory detail in the **Comments Box** regarding the criteria used to arrive at the figure. Given the circumstances of DFO turnover, frequent administration changes, and agency reorganizations, these numbers were not expected to be hard figures based on hard data, but more in the spirit of well-informed guesstimates. If the DFO did not feel that any figure would withstand minimal scrutiny or question, the proper response would appropriately be **Unable to Determine**. On the other hand, if the committee has existed for decades and was known to have made a significant contribution in cost savings, but there is no way to calculate how much, the directions urge the DFO to simply say that in the **Comments Box**.

What are the cost savings associated with this committee?

- None
- Unable to Determine
- < \$100,000
- \$100,001 - \$500,000
- \$500,001 - \$1,000,000
- \$1,000,001 - \$5,000,000
- \$5,000,001 - \$10,000,000
- >\$10,000,001

Comments  
NA

## The Committee Recommendations Sections

For most committees, the **Number of Recommendations** section reflects a value that is the total of the separate and distinct recommendations conveyed formally to the decision maker "using" the committee for the entire life of the committee. For certain committees, like Special Emphasis Panels, however, which make grant and research recommendations on a Fiscal Year basis, the Recommendations issue is more appropriately explored in the **Grants section** below. Explanatory detail should be provided in the **Number of recommendations Comments Box** found above.

What is the approximate **Number** of recommendations produced by the committee for the life of the committee?

Comments

Committee requested approval for their two year work plan.

What is the approximate **Percentage** of these recommendations that have been or will be **Fully** implemented by the agency?

%

Comments

Committee requested approval for their two year work plan and approval was granted

The **Percentage of Recommendations Fully Implemented** section delineates, to the extent known by the DFO, the cumulative total percentage of the formally conveyed recommendations that have been fully implemented by the agency over the life of the committee thus far. Clarifications and explanations are expected to be included in the **Percent of Recommendations Fully Implemented Comments Box**.

The **Percentage of Recommendations Partially Implemented** section explains, again to the extent known by the DFO, the cumulative percentage of the formally conveyed recommendations that have been partially implemented over the life of the committee thus far. Clarifications and explanations should be included in the **Percent of Recommendations Partially Implemented Comments Box**.

What is the approximate **Percentage** of these recommendations that have been or will be **Partially** implemented by the agency?

%

Comments

NA

Does the agency provide the committee with feedback regarding actions taken to implement recommendations or advice offered?

Yes  No  Not Applicable

If your answer is No or Not Applicable,

Please explain why your agency does not provide feedback.

NA

If your answer is Yes,

How does the agency provide this feedback?

The agency provides feedback at each meeting

The **Agency Feedback about Recommendations** section required selecting a **Yes, No, or Not Applicable**. If the response was "No" or "Not Applicable", the DFO was asked to explain in the **No Feedback Comment**

**Box** why feedback was not considered necessary. If the response was **Yes**, he or she was asked to explain in the **Yes, We Provide Feedback Comment Box** how the feedback was provided.

The **Actions the Agency Has Taken** section required that the DFO select **Yes** or **No** for all the actions that applied. If the response to the "**Other**" field was "Yes", an explanation in the **Comments** field was requested.

What other actions has the agency taken as a result of the committees advice or recommendation? Select all that apply.

- Reorganized priorities
- Reallocated resources
- Issued new regulations
- Proposed legislation
- Approved grants or other payments
- Other. Please explain in comments.

Comments

Four draft regulations were issued in partial response to Committee recommendations regarding peer review, collaborative problem solving and public involvement

## The Grant Review Section

Some committees are engaged in grant review. When that is so, the **Engaged in Review for Grants** section required the DFO to select "**Yes**" in response to the question. If **Yes** was selected, then the DFO was asked to provide an **Estimated Number of the Grant Requests Reviewed**, and provide an **Estimated Number of the grants the Committee recommended** for approval, and provide an **Estimated Dollar Value of the grants recommended** for approval.

Finally, the DFO was asked to add any helpful explanations in **Grants Review Comments**.

Is the Committee engaged in the review of applications for grants?

Yes  No

If your answer is Yes,

What is the estimated **Number** of grants reviewed for approval?

0

What is the estimated **Number** of grants recommended for approval?

0

What is the estimated **Dollar Value** of grants recommended for approval?

0

Comments

NA

## The Access to Committee Information Section

The Access to Committee Information and Documentation section required the DFO to select **Yes** or **No** from the selections for all the methods stated that applied. If the response to "**Other**" was "**Yes**", the DFO was asked to provide an explanation in the **Comments** Box.

All the questions for the Performance Measures part of the ACR required a response, all the **Comment** boxes were asked to be utilized, and information about the data provider was included at the bottom of the page.

How is access provided to the information for the Committee documentation? Select all that apply.

- Contact DFO
- Online Agency Web Site
- Online Committee Web Site
- Online GSA FACA Web Site
- Publications
- Other. Please explain in comments.

