

**Social Security Advisory Board
Minutes
Board Meeting
September 12, 2012**

Location: 400 Virginia Avenue, S.W., Suite 625
Washington, D.C. 20024

Time: 8:45 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

SSAB Members: Marsha Katz, Acting Chair
Jagadeesh Gokhale
Dorcas Hardy
Barbara Kennelly
Mark Warshawsky

Presenters: Reginald Wells, Deputy Commissioner for Human Resources,
SSA
Bonnie Doyle, Associate Commissioner for Personnel, SSA
Dr. Charles Blahous, Public Trustee, Social Security and
Medicare Trust Funds
Dr. Robert Reischauer, Public Trustee, Social Security and
Medicare Trust Funds

SSAB Staff: Debi Sullivan, Staff Director
Jackie Chapin
Jeremy Elder
Joel Feinleib
Emalie Hoar, Staff Intern
Beverly Rollins
David Warner

During the September meeting, the Board held two fact-finding meetings and met in executive session to talk about current and future Board projects. In the morning, Board members discussed staffing issues at the Social Security Administration with Reginald Wells and Bonnie Doyle. Dr. Wells told the Board members of the many budget challenges facing the agency, and that there is a real threat of a furlough for its employees. He and Ms. Doyle also discussed briefly SSA's current training initiatives.

During the afternoon, the Board met with Charles Blahous and Robert Reischauer to discuss the 2012 Trustees Report and other Trust Fund issues. Among other things, the Trustees talked about the 2010-2011 Technical Panel report and offered a few suggestions for the 2014 Technical Panel.

At the end of the meeting Board members Marsha Katz and Mark Warshawsky said goodbye to the Board after serving six years. The remaining Board members and staff thanked them for their diligent and unflagging service to the public.

I certify that the minutes written for the September 12, 2012 meeting of the Social Security Advisory Board are correct.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Mausha Rene Katz". The signature is written in a cursive style.

September 27, 2012

Chair (A)
Social Security Advisory Board