

U.S. House of Representatives
Committee on Agriculture
Washington, DC 20515

May 18, 2023

The Honorable Bryan Steil
Chairman
Committee on House Administration
1309 Longworth House Office Building
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Steil:

Enclosed for your information is the monthly report for April 2023, which includes:

- A summary of studies, investigations, and activities of the Committee
- Monthly Financial Statement of Expenses
- Statement of travel performed
- List of Committee employees, job titles and gross monthly salaries
- List of Detailees

Copies of the monthly report are available to Members of the Committee on Agriculture for examination.

Sincerely,



Glenn "GT" Thompson
Chairman

Committee on Agriculture Activities Report
April, 2023

April 18, 2023

- Subcommittee on Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry
- “A Review of USDA Animal Disease Prevention and Response Efforts”

April 19, 2023

- Full Committee on Agriculture Hearing
- For the purpose of receiving testimony from The Honorable Michael S. Regan, Administrator, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency

April 26, 2023

- Subcommittee on General Farm Commodities, Risk Management, and Credit
- “Producer Perspectives on the 2023 Farm Bill”

April 27, 2023

- Subcommittee on Commodity Markets, Digital Assets, and Rural Development
- “The Future of Digital Assets: Identifying the Regulatory Gaps in Spot Market Regulation”

There were no studies or investigations opened, underway, or completed in April 2023.

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Monthly Financial Statement by Legislative Year

Office: 10AG000 COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE

Authorization Year 2023
 2023:118th Congress 1st Session
 Month: April 2023

Disbursed Summary

Program	Object Class	Budget Object Class	MTD Disbursed	YTD Disbursed
EXPEN General Expenditures	11 Personnel Compensation	1101 Non-Statutory Compensation	416,277.89	1,517,569.92
		1104 Accrued Leave	479.17	13,879.80
	Total	416,757.06	1,531,449.72	
	21 Travel	2101 Airfare Commercial Transport	1,353.55	14,995.76
		2105 Lodging	549.87	13,704.30
		2110 Meals	458.69	2,061.13
		2115 WI-Fl On Travel	19.00	171.00
		2120 Car Rental	627.16	627.16
		2125 Gasoline	0.00	71.80
		2130 Private Auto Mileage	0.00	1,015.84
		2135 Taxi/Ride Share	691.20	9,123.95
2136 Parking		0.00	430.44	
2137 Tolls		40.24	40.24	
Total	3,739.71	42,241.62		
23 Rent, Communications, Utilities	2303 Temporary Space Rental	0.00	1,000.00	
	2320 DC Telecom Equip (TRANSFER)	769.00	1,157.00	
	2321 DC Telecom Serv (TRANSFER)	705.25	2,100.25	
	2322 DC Telecom Tolls (TRANSFER)	3,431.45	10,078.87	
	2335 HIR Graphics (TRANSFER)	0.00	100.00	
	2350 Postage / Courier / Box Rental	0.00	15.03	
	2370 Equip Rental (Eff 1/3/03)	0.00	3,229.00	
	Total	4,905.70	17,680.15	
	24 Printing and Reproduction	2402 Non-Frankable Printing & Repro	230.00	3,594.00
		2403 Photographic (TRANSFER)	0.00	620.00
Total	230.00	4,214.00		
25 Other Services	2525 Stenographic Reporting	1,452.00	2,860.00	
	2527 Training	0.00	168.00	
	2536 Security Service	0.00	500.00	

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Authorization Year **2023**
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 Month: **April 2023**

Program	Object Class	Budget Object Class	MTD Disbursed	YTD Disbursed
EXPEN General Expenditures 26 Supplies and Materials	25 Other Services	2571 Technology Service Contracts	0.00	88.99
		2572 Web Dev Hst,Email & Rltd Serv	1,504.25	4,433.78
		Total	2,956.25	8,050.77
		2602 Water	0.00	205.72
		2603 Food & Beverage	0.00	153.84
		2605 Framing (TRANSFER)	0.00	100.00
		2620 Office Supplies (Outside)	43.83	2,015.78
		2621 Office Supply (TRANSFER)	387.96	2,293.88
		2623 Software < \$500	46.89	136.19
		2630 Publications/Reference Mat'l	38.01	1,004.03
Total	516.69	5,909.44		
31 Equipment	Total	3118 Maintenance / Repairs	292.00	4,408.48
		Total	292.00	4,408.48
AE200 Official Mail	FM Franked Mail	2352 Franked Mail	0.00	17.91
		Total	0.00	17.91
Total	Total	Total	0.00	17.91

