## **Employee Personal Page Alternate Access**

The National Finance Center's (NFC) Employee Personal Page (EPP) may be accessed outside of the ConnectHR and eAuthentication log ins. This does require a few steps to set up, but will allow you to access it when you may be in non pay status.

Use this link to go to NFC: <u>https://www.nfc.usda.gov/</u>



On the right hand side you will see the Application Launchpad

Click on the link for the EPP



Accept the warning on the next page to continue.



You are now at the main log in screen



If you are like me, you have used your eauthentication account to access this for a long time, and do not know your user name or password. You can click the links for "forgot user name" and "forgot password" to receive an email form NFC. If you have not set up your email address in the past, then this process goes through snail mail.



Here we go, I am going to click on the "Forgot User Name Button"

This screen comes up next:



I suggest requesting the information on line-

It requests information from you- please note- it is searching by exactly what is on the NFC database- so use your name as it appears on your Earnings and Leave Statements (example)

Forgot Your User ID? Verify Identity(1)				
Enter employee verification data below:				
First Name SMOKEY				
Last Name	BEAR			
Date of Birth (MMDDYYYY) 04 - 15 - 1950				
Continue Return to EPP Log in				

If you have set up this process – you will be asked some questions- for example:

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Employee Personal Page	
Forgot Your User ID? Answer Challenge Questions(2)	
What is the street number of the house you grew up in?	
What was the name of your first pet?	
Continue	
Return to EPP Log in	

If your information is correct, you will get an immediate response (example that has been modified )



If you have forgotten your password, follow these steps:

From the main log in screen,

Click on "Forgot Password"



You are asked if you would like to receive this on line or through the mail- I always suggest on line, if you are not set up with an email address, it will default to your mailing address.

Employee Personal Page								
Forgot Your Password?								
	If you have lost or forgotten your Employee Personal Page password, you may request to receive a new one by e-mail or by mail.							
	Request Password by Mail							
$\overline{\ }$	Click "Request Password by Mail" if you wish to have a new password mailed to your address of record. You should receive your new password within 7-10 business days. You will not be able to access your EPP until you receive your new password.							
	Request Password by E-mail							
	Click "Request Password by E-mail" if you would like to receive a new password by e-mail. In order to receive a new password by e-mail, you must have a valid e-mail address stored in your EPP preferences. Your new password will be e-mailed to you after the verification process is completed. You should receive your new password by the next business day.							
	<u>Return to EPP Log in</u>							

The system will now ask you for your user ID

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sonal Page	
	Forgot Your Password?
	Enter Your User ID below.
	User ID
	Continue
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You will be asked to verify your identity. If you have never set up Employee Personal Page, you will not receive these questions!

Page	
	Forgot Your Password? Verify Identity
	What city were you born in?
	What is the street number of the house you grew up in?
	Continue
	<u>Return to EPP Log in</u>

## A temporary password is now being emailed

ional Page
Forgot Your Password? Confirmation We e-mailed a temporary password to ppoplett
Exit
If you no longer have access to this e-mail account or this e-mail address is incorrect, click the button below to have a password mailed to your address of record. Your access will be disabled until you receive this password.
Mail me a Password

If you have set up email, you will receive an email very quickly- it will come from EPPESS

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## NOTE:

If you no longer have the email address on the screen, you may elect to have a new password mailed to you. If you do this, your account is not accessible until you use the new password that is mailed to you.

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yee Personal Page					
	Forgot Your Password? Confirmation				
	We e-mailed a temporary password to <b>ppoplett@fs.fed.us</b> .				
	Exit				
If you no longer have access to this e-mail account or this e-mail address is incorrect, click the button below to have a password mailed to your address of record. Your access will be disabled until you receive this password.					
	Mail me a Password				

I have my user ID, and my temporary password that has just been mailed to me. I enter my personal ID, and the temporary password:



The system will force me to change my password as soon as I log in:

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Welcome to the Employee Pe	ersonal Page!
Your temporary Password has expired. Please enter a new Password in the blocks on the right.	Do not use the Password mailed/e-mailed to you.
Your new Password must be 6 to 14 characters long and must contain one character from 3 of the 4 following categories:	Enter New Password
<ul> <li>English upper case letters (A-Z).</li> <li>English lower case letters (a-z).</li> <li>Westernized Arabic numerals (D-9).</li> <li>Special characters limited to: ! # \$ % * _ +.</li> </ul>	Change Password

As soon as I have followed the password rules, and submitted my new password, I receive the following screen, which allows me to begin using EPP:

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• <u>www.usda.qov</u>								
<u>TSP Home</u> <u>BENEFEDS Home</u>	me Start Using Your EPP							
	Please note that you will have to use the Password you just created the next time you access your Employee Personal Page (EPP).							
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<u>Loq Out</u>	• Visit the NFC KnowledgeBase.							
Accessibility								
Privacy								
<u>Contact Us</u>	EC01-15							
If you have a question about this data or believe it is in error, please contact your personnel office.								

Review:

Use the NFC main page to access EPP from the Application Launchpad

You may book mark the NFC page: <u>https://www.nfc.usda.gov/</u>

You need your personal ID and your password to access the system. Follow the steps above to get these for you in case you have lost or forgotten the information.

The worse case scenario is that the information is mailed to you. If this happens, please be on the lookout for a message from NFC- it has been reported that it may appear as though it is junk mail, so be sure to examine your mail closely until you have received this information.

Please note: HRM and HRIS cannot reset EPP passwords, (they do not have access) the instructions in this paper are the only way to reset.