



Federal Advisory Committee Nomination Opportunities

August 27, 2024

Greenhouse Gas Technical Assistance Provider and Third-Party Verifier Program Advisory Council

AGENCY: Department of Agriculture

BACKGROUND: The U.S. Department of Agricultural (USDA) has solicited a notice for establishment as well as seeking nominations for the [Greenhouse Gas Technical Assistance Provider and Third-Party Verifier Program Advisory Council](#). The Council provides recommendations and reports to the Secretary of USDA on protocols, qualifications, and activities of the Greenhouse Gas Technical Assistance Provider and Third-Party program. The Council will support “the newly established Greenhouse Gas Technical Assistance Provider and Third-Party Verifier Program (Program) in facilitating the participation in voluntary environmental credit markets of farmers, ranchers, and private forest landowners, including beginning, socially disadvantaged, limited resource, and veteran farmers.” The Council is seeking expertise that are “broadly representative of the agriculture and private forest sectors; include beginning, socially disadvantaged, limited resource, and veteran farmers, ranchers, and private forest landowners; and be composed of not less than 51 percent farmers, ranchers, or private forest landowners.”

Nominations must include a typed covered letter outlining which group the nominee plans to represent, a current resume, and a completed USDA Advisory Committee Membership Background Information Form AD-755. A letter of recommendation is optional. Individuals may be self-nominated or be nominated by a third party.

APPLICATIONS DUE: Nominations are due **October 15, 2024**.

NOTICE: <https://www.federalregister.gov/d/2024-17938>

AUTHORITY: The Greenhouse Gas Technical Assistance Provider and Third-Party Verifier Program Advisory Council was established under the *Growing Climate Solutions Act* and is governed by provisions of the *Federal Advisory Committee Act* [5 U.S.C. App. 2].

Office of Research and Development’s Board of Scientific Counselors Advisory Committee

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)

BACKGROUND: The Environmental Protection Agency is seeking nominations for individuals to serve on the [Office of Research and Development \(ORD\) Board of Scientific Counselors \(BOSC\)](#). The BOSC “provides independent scientific and technical peer review, advice, consultation, and recommendations on ORD’s research programs”. EPA invites nominations from scientists, engineers, and economists to



serve on the board whose expertise covers topics relative to human health and the environment listed in the solicitation.

Nominees should provide contact information, a summary of the candidate's expertise and experience, committee preferences, a current resume, and additional information that may be informative such as other qualifications. Individuals may be self-nominated or nominated by a third party.

APPLICATIONS DUE: Nominations are due **September 6, 2024**.

NOTICE: <https://www.federalregister.gov/d/2024-18373>

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