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Monthly Financial Statement by Legislative Year

Office: 10AG000 COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE

Authorization Year 2022
 2022:117th Congress 2nd Session
 Month: April 2023

Disbursed Summary

Program	Object Class	Budget Object Class	MTD Disbursed	YTD Disbursed	
EXPEN General Expenditures	11 Personnel Compensation	1101 Non-Statutory Compensation	0.00	5,382,576.41	
		1104 Accrued Leave	0.00	94,273.61	
		1106 Bonus	0.00	21,221.49	
		1108 Other Lump Sum	0.00	54,981.18	
		Total	0.00	5,553,052.69	
		21 Travel	2101 Airfare Commercial Transport	0.00	62,341.03
			2102 Non-Airfare Commercial Transp	0.00	2,902.00
			2105 Lodging	0.00	55,064.01
			2110 Meals	0.00	10,777.49
			2115 W/FT On Travel	0.00	54.92
			2120 Car Rental	0.00	6,389.57
2125 Gasoline	0.00		582.87		
2130 Private Auto Mileage	0.00		2,792.92		
2135 Taxi/Ride Share	0.00		4,544.22		
2136 Parking	0.00		1,804.16		
2137 Tolls	0.00		5.80		
Total	0.00	147,258.99			
23 Rent, Communications, Utilities	2303 Temporary Space Rental	0.00	5,901.80		
	2310 Frankable Telecom/Teletowhall	0.00	4,699.90		
	2320 DC Telecom Equip (TRANSFER)	0.00	2,256.00		
	2321 DC Telecom Serv (TRANSFER)	0.00	8,594.75		
	2322 DC Telecom Tolls (TRANSFER)	0.00	45,447.09		
	2335 HIR Graphics (TRANSFER)	0.00	260.00		
	2350 Postage / Courier / Box Rental	0.00	47.20		
	2370 Equip Rental (Eff 1/3/03)	0.00	8,290.80		
	Total	0.00	75,497.54		
	24 Printing and Reproduction	2402 Non-Frankable Printing & Repro	0.00	3,148.00	
		2403 Photographic (TRANSFER)	0.00	60.00	

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Authorization Year 2022
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Program	Object Class	Budget Object Class	MTD Disbursed	YTD Disbursed
	24 Printing and Reproduction	2404 Reproduction of Fed/Public Law	0.00	580.00
		Total	0.00	3,788.00
25 Other Services		2525 Stenographic Reporting	0.00	6,600.00
		2527 Training	0.00	3,104.28
		2529 Translatn and Interpret Serv	0.00	50.00
		2536 Security Service	0.00	250.00
		2540 Representational Expenses	0.00	179.78
		2571 Technology Service Contracts	0.00	9,372.22
		2572 Web Dev Hst,Email & Rltd Serv	0.00	3,758.80
		2599 Miscellaneous Other Services	0.00	861.00
		Total	0.00	24,176.08
		2602 Water	0.00	3,010.50
		2603 Food & Beverage	0.00	1,325.99
		2604 Legislative Plngng Food and Bev	0.00	2,968.12
2620 Office Supplies (Outside)	1,845.00	49,032.72		
2621 Office Supply (TRANSFER)	0.00	3,122.46		
2623 Software < \$500	0.00	29,487.19		
2630 Publications/Reference Matl	0.00	89,473.98		
Total	1,845.00	178,420.96		
EXPEN General Expenditures	26 Supplies and Materials	3105 Office Equip Purch<\$25,000	31,452.00	98,457.00
		3112 Computer Hardw Purch <\$25,000	0.00	237,050.66
		3115 Computer Softw Purch <\$10,000	0.00	5,702.76
		3118 Maintenance / Repairs	0.00	125,871.75
		3128 Warranties	0.00	14,949.84
Total	31,452.00	482,032.01		
AE200 Official Mail	FM Franked Mail	2352 Franked Mail	26.62	228.75
		Total	26.62	228.75
	Total		26.62	228.75

