#### NATIONAL CANCER INSTITUTE

#### **AGENDA**

25<sup>th</sup> Regular Meeting of the BOARD OF SCIENTIFIC ADVISORS Conference Room 10, Building 31C 9000 Rockville Pike Bethesda, Maryland

November 13-14, 2003

Thursday, 13 November 2003 – 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. – Open to the Public

#### 8:00 a.m. – 8:05 a.m.

Call to Order and Opening Remarks

Dr. Appelbaum

- ➤ Consideration of June 2003 Minutes
- ➤ Conflict of Interest
- Confirmed Future Meeting Dates

March 15-16, 2004 Monday, Tuesday June 24-25, 2004 Thursday, Friday November 8-9, 2004 Monday, Tuesday March 7-8, 2005 Monday, Tuesday June 27-28, 2005 Monday, Tuesday November 14-15, 2005 Monday, Tuesday

## 8:05 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

Report of the Director, NCI Dr. von Eschenbach

#### 8:45 a.m. - 9:15 a.m.

Summary of RPG Working Group Discussion Mr. Hazen

## 9:15 a.m. - 10:15 a.m.

Perspectives of the IOM Report Dr. Niederhuber

#### 10:15 a.m. - 10:35 a.m.

Coffee Break

## 10:35 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

Ongoing and New Business: Dr. Appelbaum

BSA at National Meetings: Reports
 AACR NCI Listens Report
 Participants for 2004 NCI Listens Sessions
 (AACR, ONS, SBM, ASTRO, Cold Spring Harbor)

Other Issues

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# RFA\*/RFP\*\* Concepts - Presented by NCI Program Staff

# 11:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon Division of Cancer Prevention

Reducing Barriers to Effective Symptom Management & Palliative Care (RFA)

Dr. O'Mara

## 12:00 noon - 12:15 p.m.

Break to Get Lunches

# 12:15 p.m. - 1:15 p.m.

Working Lunch

RFA Annual Report Dr. Gray
 Program Project Review Process Ms. Bronzert

# RFA\*/RFP\*\* Concepts Cont'd – Presented by NCI Program Staff

# 1:15 p.m. -2:15 p.m. Division of Cancer Control and Population Sciences

Transdisciplinary Research on Energetics and Cancer (TREC) Dr. Ballard-Barbash Centers (RFA)

# 2:15 p.m. - 3:15 p.m. Division of Cancer Treatment and Diagnosis

Support for Human Specimen Banking in the Clinical Dr. Taube Cooperative Groups - A Virtual National Specimen Dr. Aamodt Bank (RFP)

## 3:15 p.m. - 3:35 p.m.

Coffee Break

# 3:35 p.m. - 4:35 p.m. Office of the Deputy Director for Extramural Science

NCI Interdisciplinary Cancer Research Career Development (K25) Award for Quantitative Scientists (RFA)

# Re-issued RFA/Coop. Agr.\*\* Concepts

# 4:35 p.m. - 5:20 p.m. Office of the Director

Community Networks to Reduce Cancer Disparities (RFA/Coop. Agr. Re-issue): Subcommittee Report

Dr. Chu

# 5:20 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. Division of Cancer Prevention

Diet, DNA Methylation & Other Epigenetic Events, & Cancer Prevention (RFA Re-issue): Subcommittee Report

Dr. Ross

# 6:00 p.m.

Adjournment

Friday, 14 November – 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon – Open to Public

## 8:00 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

Update: Gene Expression Profiling of Lymphoid Malignancies and the Applications to Clinical Trials

Dr. Staudt

## 8:45 a.m. - 9:15 a.m.

Applications of New Technologies in Clinical Research

Dr. Balis

### 9:15 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

Evaluating Breast Cancer Screening Performance in Practice

Dr. Ballard-Barbash

Dr. Taplin

Dr. Kerlikowske Dr. Barlow Dr. Lehman

## 10:30 a.m. - 10:50 a.m.

Coffee Break

## 10:50 a.m. - 12:00 noon

Management of Bio-Repository Initiative

Dr. Barker

#### 12:00 noon

Adjournment

<sup>\*</sup> Request for Application (RFA) \*\* Request for Proposal (RFP) \*\*\* Cooperative Agreement (Coop. Agr.)