Comments  
NA

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## Committee Report

The **Committee Report** hyperlink displays a printable report specific to the selected committee and includes all of the year's summary information except for the information on the Performance Measures page/report. This is so because the two reports were developed at different times for different purposes. The Committee Report continues to display question numbers linking the data to the questions asked by Annual Report process up through FY 1998.

**2001 Current FY Report: Review of Federal Advisory Committee**

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1. Department or Agency <b>National Endowment for the Arts</b>	2. Fiscal Year <b>2001</b>
3. Committee or SubCommittee <b>Combined Arts Advisory Panel</b>	3b. GSA Committee No <b>5158</b>
4. Is this New During Fiscal Year? <b>No</b>	5. Current Charter <b>8/14/2000</b>
	6. Expected Renewal Date <b>8/14/2002</b>
	7. Expected Term Date <b>8/14/2002</b>
8a. Was Terminated During FY? <b>No</b>	8b. Specific Termination Authority <b>20 USC 951 et. seq.</b>
	8c. Actual Termination Date
9. Agency Recommendation for Next FY <b>Continue</b>	10a. Legislation Req to Terminate?
	10b. Legislation Pending?
11. Establishment Authority <b>Statutory(Congress Created)</b>	13. Effective Date <b>1/1/1965</b>
12. Specific Establishment Authority <b>20 USC 951 et. seq.</b>	14. Committee Type <b>Continuing</b>
	14c. Presidential? <b>No</b>

## Designated Federal Official (DFO) Information

The **DFO Info** hyperlink displays the **DFO Information** page, the information screen for the Designated Federal Official assigned to the advisory committee.

The DFO assigned to maintain the committee information updates the information on the **DFO Information** page during the reporting year. The CMO can update this information as well, although the DFO cannot update the CMO information.

The user can return to the **Committee Menu** page by using the **Up** hyperlink.

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<b>Prefix:</b>	Mr.	This item is not required. Thi
<b>First Name:</b>	Norman	This item is not required. Thi
<b>Middle Initial:</b>	T.	This item is not required. Thi
<b>Last Name:</b>	Edwards	This item is required. This is <b>Last Name</b> is the only requ
<b>Suffix:</b>		This item is not required. Thi
<b>Title:</b>	DFO/Executive Secretary, Chief of Engineers Environmental Advisory Board	This item is required. This ca
<b>Phone:</b>	(202) 761-1934	This item is required. Any fo
<b>Fax:</b>	(202) 761-1500	This item is required. Any fo
<b>E-Mail:</b>	Norman.T.Edwards@usace.army.mil	This item is required.
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## Group Federal Official (GFO) Information

If a **GFO Info** hyperlink is visible, clicking the link displays the **GFO Information** page, which has information specific to the Group Federal Officer(s). This is a name that you will not find in the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA). Some larger agencies have enough committees that they form subsets of the committees as specially named groups with a group coordinator assigned to each group, hence, the GFO. The Department of the Interior has all the advisory committees to the National Park Service in a group, all of the advisory committees to the Bureau of Land Management in a second group, etc., etc. But not all of the advisory committees to the Department of the Interior are in groups. The **GFO Info** hyperlink is only visible when a group coordinator is involved. To complicate matters, sometimes a committee is in more than one group.

GFO Information	
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2001 DOC 337-Industry Sector Advisory Co	
Prefix:	Ms
First Name:	Jean
Middle Name Or MI:	D.
Last Name:	Leslie
Suffix:	
Title:	GFO
Phone:	202-482-3266
Fax:	202-482-1584
E-Mail:	jean_leslie@ita.doc.gov

## Committee Management Officer (CMO) Information

The **CMO Info** link displays the **CMO Information** page when clicked. There is always a Committee Management Officer (CMO) for every agency with an advisory committee, just as there is always a Designated Federal Official (DFO) for each advisory committee. The contents of the **E-Mail Address** field plays an important part in the workflow process of this system, since e-mails are sent to this address alerting the CMO of changes made to the committee data.

The user returns to the **Committee Menu** page via the **Up** hyperlink.

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HHS 799 - Board of Scientific Counselors of the National Heart, Lung,	
<a href="#">Committee Menu</a> <a href="#">General Info</a> <a href="#">Agency Recommendations</a> <a href="#">Report</a>	
<div style="background-color: black; color: white; padding: 2px;">[Redacted]</div>	
Prefix:	
First Name:	Marie
Middle Name Or MI:	
Last Name:	Absher
Suffix:	
Title:	CMO
Phone:	(202) 690-6625
Fax:	202-401-1948
E-Mail:	marie.absher@hhs.gov
Agency URL:	<a href="#">Go</a>
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## Committee Decision Maker