**House Committee on Agriculture
Report on Travel Performed**

<u>Traveler</u>	<u>Travel Begin Date</u>	<u>Travel End Date</u>	<u>Purpose</u>	<u>Itinerary</u>	<u>Transportation</u>	<u>Lodging, Meals & Incidentals</u>	<u>Other</u>	<u>Total</u>
Busovsky, John	04/10/23	04/10/23	Pennsylvania Fish & Boat Commission and Chesapeake Bay Farm and Fish Tour	Annapdale, VA to Quarryville, PA and return	\$77.09	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$77.09
Thompson, Rep. Glenn	04/13/23	04/14/23	Farm Bill Listening Session	State College, PA to Syracuse, NY and return	\$0.00	\$148.22	\$0.00	\$148.22
Van Orden, Rep. Derrick	04/13/23	04/14/23	Farm Bill Listening Session	LaCrosse, WI to Syracuse, NY and return	\$921.80	\$148.22	\$0.00	\$1,070.02
Norwood, Carlton	04/13/23	04/14/23	Farm Bill Listening Session	Washington, DC to Syracuse, NY and return	\$827.46	\$148.22	\$0.00	\$975.68
Tiller, Jennifer	04/13/23	04/16/23	Farm Bill Listening Session	Washington, DC to Syracuse, NY and return	\$646.30	\$167.79	\$0.00	\$814.09
McCarty, Taylor	04/13/23	04/14/23	Farm Bill Listening Session	Washington, DC to Syracuse, NY and return	\$656.73	\$243.59	\$0.00	\$900.32
Wilson, Erin	04/13/23	04/14/23	Farm Bill Listening Session	Washington, DC to Syracuse, NY and return	\$1,042.70	\$148.22	\$0.00	\$1,190.92
Thompson, Rep. Glenn	04/20/23	04/20/23	NC Farm Bill Event with Cong. Rouzer	Washington, DC to Raleigh Durham, NC No Return Flight	\$687.60	\$213.66	\$0.00	\$901.26
Graff, Justina	04/20/23	04/21/23	NC Farm Bill Event with Cong. Rouzer	Washington, DC to Raleigh Durham, NC and return	\$792.05	\$141.05	\$0.00	\$933.10
Thompson, Rep. Glenn	04/23/23	04/25/23	Farm Bill Listening Session	Gainsville, FL to Orlando, FL to Washington, DC	\$118.70	\$102.90	\$0.00	\$221.60
LaMalfa, Rep. Doug	04/24/23	04/25/23	Farm Bill Listening Session	Fayetteville, NC to Gainesville, FL to Orlando, FL to Washington, DC	\$646.91	\$102.90	\$0.00	\$749.81
Pingree, Rep. Chellie	04/24/23	04/25/23	Farm Bill Listening Session	Portland, ME to Gainesville, FL to Orlando, FL to Washington, DC	\$550.90	\$102.90	\$0.00	\$653.80
Scott, Rep. Austin	04/23/23	04/25/23	Farm Bill Listening Session	Atlanta, GA to Gainesville to Orlando, FL to Washington, DC	\$601.60	\$164.15	\$0.00	\$765.75
Soto, Rep. Darren	04/24/23	04/24/23	Farm Bill Listening Session	Gainsville, FL to Washington, DC	\$151.19	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$151.19
Cammack, Rep. Kat	04/24/22	04/25/23	Farm Bill Listening Session	Gainsville, FL to Orlando, FL	\$0.00	\$102.90	\$0.00	\$102.90
Benavidez, Justin	4/23/23	04/25/23	Farm Bill Listening Session	Washington, DC to Gainesville, FL to Orlando, FL to Washington, DC	\$668.00	\$307.34	\$0.00	\$975.34
Burdick, Britton	4/24/23	04/25/23	Farm Bill Listening Session	Washington, DC to Gainesville, FL to Washington, DC	\$289.39	\$102.90	\$0.00	\$392.29
Holt, Kelsey	4/23/23	04/25/23	Farm Bill Listening Session	Washington, DC to Gainesville, FL to Orlando, FL to Washington, DC	\$258.40	\$188.32	\$0.00	\$446.72
McCarty, Taylor	4/23/23	04/25/23	Farm Bill Listening Session	Washington, DC to Gainesville, FL to Orlando FL to Washington, DC	\$845.54	\$235.46	\$12.00	\$1,093.00
Smith, Ashley	4/24/23	04/25/23	Farm Bill Listening Session	Washington, DC to Gainesville, FL to Washington, DC	\$515.33	\$134.06	\$0.00	\$649.39
Wilson, Erin	4/23/23	04/25/23	Farm Bill Listening Session	Nashville, TN to Gainsville, FL to Orlando, FL to Washington, DC	\$442.90	\$263.96	\$0.00	\$706.86

