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The Honorable Candice S. Miller Chairman Committee on House Administration 1309 Longworth House Office Building Washington, D.C. 20515

#### Dear Chairman Miller:

Enclosed for your information is the monthly report for October 2014, which includes:

- Statement of Expenses and a Fund Balance Statement for 2014
- Statement of Expenses and a Fund Balance Statement for 2013
- Summary of Committee meetings
- Statement of travel performed
- List of Committee employees, job titles and gross monthly salaries

Copies of the monthly report are available to Members of the Committee on Agriculture for examination.

Sincerely,

Frank D. Lucas

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Chairman

Enclosures

#### Fund Balance Statement by Paid Date

#### October

Total Aut 2014	horization	\$5,086,548.00
Less Expen	ses for:	
January	2014	\$334,444.01
February		\$372,798.85
March		\$372,348.36
April		\$373,583.50
May		\$371,751.54
June		\$374,590.51
July		\$354,314.71
August		\$367,266.88
September		\$389,178.13
October		\$370,516.69

**Total Expenses to Date:** 

\$3,680,793.18

Unexpended authorization

\$1,405,754.82

## Monthly Statement by Paid Date 2014 October

		YTD Including	
Description	October	October	<b>Cumulative Total</b>
Non-Statutory Compensation	\$356,183.34	\$3,509,159.79	\$3,509,159.79
Accrued Leave	\$0.00	\$36,089.93	\$36,089.93
11-Personnel Compensation subtotal	\$356,183.34	\$3,545,249.72	\$3,545,249.72
Commercial Transportation	\$2,153.80	\$10,962.90	\$10,962.90
Private Auto Mileage	\$0.00	\$116.48	\$116.48
Taxi/Parking/Tolls	\$30.00	\$453.40	\$453.40
Travel Subsistence	\$2,512.68	\$12,148.77	\$12,148.77
21-Travel subtotal	\$4,696.48	\$23,681.55	\$23,681.55
DC Telecommunication Equipment (TRANSFER)	\$260.00	\$2,304.00	\$2,304.00
DC Telecommunication Service (TRANSFER)	\$844.75	\$7,719.00	\$7,719.00
DC Telecommunication Tolls (TRANSFER)	\$6,863.91	\$65,396.21	\$65,396.21
Recording (Outside)	\$0.00	\$9,500.00	\$9,500.00
Recording - (TRANSFER)	\$0.00	\$289.00	\$289.00
Postage/Courier/Box rental	\$0.00	\$16.42	\$16.42
Equipment Rental	\$0.00	\$458.40	\$458.40
23-Rent, Communications and Utilities subtotal	\$7,968.66	\$85,683.03	\$85,683.03
Printing & Reproduction	\$67.00	\$435.50	\$435.50
Photographic (TRANSFER)	\$0.00	\$111.10	\$111.10
Reproduction of Public Law	\$0.00	\$2,070.00	\$2,070.00
24-Printing and Reproduction subtotal	\$67.00	\$2,616.60	\$2,616.60
Laundry Service	\$0.00	\$73.50	\$73.50
Training	\$0.00	\$430.00	\$430.00
Technology Service Contracts	\$740.00	\$7,400.00	\$7,400.00
Web Dev., Hosting, Email & Rel Services	\$85.00	\$610.00	\$610.00
25-Other Services subtotal	\$825.00	\$8,513.50	\$8,513.50
Bottled Water	\$209.75	\$4,556.88	\$4,556.88
Framing (TRANSFER)	\$0.00	\$50.00	\$50.00
Office Supplies (Outside)	\$198.00	\$4,323.12	\$4,323.12
Office Supply (TRANSFER)	\$64.71	\$841.03	\$841.03
Software purchase less than \$500	\$0.00	\$666.97	\$666.97
Publications/Reference Material	\$303.75	\$4,610.78	\$4,610.78
26-Supplies and Materials subtotal	\$776.21	\$15,048.78	\$15,048.78

**Total Expenses** 

\$370,516.69

\$3,680,793.18

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#### **U.S.** House of Representatives

