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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
Performance Review Board Appointments


ACTION: Notice of Appointment.

SUMMARY: This notice announces the appointment of the members of the Senior Executive Service (SES) and Senior Level (SL) and Scientific or Professional (ST) Performance Review Boards (PRBs) for the Department of Agriculture, as required by 5 U.S.C. 4314(c)(4). The Department of Agriculture has a total of seven PRBs: The Secretary’s PRB; Career Agency Head’s PRB; Departmental Management and Staff Offices PRB; Natural Resources and Environment PRB; Farm and Foreign Agricultural Services, Rural Development, Food, Nutrition and Consumer Services PRB; Marketing and Regulatory Programs, Food Safety PRB; and Research, Education, and Economics PRB. The PRBs are comprised of career and noncareer executives and chairpersons, who make recommendations on the performance of executives to the Secretary, including performance ratings and bonuses for SES, SL, and ST employees. The boards meet annually to review and evaluate performance appraisal documents and provide written recommendations to the Secretary for final approval of performance ratings and base salary increases.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In accordance with 5 U.S.C. 4314(c)(4), the following executives may be appointed by mission areas to the USDA PRBs:

Office of the Secretary

Baening, Brian; Bittleman, Sarah; Bonnie, Robert Farrell; Gonzales, Oscar; Gutter, Karis T.; Harden, Krysta; Hipp, Janie; Holtzman, Max T.; Jett, Carole E.; Jones, Carmen; MacMillan, Anne; Mande, Jerold; Palmieri, Suzanne; Willis, Brandon L.; Wright, Ann.

Departmental Management and Staff Offices

Parham, Gregory L.; Armstrong, Kent W.; Bange, Gerald A.; Baumes, Harry S.; Bender, Stuart; Bice, Donald; Black, David O.; Brady, Terence M.; Brewer, John; Bumbary-Langston, Inga P.; Chasteen, G. Taylor; Christian, Lisa A.; Clanton, Michael W.; Coffee, Richard; Farington, Kim S.; Foster, Andrea L.; Glauber, Joseph; Grahn, David P.; Hawk, Gilbert; Heard, Robin; Hobbs, Alma; Hohenstein, William G.; Holladay, Jon; Jackson, Yvonne T.; Jensen, William; Johansson, Robert C.; Jones, Diem-Linh; Kelly, Janet Karlease; Leland, Arlean; Leonard, Joe; Linden, Ralph A.; Lowe, Christopher S.; Lowe, Stephen O.; Maddux, Sheryl; McClam, Charles; Messmore, Karen; Milton, William; Moulton, Robert Jeffrey; Paul, Matt; Parker, Carolyn C.; Paeffle, Frederick; Repass, Todd; Romero, Ramona; Ruiz, Carl-Martin; Shearer, David P.; Speed, Randy L.; Turner, Calvin; Vos, John P.; Wallace, Charles; Walsh, Thomas M.; Watts, Michael; White, John S.; White, Sharmian L.; Wilburn, Curtis; Wilusz, Lisa; Young, Benjamin; Young, Mike; Zehren, Christopher J.

Marketing and Regulatory Programs

Avalos, Ed; Blue, Rebecca A.; Walsh, Joan L.

Agricultural Marketing Service

Bailey, Douglas; Barnes, Rex; Coale, Dana; Earnest, Darryl; Epstein, Robert; Guo, Ruichong; McCullough, Catherine; McEvoy, Miles; Morris, Craig; Neal, Arthur; Shipman, David.

Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service

Bech, Rebecca; Berger, Philip; Brown, Charles; Clark, Larry; Clay, William; Clifford, John; Davidson, Mark L.; Diaz-Solorio, Hilda; Dick, Jere; Diez, Jose; El Lissy, Osama A.; Firko, Michael J.; Gipson, Chester; Granger, Larry; Green, Jeffrey; Gregoire, Michael; Harabin, Victor; Hill, Jr., Richard; Hoffman, Neil E.; Holland, Marilyn; Huttenlocker, Robert; Jones, Bethany; Kaplan, David; LaTourne, Elizabeth; Leving, Randall L.; McCammon, Sally L.; McCluskey, Brian; Mendoza, Jr., Martin; Morgan, Andrea; Munno, Joanne; Myers, Thomas; Purcell, Roberta; Shea, A. Kevin; Shere, Jack; Simmons, Beverly; Smith, Cynthia; Thierrmann, Alejandro B.; Watson, Michael T.; Wiggins, Marsha A.; Zakarka, Christine.

Grain Inspection, Packers and Stockyards Administration

Alonzo, Mary C.; Christian, Alan; Jones, Randall; Mitchell, Lawrence W.

