beyond those currently in place or in coordination at VAFB and CCAS. No significant new circumstances or information relevant to environmental concerns associated with the launch vehicle have been identified which would affect the earlier findings. As specific spacecraft and missions are fully defined, they will be reviewed in light of the NMP PEA. If NASA determines that future payloads have the potential for substantially different environmental impacts, further NEPA reviews will be conducted and documented, as appropriate.

On the basis of the NMP PEA, NASA has determined that the environmental impacts associated with the NMP and the specified missions identified as within the scope of the PEA would not individually or cumulatively have a significant impact on the quality of the human environment. NASA will take no final action prior to the expiration of the 30-day comment period.

Wesley T. Huntress, Jr.,

Associate Administrator for Space Science.

Michael R. Luther,

Deputy Associate Administrator for Earth Science.

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NATIONAL ARCHIVES AND RECORDS ADMINISTRATION

Space Planning for the National Archives and Records Administration; Public Meeting

The National Archives and Records Administration announces the following meetings:

—Tuesday, August 6, 1998, from 7 p.m.–9 p.m. at the National Archives and Records Administration, Northeast Region (New York City), 201 Varick Street, New York, NY 10014–4811. For further information call 781–647–8745 or e-mail

diane.leblanc@waltham.nara.gov. —Monday, August 10, 1998, from 5 p.m.–7 p.m. at the National Archives and Records Administration, Central Plains Region (Lee's Summit), 200 Space Center Drive, Lee's Summit, MO 64064. For further information call 816– 926–6920 or e-mail

john.allshouse4@kansascity.nara.gov. —Wednesday, August 19, 1998, from 7:30 p.m.–9:30 p.m. at the Wilda Marston Theatre, Loussac Public Library, 3600 Denali Street, Anchorage, Alaska 99501–2145. For further information call 907–271–2443 or email archives@alaska.nara.gov.

—Monday, August 17, 1998, from 4 p.m.–6 p.m., at the National Archives and Records Administration, National Personnel Records Center, 9700 Page Avenue, St. Louis, MO 63132–5100. For further information call 314–538–4005 or e-mail david.petree@stlouis.nara.gov.

This is a series of meetings at which NARA is seeking public input for a study of its space needs for the next 10 years. NARA representatives will explain the reasons for undertaking a space plan, its objectives, and the planning process, and will invite comments and answer questions. In addition to helping NARA with its planning, this meeting is part of a National Performance Review initiative called *Conversations With America: My Government Listens.* NARA urges everyone interested to attend.

Reservations are not required. The meeting will be open to the public.

Dated: July 23, 1998.

John W. Carlin,

Archivist of the United States. [FR Doc. 98–20234 Filed 7–28–98; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 7515–01–M

NATIONAL EDUCATION GOALS PANEL

Task Force on the Future of the Goals; Meeting

AGENCY: National Education Goals Panel.

ACTION: Notice of Meeting.

SUMMARY: This notice sets forth the date and location of a forthcoming meeting of the Task Force on the Future of the Goals. This notice also describes the functions of the National Education Goals Panel and the Task Force on the Future of the Goals.

DATE AND TIME: Saturday, August 1, 1998 from 9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

ADDRESSES: Milwaukee Hilton Hotel, 509 West Wisconsin Avenue, (Walker Room), Milwaukee, WI 53203.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ken Nelson, Executive Director, 1255 22nd Street, NW, Suite 502, Washington, DC 20037. Telephone: (202) 724-0015. **SUMMARY:** The National Education Goals Panel (NEGP) was established to monitor, measure and report state and national progress toward achieving the eight National Education Goals, and report to the states and the Nation on that progress. The authorizing legislation for the National Education Goals and the Goals Panel are expected to expire in 1999. At its February, 1998, meeting, the Panel decided to form a Task Force to make recommendations on the future of the Goals after the year 2000.

AGENDA ITEMS: The meeting of the Task Force on the Future of the Goals is open to the public. Agenda items will include: (1) A review of the charge to the Task Force; (2) Presentations by Governor Roy Romer, (D), Colorado and Chester E. Finn, of the Hudson Institute, on the History of why the Goals were established, expectation for the Goals and the Panel and Recommendations, possibilities for the future; (3) Staff Responses to Panel Requests; (4) a Panel discussion on the future of the Goals and next steps for the Panel; and (5) the Panel will receive a commissioned paper on Grading State Standards.

Dated: July 23, 1998.

Ken Nelson,

Executive Director, National Education Goals Panel.

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NATIONAL FOUNDATION ON THE ARTS AND HUMANITIES

Cooperative Agreement for a Study of Jazz Artists

AGENCY: National Endowment for the Arts.

ACTION: Notification of availability.

SUMMARY: The National Endowment for the Arts is requesting proposals leading to the award of a Cooperative Agreement for a study of Jazz Artists in four cities. The cities will be chosen from among the following pairs: New York/Philadelphia, Detroit/Kansas City, Atlanta/New Orleans, San Francisco/ Los Angeles. The issues to be considered will include venues for performance, distribution of work through recordings, education and training, and extent of participation in health insurance and retirement programs. Those interested in receiving the Solicitation should reference Program Solicitation PS 98-06 in their written request and include two (2) selfaddressed labels. Verbal requests for the Solicitation will not be honored. DATES: Program Solicitation PS 98-06 is scheduled for release approximately August 17, 1998 with proposals due on October 19, 1998.

