

**NATIONAL EARTHQUAKE HAZARDS REDUCTION PROGRAM (NEHRP)
ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON EARTHQUAKE HAZARDS REDUCTION (ACEHR)**

9-10 APRIL 2015

NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF STANDARDS AND TECHNOLOGY

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, PORTRAIT ROOM

100 BUREAU DRIVE

GAITHERSBURG, MD 20899

AGENDA

Meeting Goals:

- Develop the Committee's 2015 *Report on the Effectiveness of the Program*.
- Receive Program updates from NEHRP agencies and understand budget priorities going forward.

Thursday, 9 April		
Time	Topic	Discussion Leader
Opening Remarks		
8:30 – 8:40 am	Welcome – Introductions (including new member) <i>See emergency evacuation routes on projection screen!!!</i>	Howard Harary <i>Director</i> Engineering Laboratory National Institute of Standards & Technology (NIST) <i>Designated Federal Officer</i>
8:40 – 9:00 am	Opening Remarks	Willie May <i>Acting Director</i> NIST
9:00 – 9:15 am	Meeting Goals Agenda	Laurie Johnson <i>ACEHR Chairperson</i>
9:15 – 9:20 am	Meeting Logistics	Jack Hayes <i>NEHRP Director</i> Engineering Laboratory, NIST
9:20 – 9:50 am	Overview of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA)	Alice McKenna <i>Senior Counsel, General Law Division</i> Department of Commerce
9:50 – 10:10 am	Break	
Agency Overviews and Updates		
10:10 – 10:30 am	NEHRP Overview <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Legislative Background & Update</i> • <i>Agency Interactions</i> • <i>Budget Overview</i> • <i>Q&A</i> 	Jack Hayes

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10:30 – 11:00 am	USGS Earthquake Program Update <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Agency Overview • Budget Update • Recent Accomplishments • 2015-2016 Plans • Q&A 	Bill Leith <i>Senior Science Advisor for Earthquake and Geologic Hazards</i> U.S. Geological Survey
11:00 – 11:15 am	USGS Scientific Earthquake Studies Advisory Committee (SESAC) Update	Ralph Archuleta <i>SESAC Chair</i> Professor Department of Earth Science and Earth Research Institute University of California, Santa Barbara
11:15 – 11:45 am	NSF Earthquake Program Update <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Agency Overview • Budget Update • Recent Accomplishments • 2015-2016 Plans • Q&A 	Joy Pauschke <i>Program Director</i> Division of Civil, Mechanical, and Manufacturing Innovation Directorate for Engineering National Science Foundation
11:45 am – 12:15 pm	FEMA Earthquake Program Update <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Agency Overview • Budget Update • Recent Accomplishments • 2015-2016 Plans • Q&A 	Ed Laatsch <i>Chief</i> Building Science Branch Mitigation Directorate Federal Emergency Management Agency
12:15 – 1:15 pm	Lunch (NIST Cafeteria, Administration Building, Heritage Room)	
1:15 – 1:35 pm	NIST Earthquake Program Update <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Agency Overview • Recent Accomplishments • 2015-2016 Plans • Q&A 	Steve McCabe <i>NEHRP Deputy Director</i> Engineering Laboratory, NIST
Executive Branch Hazards Activity & Community Resilience Overview		
1:35 – 2:00 pm	NEHRP Interactions with Other Hazards Activities	Howard Harary
2:00 – 2:30 pm	NIST Community Resilience Program Overview <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Resilience Framework Development Update • NIST Resilience Fellows • Center of Excellence • Q&A 	Steve Cauffman <i>Program Manager</i> NIST Community Resilience Program Engineering Laboratory, NIST

Thursday, 9 April		
Time	Topic	Discussion Leader
<i>ACEHR Report Discussions</i>		
2:30 – 2:50 pm	Break and Committee Photo	
2:50 – 5:00 pm	Review of Draft ACEHR Report Sections	Laurie Johnson
5:00 pm	Adjourn for the Day	Laurie Johnson

Friday, 10 April		
Time	Topic	Discussion Leader
<i>ACEHR Discussions</i>		
9:00 – 9:15 am	Opening Remarks	Laurie Johnson
9:15 – 10:30 am	Open Discussion	Laurie Johnson
10:30 – 10:45 am	Break	
10:45 am – 12:15 pm	Open Discussion, continued	Laurie Johnson
12:15 – 1:15 pm	Lunch (NIST Cafeteria, Administration Building, Heritage Room)	
1:15 – 1:20 pm	Public Input Period	Laurie Johnson
1:20 – 2:30 pm	Open Discussion, continued	Laurie Johnson
2:30 pm	Adjourn	Laurie Johnson