

U.S. BOARD ON GEOGRAPHIC NAMES
DOMESTIC NAMES COMMITTEE

Eight Hundred and Seventy Fourth Meeting
Department of the Interior, Kiowa Room
May 8, 2025 – 9:30 a.m.

AGENDA

1. Opening and Roll Call
2. Review and Approval of Agenda
3. Minutes of the 873rd Meeting
4. Communications and Reports
 - 4.1 BGN Chair (Tischler)
 - 4.2 Executive Secretary for Domestic Names (Zahniser)
 - 4.3 Executive Secretary for Foreign Names (David D.)
 - 4.4 Special Committee on Communications (Vacant)
 - 4.5 Staff (O'Donnell)
 - 4.6 GNIS and Data Compilation Program (Decker)
 - 4.7 Special Committee on Native American Names and Tribal Communication (Kanalley)
5. Docket

Not Review Listed

Change **Bocco Mountain** (FID 175877) to **Booco Mountain**, Colorado

Change **Mendi Gore** (FID [2832450](#)) to **Mendi Gorri**, change **Mendi Gori Posue** (FID [1163955](#)) to **Mendi Gorri Putzua**, and change **Mendi Suri** (FID [1157788](#)) to **Mendi Zuri**, Oregon

Review Lists 441 and 450

Change **Lower Negro Island** (FID [570524](#)) to **Lower Bagaduce Island or Emanuel Island** and change **Upper Negro Island** (FID [577637](#)) to **Upper Bagaduce Island or Esther Island**, Maine

Review Lists 450

New name **Salamander Creek**, California

Review List 453

New name **Anne des Cadeaux Bayou**, Louisiana

New name **Brevelle Branch**, Louisiana

Review List 454

New name **Mount America**, Pennsylvania

Review List 455

New names **Rockfellow Gulch** and **Rockfellow Ridge**, Oregon

Review Lists 455 and 456

New name **Chitch Creek** or **Newcosta Creek**, Michigan

Review List 456

New name **Salamander Pond**, Utah

Review List 457

Change **Cutler Channel** (FID [1989332](#)) to **Deering Bay Channel**, Florida

New name **Takolo Fala Upi Creek**, Mississippi

New name **Guinn Peak**, Nevada

New name **Morden Run**, Tennessee

New name **Arch Nemesis**, Utah

Change **Browns Point** (FID [1463930](#)) to **Norton Point**, Virginia

6. Other Business

7. Closing

The next Domestic Names Committee meeting will be held June 12, 2025, 9:30 a.m. at Department of the Interior, Kiowa Room.

Microsoft Teams invite/call-in instructions to follow.