

entities annually. The Council is presently considering recommendations on other important number administration-related issues that will require work beyond the term of the present charter.

The value of this federal advisory committee to the telecommunications industry and to the American public cannot be overstated. Telephone numbers are the means by which consumers gain access to, and reap the benefits of, the public switched telephone network. The Council's recommendations to the Commission will ensure that telephone numbers are available to all telecommunications service providers on a fair and equitable basis, consistent with the requirements of the Telecommunications Act of 1996.

Federal Communications Commission.

Sanford S. Williams,

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FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

Sunshine Act Meeting

AGENCY: Federal Election Commission.

FEDERAL REGISTER CITATION OF PREVIOUS ANNOUNCEMENT—78 FR 75568 (December 12, 2013).

DATE AND TIME: *Tuesday, December 17, 2013 at the conclusion of the open meeting and its continuation on Thursday, December 19, 2013 at 10:00 a.m.*

PLACE: 999 E Street NW., Washington, DC

STATUS: This meeting will be closed to the public.

CHANGES IN THE MEETING: The December 19, 2013 meeting has been cancelled.

PERSON TO CONTACT FOR INFORMATION: Judith Ingram, Press Officer, Telephone: (202) 694-1220.

Shelley E. Garr,

Deputy Secretary of the Commission.

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FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

Public Availability of Federal Election Commission, Procurement Division FY2013 Service Contract Inventory

AGENCY: Federal Election Commission.

ACTION: Notice of Public Availability of FY2013 Service Contract Inventories.

SUMMARY: In accordance with Section 743 of Division C of the Consolidated

Appropriations Act of 2010 (Pub. L. 111-117), FEC PROCUREMENT DIVISION is publishing this notice to advise the public of the availability of the FY2013 Service Contract inventory.

This inventory provides information on service contract actions over \$25,000 that was made in FY2013. The information is organized by function to show how contracted resources are distributed throughout the agency.

The inventory has been developed in accordance with guidance issued on December 19, 2011 by the Office of Management and Budget's Office of Federal Procurement Policy (OFPP). OFPP's guidance is available at: <http://www.whitehouse.gov/sites/default/files/omb/procurement/memo/service-contract-inventories-guidance-11052010.pdf>.

The FEC Procurement Division has posted its inventory and a summary of the inventory on the FEC homepage at the following link: <http://www.fec.gov/pages/procure/procure.shtml>.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Questions regarding the service contract inventory should be directed to: Judy Berning, Acting Chief Financial Officer, at 202-694-1217 or JBERNING@FEC.GOV.

Shawn Woodhead Werth,

Secretary and Clerk, Federal Election Commission.

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FEDERAL HOUSING FINANCE AGENCY

[No. 2013-N-18]

Fannie Mae and Freddie Mac Loan Purchase Limits: Request for Public Input on Implementation Issues

AGENCY: Federal Housing Finance Agency.

ACTION: Notice; input accepted.

The Federal Housing Finance Agency (FHFA) is requesting public input on implementation issues associated with a contemplated reduction in loan purchase limits by the Federal National Mortgage Association (Fannie Mae) and the Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation (Freddie Mac) (together, the Enterprises). Each Enterprise must set its loan purchase limits at or below the maximum limits, which are determined by statutory formulas. The maximum limits for 2014 were published by FHFA on November 26, 2013. A decrease in the Enterprises' loan limits below the statutory maximums is one means of reducing the Enterprises' financial

market footprint pursuant to FHFA's Strategic Plan for Enterprise Conservatorships. Other means of reducing the Enterprises' footprint relate to their single-family mortgage guarantee business and include increasing guarantee fees and engaging in risk-sharing transactions.

The basic premise of these measures is as follows: with an uncertain future and a desire for private capital to re-enter the market, the Enterprises' market presence should be reduced gradually over time. In addition, at the end of 2012, the amount of taxpayer capital available to support the Enterprises' outstanding debt and mortgage-backed securities obligations became fixed. Limiting their risk exposure is vital to maintaining the adequacy of the remaining capital support through the financial support agreements between the Enterprises and the U.S. Department of the Treasury. Finally, a taxpayer-backed conservatorship provides a significant subsidy to the mortgage market that limits private capital participation and underprices risk in the market.

The contemplated action described below is a plan and not a final decision. The requested public input will be carefully reviewed before FHFA decides whether and how to proceed with the planned reductions in Freddie Mac's and Fannie Mae's loan purchase limits. In short, no final decision on loan purchase limits will be made until all input is reviewed. The changes contemplated in this Request for Public Input will not affect loans originated before October 1, 2014.

The remainder of this Request for Public Input sets forth: FHFA's legal authority for directing the Enterprises to set loan purchase limits below the maximum loan limits; the planned approach to reduce the Enterprises' loan limits; and a request for public input regarding implementation of the plan. An appendix to this Request for Public Input includes analysis describing the potential impact of the plan.

Background

FHFA's Legal Authority for Setting the Enterprises' Loan Purchase Limits

In their chartering acts, the Enterprises are authorized to purchase mortgages up to specified limits, as adjusted annually; 12 U.S.C. 1717(b) and 12 U.S.C. 1454(a). The statutes provide that each Enterprise “. . . shall establish limitations governing the maximum original principal obligation of conventional mortgages that are purchased by it. . . . Such limitations shall not exceed [the loan limits] . . .”