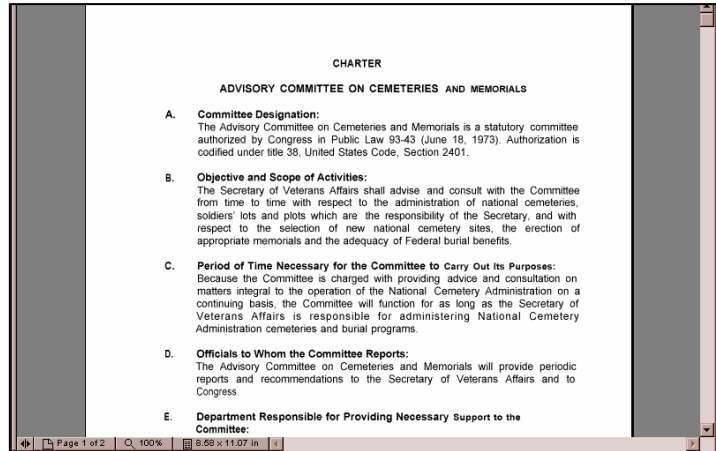
Most committees exist to provide advice to a federal official. This page is designed to capture the contact information of the person who decides to use or not use the committee's recommendations.

Committee Decision Maker	
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DOD 12170 - Board of Visitors for the Western Hemisphere Ins	
<a href="#">Committee Menu</a> <a href="#">General Info</a> <a href="#">Agency Recommendations</a>	
<b>Definition: This person makes agency decisions about implementation of this committee's recommendations.</b>	
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Prefix:	Dr.
First Name:	Francis
Middle Initial:	J.
Last Name:	Harvey
Suffix:	
Title:	Secretary of the Army
Phone:	(703) 695-3211
<small>This item is required.</small>	



## View Charter

The **View Charter** hyperlink displays the committee's current Charter. Either the agency or the Committee Management Secretariat has uploaded the charter to the online storage system. For some older charters, which exist only in hard copy, the document has been scanned into a readable .pdf format and uploaded to the system (not all committee charters require renewal and some date back to the Whiskey Rebellion). Returning from the **View Charter** screen to the **Committee Menu** page is one of the few times that it is appropriate to click the **browser back button**.



The user returns to the **Committee Menu** page with the **Up** hyperlink.

## Committee Web Site

If the **Committee Menu** page displays a **Web Site** hyperlink, the page is linked directly to a web site for either the advisory committee or the advisory committee's agency. Some agencies and some committees place their charters, reports, minutes, committee activities and meeting dates, etc. directly on their own web site. If the user has jumped to the web site and wishes to return to the tracking system, the user clicks the web browser's back button. If the user has browsed deeply into the agency's or committee's web site, it may be necessary to click **Go Back** many, many times to return to the FACADatabase Online System.



## Participant Logon

At the beginning of FY 2003, the Committee Management Secretariat, EPA, and VA funded work performed by Gallup, Inc. to survey the advisory committee experience of committee members participating during FY 2002. This activity was undertaken to establish a useful baseline for Performance Measures for Advisory Committees. The Participant Logon provides a means for committee members to access the reports generated by that survey. Committee members entitled to see the survey results could expect to receive directions from their Designated Federal Officials (DFOs) on how to access this information online.

# The Database Search

The Database Search button displays the Database Search page. To see all the options available to refine a query or fine-tune a search it is necessary to scroll down to the bottom of the page. The Database Search feature allows the user to pose a query to the database and get the response back as a web page.

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Choose your criteria from the drop down boxes below. A BLANK choice returns all.

**ADVISORY COMMITTEE INFORMATION**

Agency (Grp): [ACDA, ADF, AID] Fiscal Year: [1999] Agency Recommendation: [Continue] Presidential: [Pres Appts] Establishment Authority: [ ]

Member Count: [ ] New: [ ] Type: [ ] Status: [Chartered, Active, Active Only] Function: [ ]

**ADVISORY COMMITTEE REPORTS AND MEETINGS**

Reports: [0] Total Meetings: [0] Open Meetings: [ ] Closed Meetings: [ ]

**ADVISORY COMMITTEE COSTS AND FTE USAGE**

Travel Costs: [ ] Fed Staff Costs: [ ] Member Costs: [ ] Other Costs: [ ]

Total Actual Costs: [ > 0 ] Total Projected Costs: [ ] Consultant Costs: [ ] FTE: [ ]

Display Committee List  
Display Member List  
Continue

A typical inquiry as shown by the selections above and right could be “Give me all the committees in **1999** that were **chartered**, **recommended to continue**, and **spending money** but had **no meetings** and **no reports**.”

