2017 Current Fiscal Year Report: GSA Labor-Management Relations Council

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1. Department or Agency 2. Fiscal Year

General Services Administration 2017

3. Committee or Subcommittee 3b. GSA Committee No.

GSA Labor-Management Relations Council 2514

4. Is this New During Fiscal 5. Current 6. Expected Renewal 7. Expected Term

Year? Charter Date Date

No 02/10/2015 02/10/2017 02/10/2017

8a. Was Terminated During 8b. Specific Termination 8c. Actual Term

FiscalYear? Authority Date

Yes GSA Administrator's Decision 02/10/2017

Document, EO 13522

9. Agency Recommendation for 10a. Legislation Req to 10b. Legislation

Next FiscalYear Terminate? Pending?

Terminate No Not Applicable

11. Establishment Authority Presidential

12. Specific Establishment 13. Effective 14. Committee 14c.

Authority Date Type Presidential?

Executive Order 13522 12/09/2009 Continuing No

15. Description of Committee Other Committee

16a. Total Number of No Reports for this

Reports FiscalYear

17a. Open 0 17b. Closed 0 17c. Partially Closed 0 Other Activities 0 17d. Total 0

Meetings and Dates

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

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20a. How does the Committee accomplish its purpose?

The GLMRC seeks to promote cooperative labor-management relations within GSA to support the Agency's mission and its priorities to build a stronger GSA, provide world-class service to our customer partners, and provide its services at better value and savings. Federal employees and their union representatives are an important source of front-line ideas and information about the realities of delivering Government services to the American people. The Council seeks to provide an arena for non- adversarial discussion and consideration of GSA operations aimed at arriving at joint recommendations for service improvement and employee satisfaction.

20b. How does the Committee balance its membership?

This is a collaborative joint committee that includes equal number of members representing labor and management at GSA. GSA has two national unions representing its employees: AFGE & NFFE, who each have 7 union representative members seated. There are also 7 GSA agency officials representing management on the Council.

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

One Council meeting held in FY16: August 16-17, 2016.

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

The unions representing GSA employees hold an exclusive right to represent and speak on behalf of employees with GSA management.

20e. Why is it necessary to close and/or partially closed committee meetings? Not Applicable

21. Remarks

There were no meetings of the GLMRC in FY 2017. The GLMRC (Council) brought 3 parties together through its Charter: GSA management, the American Federation of Government Employees (AFGE), and the National Federation of Federal Employees (NFFE). NFFE and its Council members withdrew from the Council March 8, 2016. Related to NFFE's withdrawal, the Council could only meet once in FY16 (8/16-17, 2016) and necessitates pursuing formal termination of the Council.

Designated Federal Officer

Paula Lucak Program Manager for Labor Forums

Committee Members	Start	End	Occupation	Member Designation
Beatty, Darryl	05/14/2015	5 02/10/2017	American Federation of Government Employees (AFGE)	Regular Government Employee (RGE) Member
Bell, Latannya	05/14/2015	5 02/10/2017	National Federation of Federal Employees (NFFE)	Regular Government Employee (RGE) Member
Benjamin, Chaun	05/14/2015	5 02/10/2017	General Services Administration	Regular Government Employee (RGE) Member
Brizzi, Giancarlo	05/14/2015	02/10/2017	General Services Administration	Regular Government Employee (RGE) Member
Brock, Aquilla	05/14/2015	02/10/2017	American Federation of Government Employees (AFGE)	Representative Member
Buckley, John	05/14/2015	5 02/10/2017	American Federation of Government Employees (AFGE)	Regular Government Employee (RGE) Member
Bush, Bart	05/14/2015	5 02/10/2017	General Services Administration	Regular Government Employee (RGE) Member
Chero, Linda	05/14/2015	5 02/10/2017	General Services Administration	Regular Government Employee (RGE) Member
Grayson, Sherry	05/14/2015	02/10/2017	National Federation of Federal Employees (NFFE)	Regular Government Employee (RGE) Member
Grigsby, Karen	05/14/2015	02/10/2017	American Federal of Government Employees (AFGE)	Regular Government Employee (RGE) Member
Hanley, Jack	05/14/2015	02/10/2017	National Federation of Federal Employees (NFFE)	Regular Government Employee (RGE) Member
Harris, Antonia	05/14/2015	02/10/2017	General Services Administration	Regular Government Employee (RGE) Member
Jackson, Rakaia	05/14/2015	02/10/2017	National Federation of Federal Employees (NFFE)	Regular Government Employee (RGE) Member
Lien, Margaret	05/14/2015	02/10/2017	American Federation of Government Employees (AFGE)	Regular Government Employee (RGE) Member
Maddox, Tajuana	05/14/2015	02/10/2017	National Federation of Federal Employees (NFFE)	Regular Government Employee (RGE) Member
Miller, Alton	05/14/2015	02/10/2017	National Federation of Federal Employees (NFFE)	Regular Government Employee (RGE) Member
Obrycki, Robert	05/14/2015	02/10/2017	National Federation of Federal Employees (NFFE)	Regular Government Employee (RGE) Member
Ruwwe, Mary	05/14/2015	02/10/2017	General Services Administration	Regular Government Employee (RGE) Member
Scheider, Susan	05/14/2015	02/10/2017	General Services Administration	Regular Government Employee (RGE) Member
West, Pamela	05/14/2015	02/10/2017	National Federation of Federal Employees (NFFE)	Regular Government Employee (RGE) Member
Williams, Bruce	05/14/2015	5 02/10/2017	American Federation of Government Employees (AFGE)	Representative Member

Number of Committee Members Listed: 21

Narrative Description

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mission and its priorities to build a stronger GSA, provide world-class service to our customer partners, and provide its services at better value and savings. Federal employees and their union representatives are an important source of front-line ideas and information about the realities of delivering Government services to the American people. The Council seeks to provide an arena for non- adversarial discussion and consideration of GSA operations aimed at arriving at joint recommendations for service improvement and employee satisfaction.

What are the most significant program outcome	es 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	
The lack of identified outcomes reflect the impact o withdrawal (NFFE) from the Council in March 2016 one meeting in the FY.	•
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 Comments

Cost Savings Other

Not Applicable

What is the approximate <u>Number</u> of recommendations produced by this committee for the life of the committee?
Number of Recommendations Comments There were no GLMRC meetings in FY 2017. Lack of identified recommendations reflect the effects of one of the GLMRC's 3 parties' withdrawal from the Council (NFFE) in March 2016, and the Council having been able to hold only one meeting in the FY.
What is the approximate <u>Percentage</u> of these recommendations that have been or will be <u>Fully</u> implemented by the agency?
% of Recommendations Fully Implemented Comments Not Applicable
What is the approximate <u>Percentage</u> of these recommendations that have been or will be <u>Partially</u> implemented by the agency?
% of Recommendations Partially Implemented Comments Not Applicable
Does the agency provide the committee with feedback regarding actions taken to implement recommendations or advice offered? Yes No Not Applicable
Agency Feedback Comments Status update briefings on issues the Council has/is focusing on are provided at Council 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	
Not Applicable	
Is the Committee engaged in the review of applications for grants?	
Grant Review Comments Not Applicable	
How is access provided to the information for the Committee's documer	itation?
Check	ed if Applies
Contact DFO	✓
Online Agency Web Site	✓
Online Committee Web Site	✓
Online GSA FACA Web Site	✓
Publications	
Other	
Access Comments	

Not Applicable