

2012 Current Fiscal Year Report: Census Advisory Committee on the Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander Populations

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1. Department or Agency		2. Fiscal Year	
Department of Commerce		2012	
3. Committee or Subcommittee		3b. GSA Committee No.	
Census Advisory Committee on the Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander Populations		9486	
4. Is this New Fiscal Year?	5. Current Charter	6. Expected Renewal Date	7. Expected Term Date
No	02/04/2010	02/04/2012	
8a. Was Terminated During Fiscal Year?	8b. Specific Termination Authority		8c. Actual Term Date
Yes			02/04/2012
9. Agency Recommendation for Next Fiscal Year	10a. Legislation Req to Terminate?		10b. Legislation Pending?
Terminate	No		
11. Establishment Authority Agency Authority			
12. Specific Establishment Authority	13. Effective Date	14. Committee Type	14c. Presidential?
Secretary's Decision Memorandum	03/19/1985	Continuing	No
15. Description of Committee Other Committee			
16a. Total Number of Reports 1			
16b. Report Date	Report Title		
	Meeting of the Census Advisory Committee on the Hispanic Population (DVD)		
Number of Committee Reports Listed: 1			

17a. 1 17b. Closed 0 17c. Partially Closed 0 Other Activities 0 17d. Total 1
Open

Meetings and Dates

Purpose	Start	End
Meeting of the Census Advisory Committees (CACs) on the African American Population, the American Indian and Alaska Native Populations, the Asian Population, the Hispanic Population, and the Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander Populations. The Committees will address issues related to the 2010 Census, including the Integrated Communications Campaign, 2010 Partnerships, and other decennial activities.	10/06/2011	10/07/2011

Number of Committee Meetings Listed: 1

	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	\$58,010.00	\$0.00
18a(4). Personnel Pmts to Non-Member Consultants	\$0.00	\$0.00
18b(1). Travel and Per Diem to Non-Federal Members	\$35,365.00	\$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.)	\$17,719.00	\$0.00
18d. Total	\$111,094.00	\$0.00
19. Federal Staff Support Years (FTE)	0.00	0.00

20a. How does the Committee accomplish its purpose?

The Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islanders Advisory Committee accomplished its purpose by garnering the feedback of its Native Hawaiian and Pacific Islander (i.e., Guamanians, Samoans, etc.) members, to provide cultural, operational and technical input on decennial plans and activities. The Committee utilized its technical expertise, Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander cultural familiarity and interactions to provide an outside perspective on the merits of Census Bureau decennial plans and operations. The committee also utilized Advisory Committee meetings and written recommendations to fully accomplish its mission and purpose.

20b. How does the Committee balance its membership?

The Committee's charter provided for nine members. The Committee included public and private sector representatives, academia, and community-based organizations. The Committee provided geographic balance, representing diverse Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander populations, from both the mainland and the Pacific Islands, including Hawaii.

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

The Committee generally met twice a year. This reporting period, the committee's meetings were relevant to evaluate 2010 Census data products and participate in the Alternate Questionnaire Experiment focus groups. Census stakeholders, the public, and oversight entities were interested in the work of this committee and the issues it addresses on behalf of its diverse Native Hawaiian and Pacific Island populations.

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

The Committee's expertise and geographic diversity are not to be found in any other Commerce component. Its work has been useful in helping the Census Bureau understand the unique needs of Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander populations with the specific goal of reducing the differential undercount of this population.

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

21. Remarks

The committee provided substantive advice regarding enumeration and communication strategies to reach both the Native Hawaiian and Pacific Islander population. Numerous committee recommendations regarding Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander Communication and media needs were adopted by the agency during this reporting period. As the 2010 Census concludes, the agency will assess 2020 Census planning and advisory needs.

Designated Federal Officer

Stanley J. Rolark Chief, Public Information Office

Committee Members	Start	End	Occupation	Member Designation
Enomoto, Stanton	04/21/2004	02/04/2012	Executive Director, Kaho'olawe Island Reserve Commission	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Kanaiaupuni, Shawn	04/16/2003	02/04/2012	Director, Kamehameha Schools	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member

			Vice President and Chief Engineer	Special Government
Ontai, Guy	04/21/2004	02/04/2012	Alaka'i Consultant and Engineering, Inc.	Employee (SGE) Member
Panapasa, Sela	04/26/2006	02/04/2012	University of Michigan, Ann Arbor	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Pang, Victor	04/16/2003	02/04/2012	Pacific Islander Community Council	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Young, Kawen	04/24/2007	02/04/2012	Community Activist	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member

Number of Committee Members Listed: 6

Narrative Description

This committee supported the Census Bureau's strategic plan and mission by contributing to an accurate and cost-effective 2010 Census, and by increasing the public's trust of census initiatives

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

Checked if
Applies

Improvements to health or safety	<input type="checkbox"/>
Trust in government	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Major policy changes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Advance in scientific research	<input type="checkbox"/>
Effective grant making	<input type="checkbox"/>
Improved service delivery	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Increased customer satisfaction	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Implementation of laws or regulatory requirements	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Other	<input type="checkbox"/>

Outcome Comments

NA

What are the cost savings associated with this committee?

Checked if Applies

None	<input type="checkbox"/>
Unable to Determine	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Under \$100,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$100,000 - \$500,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$500,001 - \$1,000,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$1,000,001 - \$5,000,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$5,000,001 - \$10,000,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
Over \$10,000,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
Cost Savings Other	<input type="checkbox"/>

Cost Savings Comments

Combination of technical expertise and community knowledge found on this committee would be financially/cost prohibitive to duplicate.

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

5

Number of Recommendations Comments

This reporting period, the committee generated 5 recommendations.

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

NA

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

20%

% of Recommendations Partially Implemented Comments

NA

Does the agency provide the committee with feedback regarding actions taken to

implement recommendations or advice offered?

Yes ☒ No ☐ Not Applicable ☐

Agency Feedback Comments

Via written responses to members, at advisory committee meetings, follow-up calls to clarify Census responses and in working groups.

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

Checked if Applies

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

Action Comments

Several revisions and adjustments were made to 2010 Census Communications products for the NHPI population based on this committee's feedback and recommendations.

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

No

Grant Review Comments

NA

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

Checked if Applies

Contact DFO	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Online Agency Web Site	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Online Committee Web Site	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Online GSA FACA Web Site	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Publications	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Other	<input type="checkbox"/>

Access Comments

Meeting materials are posted to the Census webpage and made available to the public at

meetings. We also have DVDs of meetings. In addition, members and Census Bureau staff frequently share committee recommendations and the results of Census/Advisory Committee deliberations in public forums during speaking engagements and outreach activities with this population.