Food Safety

Hagen, Elisabeth; Ronholm, Brian; Almanza, Alfred; Basu, Parthapratim; Blake, Carol L.; Chen, Vivian; Dearfield, Kenny L.; Derfler, Philip; Edelstein, Rachel; Engeljohn, Daniel; Esteban, Jose Emilio; Garcia, Joseph L.; Gilmore, Keith Allen; Kelley, Lynda Collins; Jones, Ronald; Mian, Haroon S.; Myers, Jacqueline; Nintemann, Terri; Roth, Jane; Sidrak, Hany Z.; Smith, William; Stevens, Janet; Stuck, Karen; Tawadrous, Armia.

Farm and Foreign Agricultural Services

Scuse, Michael; Vetter, Darci.

Foreign Agricultural Service

Foster, Christian; Quick, Bryce; Nuzum, Janet; Riemenschneider, Robert; Sheikh, Patricia.

Farm Service Agency

Beyerhelm, Christopher; Garcia, Juan M.; Gwinn, James; Harwood, Joy; Monahan, James; Nelson, Bruce; Stephenson, Robert; Thompson, Candace; Trimm, Alan; Ward, Bruce Edward; Ware, Heidi Grace.

Risk Management Agency

Alston, Michael; Hand, Michael; Leach, Barbara; Murphy, William; Nelson, Leann H.; Witt, Timothy; Worth, Thomas W.

Food, Nutrition and Consumer Services

Anand, Rajan; Arena-DeRosa, James; Arnette, Donald; Bailey, Jr., Robin David; Barnes, Darlene; Burr, David Glenn; Carlson, Steven; Concannon, Kevin; Dombroski, Patricia; Holden, Ollice; Jackson, Yvette S.; Kane, Deborah J.; Ludwig, William; Ng, Allen; O’Connor, Thomas; Pino, Lisa; Rowe, Audrey; Shahin, Jessica; Thornton, Jane; Tribiano, Jeffrey.

Rural Development

Tonsager Dallas; Cook, Cheryl; O’Brien, Doug.

Rural Business Service

Canales, Judith Ann; Hadjy, Pandor; Parker, Chadwick O.; Wiley, Curtis A.
Rural Housing Service
Allen, Joyce; Vani, Ronald; Davis, Richard A.; Gladden, Roger; Hannah, Thomas; Hooper, Bryan; Ross, Robert; Trevino, Tammye.

Rural Utilities Service
Ackerman, Kenneth; Adelstein, Jonathan S.; Bojes, Gary; Elgo, Gary; Nivin, Newby; James; Ponti-Lazaruk, Jacqueline; Villano, David; Zufolo, Jessica.

Natural Resources Conservation Service
Speight, Eloris; Washington, Gary; Reed, Lesia; Salinas, Salvador; Jordan, Leonard; Kramer, Anthony; Honeycutt, C. Wayne; Huber, Steven C.; Hunt, Patrick G.; Jackson, Thomas J.; Jacobson, Chavonda; Jenkins, Johnie; Lento, Steven; King, Jr., Edgar; Klesius, Phillip Harry; Knipling, Edward; Kochian, Leon V.; Kretsches, Mary; Kunickis, Sheryll; Lillehoj, Hyun S.; Lindsay, James A.; Liu, Simon; Loper, Joyce E.; Mather, Robert; Matteo, Autar K.; McGuire, Michael; McMurtry, John; Narang, Sudhir; Or, Donald R.; Pollak, Emil; Rango, Rabel; Rumford, Jr., Caird; Riley, Ronald T.; Sebesta, Paul; Shafer, Steven; Simmons, Mary W.; Smith, Timothy P.; Spence, Joseph; Suarez, David Lee; Swietlik, Dariusz; Tu, Shu-J.; Upchurch, Dan; Vance, Carroll P.; Vogel, Kenneth P.; Willett, Julious L.; Yates, Allison; Zhang, Howard; Zuelke, Kurt.

Economic Research Service
Bianchi, Ronald; Bohman, Mary.

National Agricultural Statistics Service
Barnes, Kevin L.; Bass, Robert; Bennett, Norman; Clark, Cynthia; Hamer, Jr., Hubert; Harris, James Mark; Klurfeld, Roger J.; Parsons, Joseph L.; Picason, Robin; Prusacki, Joseph; Reilly, Joseph.

National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Boteler, Franklin; Brandon, Andrea; Broussard, Meryl; Desbois, Michel; Holland, Robert E.; Otto, Ralph; Qureshi, Muquarrab A.; Ramaswamy, Sonny; Shelly, Deborah.


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