



NOTICE

Hispanic Employment Plan Advisory Council

FY26 Quarterly Meeting (#2)

Thursday, October 2, 2025 | 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM

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Meeting # (Access Code): 2632 360 2607

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Meeting Agenda

- I. Call to Order** – Chair C. Charneco
- II. Roll Call** – Chair C. Charneco
 - a. Council Members
 - b. Agency Representatives
 - c. General Public
- III. Old Business** – Chair C. Charneco
 - a. Approval of the May 15th, 2025, FY25 Q4 Meeting Minutes
 - b. Approval of the July 10th, 2025, FY26 Q1 Meeting Minutes
- IV. Department of Natural Resources Presentation** – Jose Burgos, Chief External Affairs Officer
- V. CMS Updates**
 - a. CMS D&I Updates & Announcements – CMS Deputy Director Diversity & Inclusion Patricia Santoyo-Marin
 - i. Employment Plan Advisory Council Surveys due 10/1/2025
 - ii. Bilingual Language Hiring Assessment went live 10/1/2025
 - b. CMS Data Updates – CMS Chief Administration Officer Sarah Kerley
- VI. Talent Pool Draft** – Vice Chair Dr. L. Suleiman Gonzalez
- VII. New Business** – Chair C. Charneco
 - a. Propose remaining Fiscal Calendar meeting dates
 - i. FY26 Q3 Meeting Potential Dates: 2/19/2026 or 2/26/2026
 - ii. FY26 Q4 Meeting Potential Dates: 5/21/2026 or 5/28/2026
 - iii. FY27 Q1 Meeting Potential Dates: 8/20/2026 or 8/27/2026

- iv. FY27 Q2 Meeting Potential Dates: 11/12/2026 or 11/19/2026
- b. Council Member/Agency meeting invites were sent out this week
- c. EPAC Bylaws

VIII. Announcements

- a. OneNet Online Training Reminder
- b. IAHSE Conference: Seguimos Pa'lante Amplifying our Voices, Friday, October 10th, 2025, 8am at Hilton Chicago/Oak Brook Hills Resort & Conference Center (3500 Midwest Road, Oak Brook, IL 60523)

IX. Public Comments

X. Adjournment

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