This meeting will discuss applications for the Digital Humanities Start-Up Grants grant program on the subject of Archives and Digital Collections, submitted to the Office of Digital Humanities.

4. DATE: December 06, 2012. TIME: 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. ROOM: 402.

This meeting will discuss applications for the Digital Humanities Start-Up Grants grant program on the subject of Computationally-Intensive Research, submitted to the Office of Digital Humanities.

4. DATE: December 10, 2012. TIME: 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. ROOM: 402.

This meeting will discuss applications for the Digital Humanities Start-Up Grants grant program on the subject of Archives and Digital Collections, submitted to the Office of Digital Humanities.

6. DATE: December 11, 2012. TIME: 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. ROOM: 415.

This meeting will discuss applications for the Humanities Collections and Reference Resources grant program on the subject of Music and Performing Arts, submitted to the Division of Preservation and Access.

7. DATE: December 12, 2012. TIME: 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. ROOM: 402.

This meeting will discuss applications for the Digital Humanities Start-Up Grants grant program on the subject of Public Programs, submitted to the Office of Digital Humanities.

8. DATE: December 12, 2012. TIME: 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. ROOM: 315.

This meeting will discuss applications for the Fellowship Programs at Independent Research Institutions grant program, submitted to the Division of Research Programs.

9. DATE: December 13, 2012. TIME: 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. ROOM: 402.

This meeting will discuss applications for the Digital Humanities Start-Up Grants grant program on the subject of Scholarly Communications, submitted to the Office of Digital Humanities.

10. DATE: December 13, 2012. TIME: 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. ROOM: 415.

This meeting will discuss applications for the Humanities Collections and Reference Resources grant program on the subject of U.S. History and Culture, submitted to the Division of Preservation and Access.

Because these meetings will include review of personal and/or proprietary financial and commercial information given in confidence to the agency by grant applicants, the meetings will be closed to the public pursuant to sections 552b(c)(4) and 552b(c)(6) of Title 5 U.S.C., as amended. I have made this determination pursuant to the authority granted me by the Chairman's Delegation of Authority to Close Advisory Committee Meetings dated July 19, 1993.

Dated: November 8, 2012.

#### Lisette Voyatzis,

Committee Management Officer. [FR Doc. 2012–27746 Filed 11–14–12; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 7536–01–P

#### NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

#### Notice of Permit Issued Under the Antarctic Conservation Act of 1978

**AGENCY:** National Science Foundation. **ACTION:** Notice of permit issued under the Antarctic Conservation of 1978, Public Law 95–541.

**SUMMARY:** The National Science Foundation (NSF) is required to publish notice of permits issued under the Antarctic Conservation Act of 1978. This is the required notice.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:
Nadene G. Kennedy, Permit Office,
Office of Polar Programs, Rm. 755,
National Science Foundation, 4201
Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230.
SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On August 8, 2012, the National Science
Foundation published a notice in the
Federal Register of a permit application received. A Waste Management Permit was issued on November 8, 2012 to:
Harry R. Anderson, Permit No. 2013

#### Nadene G. Kennedy,

Permit Officer.

WM-003.

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# NATIONAL WOMEN'S BUSINESS COUNCIL

# Data Collection Available for Public Comments and Recommendations

**ACTION:** Notice and request for comments.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, this notice announces the National Women's Business Council's intentions to request approval on a new information collection activity that is part of an ongoing research program.

**DATES:** Submit comments on or before January 1, 2013.

ADDRESSES: Send all comments regarding whether these information collections are necessary for the proper performance of the function of the agency, whether the burden estimates are accurate, and if there are ways to minimize the estimated burden and enhance the quality of the collections to Emily Bruno, Director of Research and Policy, National Women's Business Council, 409 3rd St. SW., Suite 210, Washington, DC 20416.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Emily Bruno, Director of Research and Policy, National Women's Business Council, 202–205–6826 (Emily.Bruno@nwbc.gov) or Curtis B. Rich, Management Analyst, 202–205–7030, Curtis.Rich@sba.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The National Women's Business Council (NWBC) is a non-partisan federal advisory council that serves as an independent source of advice and counsel to the President, Congress, and the Small Business Administration on economic issues of importance to women business owners. Members of the Council are prominent women business owners and leaders of women's business organizations.

One of NWBC's current research priorities is to segment the market of women entrepreneurs to understand differences in opportunities, challenges, motivations, and expectations they face in starting and growing their businesses. To NWBC's knowledge, no government agency has yet delineated a segmentation of women entrepreneurs. At the same time, NWBC would like to understand if and how the motivations and expectations of women entrepreneurs may result in self-limiting perceptions about the potential of their businesses and would like to assess which messaging is most effective in overcoming potential self-limiting perceptions.

NWBC has acquired the services of a research firm to propose a segmentation of women entrepreneurs based on existing and available data and to conduct in-depth analysis of different segments of women entrepreneurs through qualitative research. The analysis will focus on how the expectations and motivations of each segment differs in order to provide insight into what messaging can best be used to help these different segments overcome potential self-limiting perceptions and grow their businesses. The research proposed would build knowledge about how women business owners view the potential for their

endeavors and provide guidance on how messages about entrepreneurship resonate with segments of women within this population. The resulting data can then inform the NWBC and other policymakers about how to reach out to women entrepreneurs to encourage maximum growth for their businesses.

