

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE**Office of the Secretary****Department of Defense Board of Actuaries; Notice of Federal Advisory Committee Meeting**

AGENCY: Under Secretary of Defense for Personnel and Readiness, Department of Defense (DoD).

ACTION: Notice of Federal advisory committee meeting.

SUMMARY: The DoD is publishing this notice to announce that the following Federal Advisory Committee meeting of the DoD Board of Actuaries will take place.

DATES: Open to the public Wednesday, July 24, 2024, from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Eastern Standard Time (EST).

ADDRESSES: * * * THIS MEETING WILL BE HELD VIRTUALLY * * * If you need any assistance, please contact Inger Pettygrove at (703) 225-8803 or Inger.m.pettygrove.civ@mail.mil as soon as possible.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Inger Pettygrove, (703) 225-8803 (Voice), inger.m.pettygrove.civ@mail.mil (Email). Mailing address is Defense Human Resources Activity, DoD Office of the Actuary, 4800 Mark Center Drive, STE 03E25, Alexandria, VA 22350-8000. Website: <https://actuary.defense.gov/>. The most up-to-date changes to the meeting agenda can be found on the website.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This meeting is being held under the provisions of chapter 10 of title 5 United States Code (U.S.C.) (commonly known as the Federal Advisory Committee Act of 1972 (5 U.S.C. app.) or “FACA”), the Government in the Sunshine Act of 1976 (5 U.S.C. 552b, as amended), and 41 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) 102-3.140 and 102-3.150.

Purpose of the Meeting: The purpose of the meeting is for the DoD Board of Actuaries to review DoD actuarial methods and assumptions to be used in the valuations of the Military Retirement Fund, the Voluntary Separation Incentive Fund, and the Education Benefits Fund in accordance with the provisions of section 183, section 2006, chapter 74 (10 U.S.C. 1464 *et seq.*), and section 1175 of title 10, U.S.C.

Agenda

Military Retirement Fund/VSI Fund (10:00 a.m.)

1. Recent and Proposed Legislation
2. Briefing on Investment Experience
3. September 30, 2023, Valuation of the Military Retirement Fund *

4. Proposed Methods and Assumptions for September 30, 2024, Valuation of the Military Retirement Fund *
5. Proposed Methods and Assumptions for September 30, 2023, VSI Fund Valuation *
6. Fund Overview
7. Briefing on Investment Experience
8. September 30, 2023, Valuation Proposed Economic Assumptions *
9. September 30, 2023, Valuation Proposed Methods and Assumptions—Reserve Programs *
10. September 30, 2023, Valuation Proposed Methods and Assumptions—Active-Duty Programs *
11. Developments in Education Benefits

* Board approval required

Meeting Accessibility: Pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552b and 41 CFR 102-3.140 through 102-3.165, this meeting is open to the public. All members of the public who wish to attend virtually must register by contacting Inger Pettygrove, (703) 225-8803 (Voice), inger.m.pettygrove.civ@mail.mil (Email) no later than Monday, July 22, 2024. Once registered, the web address and/or audio number will be provided.

Written Statements: Pursuant to 41 CFR 102-3.140 and 10(a)(3) of the FACA, the public or interested organizations may submit written comments to the DoD Board of Actuaries about its mission and topics pertaining to this public session. Persons desiring to attend the DoD Board of Actuaries meeting to make an oral presentation or submit a written statement for consideration at the meeting must notify Inger Pettygrove at (703) 225-8803, or inger.m.pettygrove.civ@mail.mil, by Wednesday, July 10, 2024.

Written comments need to be submitted in the following formats: Adobe Acrobat or Microsoft Word. Written comments may also be mailed to the address listed in **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT**. Written comments not received by the DoD Board of Actuaries at least five (5) business days prior to the meeting date, or after, will be provided to the Chair of the DoD Board of Actuaries for consideration.

Advance copy of oral public comments must be sent via email at inger.m.pettygrove.civ@mail.mil with the subject line “DoD Board of Actuaries: Request to Speak <insert the issue and question>” no later than 11:59 p.m. EST on Wednesday, July 10, 2024. Submissions received after the deadline

will not be considered for oral public comment but will be provided to the Chair of the DoD Board of Actuaries for consideration. All submitted oral comments become government property and may be published as part of the meeting record. Registration for oral public comment is on a first-come, first-served basis. Comments are limited to two (2) minutes or less per person. After the maximum number of speakers is exceeded, individuals registered to provide oral comment will be placed on a wait list and notified should an opening become available. Should time expire for oral public comments those not presented will be provided to the Chair of the DoD Board of Actuaries for consideration. You will be notified via email no later than Monday, July 22, 2024, if you have been identified to provide in-person public comment.

Please note that since the DoD Board of Actuaries operates under the provisions of the FACA, all written comments received will be treated as public documents and will be made available for public inspection.

Dated: June 27, 2024.

Aaron T. Siegel,

Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE**Office of the Secretary****Renewal of Department of Defense Federal Advisory Committees—Defense Business Board**

AGENCY: Department of Defense (DoD).

ACTION: Renewal of Federal advisory committee.

SUMMARY: The DoD is publishing this notice to announce that it is renewing the Defense Business Board (DBB).

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Jim Freeman, DoD Advisory Committee Management Officer, 703-692-5952.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The DoD is renewing the DBB in accordance with chapter 10 of title 5 United States Code (U.S.C.) (commonly known as the “Federal Advisory Committee Act” or “FACA”) (5 U.S.C. 552b (commonly known as the “Government in the Sunshine Act”) and 41 CFR 102-3.50(d). The charter and contact information for the DBB’s Designated Federal Officer (DFO) are found at <https://www.facadatabase.gov/FACA/apex/FACAPublicAgencyNavigation>.

