

Subject: CHCO Council Bulletin for Week Ending 1/15/10

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Bulletin Announcements for week ending 01/15/2010:

| Announcement | Sponsor/Contact | Notes/Reference |
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| <p>Deputy CHCO Meeting: Confirmed for: January 26, 2010, Location: Pendleton Room, Director's Suite, OPM Time: 10 a.m. – 12 p.m.</p> | <p>Kathryn M. Medina, Executive Director, CHCO Council kathryn.medina@opm.gov</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Posted at: http://www.chcoc.gov/Meetings/index.aspx <p>RSVP Requested</p> |
| <p>Special Solicitation for Haitian Earthquake Relief: On January 14, Director Berry issued a Special Solicitation in support of the Haitian earthquake relief. A copy of the memo and guidance on special solicitations can be found here under Notes/Reference.</p> | <p>OPM's Office of CFC Operations (OCFCO) (202) 606-2564 or at cfc@opm.gov.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Posted at: Special Solicitation for Haitian Earthquake Relief |
| <p>Federal Telework Coordinators Meeting: Confirmed for: January 21, 2010 Location: Campbell Auditorium, OPM Time: 1:30 to 3:30 p.m.</p> | <p>Dr. Kimberly Wells, Research Psychologist Work/Life/Wellness, OPM Kimberly.wells@opm.gov</p> | <p>Agenda items include</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Preliminary results of the evaluation under Director Berry's Telework Policy Initiative |

Federal Leadership Thought Forum on Telework – Call for Nominations:

Help make the Federal Leadership Thought Forum on Telework a success! Please draw upon your experience and nominate leaders from your agency to attend and contribute to the forum discussion. Nominations must be received by **Friday, January 22**.

The forum will be held March 10, and is sponsored by an interagency White House telework task force, established to *identify barriers to adoption and promotion of telework programs in the Federal sector and provide recommendations on overcoming these barriers as a model for all*. The purpose of the Leadership Thought Forum on Telework is to develop actionable perspectives on challenges to the implementation of telework in Federal agencies. Forum topics will include telework and employee performance, organizational culture, technology, union interests plus others. The point of the forum ultimately is to develop actionable plans.

Please nominate up to three (3) leaders: SES, middle managers, and direct line supervisors who have personal experience with telework. We also want a mix of experiences, including “healthy skeptics.” Both perspectives are needed to develop viable solutions to the challenges involved.

Justin Johnson, Deputy Chief of Staff, OPM
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- Forward the name and contact information of your nominees, including an email address to Justin.Johnson@opm.gov

IRMCO Awards– Call for Nominations:

GSA is requesting your nominations for the Interagency Resources Management Conference (IRMCO) Award. The IRMCO Award is a prestigious award presented each year to a single individual and team. These awards are given to those who have demonstrated exceptional ability to operate across organizational boundaries to improve the Government’s services to its citizens.

These awards will be presented at the 49th Annual IRMCO, on Monday, April 12, 2010, at the Hyatt Regency Chesapeake Bay, in Cambridge, MD.

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- All IRMCO award nominations must be submitted by 5:00 p.m. on February 23, 2010. A nomination template is provided with specific questions to guide you with your nomination submission at www.irmco.gov. Submission will only be accepted electronically through the site.