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WHERE FY = '1999' AND CommitteeStatus = 'Chartered' AND AdminInactive <> 'Y' AND Recommendation = 'Continue' AND (Reports is null or Reports = 0) AND (MeetingsTotal is null or MeetingsTotal = 0) AND TotalActualCosts > 0

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FY	AgencyAbbr	AgencyName	CNo	CommitteeName	CommitteeFunction	Presidential	PresidentialAppointments	EstablishmentAuthority	CommitteeType	Commu
1999	CCR	Commission on Civil Rights	251	Alabama Advisory Committee	Non Scientific Program Advisory Board	No	No	Statutory(Congress Created)	Continuing	Charter
1999	CCR	Commission on Civil Rights	263	Hawaii Advisory Committee	Non Scientific Program Advisory Board	No	No	Statutory(Congress Created)	Continuing	Charter
1999	CCR	Commission on Civil Rights	264	Idaho Advisory Committee	Non Scientific Program Advisory Board	No	No	Statutory(Congress Created)	Continuing	Charter
1999	CCR	Commission on Civil Rights	279	Nebraska Advisory Committee	Non Scientific Program Advisory Board	No	No	Statutory(Congress Created)	Continuing	Charter
1999	CNCS	Corporation for National and Community Service	1903	Civilian Community Corps Advisory Board	National Policy Issue Advisory Board	No	No	Statutory(Congress Created)	Continuing	Charter
1999	DOD	Department of Defense	390	Board of Advisors to the President's Naval War College	Non Scientific Program Advisory Board	No	No	Agency Authority	Continuing	Charter

The user can decide to save the search result as a spreadsheet file, an XML file (useful if you want to load the data into a database), or an ASCII file (a text file that can be used in any word processor). The query criteria are displayed in case the user wants to refine the query further.

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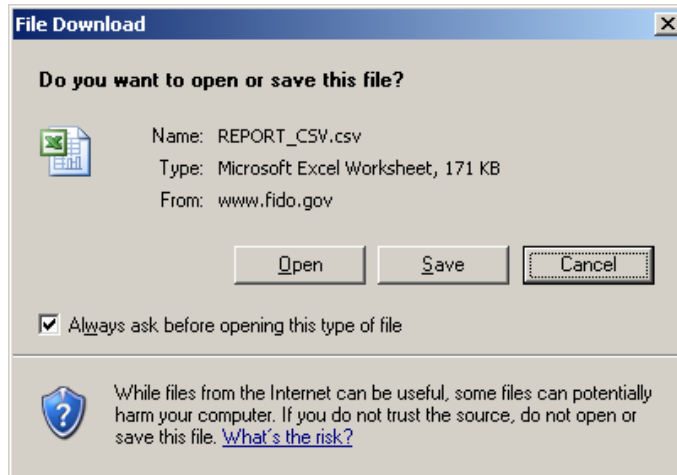
WHERE FY = '1999' AND CommitteeStatus = 'Chartered' AND AdminInactive <> 'Y' AND Recommendation = 'Continue' AND (Reports is null or Reports = 0) AND (MeetingsTotal is null or MeetingsTotal = 0) AND TotalActualCosts > 0

[Spreadsheet](#)  
[XML ASCII](#)

FY	AgencyAbbr	AgencyName	CommitteeName	Member	MemberDesignation	RepresentedGroup	Startdate	Enddate	AppointmentType	AppointmentTer
1999	CCR	Commission on Civil Rights	Alabama Advisory Committee	Aronov-Heilpern, Ms. Freddi	Not required until FY05	Not required until FY05	10/1/1998	9/30/1999	Not Reported	Not Reported
1999	CCR	Commission on Civil Rights	Alabama Advisory Committee	Carnley, Ms. Nancy A.W.	Not required until FY05	Not required until FY05	10/1/1998	9/30/1999	Not Reported	Not Reported
1999	CCR	Commission on Civil Rights	Alabama Advisory Committee	Davis, Mr. Michael	Not required until FY05	Not required until FY05	10/1/1998	9/30/1999	Not Reported	Not Reported
1999	CCR	Commission on Civil Rights	Alabama Advisory Committee	Gray, Mr. Jerome	Not required until FY05	Not required until FY05	10/1/1998	9/30/1999	Not Reported	Not Reported
1999	CCR	Commission on Civil Rights	Alabama Advisory Committee	Max, Mr. Rodney	Not required until FY05	Not required until FY05	10/1/1998	9/30/1999	Not Reported	Not Reported
1999	CCR	Commission on Civil Rights	Alabama Advisory Committee	Morthland, Dr. Rex J.	Not required until FY05	Not required until FY05	10/1/1998	9/30/1999	Not Reported	Not Reported
1999	CCR	Commission on Civil Rights	Alabama Advisory Committee	Munchus, III Dr. George	Not required until FY05	Not required until FY05	10/1/1998	9/30/1999	Not Reported	Not Reported
1999	CCR	Commission on Civil Rights	Alabama Advisory Committee	Owens, Ms. Lori J.	Not required until FY05	Not required until FY05	10/1/1998	9/30/1999	Not Reported	Not Reported
1999	CCR	Commission on Civil Rights	Alabama Advisory Committee	Selden, Mr. Jack W.	Not required until FY05	Not required until FY05	10/1/1998	9/30/1999	Not Reported	Not Reported

In addition to a committee list, the user can opt for a member list based on the same or different query.

If the user should decide to save the query data to a file on their own computer, doing so can be done quickly and efficiently. Select the file type to use to analyze the query data produced above (Spreadsheet, XML, or ASCII) and the browser opens a download message box. Click **“Open”** to display the response data in an Excel spreadsheet.