The DBB provides the Secretary of Defense and Deputy Secretary of

Defense with independent advice and actionable recommendations to address critical matters and challenges to accelerate adoption of effective and efficient business processes and functions, organizational management constructs, and business and organizational cultural changes within the DoD in response to specific tasking from the Secretary of Defense or the Deputy Secretary of Defense (“the DoD Appointing Authority”). The DBB examines and advises on DoD executive management, innovative business processes, and governance from private, public, and academic sector perspectives. The DBB is composed of no more than 20 members who meet one of more of the follow criteria: (a) proven track record of sound judgement in leading or governing large, complex public or private-sector organizations, including academia; (b) significant management-level (executive level managers that are titled “chief” followed by their function) global business or academic experience including, but not limited to the areas of executive management, corporate strategy, governance, business process improvement and innovation, global business services/shared services, audit and finance, supply chain and logistics, human resources/talent management, data/analytics management and use, real property management, organizational design and optimization, energy and climate, or technology; (c) demonstrated performance in developing new business theories, innovation, and concepts; (d) career as a distinguished academic or researcher in business at an accredited college or institute of higher education; or (e) a proven track record as an innovative leader in small and minority owned businesses.

Individual members are appointed according to DoD policy and procedures, and serve a term of service of one-to-four years with annual renewals. One member will be appointed as Chair of the DBB. No member, unless approved according to DoD policy and procedures, may serve more than two consecutive terms of service on the DBB, or serve on more than two DoD Federal advisory committees at one time.

DBB members who are not full-time or permanent part-time Federal civilian officers or employees, or active-duty members of the Uniformed Services, are appointed as experts or consultants, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 3109, to serve as special government employee members. DBB members who are full-time or permanent part-time Federal civilian officers or employees, or active-duty members of the Uniformed Services are

appointed pursuant to 41 CFR 102–3.130(a), to serve as regular government employee members.

All DBB members are appointed to provide advice based on their best judgment without representing any particular point of view and in a manner that is free from conflict of interest. Except for reimbursement of official DBB-related travel and per diem, members serve without compensation.

The public or interested organizations may submit written statements about the DBB’s mission and functions. Written statements may be submitted at any time or in response to the stated agenda of planned meeting of the DBB. All written statements shall be submitted to the DFO for the DBB, and this individual will ensure that the written statements are provided to the membership for their consideration.

Dated: June 27, 2024.

Aaron T. Siegel,

Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Department of the Army, Corps of Engineers

Intent To Prepare a Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement for the San Clemente Shoreline Protection Project

AGENCY: Corps of Engineers, Department of the Army, DoD.

ACTION: Notice of intent.

SUMMARY: The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) intends to prepare a Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement (SEIS) to evaluate further dredging of suitable beach nourishment sediment associated with the construction of the San Clemente Shoreline Protection Project, a coastal storm risk management project, and include an additional borrow area(s) to obtain beach compatible sediment for future renourishments. This SEIS will supplement the San Clemente Shoreline Protection Project Final Feasibility Report and Joint Final Environmental Impact Statement/Environmental Impact Report dated February 2012 (FR/EIS/EIR), San Clemente Shoreline Protection Project Supplemental Environmental Assessments (SEA) prepared in 2023, and San Clemente Shoreline Protection Project Revised SEA prepared in 2024. The SEIS will not reformulate the broad array of alternatives previously examined in the

FR/EIS/EIR and SEAs but will consider reasonable alternatives received during the scoping process. Mitigation will be considered as required for any additional impacts addressed in the SEIS.

DATES: To ensure consideration, all comments concerning the scope of the SEIS must be received on or before August 1, 2024.

ADDRESSES: You may submit comments related to the SEIS by any of the following methods: *Mail:* U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Los Angeles District, 915 Wilshire Boulevard (Attn: CESPL–PDR–L San Clemente), Los Angeles, California 90017 or *Email:* kenneth.wong@usace.army.mil.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Kenneth Wong, Planning Division, USACE Los Angeles District, (213) 361–2269, kenneth.wong@usace.army.mil.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

1. *Background:* The project was authorized by the Water Resources Reform and Development Act of 2014, Public Law 113–121, section 7002 for the purpose of reducing coastal storm damages by constructing a beach fill/berm along the San Clemente shoreline. The authorized project includes construction of an approximate 50-foot-wide beach nourishment project along a 3,412-foot-long stretch of shoreline using beach compatible sediment, with renourishment on the average of every 6 years over a 50-year period of federal participation. The authorization did not identify a specific borrow site for the beach fill; however, it identified that the site(s) would be off the coast of San Diego County (e.g., Oceanside). The project is further described in the Final Feasibility Report and Final Environmental Impact Statement dated February 2012 (FR/EIS/EIR); supplemental environmental assessment (SEA) dated May 2023; and SEA dated March 2024. Construction of the project was initiated in December 2023. However, due in part to equipment damage and sediment compatibility issues encountered at the Oceanside borrow area, construction was temporarily paused. To allow for operational flexibility, the 2024 SEA evaluated inclusion of the Surfside-Sunset borrow area, a 106-acre borrow site offshore Surfside-Sunset beaches located 29 miles to the north of San Clemente in Orange County, as an alternate borrow site for initial construction of the project.

After the 2024 SEA’s FONSI was signed (March 18, 2024), further analysis indicated that continued use of the Surfside-Sunset borrow site to complete initial construction of the