

1999 Current Fiscal Year Report: Task Force on Prison Construction Standardization and Techniques

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1. Department or Agency

Department of Justice

2. Fiscal Year

1999

3b. GSA

Committee

No.

Task Force on Prison Construction

Standardization and Techniques

2007

4. Is this New During Fiscal Year?

No

5. Current Charter

08/29/1997

6. Expected Renewal Date

08/29/1999

7. Expected Term Date

08/29/1999

8a. Was Terminated During Fiscal Year?

Yes

8b. Specific Termination Authority

P. L. 103-322

8c. Actual Term Date

08/29/1999

9. Agency Recommendation for Next Fiscal Year

Terminate

10a. Legislation Req to Terminate?

No

10b. Legislation Pending?

11. Establishment Authority Statutory (Congress Created)

12. Specific Establishment Authority

P. L. 103-322

13. Effective Date

09/13/1994

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

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
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 Committee originally identified several topics of interest to the field of corrections. The National Institute of Corrections funded the development of several briefing papers addressing these topics. These informational pieces will be disseminated through the Institute's existing networks and distribution vehicles. Since the materials have not yet been disseminated, no data is available on the impact on agency operations.

20b. How does the Committee balance its membership?

In accordance with the enacting legislation this committee was comprised of Federal, State and local officials with expertise in prison construction and representatives from architectural, engineering and construction services from the private sector.

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

No meetings were held during Fiscal Year 1999. During meetings held in fiscal years, the Task Force outlined topics regarding what information should be summarized (from existing materials), and/or developed and disseminated to the field of corrections. These topics were then developed into two statements of work used to develop Requests for Proposals. A contract was awarded based on the responses to these Proposals. The Task Force members reviewed and provided comments on the products generated under this contract.

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

1. The combination of professionals that comprise the Task Force is unique. No other source matched its composition. It would not have been possible to obtain the needed input and information from any other group or organization. 2. This combination of individuals also ensured that the information and perspective they provided was current and timely.

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

N/A

21. Remarks

Designated Federal Officer

Dee Halley DFO

Committee Members	Start	End	Occupation	Member Designation
Ault, Allen	10/01/1998	09/30/1999	Chief, Special Projects, National Institute of Corrections	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Carruth, Kevin	11/14/1995	09/30/1999	Santa Clara County, CA	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
D'Arcy, Thomas	11/28/1995	09/30/1999	American Society of Civil Engineers	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Haines, Joe	03/04/1996	09/30/1999	American Institute of Architects	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Houk, Wade	02/09/1996	09/30/1999	Federal Bureau of Investigation	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Hudson, Ern	03/11/1996	09/30/1999	National Sheriffs' Association	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Knaple, Carole	11/14/1995	09/30/1999	National Institute of Justice (Visiting Fellow)	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Moore, Francis	11/14/1995	09/30/1999	American Jail Association	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Reilly, Paul	11/28/1995	09/30/1999	American Society of Civil Engineers	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Schriro, Dora	02/08/1996	09/30/1999	Association of Correctional Administrators	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member

Smith, Wantland	03/04/1996	09/30/1999	American Institute of Architects	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Southworth, George	03/06/1996	09/30/1999	Precast/Prestressed Concrete Institute	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Thomas, Don	12/14/1995	09/30/1999	State of Texas	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Wilkinson, Reginald	03/20/1996	09/30/1999	American Correctional Association	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Wood, Rex	11/15/1995	09/30/1999	SAVE International	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member

Number of Committee Members Listed: 15

Narrative Description

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 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 type="checkbox"/>
Increased customer satisfaction	<input type="checkbox"/>
Implementation of laws or regulatory requirements	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other	<input type="checkbox"/>

Outcome Comments

What are the cost savings associated with this committee?

Checked if Applies

None	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Unable to Determine	<input 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

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	<input type="checkbox"/>
Online GSA FACA Web Site	<input type="checkbox"/>
Publications	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other	<input type="checkbox"/>

Access Comments

