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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

National Institutes of Health

National Institute on Deafness and Other Communication Disorders; Notice of Closed Meetings

Pursuant to section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended, notice is hereby given of the following meetings.

The meetings will be closed to the public in accordance with the provisions set forth in sections 552b(c)(4) and 552b(c)(6), Title 5 U.S.C., as amended. The grant applications and the discussions could disclose confidential trade secrets or commercial property such as patentable material, and personal information concerning individuals associated with the grant applications, the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy.

Name of Committee: National Institute on Deafness and Other Communication Disorders Special Emphasis Panel; NIDCD Clinical Research Center Application (P50) Review.

Date: September 24, 2020.

Time: 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Agenda: To review and evaluate grant applications.

Place: National Institutes of Health, NSC, 6001 Executive Boulevard, Rockville, MD 20852, (Telephone Conference Call).

Contact Person: Shiguang Yang, DVM, Ph.D., Scientific Review Officer, Division of Extramural Activities, NIDCD, NIH, 6001 Executive Blvd., Room 8349, Bethesda, MD 20892, (301) 496-8683, yangshi@nidcd.nih.gov.

Name of Committee: National Institute on Deafness and Other Communication Disorders Special Emphasis Panel, NIDCD Clinical Trial Review.

Date: October 1, 2020.

Time: 12:00 p.m. to 1:30 p.m.

Agenda: To review and evaluate grant applications.

Place: National Institutes of Health, NSC Building, 6001 Executive Boulevard, Bethesda, MD 20892 (Telephone Conference Call).

Contact Person: Katherine Shim, Ph.D., Scientific Review Officer, Division of Extramural Activities, NIH/NIDCD, 6001 Executive Blvd., Room 8351, Bethesda, MD 20892, (301) 496-8683, katherine.shim@nih.gov

Name of Committee: National Institute on Deafness and Other Communication

Disorders Special Emphasis Panel, Translational Grant Review.

Date: October 7, 2020.

Time: 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Agenda: To review and evaluate grant applications.

Place: National Institutes of Health, NSC Building, 6001 Executive Boulevard, Bethesda, MD 20892 (Telephone Conference Call).

Contact Person: Sheo Singh, Ph.D., Scientific Review Officer, Scientific Review Branch, Division of Extramural Activities, 6001 Executive Blvd., Room 8351, Bethesda, MD 20892, (301) 496-8683, singhs@nidcd.nih.gov.

Name of Committee: National Institute on Deafness and Other Communication Disorders Special Emphasis Panel; Hearing and Balance Application Review.

Date: October 8-9, 2020.

Time: 11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Agenda: To review and evaluate grant applications.

Place: National Institutes of Health, NSC Building, 6001 Executive Boulevard, Bethesda, MD 20892 (Telephone Conference Call).

Contact Person: Eliane Lazar-Wesley, Ph.D., Scientific Review Officer, Scientific Review Branch, Division of Extramural Activities, 6001 Executive Boulevard, Room 8339, MSC 9670, Bethesda, MD 20892-8401, (301) 496-8683, el6r@nih.gov.

Name of Committee: National Institute on Deafness and Other Communication Disorders Special Emphasis Panel; NIDCD Chemosensory Fellowship Review.

Date: October 14, 2020.

Time: 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Agenda: To review and evaluate grant applications.

Place: National Institutes of Health, NSC, 6001 Executive Boulevard, Rockville, MD 20852 (Virtual Meeting).

Contact Person: Shiguang Yang, DVM, Ph.D., Scientific Review Officer, Division of Extramural Activities, NIDCD, NIH, 6001 Executive Blvd., Room 8349, Bethesda, MD 20892, (301) 496-8683, yangshi@nidcd.nih.gov.

Name of Committee: National Institute on Deafness and Other Communication Disorders Special Emphasis Panel; Clinical Trials.

Date: October 29, 2020.

Time: 12:00 p.m. to 1:30 p.m.