In the event the answer of 33 committees and 810,390 dollars make this a question worth further analysis, the user can download the data to a file on the local computer.

1	FY	AgencyAb	AgencyNa	CNo	Committee	Committee	Presidenti	Presidenti	Establishn	Committee	Committee	Recommet	CurrentCh
2	1999	CCR	Commissi	251	Alabama A	Non Scien	No	No	Statutory((	Continuing	Chartered	Continue	12/3/1997
3	1999	CCR	Commissi	263	Hawaii Adv	Non Scien	No	No	Statutory((	Continuing	Chartered	Continue	12/3/1997
4	1999	CCR	Commissi	264	Idaho Advi	Non Scien	No	No	Statutory((	Continuing	Chartered	Continue	12/3/1997
5	1999	CCR	Commissi	279	Nebraska .	Non Scien	No	No	Statutory((	Continuing	Chartered	Continue	12/3/1997
6	1999	CNCS	Corporati	1903	Civilian Co	National P	No	No	Statutory((	Continuing	Chartered	Continue	5/3/1994
7	1999	DOD	Departmer	390	Board of A	Non Scien	No	No	Agency Au	Continuing	Chartered	Continue	2/28/1998
8	1999	DOD	Departmer	241	Board of V	Non Scien	No	No	Agency Au	Continuing	Chartered	Continue	2/28/1998
9	1999	DOI	Departmer	499	Committee	Other	Yes	No	Presidenti	Continuing	Chartered	Continue	4/8/1998
10	1999	DOI	Departmer	527	Kalaupapa	Non Scien	No	No	Authorized	Continuing	Chartered	Continue	1/19/1993
11	1999	DOI	Departmer	5198	National M	Grant Revi	No	No	Statutory((	Continuing	Chartered	Continue	6/12/1997
12	1999	DOI	Departmer	553	National P	Non Scien	No	No	Statutory((	Continuing	Chartered	Continue	3/14/1996
13	1999	DOI	Departmer	556	National P	Non Scien	No	No	Statutory((	Continuing	Chartered	Continue	3/14/1996
14	1999	DOL	Departmer	640	Federal Cc	Non Scien	No	No	Agency Au	Continuing	Chartered	Continue	4/13/1999
15	1999	DOS	Departmer	204	Advisory C	National P	No	No	Statutory((	Continuing	Chartered	Continue	12/9/1998
16	1999	DOS	Departmer	1945	Advisory P	Other	No	No	Statutory((	Continuing	Chartered	Continue	9/3/1998
17	1999	EPA	Environme	2029	Industrial N	Scientific T	No	No	Agency Au	Continuing	Chartered	Continue	9/29/1997
18	1999	HHS	Departmer	5273	Advisory C	National P	No	No	Statutory((	Continuing	Chartered	Continue	3/24/1999
19	1999	HHS	Departmer	1863	Biological	Special Er	No	No	Authorized	Continuing	Chartered	Continue	1/3/1994
20	1999	HHS	Departmer	1919	Board of S	Other	No	No	Authorized	Continuing	Chartered	Continue	7/15/1994

The response data set will always contain the same set of fields, but the record-set will change based upon the search criteria. The fields returned are:

- **Fiscal Year** (Currently, 1997-2007. The current active Fiscal Year will be updated continuously through the end of the calendar year.)
- **Agency Abbreviation**
- **Agency Name**
- **Committee Number** (GSA assigned this number when the committee was established to track the committee over its life and history)
- **Committee Name**
- **Committee Function** (generic classification of the committee concerned)
- **Presidential** (Reports to the President: Yes or No)
- **Presidential Appointments** (President appoints some members: Yes or No)
- **Establishment Authority** (Statutory, Presidential, Agency, or Authorized by Law. Not all advisory committees established by the President report to the President)
- **Type of Committee** (Continuing from year to year or Ad Hoc [less than one year])
- **Committee Status** (Chartered, Terminated, Pending)
- **Agency Recommendation** (to continue or terminate the committee)
- **Total Number of Members**
- **Current Charter Date** (as of the year being reported)
- **Date to renew Charter** (as of the year being reported)
- **Date to terminate committee** (if stated in charter or legislation)
- **Total Number of Members**
- **Total Number of Reports**
- **Number of Open Meetings**
- **Number of Closed Meetings** (includes meetings that were partially closed)
- **Total Number of Meetings**
- **Travel Costs** (all members, consultants, and staff reported)
- **Federal Staff Costs** (includes applicable percentage of salary and benefits)
- **Member Costs** (includes Federal members)
- **Consultants Costs**
- **Other Costs** (all other costs of meetings and committee activities)
- **Total Actual Costs**
- **Total Projected Costs** (for the next fiscal year)
- **Full Time Equivalent (FTE)** (the number of full time staff supporting the committee)
- **CMO Contact Information**
- **DFO Contact Information**
- **Date committee data was last updated** (for reported year)
- **Administratively Inactive** (Yes or No, this field was added in 2002)
- **Key information for database** (Committee record)
- **New Committee the year reported: Yes or No.**
- **Key information for database** (Agency record)

To make the system useful for the largest number of users, the **Database Search** design quickly provides the most frequently requested data set.

