

## **COMMITTEE TERMS OF REFERENCE**

Project:
Committee:
Committee Chair: Date Adopted:
TERMS OF REFERENCE Name and Type of Committee:
<ul> <li>General Purpose:</li> <li>What is the area of responsibility?</li> <li>What type of work is the committee expected to do?</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Key Responsibilities (Scope of Authority):</li> <li>What results are expected from the committee?</li> <li>What authority does the committee have?</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Composition and Appointment:</li> <li>Who is appointed to the committee?</li> <li>Who appoints the committee members?</li> <li>How long is the appointment (e.g., entire project or designated phase within a project)?</li> <li>How is the committee chairperson appointed?</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Meetings and Decision Making Process:</li> <li>What is the expected number of meetings during the project and length of meetings?</li> <li>How are the meetings scheduled?</li> <li>What is the meeting format, protocols, and decision making process (e.g., consensus or voting, attendance/quorum requirements, etc.)?</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Resources:</li> <li>What is the allowable committee costs approved within the project?</li> <li>What are the restrictions?</li> <li>What approval is necessary?</li> <li>Are there any additional staff requirements outside of the project that is needed for committee support?</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Reports:</li> <li>What reports are required by the committee?</li> <li>Is a committee evaluation required at the end of the project to include in the final project evaluation?</li> <li>What is required in the committee evaluation?</li> </ul>
[Confirm approval and acceptance of the terms of reference through the signature of the Project Sponsor.]
Signature: Name:

Date: