

A G E N D A

FEDERAL OPEN MARKET COMMITTEE

**Tuesday, October 23, 2012, at 1:00 p.m.
and continuing on
Wednesday, October 24, 2012, at 9:00 a.m.**

1. Thresholds. (See materials distributed on October 16, 2012.)
 - A. Staff presentation.
 - B. Committee discussion.
2. Financial developments and open market operations.
 - A. Report on market developments and operations.
 - B. Action to ratify the open market transactions for the System account since the September meeting.
3. Economic situation.
 - A. Staff report.
 - B. Committee discussion.
4. Current monetary policy.
 - A. Staff comments.
 - B. Committee discussion.
 - C. Action to adopt directive and statement.
5. Experimental consensus forecast. (See memos distributed on October 12, 2012.)
 - A. Staff presentation.
 - B. Committee discussion.
6. Confirmation of the date for the next meeting (Tuesday-Wednesday, December 11-12, 2012).