

2018 Current Fiscal Year Report: Land Between the Lakes Advisory Board

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1. Department or Agency

Department of Agriculture

2. Fiscal Year

2018

3. Committee or Subcommittee

Land Between the Lakes Advisory Board

3b. GSA Committee No.

9493

4. Is this New During Fiscal Year?

No

5. Current Charter

05/12/2015

6. Expected Renewal Date

05/12/2017

7. Expected Term Date

8a. Was Terminated During Fiscal Year?

No

8b. Specific Termination Authority

8c. Actual Term Date

9. Agency Recommendation for Next Fiscal Year

Terminate

10a. Legislation Req to Terminate?

Yes

10b. Legislation Pending?

Pending

11. Establishment Authority Statutory (Congress Created)

12. Specific Establishment Authority

Public Law 105-277

13. Effective Date

10/21/1998

14. Committee Type

Continuing

14c. Presidential?

No

15. Description of Committee Non Scientific Program Advisory Board

16a. Total Number of Reports

No Reports for this Fiscal Year

17a. Open Meetings and Dates 0 17b. Closed Meetings and Dates 0 17c. Partially Closed Meetings and Dates 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?

The LBL Advisory Board accomplishes its purpose by providing advice from a broad representation of diverse interests and increasing the frequency of advice that USDA receives from the public and private sectors in regard to environmental education and a means for promoting public participation for the land and resource management plan for LBL.

20b. How does the Committee balance its membership?

To provide a balanced membership, members are selected from throughout KY and TN by the Governors of these states, the States' wildlife commissions, and the Secretary of Agriculture, and from the counties bordering LBL by the Judge Executives. Membership represents and includes a broad range of diverse views and interests, including recreational, environmental, commercial, educational, and community leadership interests.

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

The Regional Forester, Southern Region, or designee, serves as chairperson of the Board. The LBL Advisory Board meets at the call of the Chairperson, with concurrence of the DFO to discuss issues relevant to the mission of the board.

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

Public Law 105-277 required the establishment of the The Land Between The Lakes Advisory Board. Residents of Kentucky and Tennessee, particularly those living near the Cumberland and Tennessee Rivers have a strong interest in the programs of LBL. The committee ensures the Secretary will receive advice from a diverse group in the region on environmental education and the promotion of public participation for LBL's land and resource management plan.

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

Not applicable.

21. Remarks

Charter expired May 2017. There were no meetings and costs associated in FY2018.

Designated Federal Officer

Tina Tilley Area Supervisor, Land Between The Lakes

Committee Members	Start	End	Occupation	Member Designation
Allison, Betsy	07/22/2016	07/22/2021	Supervisor of Curriculum & Instruction	Representative Member
Bailey, Don	04/24/2013	04/24/2018	Retired Minister	Representative Member
Elkins, Steven	11/01/2014	11/01/2019	Private Industry	Representative Member

Ellis, Timothy	12/07/2016	12/07/2021	City Manager	Representative Member
Flood, Paula	06/09/2015	06/09/2020	Retired Auditor - Commonwealth of Kentucky	Representative Member
Garland, Paul (Chris)	05/09/2016	05/09/2021	Wildlife Division	Representative Member
Grulke, Virginia (Ginny)	09/21/2015	08/09/2020	Chair of Kentucky Back Country Horsemen	Representative Member
Hancock, Charlie	07/27/2016	07/27/2021	Farmer	Representative Member
Holland, Donnie	03/16/2016	03/16/2021	Appointed by Trigg County Judge Executive	Representative Member
Oliver, Della	11/14/2014	11/14/2019	Owner/Operator - Dry Cleaners	Representative Member
Purkes, William	11/18/2015	11/17/2020	Retired	Representative Member
Stringer, Terry (Brent)	06/15/2016	06/15/2021	Director of Emergency Management	Representative Member
Van de Vate III, Dwight	07/23/2015	07/23/2020	Public Administrator	Representative Member
Waldrop, Karen	05/09/2016	05/09/2021	Deputy Commissioner	Representative Member
Wall, Johnny	01/09/2017	01/09/2022	Retired	Representative Member
Wilson, James (Bobby)	06/15/2016	06/15/2021	Assistant Director of Field Operations	Representative Member

Number of Committee Members Listed: 16

Narrative Description

The LBL Advisory Board provides advice on environmental education and how to broaden representation of diverse interests and increase frequency of advice to the Agency from the public and private sectors in regards to means for promoting public participation in the development of LBL's Land and Resource Management Plan.

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?

12

Number of Recommendations Comments

No recommendations in FY2018

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

33%

% of Recommendations Fully Implemented Comments

Board and FS staff have implemented approximately 35% of the suggestions made by the LBL Advisory Board.

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

58%

% 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

Discussions during regular board meetings. Also, implemented Basecamp web tool to allow for sharing of Board information between meetings.

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

Checked if Applies

- Reorganized Priorities
- Reallocated resources
- Issued new regulation
- Proposed legislation
- Approved grants or other payments
- Other

Action Comments

The Board advised the Forest Service on social values surrounding the National Recreation Area and how to better incorporate those into land management planning.

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

Not applicable.