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# U.S. House of Representatives

## Committee on Agriculture

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May 18, 2025

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

Dear Chairman Steil:

In accordance with the regulations of the Committee on House Administration, I am submitting herewith the monthly report for April 2025, 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 2025**

April 8, 2025

- Full Committee on Agriculture Hearing
- “The Power of Work: Expanding Opportunity through SNAP.”

April 9, 2025

- Subcommittee on Commodity Markets, Digital Assets, and Rural Development Hearing
- “American Innovation and the Future of Digital Assets: On-Chain Tools for an Off-Chain World.”

There were no studies or investigations opened, underway, or completed in April, 2025.

**U.S. House of Representatives**  
**Monthly Financial Statement by Legislative Year**

Office: 10AG000 COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE

Authorization Year 2025  
2025:119th Congress 1st Session  
Month: 2025 April - Closed

## Disbursed Summary

Program	Object Class	Budget Object Class	MTD Disbursed	YTD Disbursed
EXPEN General Expenditures	11 Personnel Compensation	1101 Non-Statutory Compensation	443,113.63	1,716,210.80
		1106 Bonus	0.00	1,333.33
		<b>Total</b>	<b>443,113.63</b>	<b>1,717,544.13</b>
	21 Travel	2101 Airfare Commercial Transport	1,948.79	9,193.23
		2102 Non-Airfare Commercial Transp	0.00	127.00
		2105 Lodging	1,878.02	7,215.41
		2111 Per Diem Meals & Incidentals	120.50	2,009.00
		2120 Car Rental	0.00	140.88
		2125 Gasoline	0.00	8.00
		2130 Private Auto Mileage	215.09	436.77
		2135 Taxi/Ride Share	195.81	1,688.19
		2136 Parking	3.00	115.88
		<b>Total</b>	<b>4,361.21</b>	<b>20,934.36</b>
	23 Rent, Communications, Utilities	2320 DC Telecom Equip (TRANSFER)	176.00	528.00
		2321 DC Telecom Serv (TRANSFER)	620.00	1,860.00
		2322 DC Telecom Tolls (TRANSFER)	3,526.39	11,662.74
		2335 HIR Graphics (TRANSFER)	0.00	5.00
		<b>Total</b>	<b>4,322.39</b>	<b>14,055.74</b>
	24 Printing and Reproduction	2402 Non-Frankable Printing & Repro	306.00	1,964.50
		2403 Photographic (TRANSFER)	0.00	1,600.00
		<b>Total</b>	<b>306.00</b>	<b>3,564.50</b>
	25 Other Services	2571 Technology Service Contracts	33.90	135.60
		2572 Web Dev Hst,Email & Rltd Serv	3,156.00	4,999.00
		<b>Total</b>	<b>3,189.90</b>	<b>5,134.60</b>
	26 Supplies and Materials	2602 Water	250.80	4,188.91
		2603 Food & Beverage	1,495.66	2,019.83
		2620 Office Supplies (Outside)	461.28	1,939.82
		2621 Office Supply (TRANSFER)	91.93	660.21

**Mr. S. House of Representatives**  
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EXPEN General Expenditures	26 Supplies and Materials	2623 Software < \$500	12.99	25.98
		2630 Publications/Reference Matl	38.01	1,287.70
	31 Equipment	<b>Total</b>	<b>2,350.67</b>	<b>10,122.45</b>
		3118 Maintenance / Repairs	2,071.00	6,163.00
	<b>Total</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>2,071.00</b>	<b>6,163.00</b>
AE200 Official Mail	FM Franked Mail	2352 Franked Mail	459,714.80	1,777,518.78
		<b>Total</b>	<b>7.08</b>	<b>13.22</b>
	<b>Total</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>7.08</b>	<b>13.22</b>

