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Board Meeting Public Minutes January 27-28, 2022¹

Day One

Date: January 27, 2022

Location: Held Virtually

Time: 10:00 am – 4:00 pm EST

Board Members: **Bob Joondeph**, Chair
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Jenn Rigger, Senior Advisor
Omar Shalabi, Policy Analyst
Emma Tatem, Lead Policy Analyst

10:00 – 11:30 am [Systems Speaker Series Event on IT Acquisition](#)
Day of attendance: 71 participants

¹ Board approved on 2/11/22.

Participants: **Laura Stanton**, Assistant Commissioner for the Office of Information Technology Category, General Service Administration’s Federal Acquisition Services
Bill Zielinski, Chief Information Officer (CIO) for the City of Dallas, former Social Security CIO and Deputy Commissioner of Systems (2013- 2015)

GSA’s Federal Acquisition Service procures goods and services on behalf of government agencies. Laura Stanton described the GSA’s IT Category process of IT spending, including the variety of acquisition services available to support federal agencies. The benefits of using GSA’s services included reducing risks associated with their contracts, achieving cost savings across the agencies and the government, and speeding contract acquisition times.

Bill Zielinski co-presented and focused on the Social Security Administration’s (SSA) IT spending profile, including reviewing its top 15 IT contract vehicles between fiscal years 2019-2021 as examples. This discussion covered the breakdown of SSA-specific contract vehicles and vendor types, including government-wide and small business contracts and vendors. The slides of their shared presentation covering these topics are available [here](#).

12:30 – 4:00 pm Executive Session

Day Two

Date: January 28, 2022

Location: Held Virtually


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10 am – 4 pm **Executive Session**

I certify the public meeting minutes' accuracy for the Social Security Advisory Board's January 27-28, 2022, meeting.



Bob Joondeph

2/9/2022

Date