

forms tailored to decision contexts, informed by and readily understandable by those interested in using the information.

Rapidly advancing technology is one road to reaching that ambition. Emerging technologies now enable biomolecular classification of organisms, tracking of animal migration and behavior through tagging, acoustics, imaging, and remote sensing across previously impossible scales of geography and time. The resulting timely, accessible, and accurate information on ocean life is fundamental for our social and economic security at all levels of governance. It is also fundamental to maintain international leadership as needs for food, water, and other resources continue to grow.

Achieving these goals requires better coordinating data and information sharing and resulting actions among federal agencies, states, tribal communities, academic, and private sector initiatives. The Strategy aims to provide the critical science, data, and knowledge essential to guide long-term conservation based on best evidence, and to make it more accessible to support a collaborative and inclusive approach. The Strategy will identify information users and engage with them to understand what information they find useful, and in what forms. The Strategy will support consistent and reliable assembly and management of ocean biodiversity data that is necessary, but currently lacking, for ongoing federal activities, such as the first National Nature Assessment, Natural Capital Accounting efforts, the National Strategy for a Sustainable Ocean Economy, advancing Nature-Based Solutions, development of a National eDNA Strategy, and the Ocean Climate Action Plan, consistent with FAIR and CARE principles.

Developing and implementing the National Ocean Biodiversity Strategy will advance more cost-effective, strategic, nimble, and equitable management of the nation's living marine resources and cultural heritage. Importantly, the Strategy will support solutions to the intertwined equity crisis by engaging and supporting Indigenous Knowledge and prioritizing cross-sector user needs from local to national levels.

The Strategy also seeks to strengthen and increase visibility of U.S. leadership in global initiatives focused on solutions to the climate and biodiversity crises. Specifically, the High Level Panel for a Sustainable Ocean Economy acknowledged the pressing need for national contributions to a globally coordinated effort to collect information

on ocean biodiversity and on extinction risk, and highlighted the need to support long-term biodiversity monitoring. Similarly, U.S. leadership of a number of programs and activities within the UN Decade of Ocean Science for Sustainable Development supports emerging communities of practice and the development of harmonized, standards-based approaches to address this need directly.

Themes and Questions To Inform the Development of the Strategy

Respondents may provide information for one or as many topics below as they choose. Submissions should clearly indicate which questions are being addressed. The Strategy will be developed by an interagency working group under SOST that is co-led by the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, and the Bureau of Ocean Energy Management, in partnership with the Smithsonian Institution and other federal agencies. The working group seeks input from Tribal Nations, local, State, federal and Territorial governments, the private sector, academia, non-governmental organizations, a wide range of stakeholders, and the public on high-level goals and how to achieve them in the following areas:

Coordination and Priority Setting

- What are the most pressing topics and considerations for the National Ocean Biodiversity Strategy to address?
- What actions can federal agencies take to facilitate the harmonization of ocean biodiversity investments and policy to ensure benefits across all sectors?

Science, Technology, and Information

- What are the priority needs and most promising approaches in science and technology to provide useful information on ocean biodiversity (species, genetic lineages, habitats, ecosystems) and the ecosystem processes and services they support?
- How can we best align the efforts of knowledge holders with the needs of knowledge users?
- How can ocean biodiversity data be made more usable and available? Which existing mechanisms or repositories could be leveraged?

Capacity Building and Community Engagement

- How could public and private partnerships be developed or enhanced to explore and characterize ocean life, which existing partnerships could be

leveraged, and how might opportunities for participation by diverse parties in such partnerships be maximized?

- What are the key needs for training and education to improve broad knowledge and stewardship of ocean life?
- How could the public be engaged in developing and implementing improved understanding and stewardship of ocean life?
- Is there anything else you would like to be considered in the development of the National Ocean Biodiversity Strategy?

Dated: November 6, 2023.

Suzanne H. Plimpton,
Reports Clearance Officer, National Science Foundation.

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NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

Advisory Committee for Computer and Information Science and Engineering; Notice of Meeting

In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, as amended), the National Science Foundation (NSF) announces the following meeting:

Name and Committee Code: Advisory Committee for Computer and Information Science and Engineering (#1115) (Hybrid).

Date and Time: December 6, 2023; 9:30 a.m.–5:00 p.m. (Eastern); December 7, 2023; 9:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m. (Eastern).

Place: NSF, 2415 Eisenhower Avenue, Room E3450, Alexandria, VA 22314 (Hybrid).

To register for in-person attendance or for virtual meeting attendees to receive the Zoom link, please send your request to the following email: cmessam@nsf.gov.

Type of Meeting: Open.

Contact Persons: Chantoye Messam, National Science Foundation, 2415 Eisenhower Avenue, Alexandria, VA 22314; Telephone: 703-292-8900; email: cmessam@nsf.gov.