<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 &amp; Incidentals</u>	<u>Other</u>	<u>Total</u>
Graft, Justina	4/7/2025	4/8/2025	American Horse Council & National Institute for Animal Agriculture Conference	Washington, DC to Kansas City, MO and return	\$467.63	\$65.00	\$0.00	\$532.63
Graft, Justina	4/14/2025	4/14/2025	Tour with Sen. McCormick and Sec Rollins of Poultry Processing Plant, Dairy farm, Rural Bank	Washington, DC to Fredericksburg, Myerstown, and Paradise, PA and return to Washington, DC	\$215.09	\$162.13	\$0.00	\$377.22
Ogilvie, Clark	4/18/2025	4/18/2025	Staffing Ranking Member Craig on Tours of Cotton Facilities	Washington, DC to Judd Hill, AR and return	\$600.59	\$55.50	\$0.00	\$656.09
Hoelscher, Harlea	4/26/2025	4/29/2025	Farm Policy Panel at the CPA Spring Annual Meeting	Washington, DC to Kansas City, MO and return	\$355.37	\$749.60	\$0.00	\$1,104.97
Ogilvie, Clark	4/27/2025	4/28/2025	Farm Policy Panel at the CPA Spring Annual Meeting	Washington DC to Kansas City, MO and return	\$586.45	\$263.20	\$0.00	\$849.65
Benavidez, Justin	4/27/2025	4/28/2025	Farm Policy Panel at the CPA Spring Annual Meeting	Washington, DC to Kansas City, MO and return	\$358.26	\$241.20	\$0.00	\$599.46



# U.S. House of Representatives

## PAYROLL CERTIFICATION - FINAL

04/01/2025 to 04/30/2025

Department: AG000 COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE

### SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - PERSONNEL

Employee and Job Title	Gross Pay	Period
ABU-ALGHANAM, MAJEDA CAMILLA LEGISLATIVE ASSISTANT	7,083.33	04/01/2025 to 04/30/2025
BALZANO, PAUL NICHOLAS SENIOR PROFESSIONAL STAFF	17,083.33	04/01/2025 to 04/30/2025
BENAVIDEZ, JUSTIN R CHIEF ECONOMIST	15,416.67	04/01/2025 to 04/30/2025
BLODGETT, JACKSON REEVES CHIEF CLERK	9,583.33	04/01/2025 to 04/30/2025
BRADEN, PARISH M STAFF DIRECTOR	18,808.33	04/01/2025 to 04/30/2025
BUSOVSKY, JOHN S. PROFESSIONAL STAFF	10,000.00	04/01/2025 to 04/30/2025
CHATHAM, LAUREL LEE LAW CLERK	8,000.00	04/01/2025 to 04/30/2025
DEBERRY, AUSTIN STAFF ASSISTANT	4,166.67	04/01/2025 to 04/30/2025
DUDLEY, WICK INGELS COUNSEL	13,333.33	04/01/2025 to 04/30/2025
FISHER, HALEE LEGISLATIVE ASSISTANT	4,375.00	04/01/2025 to 04/30/2025
FITZGERALD, TIMOTHY C DIRECTOR OF MEMBER SERVICES AND COALITIONS	3,541.67	04/01/2025 to 04/30/2025
FRANKLIN, LUKE CHRISTOPHER DIGITAL COORDINATOR	5,416.67	04/01/2025 to 04/30/2025
GOLDEY, BENJAMIN HUGHES COMMUNICATIONS DIRECTOR	14,166.67	04/01/2025 to 04/30/2025
GRAFF, JUSTINA MARIE PROFESSIONAL STAFF	9,166.67	04/01/2025 to 04/30/2025
HENDRIX, JOHN J LEGISLATIVE ASSISTANT	5,416.67	04/01/2025 to 04/30/2025
HOELSCHER, HARLEA ANNE PROFESSIONAL STAFF	8,333.33	04/01/2025 to 04/30/2025
KONYA, JOHN F DIR OF INFORMATION TECH. & POLICY	14,875.00	04/01/2025 to 04/30/2025
MAXWELL, JOSHUA DEPUTY STAFF DIRECTOR	17,916.67	04/01/2025 to 04/30/2025
MONTONEY, JOSEPHINE KARIN PROFESSIONAL STAFF	9,000.00	04/01/2025 to 04/30/2025
NICHOLS, BENJAMIN THOMAS DEPUTY COMMUNICATIONS DIRECTOR	7,916.67	04/01/2025 to 04/30/2025
ROGERS, SAMUEL H LAW CLERK	6,666.67	04/01/2025 to 04/30/2025
SIDDIQUI, FAISAL SYSTEMS ADMINISTRATOR	1,500.00	04/01/2025 to 04/30/2025
STAGNO, LAURA E PROFESSIONAL STAFF	12,500.00	04/01/2025 to 04/30/2025
STRAUGHN, PATRICIA B CHIEF COUNSEL	17,916.67	04/01/2025 to 04/30/2025
STULL, JOSHUA DONALD PROFESSIONAL STAFF	3,888.89	04/01/2025 to 04/30/2025
THOMAS, FAYE Y	13,333.33	04/01/2025 to 04/30/2025