## The Members Search

Since there are now as many as 65,000 citizens contributing their time to advisory committee concerns in any given year, the system would be considered vastly incomplete without a Member Search capability. There are limitations to our member data, however, and most of those are self-imposed. This is a publicly accessible database and the database contains no more information than the minimum the law requires. The citizens contributing their time to the improved and effective functioning of the federal government are identified by name and occupation or affiliation.

## Members Characteristics Search

The **Members Characteristics Search** page allows searching the Member table by any or all of the listed characteristics. Searching all years and all agencies for members with a last name like Fussell (not an overly common name) produces the page below. Since data is collected by Fiscal Year, and members serve for multiple years, a search like this one involving more than one year produces significant duplication.

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FACA Members Search Report (18 rows returned)										July 31, 2007 3:07:25 PM	
WHERE LastName LIKE '%Fussell%'										Spreadsheet XML ASCII	
FY	AgencyAbbr	AgencyName	CommitteeName	Member	MemberDesignation	RepresentedGroup	Chairperson	Startdate	Enddate	AppointmentType	AppointmentTerm
1997	NSF	National Science Foundation	Special Emphasis Panel in Computer and Computational Research	Fussell, Professor Donald S	Not required until FY05	Not required until FY05	No	10/1/1996	9/30/1997	Not Reported	Not Reported
1997	NSF	National Science Foundation	Special Emphasis Panel in Design, Manufacture, and Industrial Innovation	Fussell, Dr. Paul S	Not required until FY05	Not required until FY05	No	10/1/1996	9/30/1997	Not Reported	Not Reported
1997	USDA	Department of Agriculture	General Conference Committee of the National Poultry Improvement Plan	Fussell, Dr. Leonard W.	Not required until FY05	Not required until FY05	No	10/1/1996	9/30/1997	Not Reported	Not Reported

## Member Search By Agency Or Group

The Members by Agency or Group Search produces a list of committee members contributing their time to a particular agency or sub group (like the National Park Service, and within the NPS, the Alaska Region) for a particular year. When using this feature, please remember that some groups and some agencies are very large (the Department of Health and Human Services [HHS] would have a list 30,000 members long during any single year and the National Institutes of Health, a sub group of HHS, has more than 20,000 of those committee members during the same period).

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Members By Agency or Group Search

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Choose Fiscal Year: 1997 1998 1999 2000 2001 2002 2003

Choose Agency or Group: ACDA ADF AID AMC ATBCB BBG CCR

Sort on:  Name  Committee

Members By Agency or Group

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WHERE AgencyAbbr = 'CCR' AND FY = '2003' [Spreadsheet](#) [XML](#) [ASCII](#)

Member	MemberDesignation	RepresentedGroup	FY	AgencyAbbr	AgencyName	CommitteeName	Chairperson	Startdate	Enddate	AppointmentType	Appointm
Abourezk, Esq. Mr. Charles T.	Not required until FY05	Not required until FY05	2003	CCR	Commission on Civil Rights	South Dakota Advisory Committee	No	2/15/2002	2/14/2004	Agency	2 years
Absher, Mr. W.M. (Woody)	Not required until FY05	Not required until FY05	2003	CCR	Commission on Civil Rights	Wyoming Advisory Committee	No	2/15/2002	2/14/2004	Agency	2 years
Ackerman, Ms. Marian	Not required until FY05	Not required until FY05	2003	CCR	Commission on Civil Rights	North Carolina Advisory Committee	No	2/15/2002	2/14/2004	Agency	2 years
Adams, Mrs. Stella	Not required until FY05	Not required until FY05	2003	CCR	Commission on Civil Rights	North Carolina Advisory Committee	No	2/15/2002	2/14/2004	Agency	2 years
Addison, Mr. Alan N.	Not required until FY05	Not required until FY05	2003	CCR	Commission on Civil Rights	Rhode Island Advisory Committee	No	2/15/2002	2/14/2004	Agency	2 years
Agustin, Mr. Stanley	Not required until FY05	Not required until FY05	2003	CCR	Commission on Civil Rights	New Mexico Advisory Committee	Yes	9/18/1998	6/17/2004	Agency	2 years
Ai, Mr. Allen H.	Not required until FY05	Not required until FY05	2003	CCR	Commission on Civil Rights	Hawaii Advisory Committee	No	6/18/2002	6/17/2004	Agency	2 years
Ajluni, Esq. Ms. Eun (Ellen) Gyung	Not required until FY05	Not required until FY05	2003	CCR	Commission on Civil Rights	Michigan Advisory Committee	No	2/15/2002	2/14/2004	Agency	2 years

The other kind of data set most requested from the database is a list – members, meetings, reports, etc. Our approach here also is provide the user with a fixed data set of fields while allowing a selection of records via the most appropriate search criteria suited to our data design. This feature is called the **Download Center** and it is discussed next.