### Committee on Agriculture FULL

#### Fund Balance Statement by Paid Date

#### October

	Total Authorization F2014-Franking	
Less Expe	nses for:	
March	2014	\$66.27
April		\$46.34
May		\$5.76
June		\$12.98
July		\$3.58
August		\$9.12
September		\$5.05
October		\$14.65

**Total Expenses to Date:** 

\$163.75

Unexpended authorization

\$4,836.25

## Monthly Statement by Paid Date F2014-Franking October

	YTD Including			
Description	October	October	<b>Cumulative Total</b>	
Franked Mail	\$14.65	\$163.75	\$163.75	
23-Rent, Communications and Utilities subtotal	\$14.65	\$163.75	\$163.75	
Total Expenses	\$14.65	\$163.75	\$163.75	

#### **U.S.** House of Representatives

## Committee on Agriculture FULL

#### Fund Balance Statement by Paid Date

#### October

Total Aut	horization	
2013		\$5,036,187.00
Less Expens	ses for:	
January	2013	\$343,400.89
February		\$374,642.94
March		\$366,903.36
April		\$365,118.90
May		\$370,431.23
June		\$388,107.29
July		\$383,399.98
August		\$378,576.57
September		\$378,889.91
October		\$377,850.95
November		\$375,507.31
December		\$408,943.25
January	2014	\$64,184.49
February		\$25,173.31
March		\$54,552.15
April		\$25,884.75
May		\$73,362.76
June		\$3,012.00
July		\$2,344.19
October		\$26.00

<b>Total</b>	<b>Expenses</b>	to Date:
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\$4,760,312.23

Unexpended authorization

\$275,874.77

## Monthly Statement by Paid Date 2013 October

		YTD Including	
Description	October	October	<b>Cumulative Total</b>
Non-Statutory Compensation	\$0.00	\$23,795.49	\$4,346,373.18
Accrued Leave	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$12,484.73
11-Personnel Compensation subtotal	\$0.00	\$23,795.49	\$4,358,857.91
Commercial Transportation	\$0.00	\$923.90	\$5,557.50
Private Auto Mileage	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$518.70
Taxi/Parking/Tolls	\$26.00	\$44.74	\$480.47
Travel Subsistence	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$5,810.75
21-Travel subtotal	\$26.00	\$968.64	\$12,367.42
Telecommunications Service and Equipment	\$0.00	\$10,198.64	\$10,198.64
DC Telecommunication Equipment (TRANSFER)	\$0.00	\$248.00	\$3,249.00
DC Telecommunication Service (TRANSFER)	\$0.00	\$860.25	\$11,281.50
DC Telecommunication Tolls (TRANSFER)	\$0.00	\$6,374.86	\$87,253.19
Recording - (TRANSFER)	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$225.00
Postage/Courier/Box rental	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$42.95
Equipment Rental	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$127.20
23-Rent, Communications and Utilities subtotal	\$0.00	\$17,681.75	\$112,377.48
Printing & Reproduction	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$552.49
Photographic (TRANSFER)	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$87.90
24-Printing and Reproduction subtotal	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$640.39
Technology Service Contracts	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$8,880.00
Web Dev., Hosting, Email & Rel Services	\$0.00	\$230.00	\$1,155.00
25-Other Services subtotal	\$0.00	\$230.00	\$10,035.00
Bottled Water	\$0.00	\$190.79	\$4,844.72
Food and Beverage	\$0.00	\$190.33	\$1,283.45
Office Supplies (Outside)	\$0.00	\$19,135.49	\$25,280.15
Office Supply (TRANSFER)	\$0.00	\$1,570.28	\$4,180.84
Software purchase less than \$500	\$0.00	\$5,460.26	\$6,050.26
Publications/Reference Material	\$0.00	\$28,859.19	\$72,137.18
26-Supplies and Materials subtotal	\$0.00	\$55,406.34	\$113,776.60
Office Equipment Purchases less than \$25,000	\$0.00	\$42,037.40	\$42,037.40
Computer Hardware Purchase less than \$25,000	\$0.00	\$43,736.80	\$43,736.80
Computer Software Purchase less than \$10,000	\$0.00	\$19,836.09	\$21,636.09
Equipment & Software Maintenance	\$0.00	\$24,548.54	\$24,548.54
Warranties	\$0.00	\$20,298.60	\$20,298.60

-10		YTD Including	
Description	October	October	<b>Cumulative Total</b>
31-Equipment subtotal	\$0.00	\$150,457.43	\$152,257.43
Total Expenses	\$26.00	\$248,539.65	\$4,760,312.23

#### Committee on Agriculture Activity for October 2014

There were no hearings or business meetings held during the month of October.