ADDRESSES: Requests for the Solicitation should be addressed to the National Endowment for the Arts, Grants & Contracts Office, Room 618, 1100 Pennsylvania Ave., NW, Washington, DC 20506.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: William Hummel, Grants & Contracts Office, National Endowment for the Arts, Room 618, 1100 Pennsylvania Ave., NW, Washington, DC 20506 (202/ 682–5482).

William I. Hummel,

Coordinator, Cooperative Agreements and Contracts.

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NATIONAL FOUNDATION FOR THE ARTS AND THE HUMANITIES

National Endowment for the Arts; National Council on the Arts Teleconference

Pursuant to section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Public Law 92–463), as amended, notice is hereby given that a meeting of the National Council on the Arts will be held on August 21, from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. in Room 527 at the Nancy Hanks Center, 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20506. This meeting will be held by teleconference.

This meeting will be open to the public. The topic for discussion will be applications submitted under the ArtsREACH Initiative. If, in the course of discussion, it becomes necessary for the Council to discuss non-public commercial or financial information of intrinsic value, the Council will go into closed session pursuant to subsection (c)(4) of the Government in the Sunshine Act, 5 U.S.C. 552b. Additionally, discussion concerning purely seasonal information about individuals, submitted with grant applications, such as personal biographical and salary data or medical information, may be conducted by the Council in closed section in accordance with subsection (c)(6) of 5 U.S.C. 552b.

Any interested persons may attend, as observers, Council discussions and reviews which are open to the public. If you need special accommodations due to a disability, please contact the Office of AccessAbility, National Endowment for the Arts, 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20506, 202/682– 5532, TTY-TDD 202/682–5429, at least seven (7) days prior to the meeting.

Further information with reference to this meeting can be obtained from Yvonne Sabine, Director of Council Operations, National Endowment for the Arts, Washington, D.C. 20506, at 202/ 682–5533.

Dated: July 24, 1998.

Kathy Plowitz-Worden,

Panel Coordinator, Office of Guidelines and Panel Operations.

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NATIONAL FOUNDATION ON THE ARTS AND THE HUMANITIES

Meetings of Humanities Panel

AGENCY: The National Endowment for the Humanities. **ACTION:** Notice of Meetings.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92–463, as amended), notice is hereby given that the following meetings of the Humanities Panel will be held at the Old Post Office, 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20506.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Nancy E. Weiss, Advisory Committee Management Officer, National Endowment for the Humanities, Washington, DC 20506; telephone (202) 606–8322. Hearing-impaired individuals are advised that information on this matter may be obtained by contacting the Endowment's TDD terminal on this matter may be obtained by contacting the Endowment's TDD terminal on (202) 606–8282.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The proposed meetings are for the purpose of panel review, discussion, evaluation and recommendation on applications for financial assistance under the National Foundation on the Arts and the Humanities Act of 1965, as amended, including discussion of information given in confidence to the agency by the grant applicants. Because the proposed meetings will consider information that is likely to disclose trade secrets and commercial or financial information obtained from a person and privileged or confidential and/or information of a personal nature the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy, pursuant to authority granted me by the Chairman's Delegation of Authority to Close Advisory Committee meetings, dated July 19, 1993, I have determined that these meetings will be closed to the public pursuant to subsections (c)(4), and (6) of section 552b of Title 5, United States Code.

1. *Date:* August 3, 1998. *Time:* 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. *Room:* 430.

Program: This meeting will review applications for Fellowships for College Teachers and Independent Scholars in American History I, submitted to the Division of Research and Education for projects at the May 1, 1998 deadline.

2. Date: August 3, 1998.

Time: 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Room: 315.

Program: This meeting will review applications for Fellowships for College

Teachers and Independent Scholars in American History II, submitted to the Division of Research and Education for projects at the May 1, 1998 deadline.

3. Date: August 4, 1998. *Time:* 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. *Room:* 315.

Program: This meeting will review applications for Fellowships for University Teachers in Asian, African, and Near Eastern Studies, submitted to the Division of Research and Education for projects at the May 1, 1998 deadline.

4. Date: August 4, 1998.

Time: 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. *Room:* 415.

Program: This meeting will review applications for Fellowships for College Teachers and Independent Scholars in Anthropology II, submitted to the Division of Research and Education for projects at the May 1, 1998 deadline.

5. *Date:* August 5, 1998. *Time:* 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Room: 315.

Program: This meeting will review applications for Fellowships for University Teachers in Political Science, International Affairs and Jurisprudence, submitted to the Division of Research and Education for projects at the May 1, 1998 deadline.

6. *Date:* August 5, 1998. *Time:* 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Room: 415.

Program: This meeting will review applications for Fellowships for College Teachers and Independent Scholars in Political Science, International Affairs and Jurisprudence, submitted to the Division of Research and Education for projects at the May 1, 1998 deadline.

7. Date: August 6, 1998.

Time: 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. *Room:* 315.

Program: This meeting will review applications for Fellowships for University Teachers in American History and Studies, submitted to the Division of Research and Education for projects at the May 1, 1998 deadline.

8. Date: August 6, 1998. Time: 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Room: 415.

Program: This meeting will review applications for Fellowships for University Teachers in Music, Dance, Theater, and Media, submitted to the Division of Research and Education for projects at the May 1, 1998 deadline.

9. Date: August 7, 1998.

Time: 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Room: 315.

Program: This meeting will review applications for Fellowships for College Teachers and Independent Scholars in Languages and Literature II, submitted to the Division of Research and Education for projects at the May 1, 1998 deadline.