Agenda: To review and evaluate grant applications.

Place: National Institutes of Health, NSC, 6001 Executive Boulevard, Rockville, MD 20852 (Telephone Conference Call).

Contact Person: Eliane Lazar-Wesley, Ph.D., Scientific Review Officer, Scientific Review Branch, Division of Extramural Activities, 6001 Executive Boulevard, Room 8339, MSC 9670, Bethesda, MD 20892-8401, (301) 496-8683, el6r@nih.gov (Catalogue of Federal Domestic Assistance Program Nos. 93.173, Biological Research Related to Deafness and Communicative Disorders, National Institutes of Health, HHS)

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

National Institutes of Health

National Library of Medicine; Notice of Meetings

Pursuant to section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended, notice is hereby given of a meeting of the National Library of Medicine Board of Scientific Counselors.

The meeting will be open to the public as indicated below. Individuals who plan to attend and need special assistance, such as sign language interpretation or other reasonable accommodations should notify the Contact Person listed below in advance of the meeting.

The meeting will be closed to the public as indicated below in accordance with the provisions set forth in section 552b(c)(6), Title 5 U.S.C., as amended for review, discussion, and evaluation of individual intramural programs and projects conducted by the NATIONAL LIBRARY OF MEDICINE, including consideration of personnel qualifications and performance, and the competence of individual investigators, the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy.

Name of Committee: National Library of Medicine Board of Scientific Counselors.

Date: October 15-16, 2020.

Open: October 15, 2020, 11:00 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.

Agenda: Program Discussion and Senior Investigator Report.

Place: Virtual Meeting.

Closed: October 15, 2020, 12:15 p.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Agenda: To review and evaluate personal qualifications, performance, and competence of individual investigators.

Open: October 15, 2020, 12:30 p.m. to 1:15 p.m.

Agenda: Senior Investigator Report

Closed: October 15, 2020, 1:15 p.m. to 1:30 p.m.

Agenda: To review and evaluate personal qualifications, performance, and competence of individual investigators

Open: October 15, 2020, 1:45 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.

Agenda: Senior Investigator Report

Closed: October 15, 2020, 2:30 p.m. to 2:45 p.m.

Agenda: To review and evaluate personal qualifications, performance, and competence of individual investigators

Open: October 15, 2020, 3:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Agenda: Poster Session

Closed: October 15, 2020, 4:15 p.m. to 4:45 p.m.

Agenda: Reports and Discussion

Open: October 16, 2020, 11:00 a.m. to 11:45 a.m.

Agenda: Senior Investigator Report

Place: Virtual Meeting

Closed: October 16, 2020, 11:45 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Agenda: To review and evaluate personal qualifications, performance, and competence of individual investigators

Closed: October 16, 2020, 12:30 p.m. to 1:30 p.m.

Agenda: Reports and Discussion

Open: October 16, 2020, 1:30 p.m. to 3:15 p.m.

Agenda: Updates and Planning Session

Contact Person: David Landsman, Ph.D., Chief, Computational Biology Branch, National Center for Biotechnology Information, National Library of Medicine, NIH, Building 38A, Room 6N601, Bethesda, MD 20892, 301-435-5981, landsman@ncbi.nlm.nih.gov.

Any member of the public may submit written comments no later than 15 days after the meeting. Any interested person may file written comments with the committee by forwarding the statement to the Contact Person listed on this notice. The statement should include the name, address, telephone number and when applicable, the business or professional affiliation of the interested person.

Open sessions of this meeting will be broadcast to the public and available for viewing at <https://videocast.nih.gov> on October 15–16, 2020. Please direct any questions to the Contact Person listed on this notice.

(Catalogue of Federal Domestic Assistance Program No. 93.879, Medical Library Assistance, National Institutes of Health, HHS)

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ADVISORY COUNCIL ON HISTORIC PRESERVATION

Notice of Amendments to the Program Comment To Avoid Duplicative Reviews for the Wireless Communications Facilities Construction and Modification

AGENCY: Advisory Council on Historic Preservation

ACTION: Notice of Issuance of Amendments to the Program Comment

to Avoid Duplicative Reviews for the Wireless Communications Facilities Construction and Modification.