## Report of Travel Performed Committee on Agriculture 113th Congress, 2nd Session

# October 2014

Mary Kinigge 10/01/14 10/05/14 World Dairy Expo American Agricult.  Sart Fischer 10/19/14 10/21/14 Conference American Agricult.  Anne Simmons 10/19/14 10/25/14 Conference	Purpose	Itinerary	Transportation	Meals & Incidentals	Other	Total
10/19/14 10/21/14 10/19/14 10/19/14	odx	Washington, DC to Milwaukee. WI and return	\$520.35		\$20.00	4035 75
10/19/14 10/25/14	American Agricultural Law Association Conference	Washington, DC to Albuquerque. NM and return		\$414.60		\$803.80
	American Agricultural Law Association Conference	Washington, DC to Albuquerque, NM to Sioux Falls, SD and return		\$334.68		\$793.88
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## COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE Staff Salary List

#### October 2014

		<b>Monthly</b>
Majority Staff Name	<u>Title</u>	Salary
Paul Balzano	Professional Staff	\$11,250.00
Blevins, R. Brent	Professional Staff	\$5,916.67
Crosswhite, Caleb	Legislative Assistant	\$3,916.67
Dunlap, Mike	Senior Professional Staff	\$6,083.33
Fischer, Bart	Chief Economist	\$14,224.67
Glasscock, Stacey	SHARED	\$833.33
Goldberg, John	Science Advisor	\$14,034.25
Hinton, Tamara	Communications Director	\$12,916.67
Konya, John	Information Technology Assistant	\$6,666.67
Kramp, Kevin John	Chief Counsel	\$14,224.67
Mathis, Joshua	Deputy Staff Director	\$14,224.67
Maxwell, Josh	Senior Professional Staff	\$13,750.00
McFadden, Kassandra	Intern	\$1,800.00
Moorman, Miranda	Staff Assistant	\$3,000.00
Munday, Merrick	Director of Information Technology	\$13,819.67
Murray, DaNita	Counsel	\$13,000.00
Neuman, Kelli	Intern	\$1,800.00
Nowak, Mary	Professional Staff	\$4,583.33
Pagett, Riley	Clerk/Legislative Assistant	\$3,500.00
Schertz, Matt	Senior Professional Staff (SHARED)	\$13,650.00
Scott, Margaret Nicole	Staff Director (SHARED)	\$14,275.00
Sowder, Skyler	Staff Assistant	\$3,333.33
Straughn, Patricia	Deputy Counsel	\$9,833.33
Straughn, Pelham	Policy Director	\$14,224.67
Thomson, Richard G	Senior Professional Staff	\$13,666.67
Wetherald, Caitlyn	Intern	\$1,300.00
Wetherald, Margaret	Administrative Director	\$14,034.25
Minority Staff Name	<u>Title</u>	
Baker, Andy	Chief Counsel	\$14,172.33
Friedlander, Elizabeth	Communications Director	\$7,250.00
Jones, Keith	Professional Staff	\$11,368.50
Jurkovich, Evan	Professional Staff	\$5,833.33
Knigge, Mary	Professional Staff	\$7,916.67
Larew, Rob	Staff Director	\$14,275.00
MacKenzie, Matthew	Professional Staff/Counsel	\$6,666.67
Shelton, Lisa	Professional Staff	\$10,500.00
Simmons, Anne	Senior Policy Advisor	\$14,172.33
Slayton, Cheryl	SHARED	\$5,750.00
Stranz, Michael	Professional Staff	\$5,833.33