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## **Preface**

The United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) prepares the official U.S. Inventory of Greenhouse Gas Emissions and Sinks to fulfill annual existing commitments under the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC). Under Article 4 and decisions at the First, Second, Fifth and Nineteenth Conference of Parties, national inventories for UNFCCC Annex I parties should be provided to the UNFCCC Secretariat each year by April 15.

In an effort to engage the public and researchers across the country, EPA conducts an annual public review and comment process for this document. The document was made available on the EPA Greenhouse Gas Emissions website and announced via Federal Register Notice for 30 days; comments received after the 30-day public comment period were accepted and will be considered for the next edition of this annual report. Public review of this year's report occurred from February 12 to March 15, 2021 and comments received were posted to the docket EPA-HQ-OAR-2021-0008. Responses to comments received will be posted to EPA's website within 2-4 weeks following publication of this report.