

2002 Current Fiscal Year Report: Migrant and Seasonal Farmworker Employment and Training Advisory Committee

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1. Department or Agency	2. Fiscal Year
Department of Labor	2002
3. Committee or Subcommittee	3b. GSA Committee No.
Migrant and Seasonal Farmworker Employment and Training Advisory Committee	5243

4. Is this New Fiscal Year?	5. Current Charter	6. Expected Renewal Date	7. Expected Term Date
No	12/01/2000	12/01/2002	12/01/2002

8a. Was Terminated During Fiscal Year?	8b. Specific Termination Authority	8c. Actual Term Date
Yes		07/25/2002

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?
Federal Register	08/19/1998	Continuing	No

15. Description of Committee Other Committee

16a. Total Number of Reports No Reports for this Fiscal Year

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

Meetings and Dates

No Meetings

	Current Next	
	FY	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?

SOLICIT THE VIEWS OF A WIDE VARIETY OF FARMWORKER GROUPS SERVING THE NEEDS OF MIGRANT AND SEASONAL FARMWORKERS, INCLUDING ORGANIZATIONS OPERATING EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING PROGRAMS FUNDED UNDER WIA 167, ON ISSUES AFFECTING THE OPERATION, ADMINISTRATION AND PERFORMANCE OF SUCH PROGRAMS. THE COMMITTEE WILL ADVISE THE SECRETARY OF LABOR WITH RESPECT TO THE IMPLEMENTATION OF PROGRAMS UNDER

SECTION 167 AND OTHER PROGRAMS PROVIDING SERVICES TO MIGRANT AND SEASONAL FARMWORKERS. THE COMMITTEE WILL PROMOTE EFFECTIVE PARTNERSHIPS WITH THE WIA ONE-STOP DELIVERY SYSTEMS AT THE STATE AND LOCAL LEVELS. PREPARE AND SUBMIT DIRECTLY TO THE SECRETARY OF LABOR AND ASSISTANT SECRETARY FOR EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING, NOT LATER THAN JANUARY 1 OF EACH EVEN-NUMBERED YEAR A REPORT CONTAINING INFORMATION ON THE PROGRESS OF MIGRANT AND SEASONAL FARMWORKER JOB TRAINING PROGRAMS AND RECOMMENDATIONS FOR IMPROVING THEIR ADMINISTRATION AND EFFECTIVENESS

20b. How does the Committee balance its membership?

THE COMMITTEE WILL CONSIST OF APPROXIMATELY FIFTEEN REPRESENTATIVES AS FOLLOWS: TWELVE FROM THE NATIONAL FARMWORKER JOB PROGRAM (NFJP) WITH FIELD EXPERIENCE IN THE DAILY OPERATION AND ADMINISTRATION OF MIGRANT AND SEASONAL FARMWORKER PROGRAMS, APPOINTED BY THE SECRETARY OF LABOR FROM AMONG INDIVIDUALS NOMINATED BY THE NFJP GRANTEE ORGANIZATIONS, AND THREE REPRESENTATIVES FROM ORGANIZATIONS, ASSOCIATIONS AND OTHER FEDERAL AGENCIES WITH EXPERTISE RELATIVE TO MIGRANT AND SEASONAL FARMWORKERS, TO BE APPOINTED DIRECTLY BY THE SECRETARY OF LABOR. THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE COMMITTEE SHALL REPRESENT ALL

GEOGRAPHIC AREAS OF THE UNITED STATES, INCLUDING THE COMMONWEALTH OF PUERTO RICO, WITH A SUBSTANTIAL MIGRANT AND SEASONAL FARMWORKER POPULATION.

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

THE COMMITTEE SHALL MEET NOT LESS OFTEN THAN TWICE EACH PROGRAM YEAR. THE MEETINGS PROVIDE THE PRIMARY VEHICLE FOR THE COMMITTEE TO FULLFILL ITS ROLE UNDER THE CHARTER. The last meeting of the Commnnttee was held on August 16, 2001.

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

IN 1997, THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR ESTABLISHED A PARTNERSHIP WITH THE JOB TRAINING PARTNERSHIP ACT MIGRANT AND SEASONAL FARMWORKER GRANTEES BASED ON RESPECT, TRUST AND MUTUAL RESPONSIBILITY FOR PROGRAM RESULTS. THIS PARTNERSHIP CONTINUES TO PROVIDE MANY POSITIVE PROGRAM IMPROVEMENTS AS WELL AS GREATER ADMINISTRATIVE STABILITY AND STATURE AS AN OFFICIAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE ESTABLISHED BY THE DEPARTMENT.

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

ALL MEETINGS ARE OPEN TO THE PUBLIC. COMMENT PERIOD IS SET ASIDE FOR EACH MEETING

21. Remarks

The Committee met on August 16, 2001, in

Washington D.C. No recommendations were made to the Secretary of Labor

Designated Federal Officer

Alicia Fernandez- Mott Chief, Division of Seasonal Farmworker Programs

Committee Members	Start	End	Occupation	Member Designation
Acosta, Frank	10/19/1998	10/19/2001	Motivation, Education, and Training, Inc., New Caney, TX	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Alaniz, Gilberto	10/19/1999	10/19/2002	Yakima Valley Opportunities Industrialization Center, Yakima, WA.	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Arnold, John	10/19/1998	10/19/2001	Portable Practical Educational Preparation, Inc., Tucson, Arizona	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Coleman, Barbara	10/19/1998	10/19/2002	Telamon Corporation, Columbia, South Carolina	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Cuevas, Fernando	01/19/2001	10/19/2002	Farm Labor Organizing Committee, Winter Garden, FL.	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Flores, Ernie	10/19/1998	10/19/2001	Central Valley Opportunity Center, Merced, CA	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Garcia, Francisco	01/19/2001	10/19/2002	Office of Migrant Education, U. S. Dept of Education, Washington, D.C.	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Huerta, Dolores	10/19/1998	10/19/2001	United Farmworkers of America, Inc.	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Joanis, Richard	10/19/1998	10/19/2001	Telamon Corporation, Raleigh, NC	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member

Lamenza, Radames	10/19/1998	10/19/2001	Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, Dept. of Labor. Hato Rey, PR	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Liederman, Sharon	10/19/1998	10/19/2001	Rural Employment Opportunities, Inc., Helena, MT.	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Martinez, Lupe	10/19/1999	10/19/2002	United Migrant Opportunity Services, Milwaukee, Wisc.	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Meyreles, Raul	10/19/1998	10/19/2001	La Cooperativa Campesina de California, Sacramento, CA	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Mitchell, Stuart Mitchell	10/19/1998	10/19/2001	Rural Opportunities Inc., Rochester, NY	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Strauss, David	01/19/2001	10/19/2002	Association of Farmworker Opportunity Programs, Arlington, Va.	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Young, Clevon	10/19/1998	10/19/2002	Arkansas Human Development Corp., Little Rock, Ark.	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member

Number of Committee Members Listed: 16

Narrative Description

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

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

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

0

Number of Recommendations Comments

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

%

% of Recommendations Fully Implemented Comments

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

%

% of Recommendations Partially Implemented Comments

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

Yes No Not Applicable

Agency Feedback Comments

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

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

No

Grant Review Comments

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

Checked if Applies

Contact DFO	<input type="checkbox"/>
Online Agency Web Site	<input type="checkbox"/>

Online Committee Web Site



Online GSA FACA Web Site



Publications



Other



Access Comments