Purpose of Meeting: To provide advice, recommendations, and counsel on major goals and policies pertaining to Computer and Information Science and Engineering programs and activities.

Agenda

- NSF and CISE update
- Report out from the Committee of Visitors for Computing and Communication Foundations, Computer and Network Systems, and Information and Intelligent Systems Divisions

- Computing and Sustainability
- Broadening Participation in Computing

Dated: November 6, 2023.

Crystal Robinson,

Committee Management Officer.

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NATIONAL TRANSPORTATION SAFETY BOARD

Senior Executive Service (SES) Performance Review Board

AGENCY: National Transportation Safety Board.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given of the appointment of members of the National Transportation Safety Board, Performance Review Board (PRB).

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Anh Bolles, Executive Resources Manager, Human Capital Management and Training, National Transportation Safety Board, 490 L'Enfant Plaza SW, Washington, DC 20594–0001, (202) 314–6355.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Section 4314(c)(1) through (5) of title 5, United States Code requires each agency to establish, in accordance with regulations prescribed by the Office of Personnel Management, one or more SES Performance Review Boards (PRB). The board reviews and evaluates the initial appraisal of a senior executive's performance by the supervisor and considers recommendations to the appointing authority regarding the performance of the senior executive.

The following have been designated as members of the 2022 Performance Review Board of the National Transportation Safety Board (NTSB):

Ms. Veronica Marshall, Chief Human Capital Officer, Office of Human Capital Management and Training, National Transportation Safety Board, PRB Chair.

Mr. Morgan Turrell, Director, Office of Marine Safety, National Transportation Safety Board.

Mr. Akbar Sultan, Director, Aerospace Operations and Safety Program, National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

Ms. Kathryn Catania, Deputy Director, Office of Safety Recommendations and Communications, National Transportation Safety Board (alternate

member to review the evaluations of SES members serving on this PRB).

Candi R. Bing,

Federal Register Liaison.

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NEIGHBORHOOD REINVESTMENT CORPORATION

Sunshine Act Meetings

TIME AND DATE: 4:00 p.m., Wednesday, November 29, 2023.

PLACE: 1255 Union Street NW, Suite 500, Washington, DC 20002.

STATUS: Part of this meeting will be open to the public. The rest of this meeting will be closed to the public.

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED: Audit Committee Board of Directors meeting.

The Interim General Counsel of the Corporation has certified that in her opinion, one or more of the exemptions set forth in the Government in the Sunshine Act, 5 U.S.C. 552b(c)(2) permit the closure of the following portion(s) of this meeting:

- Executive (Closed) Session

Agenda

- I. Call to Order
- II. Sunshine Act Approval to Meet in Executive (Closed) Session
- III. Executive Session: GAO Workplan Update
- IV. Executive Session: Chief Audit Executive Report
- V. Action Item: Deferred Internal Audit Projects from FY2023 Internal Audit Plan
- VI. Action Item: FY2024 Internal Audit Plan and Risk Assessment
- VII. Action Item: Removal and Replacement of Conformance Language
- VIII. Discussion Item: Network Watchlist Report
- IX. Discussion Item: Internal Audit Status Reports
 - a. Internal Audit Performance Scorecard
 - b. Implementation of Internal Audit Recommendations
 - c. Officer's Report
 - d. Quality Assurance Improvement Policy

Portions Open to the Public: Everything except the Executive (Closed) Session.

Portions Closed to the Public: Executive (Closed) Session.

CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION: Jenna Sylvester, Paralegal, (202) 568–2560; jsylvester@nw.org.

Jenna Sylvester,
Paralegal.

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POSTAL SERVICE

Product Change—Priority Mail and USPS Ground Advantage® Negotiated Service Agreement

AGENCY: Postal Service™.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Postal Service gives notice of filing a request with the Postal Regulatory Commission to add a domestic shipping services contract to the list of Negotiated Service Agreements in the Mail Classification Schedule's Competitive Products List.

DATES: *Date of required notice:* November 9, 2023.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Sean Robinson, 202–268–8405.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The United States Postal Service® hereby gives notice that, pursuant to 39 U.S.C. 3642 and 3632(b)(3), on November 3, 2023, it filed with the Postal Regulatory Commission a *USPS Request to Add Priority Mail & USPS Ground Advantage® Contract 95 to Competitive Product List*. Documents are available at www.prc.gov, Docket Nos. MC2024–39, CP2024–39.

Sean Robinson,

Attorney, Corporate and Postal Business Law.

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POSTAL SERVICE

Product Change—Priority Mail and USPS Ground Advantage® Negotiated Service Agreement

AGENCY: Postal Service™.

ACTION: Notice.

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