**Federal Register Database Extraction**

1. Go to: <https://www.federalregister.gov/developers/api/v1>
2. At the top of the page, “Toggle All Methods”
3. Using Get – Search / Documents.:Format
4. Change format from JSON to .CSV
5. Use CTRL + to select the following fields:
   1. Action
   2. Agency\_Names
   3. Comment\_URL
   4. Comments\_Close\_On
   5. Effective\_On
   6. HTML\_URL
   7. PDF\_URL
   8. Publication\_Date
   9. Significant
   10. Signing\_Date
   11. Title
   12. Topics
6. Per\_Page = 1000
7. Page = 1
8. Order = Oldest
9. Conditions[Publication\_Date][GTE] = Date of Last Extraction (YYYY-MM-DD)
10. Conditions[Publication\_Date][LTE] = Current Date (YYYY-MM-DD)
11. Click Try It! Button.
12. Wait until it processes, and then next to Response Body, click “Select Body”.
13. Copy and paste into a blank excel spreadsheet.
14. Convert from comma-delimited text by highlighting the first column and selecting Data >> Text to Columns
15. Copy all to the end of the Federal Registry Raw Data excel spreadsheet
16. If there are > 1000 entries in the first set, then there is more than one page of regulations. On the API, change “Page” to 2, then click Try it! Button again. Repeat until there are < 1000 entries.