COMMITTEE ADMINISTRATOR		
UPTON, KYLE G	6,250.00	04/01/2025 to 04/30/2025
LEGISLATIVE ASSISTANT		
WETHERALD, MARGARET E	7,000.00	04/01/2025 to 04/30/2025
FINANCIAL ADMINISTRATOR		
WHITE, TREVOR REECE	15,833.33	04/01/2025 to 04/30/2025
POLICY DIRECTOR		

SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - HOUSE PAID INTERNSHIP PROGRAM

Employee and Job Title	Gross Pay	Period
DEBERRY, AUSTIN	0.00	04/01/2025 to 04/30/2025
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Department: AG090 COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE - MIN

SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - PERSONNEL

Employee and Job Title	Gross Pay	Period
BURDICK, BRITTON THOMAS	11,250.00	04/01/2025 to 04/30/2025
COMMUNICATIONS DIRECTOR		
CAVALIER, SUZANNE ELIZABETH	8,125.00	04/01/2025 to 04/30/2025
SENIOR ADVISOR		
FEINGOLD, DANIEL MARTIN	10,166.67	04/01/2025 to 04/30/2025
PROFESSIONAL STAFF		
FINK, KATHERINE MARY	14,583.33	04/01/2025 to 04/30/2025
POLICY DIRECTOR		
LOBERT, JOSHUA THOMAS	14,819.17	04/01/2025 to 04/30/2025
SENIOR COUNSEL		
OGILVIE, CHRISTOPHER CLARK	14,583.33	04/01/2025 to 04/30/2025
SPECIAL COUNSEL		
PERLMUTTER, ARI B	8,000.00	04/01/2025 to 04/30/2025
SENIOR POLICY ANALYST		
PLISCOTT, EMILY	8,750.00	04/01/2025 to 04/30/2025
ECONOMIST/SENIOR POLICY ANALYST		
SIMMONS, ANNE	555.56	04/01/2025 to 04/30/2025
STAFF DIRECTOR		
SMITH, ASHLEY MARIE	15,750.00	04/01/2025 to 04/30/2025
DEPUTY STAFF DIRECTOR		
SOWYRDA, BRIAN MICHAEL	16,041.67	04/01/2025 to 04/30/2025
STAFF DIRECTOR		
STEIN, MICHAEL AARON	15,583.33	04/01/2025 to 04/30/2025
CHIEF COUNSEL		
STEWART, KATHERINE	10,166.67	04/01/2025 to 04/30/2025
PROFESSIONAL STAFF		
ZHANG, ELAINE	6,250.00	04/01/2025 to 04/30/2025
POLICY ANALYST		

SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - HOUSE PAID INTERNSHIP PROGRAM

Employee and Job Title	Gross Pay	Period
OLSON, OLIVIA RAE	2,459.72	04/01/2025 to 04/30/2025
COMM. HOUSE PAID INTERN - MINORITY		

**COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE**

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<b>Name</b>	<b>Home Agency</b>	<b>Dates of Service</b>
Joshua Beale	US Commodity Futures Trading Commission	3/13/25 - 12/31/25
Brian Martin-Haynes	Government Printing Office	01/14/25- 1/2/26