

U.S. Standard General Ledger (USSGL)

Board Meeting Minutes

May 7, 2025

LOCATION: Call-In Only

TIME: 10:00 am to 11:00 am

PARTICIPANTS:

Alfred Buck, AID Bruce Henshel, Commerce Paul McDonald, DOD Stewart Petchenick, DOD Angela Walter, DOE Samantha Siegelman, DOE Melissa Stanley, DOT Teresa Lampkin, DOT Aamir Chowdhury, Education Jassal Simranjeet, EPA Sherry Lee, FASAB Brian Casto, Fiscal Service Dan Adams, Fiscal Service Heather Williams, Fiscal Service Jason Chichester, Fiscal Service Josh Hudkins, Fiscal Service Justin Sheline, Fiscal Service Regina Epperly, Fiscal Service Terence Caldwell, Fiscal Service Carla Mewborn, HHS Edwin Walker, HUD Derrick Washington, Interior

Amanda Le, Labor Mercy Baeta-Riley, Labor Alfred Terrance, NASA

Cynthia Paolilli, NSF

Teresa Tancre, OMB

Valeria Spinner, OMB

Isabel McConnell, Other Independent Agencies

Bryce Johnson, SBA

Christopher Long, SSA

Donald Wood, State

Kevin Close, USDA

Leyna Magdon, VA



HANDOUTS:

- USSGL Board Ballot Items & Projects
- USSGL Board Ballot 25-02
- USSGL Board Purpose Bylaws

All handouts can be found at The U.S. Standard General Ledger - Meeting Materials (treasury.gov)

GENERAL ITEMS:

Josh Hudkins (Fiscal Service) welcomed everyone to the Annual USSGL Board Meeting and pointed out that the annual board meeting is for voting and non-voting members only, as well as Fiscal Service staff.

AGENDA ITEMS:

Josh presented USSGL Board Ballot Items & Projects. Josh said that this handout covers ballot items, scenarios, working groups, and much more, so please refer to it for a full listing of everything that was discussed. There is a section that discusses changes since the April IRC meeting, so please review those and feel free to reach out with any questions that you might have. Josh detailed the changes to be voted on for the 15 USSGL accounts on the ballot. These include new accounts, revised accounts and the deletion of an account. Josh also reminded agencies that the Governmental Land and Cost Capitalization Scenarios were emailed out for comment. Comments are due back by May 19th. We appreciate all feedback. Josh encouraged agencies to use the Online USSGL Issues Log because we prioritize questions that come in from the Issues Log.

Josh then presented *USSGL Board Ballot 25-02*. The ballot will be sent via survey monkey and fillable pdf on May 7, 2025 and is due by noon on May 14, 2025. **Josh** asked agencies to reach out if they have questions or before voting no, so that USSGL Team Members can try to answer any questions. However, if an agency still decides to vote no, they should give a detailed explanation as to why they voted no. We expect all 25 agencies to complete a ballot. If an agency needs to change their voting member, they should reach out to **Josh** and he will help them through the process.

Josh presented *USSGL Board Purpose Bylaws*. The bylaws were last reviewed in 2017, so we need to ensure they are up to date. **Dan Adams (Fiscal Service)** will be leading the review of the bylaws. **Dan** will make changes in track change mode before sending the bylaws to voting members for their comments. Once sent, members will have 21 days to comment. Voting members may send the bylaws to other team members for review but comments should be returned by the voting members.

MEETING ROUNDTABLE:

Teresa Tancre (OMB) briefly discussed with **Teresa Lampkin (DOT)** an email sent by **DOT** discussing reimbursable activity in an expired TAS. **Teresa Tancre** advised **Teresa Lampkin** that she would send a response to the email.

Josh asked callers on cell phones to email him and let him know they had attended the meeting. We need this information for attendance purposes.

MEETING WRAP-UP:

Josh concluded the meeting.