SUMMARY: The Advisory Council on Historic Preservation (ACHP) has approved amendments to the Program Comment that sets forth the way in which various agencies comply with Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act for telecommunications project already subject to Section 106 review by the Federal Communications Commission. The amendments add the Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement to the Program Comment and authorize the Chairman of the ACHP to amend the Program Comment to add new agencies to it or extend its duration.

DATES: The amendments went into effect on July 31, 2020.

ADDRESSES: Address any questions concerning the amendments to Jaime Loichinger, Office of Federal Agency Programs, Advisory Council on Historic Preservation, 401 F Street NW, Suite 308, Washington, DC 20001.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Jaime Loichinger, (202) 517-0219, jloichinger@achp.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act, 54 U.S.C. 306108, requires federal agencies to consider the effects of projects they carry out, license, or assist (undertakings) on historic properties and to provide the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation (ACHP) a reasonable opportunity to comment with regard to such undertakings. The ACHP has issued the regulations that set forth the process through which federal agencies comply with these duties at 36 CFR part 800 (Section 106 regulations).

Under Section 800.14(e) of those regulations, agencies can request the ACHP to provide a “Program Comment” on a particular category of undertakings in lieu of conducting individual reviews of each individual undertaking under such category, as set forth in 36 CFR 800.4 through 800.7. An agency can meet its Section 106 responsibilities regarding the effects of particular aspects of those undertakings by taking into account an applicable Program Comment and following the steps set forth in that comment.

I. Background on Amendments

On October 23, 2009, the ACHP issued the “Program Comment for Streamlining Section 106 Review for Wireless Communications Facilities Construction and Modification Subject

to Review Under the FCC Nationwide Programmatic Agreement and/or the Nationwide Programmatic Agreement for the Collocation of Wireless Antennas” (Broadband PC). The Broadband PC relieves various agencies from conducting duplicate reviews under Section 106 when those agencies assist a telecommunications project subject to Section 106 review by the Federal Communications Commission (FCC). For background on the original Broadband PC, please refer to 74 FR 60280–60281 (November 20, 2009).

Earlier this year, the Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement (OSMRE) asked the ACHP to include them in the Broadband PC. OSMRE has made funding available for projects in the Abandoned Mine Land Reclamation Economic Development Pilot Program (AMLPP) as authorized by the Consolidated Appropriations Acts (Pub. L. 114–113 (2016); Pub. L. 115–31 (2017); Pub. L. 115–141 (2018), and Pub. L. 116–6 (2019)), and which may continue under annual appropriation cycles. OSMRE is providing financial assistance under the AMLPP to the West Virginia Department of Environmental Protection (DEP), issued to the Upshur County Development Authority (UCDA) as a sub-recipient, for the purposes of: (1) Increasing the availability of broadband to unserved and underserved communities in West Virginia by construction of an open-access transport network across West Virginia on Abandoned Mine Land sites; and (2) constructing a series of towers consisting of fiber connected towers as the network backbone with wireless transport to aggregation and last mile towers using a “hub and spoke” architecture.

During consultation for ways to handle Section 106 reviews for these projects, it became apparent that some of the proposed actions would be subject to FCC’s existing Section 106 Nationwide Programmatic Agreement and collocation Programmatic Agreement, and that OSMRE would benefit from being added to the Broadband PC to avoid duplicative reviews. This would allow OSMRE to use the exemptions contained in those FCC agreements, and streamline review in the future. OSMRE would still need to have ways to comply with Section 106 to address the other components of their undertakings that do not include the construction of the cell towers, but adding them to the Broadband PC would move along a good portion of the projects consistent with how FCC handles tower construction.

ACHP staff also took the opportunity to propose authorizing the ACHP