## The Download Center

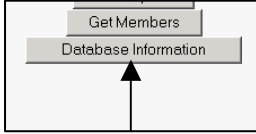
Clicking the **Download Center** button displays the **Download Center** page. The user can download all the data in the database except a couple of fields of data that are restricted due to privacy concerns (i.e., committee members' e-mail addresses). The data results are first displayed in a web page. From there the data can be downloaded to a spreadsheet file, an XML file, or an ASCII file. Selection criteria can be the fiscal year or the agency or group. The user may select any single fiscal year, or all of them, by leaving the Fiscal Year criteria blank in the Choose Fiscal Year selection box. The user can select a single agency or group, or all the agencies from the agency criteria selection box. Once the selections are made, the user clicks the appropriate button to list the agencies or committees or members, etc., etc. The downloaded data includes the key information that relates the tables to each other, and all downloads except the **GetAgencies** option includes the **Agency**, the **Committee Number**, and the **Committee Name**.

FY	AgencyAbbr	AgencyName	CommitteeName	OriginalEstablishmentDate	TerminationDate	Title	Prefix	FirstName	MiddleName	LastName	Suffix	Phone	Fax
2003	CCR	Commission on Civil Rights	Alabama Advisory Committee	1/1/1957		Civil Rights Analyst, Central Regional Office, USCCR	Ms.	Farella	E.	Robinson		913-551-1400	913-551-1413
2003	CCR	Commission on Civil Rights	Alaska Advisory Committee	1/1/1957		Director, Western Regional Office, USCCR	Mr.	Philip		Montez		213-894-3437	213-894-0508
2003	CCR	Commission on Civil Rights	Arizona Advisory Committee	1/1/1957		Director, Western Regional Office, USCCR	Mr.	Philip		Montez		213-894-3437	213-894-0508
2003	CCR	Commission on Civil Rights	Arkansas Advisory Committee	1/1/1957		Civil Rights Analyst, Central Regional Office, USCCR	Ms.	Farella	E.	Robinson		913-551-1400	913-551-1413

There are a couple of caveats. Selecting “blank” from **Choose Fiscal Years** gets “**All the fiscal years**”, which includes selecting the current fiscal year. Not only does this select a lot of data, there is the additional problem that the current fiscal year is usually incomplete until the end of that calendar year, and any download including the current year will likely provide incomplete and inaccurate results until then. It is best to select a single year at a time and to avoid the current year.

There are a lot of members, so selecting all agencies and clicking on **Get Members** will potentially produce a huge download (603957 records now and adding 65,000 more each year). HHS had 38,939 members in their advisory committees in 2006.

## Database Information



The **Database Information** button displays information on the structure of the data tables stored in the system. With the key fields in each download table identified and the relationships between the tables displayed, the data provided in these downloads

can be recombined on the user's local system for practically any kind of further analysis and reports. There is some built in complexity since the committees and subcommittees to the committees are captured in the same data table. It would wise for anyone wishing to rebuild the database from the downloaded tables to consult with Committee Management Secretariat regarding the primary and foreign keys in each table. Doing so would allow researchers to confirm their understanding of the existing data relationships.

Selecting "**dict**" for the tblGeneralInfo displays the complete data dictionary for that table. The same is true for any of the tables, however, not all of the tables in the database are displayed and not all of the tables are available for download from the online system.

Anyone interested in different or customized combinations of the existing data tables ranging from a single table to the entire database is urged to contact the Secretariat or a member of the web application's support team.

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Table Name	Dictionary
tblAgencies	<a href="#">dict</a>
tblCommittees	<a href="#">dict</a>
tblGeneralInfo	<a href="#">dict</a>
tblMeetings	<a href="#">dict</a>
tblReports	<a href="#">dict</a>
tblCosts	<a href="#">dict</a>
tblMembers	<a href="#">dict</a>
tblJustifications	<a href="#">dict</a>
tblRecommendations	<a href="#">dict</a>

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**Table Definition- tblGeneralInfo**

Field Name	Field Type	Field Size	Sample Data
GeneralInfoID	int	4	373
CID	int	4	774
CNo	int	4	774
FY	char	4	1997
DepartmentOrAgency	varchar	5	HHS
NewCommittee	char	3	No
CurrentCharterDate	datetime	16	2/23/1996
DateOfRenewalCharter	datetime	16	2/1/1998
DateToTerminate	datetime	16	
TerminatedThisFY	char	3	No
SpecificTerminationAuthority	varchar	50	42 U.S.C. 217a
ActualTerminationDate	datetime	16	
EstablishmentAuthority	varchar	30	Authorized by Law
SpecificEstablishmentAuthority	varchar	50	42 U.S.C. 217a
EffectiveDateOfAuthority	datetime	16	11/17/1962
CommitteeType	varchar	15	Continuing
Presidential	char	3	No





In a similar vein, there were some sub reports in the **Printed Annual Report** that certain audiences still desire. We sometimes get requests from new members of Congress for reports that previous Congresses discontinued. To satisfy that requirement, reports that are compiled from the data .pdf files of previously printed annual reports, and new analyses when requested and prepared, will all be gathered in this Annual Comprehensive Review section.