The qualitative research would consist of a set of twelve focus groups with up to 12 individuals in each focus group with different segments of women entrepreneurs. Questions asked during the focus groups would elicit information on motivations and expectations of women entrepreneurs, as well as any self-limiting perceptions that the respondents may hold about their businesses and the potential for growth. The questions will also elicit reactions to messaging that is commonly provided to women through public and private small business service providers to determine which segments of the population are more receptive to the different messages and to identify any new messages that should be deployed.

Title: Focus Group Research: Women Entrepreneurs, Self-Limiting Perceptions, and Segmentation.

Description of Respondents: Women entrepreneurs in a range of industries and sectors across the United States.

Form Number: n/a. Annual Responses: 144. Annual Burden: 144.

### Anmari J. Borja,

Executive Director.

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# NEIGHBORHOOD REINVESTMENT CORPORATION

### Finance, Budget & Program Committee Meeting of the Board of Directors; Sunshine Act Meeting Notice

TIME AND DATE: 9:00 a.m., Tuesday,

November 20, 2012.

**PLACE:** 1325 G Street NW., Suite 800, Boardroom, Washington, DC 20005.

STATUS: Open.

### CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION:

Erica Hall, Assistant Corporate Secretary, (202) 220–2376; ehall@nw.org.

### AGENDA:

I. Call To Order

II. Executive Session

III. Budget Update

IV. Committee Charter Review

V. Financial Report

VI. Corporate Investment Policy Review VII. DC Lease and Move Budget Update

VIII. FY 12 & FY 13 Corporate Milestone Report and Dashboard

IX. NFMC and EHLP

X. NeighborhoodLIFT & CityLIFT

XI. FY12 Grants Report

XII. Adjournment

#### Erica Hall,

Assistant Corporate Secretary.
[FR Doc. 2012–27859 Filed 11–13–12; 11:15 am]
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## NEIGHBORHOOD REINVESTMENT CORPORATION

## **Audit Committee Meeting of the Board of Directors**

### **Sunshine Act Meeting Notice**

TIME AND DATE: 3:30 p.m., Thursday, November 15, 2012.

**PLACE:** 1325 G Street NW., Suite 800, Boardroom, Washington, DC 20005.

STATUS: Open.

#### CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION:

Erica Hall, Assistant Corporate Secretary, (202) 220–2376; ehall@nw.org.

#### AGENDA:

- I. CALL TO ORDER
- II. Executive Session with Internal Audit Director
- III. Executive Session with Officers
- IV. Internal Audit Report with Management's Response
- V. Internal Audit Performance Scorecard
- VI. Internal Audit Status Reports
- VII. Internal Audit Response with Management's Response
- VIII. FY 2013 Risk Assessment & Internal Audit Plan
- IX. Internal Audit Performance Scorecard
- X. Internal Audit Status Reports
- XI. Memo—EHLP/NFMC-Quality Control Compliance/3rd Party CPA
- XII. National Foreclosure Mitigation Counseling (NFMC) Compliance Update
- XIII. OHTS Watch List and Overview of Organizational Assessment Review Process

XIV. Adjournment

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### Erica Hall,

Assistant Corporate Secretary. [FR Doc. 2012–27862 Filed 11–13–12; 11:15 am]

## NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

[Docket No. 50-170; NRC-2012-0272]

### The Armed Forces Radiobiology Research Institute TRIGA Reactor: Facility Operating License No. R-84

**AGENCY:** Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

**ACTION:** License renewal application; docketing; opportunity to comment; opportunity to request a hearing and petition for leave to intervene; order.

**SUMMARY:** The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) is considering an application for the renewal of Facility Operating License No. R-84 (Application), which currently authorizes the Armed Forces Radiobiology Research Institute (the licensee) to operate the Armed Forces Radiobiology Research Institute (AFFRI) TRIGA Reactor at a maximum steadystate thermal power of 1.1 megawatts (MW). The renewed license would authorize the licensee to operate the AFFRI TRIGA Reactor up to a steadystate thermal power of 1.1 MW for an additional 20 years from the date of issuance.

**DATES:** Submit comments by December 17, 2012. Requests for a hearing or leave to intervene must be filed by January 14, 2013. Any potential party as defined in Section 2.4 of Title 10 of the *Code of Federal Regulations* (10 CFR), who believes access to Sensitive Unclassified Non-Safeguards Information (SUNSI) is necessary to respond to this notice must request document access by November 26, 2012.

ADDRESSES: You may access information and comment submissions related to this document, which the NRC possesses and are publically available, by searching on http://www.regulations.gov under Docket ID NRC-2012-0272. You may submit comments by any of the following methods:

- Federal Rulemaking Web site: Go to http://www.regulations.gov and search for Docket ID NRC-2012-0272. Address questions about NRC dockets to Carol Gallagher; telephone: 301-492-3668; email: Carol.Gallagher@nrc.gov.
- Mail comments to: Cindy Bladey, Chief, Rules, Announcements, and Directives Branch (RADB), Office of Administration, Mail Stop: TWB-05-B01M, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555-0001.
- *Fax comments to:* RADB at 301–492–3446.

For additional direction on accessing information and submitting comments,