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PAYROLL CERTIFICATION - FINAL

04/01/2023 to 04/30/2023

Department: AG000 COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE

SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - PERSONNEL

Employee and Job Title	Gross Pay	Period
BALZANO, PAUL NICHOLAS SENIOR PROFESSIONAL STAFF	14,583.33	04/01/2023 to 04/30/2023
BENAVIDEZ, JUSTIN R CHIEF ECONOMIST	12,916.67	04/01/2023 to 04/30/2023
BORNE, ADELE CLAIRE LEGISLATIVE ASSISTANT	6,666.67	04/01/2023 to 04/30/2023
BRADEN, PARISH M STAFF DIRECTOR	16,975.00	04/01/2023 to 04/30/2023
BUSOVSKY, JOHN S. PROFESSIONAL STAFF	9,583.33	04/01/2023 to 04/30/2023
CROSSWHITE, CALEB JOSEPH SENIOR COUNSEL	14,583.33	04/01/2023 to 04/30/2023
DUDLEY, WICK INGELS COUNSEL	10,416.67	04/01/2023 to 04/30/2023
FISHER, HALEE LEGISLATIVE ASSISTANT	5,000.00	04/01/2023 to 04/30/2023
GRAFF, JUSTINA MARIE LEGISLATIVE ASSISTANT	6,666.67	04/01/2023 to 04/30/2023
HOELSCHER, HARLEA ANNE LEGISLATIVE ASSISTANT	3,750.00	04/01/2023 to 04/30/2023
HOLT, KELSEY MICHELLE PRESS SECRETARY	5,833.33	04/01/2023 to 04/30/2023
HORN, JENNIFER JOY DEPUTY STAFF DIRECTOR	16,250.00	04/01/2023 to 04/30/2023
HUGHES, HANNAH LOUISE SHARED EMPLOYEE	1,666.67	04/01/2023 to 04/30/2023
KONYA, JOHN F DIR OF INFORMATION TECH. & POLICY	14,875.00	04/01/2023 to 04/30/2023
MAXWELL, JOSHUA POLICY DIRECTOR	15,833.33	04/01/2023 to 04/30/2023
MAY, MASON SIMON STAFF ASSISTANT	2,500.00	04/01/2023 to 04/30/2023
MCCARTY, TAYLOR M DIRECTOR OF COMMUNICATIONS	11,666.67	04/01/2023 to 04/30/2023
NORWOOD, KLARIS C DEPUTY COMMUNICATIONS DIRECTOR	5,750.00	04/01/2023 to 04/30/2023
ROCKWELL, NICHOLAS GORDON PROFESSIONAL STAFF	10,416.67	04/01/2023 to 04/30/2023
SANDMAN, DANA MURAI CHIEF CLERK	12,500.00	04/01/2023 to 04/30/2023
SCHROEDER, RICKI GENE LEGISLATIVE ASSIST/ MEMBER SERVICES COORDINTOR	7,083.33	04/01/2023 to 04/30/2023
SIDDIQUI, FAISAL SYSTEMS ADMINISTRATOR	1,500.00	04/01/2023 to 04/30/2023
STOTTMANN, CHRISTINA M COMMITTEE ADMINISTRATOR	10,833.33	04/01/2023 to 04/30/2023
STRAUGHN, PATRICIA B CHIEF COUNSEL	15,833.33	04/01/2023 to 04/30/2023
WETHERALD, MARGARET E FINANCIAL ADMINISTRATOR	4,341.67	04/01/2023 to 04/30/2023
WHITE, TREVOR REECE	14,166.67	04/01/2023 to 04/30/2023