<b>FACA Database</b>	
Annual Comprehensive Review	
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File Name	File Size
<a href="#">1999_Committee_List.rtf</a>	540534
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<a href="#">1999_Committee_List_by_Function.doc</a>	391168
<a href="#">1999_Committee_List_by_Personnel_Payments.doc</a>	315904
<a href="#">1999_Committee_List_by_Personnel_Payments_and_Details.doc</a>	503296
<a href="#">2000_Committee_List.doc</a>	469504
<a href="#">2000_Committee_List_by_Authority.doc</a>	320512
<a href="#">2000_Committee_List_by_Function.doc</a>	393216
<a href="#">2000_Committee_List_by_Personnel_Payments.doc</a>	314368
<a href="#">2000_Committee_List_by_Personnel_Payments_and_Detail.rtf</a>	762543
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<a href="#">2001_Committee_List_By_Authority.rtf</a>	333471
<a href="#">2001_Committee_List_By_Function.rtf</a>	437754
<a href="#">2001_Committee_List_By_Personnel_Payments.rtf</a>	344302
<a href="#">2001_Committee_List_By_Personnel_Payments_And_Details.rtf</a>	647295
<a href="#">2002_Committee_List.rtf</a>	552310

<b>Agency/Committee List for FY 2002</b>								
Agency/Committee Name	ID No	Status	Authority	Recommendation	Terminated?	Meetings	FY 2002	Est FY 2003
<b>African Development Foundation</b>								
African Development Foundation Advisory Council	250	Continuing	Statutory(Congress Created)	Continue	No	0	0	0
<b>Total for African Development Foundation:</b>						<b>0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>
<b>Agency for International Development</b>								
Advisory Committee of the USAID Malaria Vaccine Development Program	1056	Continuing	Agency Authority	Terminate	Yes	1	38445	0
Advisory Committee on Voluntary Foreign Aid	164	Continuing	Agency Authority	Continue	No	2	297344	278026
Board for International Food and Agricultural Development	1053	Continuing	Statutory(Congress Created)	Continue	No	0	120000	250000
Food Security Advisory Committee	5180	Ad Hoc	Agency Authority	Terminate	Yes	1	95000	0
<b>Total for Agency for International Development:</b>						<b>4</b>	<b>\$50,789</b>	<b>\$528,026</b>
<b>Architectural and Transportation Barriers Compliance Board</b>								
Public Rights-of-Way Access Advisory Committee	5289	Ad Hoc	Agency Authority	Continue	No	3	75958	33500
<b>Total for Architectural and Transportation Barriers Compliance Board:</b>						<b>3</b>	<b>\$75,958</b>	<b>\$33,500</b>
<b>Broadcasting Board of Governors</b>								
Advisory Board for Cuba Broadcasting	1316	Continuing	Statutory(Congress Created)	Continue	No	0	0	0
<b>Total for Broadcasting Board of Governors:</b>						<b>0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>
<b>Commission on Civil Rights</b>								
Alabama Advisory Committee	251	Continuing	Statutory(Congress Created)	Continue	No	2	55220	52096
Alaska Advisory Committee	253	Continuing	Statutory(Congress Created)	Continue	No	2	78450	75226
Arizona Advisory Committee	254	Continuing	Statutory(Congress Created)	Continue	No	1	63848	49868
Arkansas Advisory Committee	255	Continuing	Statutory(Congress Created)	Continue	No	2	51279	48075
California Advisory Committee	256	Continuing	Statutory(Congress Created)	Continue	No	3	85948	82874
Colorado Advisory Committee	257	Continuing	Statutory(Congress Created)	Continue	No	1	56593	52264
Connecticut Advisory Committee	258	Continuing	Statutory(Congress Created)	Continue	No	0	37915	34096
Delaware Advisory Committee	259	Continuing	Statutory(Congress Created)	Continue	No	1	41124	39329
District of Columbia Advisory Committee	260	Continuing	Statutory(Congress Created)	Continue	No	4	43047	37368
Florida Advisory Committee	261	Continuing	Statutory(Congress Created)	Continue	No	4	85710	74067
Georgia Advisory Committee	262	Continuing	Statutory(Congress Created)	Continue	No	0	65616	54551
Hawaii Advisory Committee	263	Continuing	Statutory(Congress Created)	Continue	No	1	58589	54968
Idaho Advisory Committee	264	Continuing	Statutory(Congress Created)	Continue	No	0	58589	54968
Illinois Advisory Committee	265	Continuing	Statutory(Congress Created)	Continue	No	3	68356	60976