

**2018 Current Fiscal Year Report: Edward R. Madigan United States
Agricultural Export Excellence Board of Evaluators**

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1. Department or Agency Department of Agriculture	2. Fiscal Year 2018
3. Committee or Subcommittee Edward R. Madigan United States Agricultural Export Excellence Board of Evaluators	3b. GSA Committee No. 5203

4. Is this New During Fiscal Year? No	5. Current Charter 09/04/2007	6. Expected Renewal Date	7. Expected Term Date
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8a. Was Terminated During FiscalYear? No	8b. Specific Termination Authority	8c. Actual Term Date
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9. Agency Recommendation for Next FiscalYear Terminate	10a. Legislation Req to Terminate? Yes	10b. Legislation Pending? Not Applicable
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11. Establishment Authority Statutory (Congress Created)

12. Specific Establishment Authority Section 261 of Title II of FAIR Act of 1996	13. Effective Date 04/04/1996	14. Committee Type Continuing	14c. Presidential? No
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15. Description of Committee Other Committee

16a. Total Number of Reports No Reports for this FiscalYear

17a. Open Meetings and Dates 0 **17b. Closed Meetings and Dates** 0 **17c. Partially Closed Meetings and Dates** 0 **Other Activities** 0 **17d. Total Meetings and Dates** 0
No Meetings

	Current FY	Next FY
18a(1). Personnel Pmts to Non-Federal Members	\$0.00	\$0.00
18a(2). Personnel Pmts to Federal Members	\$0.00	\$0.00
18a(3). Personnel Pmts to Federal Staff	\$0.00	\$0.00
18a(4). Personnel Pmts to Non-Member Consultants	\$0.00	\$0.00
18b(1). Travel and Per Diem to Non-Federal Members	\$0.00	\$0.00
18b(2). Travel and Per Diem to Federal Members	\$0.00	\$0.00
18b(3). Travel and Per Diem to Federal Staff	\$0.00	\$0.00

18b(4). Travel and Per Diem to Non-member Consultants	\$0.00	\$0.00
18c. Other(rents,user charges, graphics, printing, mail, etc.)	\$0.00	\$0.00
18d. Total	\$0.00	\$0.00
19. Federal Staff Support Years (FTE)	0.00	0.00

20a. How does the Committee accomplish its purpose?

This committee has been administratively inactive since 2004.

20b. How does the Committee balance its membership?

This committee has been administratively inactive since 2004.

20c. How frequent and relevant are the Committee Meetings?

This committee has been administratively inactive since 2004.

20d. Why can't the advice or information this committee provides be obtained elsewhere?

This committee has been administratively inactive since 2004.

20e. Why is it necessary to close and/or partially closed committee meetings?

This committee has been administratively inactive since 2004.

21. Remarks

The Committee is currently Administrative Inactive; and there are no plans to re-charter the committee.

Designated Federal Officer

Dale R. Miller DFO

Narrative Description

The Board was not active in FY2004-15. In FY2011 efforts focused on creating supporting recharter documents. On May 16, 2003 then USDA Secretary Veneman presented Donald W. Nugent, founder, president and chief executive officer of Graceland Fruit, Incorporated, and William Kim, president of EP International Company the Edward R. Madigan U.S. Agricultural Export Excellence Award (last award ceremony).The award commemorates Edward R. Madigan, former congressman from Illinois and Secretary of Agriculture from March 1991 to January 1993. The award is presented for entrepreneurial effort or for assistance in entrepreneurial effort to create new markets for, or to increase

exports of, U.S. agricultural products. This was the second Madigan Ceremony organized by FAS; the first ceremony was in 2001. The Madigan Award Board of Evaluators was chosen August 9, 1999. The Madigan Award charter was reestablished in April, 2002 again in May, 2005 and most recently on September 4, 2007. The initial Board of Evaluators included former Congressmen Tim Penny and E. Kika de la Garza, Evelyn Madigan, Ron Schuler, and Harry Cleberg and all were reappointed through 9/30/2003. There has been no activity through September 30 of 2008. A Federal Register Notice seeking Board nominations was published July 17, 2008, however, an insufficient number of nominations were received to re-establish a Board of Evaluators. No further action was taken in FY2009-15.

What are the most significant program outcomes associated with this committee?

Checked if Applies

- 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

Outcome Comments

N/A

What are the cost savings associated with this committee?

Checked if Applies

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

Cost Savings Comments

N/A

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

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Number of Recommendations Comments

N/A

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

0%

% of Recommendations Fully Implemented Comments

N/A

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

0%

% of Recommendations Partially Implemented Comments

N/A

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

Yes No Not Applicable

Agency Feedback Comments

N/A

What other actions has the agency taken as a result of the committee's advice or recommendation?

Checked if Applies

Reorganized Priorities	<input type="checkbox"/>
Reallocated resources	<input type="checkbox"/>
Issued new regulation	<input type="checkbox"/>
Proposed legislation	<input type="checkbox"/>
Approved grants or other payments	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other	<input type="checkbox"/>

Action Comments

N/A

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

No

Grant Review Comments

N/A

How is access provided to the information for the Committee's documentation?

Checked if Applies

- Contact DFO
- Online Agency Web Site
- Online Committee Web Site
- Online GSA FACA Web Site
- Publications
- Other

Access Comments

N/A