SENIOR PROFESSIONAL STAFF WILSON, ERIN ELIZABETH DIRECTOR OF MEMBER SER & COALITIONS	10,000.00	04/01/2023 to 04/30/2023
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SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - HOUSE PAID INTERNSHIP PROGRAM

Employee and Job Title	Gross Pay	Period
GOLDBERG, MAEVE FRANCES COMM. HOUSE PAID INTERN - MAJORITY	1,500.00	04/01/2023 to 04/30/2023
RETHANS, EMMALINE VERREE COMM. HOUSE PAID INTERN - MAJORITY	1,500.00	04/01/2023 to 04/30/2023

Department: AG090 COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE -
MIN

SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - PERSONNEL

Employee and Job Title	Gross Pay	Period
BABBITT, PAUL J PROFESSIONAL STAFF	7,986.11	04/01/2023 to 04/30/2023
BLANDING, DESHAWN L LEGISLATIVE ASSISTANT	7,083.33	04/01/2023 to 04/30/2023
BURDICK, BRITTON THOMAS COMMUNICATIONS DIRECTOR	9,583.33	04/01/2023 to 04/30/2023
FEINGOLD, DANIEL MARTIN PROFESSIONAL STAFF	9,187.50	04/01/2023 to 04/30/2023
FINK, KATHERINE MARY POLICY DIRECTOR	13,750.00	04/01/2023 to 04/30/2023
GERMAN, EMILY KATE PROFESSIONAL STAFF	9,187.50	04/01/2023 to 04/30/2023
LOBERT, JOSHUA THOMAS COUNSEL	13,716.67	04/01/2023 to 04/30/2023
PLISCOTT, EMILY ECONOMIST/POLICY ANALYST	7,074.42	04/01/2023 to 04/30/2023
SIMMONS, ANNE STAFF DIRECTOR	16,975.00	04/01/2023 to 04/30/2023
SMITH, ASHLEY MARIE DEPUTY STAFF DIRECTOR	15,750.00	04/01/2023 to 04/30/2023
STEIN, MICHAEL AARON CHIEF COUNSEL	17,661.11	04/01/2023 to 04/30/2023
STEWART, KATHERINE PROFESSIONAL STAFF	9,187.50	04/01/2023 to 04/30/2023
THOMAS, FAYE Y COMMITTEE ADMINISTRATOR	11,943.75	04/01/2023 to 04/30/2023
ZHANG, ELAINE STAFF ASSISTANT	5,000.00	04/01/2023 to 04/30/2023

SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - LUMP SUM ACCRUED LEAVE

Employee and Job Title	Gross Pay	Period
BABBITT, PAUL J PROFESSIONAL STAFF	479.17	

SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - HOUSE PAID INTERNSHIP PROGRAM

Employee and Job Title

LAUCK, KAYLE R
COMM. HOUSE PAID INTERN - MINORITY

Gross Pay

1,741.67

Period

04/01/2023 to 04/30/2023

COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE
Detailee List

Name	Home Agency	Dates of Service
Rodney Brooks	FSA, USDA	3/1/23 - 12/31/23
Brian Martin-Haynes	Government Printing Office	01/31/23- 12/31/23
Amar Nair	OGC, USDA	2/28/23 - 12/31/23
Kevin Webb	CFTC	2/2/23 - 1/17/24