

Committee on Agriculture
U.S. House of Representatives
Required Witness Disclosure Form

House Rules* require nongovernmental witnesses to disclose the amount and source of Federal grants received since January 1, 2015.

Name: SUSAN S. BENEDICT

Organization you represent (if any): BEARTOWN FAMILY LP

AMERICAN FOREST FOUNDATION

1. Please list any federal grants or contracts (including subgrants and subcontracts) you have received since January 1, 2015, as well as the source and the amount of each grant or contract. House Rules do **NOT** require disclosure of federal payments to individuals, such as Social Security or Medicare benefits, farm program payments, or assistance to agricultural producers:

Source: _____ Amount: _____

Source: _____ Amount: _____

2. If you are appearing on behalf of an organization, please list any federal grants or contracts (including subgrants and subcontracts) the organization has received since January 1, 2015, as well as the source and the amount of each grant or contract:

Source: _____ Amount: _____

Source: _____ Amount: _____

3. Please list any payment or contract originating with a foreign government (including subcontracts) you have received since January 1, 2015, as well as the country of origin and amount of each payment or contract.

Country of Origin: _____ Amount: _____

Country of Origin: _____ Amount: _____

4. Please list any payment or contract originating with a foreign government (including subcontracts) the organization has received since January 1, 2015, as well as the country of origin and amount of each payment or contract.

Country of Origin: _____ Amount: _____

Country of Origin: _____ Amount: _____

Please check here if this form is NOT applicable to you: _____

Signature: _____

* Rule XI, clause 2(g)(5) of the U.S. House of Representatives provides:

(A) Each committee shall, to the greatest extent practicable, require witnesses who appear before it to submit in advance written statements of proposed testimony and to limit their initial presentations to the committee to brief summaries thereof.

(B) In the case of a witness appearing in a nongovernmental capacity, a written statement of proposed testimony shall include a curriculum vitae and a disclosure of any Federal grants or contracts, or contracts or payments originating with a foreign government, received during the current calendar year or either of the two previous calendar years by the witness or by an entity represented by the witness and related to the subject matter of the hearing.

(C) The disclosure referred to in subdivision (B) shall include--(i) the amount and source of each Federal grant (or subgrant thereof) or contract (or subcontract thereof) related to the subject matter of the hearing; and (ii) the amount and country of origin of any payment or contract related to the subject matter of the hearing originating with a foreign government.

(D) Such statements, with appropriate redactions to protect the privacy or security of the witness, shall be made publicly available in electronic form not later than one day after the witness appears.

PLEASE ATTACH DISCLOSURE FORM TO EACH COPY OF TESTIMONY.

American Forest Foundation				
Federal Funds Awarded for Years Ending 12/31/2015 and 12/31/2016				
Grantor	Program Title	Grant #	Amount	Original Award
NFWF/USDA--NRCS	Forest Stewardship	1904.14.044929	\$36,000	2016
NFWF/US Fish & Wildlife Service	National Fish & Wildlife Foundation	1904.15.048898	\$25,000	2015
USDA--US Forest Service	State & Private Forestry/Conservation Education	15-PA-11132545-024	\$216,000	2015
USDA--US Forest Service	Forest Stewardship	15-DG-11132544-039	\$3,000,000	2015
USDA--NRCS	Soil and Water Conservation	1903.15.048296	\$20,000	2015
USDA--US Forest Service	National Fish & Wildlife Foundation	0405.16.053700	\$40,000	2016
USAD--NRCS	Soil and Water Conservation	0405.16.053700	\$7,000	2016
NFWF/US Fish & Wildlife Service	National Fish & Wildlife Foundation	1904.16.053005	\$50,000	2016
USDA--NRCS	Environmental Quality Incentives Program	39-3A75-17-14	\$750,000	2016
USDA--US Forest Service	State & Private Forestry/Cooperative Forestry	15-DG-11132544-013	\$638,720	2015
USDA--US Forest Service	Northeastern State & Private Forestry	14-DG-11420004-243	\$210,000	2015
USDA--US Forest Service	Northeastern State & Private Forestry	14-DG-11420004-243	\$195,000	2016