

NAC/GAC Report, 2022

JPAC Session

July 14, 2022



Andy Carey, NAC Chair



Marina Brock, GAC Chair



Agenda



U.S. National Advisory Committee

15 Members

- Academia
- Industry
- Non-Profit Organizations



U.S. Governmental Advisory Committee

15 members

- State
- Local &
- Tribal Governments



2022 Meetings

Last Meeting April 28, 2022



Committee Manager

Oscar Carrillo

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (U.S. EPA)



2022 Advice Letter Update

May 31, 2022 NAC & GAC letters



Closing

Questions

Committees Advise the US Government



Michael S. Regan
EPA Administrator



Jane T. Nishida
U.S. Alternate Representative
Office of International & Tribal Affairs, EPA



Chairs & EPA Committee Manager



Andy Carey
Chair, NAC



Oscar Carrillo
NAC/GAC, Designated
Federal Officer, EPA



Marina Brock
Chair, GAC



Mission

- The committees were created in 1994 by Presidential Executive Order 12915—“Federal Implementation of the North American Agreement on Environmental Cooperation” and have been continued until 2023 via Executive Order.
- The Mission of the NAC and GAC is to advise the U.S. Government on Trade and Environment issues.



NAC/GAC Achievements

Committees, have been instrumental in advising the U.S. Government on the creation of various CEC initiatives including:

- ITEK Working Group
- Youth Innovation
- NAPECA Grants
- CEC Operational Plan/Budget & the 5-year Strategic Plan





Advice



- The NAC/GAC advises the U.S. Government on issues related to the CEC.
- We meet twice a year.
- Review the CEC's Operational Plan & Budget and the Draft Strategic Plan
- Recommendations are in the form of advice letters after each of our meetings.



Advice

(from 5/31/2022
Advice letter)

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Thank you

HAPPY TO TAKE ANY QUESTIONS?

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