

burden of the proposed collection of information; (3) enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses.

This Notice Also Lists the Following Information:

Title of Proposal: Technical Assistance Experience, Expertise, and Awards Received Matrices. Description of the need for the information proposed: The Technical Assistance Experience, Expertise, and Awards Received Matrices will allow the Office of Special Needs Assistance Programs to accurately assess the experience, expertise, and overall capacity of applicants applying for technical assistance funding under the FY2011 McKinney-Vento Technical Assistance (MV-TA) Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA). The new format for this type of collection also makes it easier for applicants to apply by reducing the time required for filling out an application, while retaining the utility of previous collection methods.

Members of the affected public: Private for-profit, not-for-profit, and public entities applying for funding as technical assistance providers under the FY2011 MV-TA NOFA.

Estimation of the total number of hours needed to prepare the information collection including number of respondents, frequency of response, and hours of response: 10 applicants \times 480 minutes per response = 4,800 total minutes or 80 hours.

Status of proposed information collection: New collection.

Authority: Section 3506 of the Paperwork Reduction act of 1995, 44 U.S.C. Chapter 35, as amended.

Dated: May 20, 2011.

Clifford D. Taffet,

General Deputy Assistant, Secretary for Community Planning and Development.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

U.S. Geological Survey

[USGS-GX11LR000F60100]

Agency Information Collection Activities: Comment Request for the Ferrous Metals Surveys

AGENCY: U.S. Geological Survey (USGS), Interior.

ACTION: Notice of a revision of a currently approved information collection (1028-0068).

SUMMARY: To comply with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA), we are notifying the public that we have submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) an information collection request (ICR) for the revision of the currently approved paperwork requirements for the *Ferrous Metals Surveys*. This collection consists of 17 forms. This notice provides the public and other Federal agencies an opportunity to comment on the nature of this collection which is scheduled to expire on May 31, 2011.

DATES: Please submit your comments on or before June 30, 2011.

ADDRESSES: Please submit written comments on this ICR to the OMB Office of Regulatory Affairs, Attention: Desk Officer for the Department of the Interior via e-mail to aira_docket@omb.eop.gov or fax at 202-395-5806; and reference Information Collection 1028-0068 in the subject line. Please also submit a copy of your comments to Phadrea Ponds, Information Collection Clearance Officer, U.S. Geological Survey, 2150-C Centre Avenue, Fort Collins, CO 80526-8118 (mail); 970-226-9230 (fax); or pondsp@usgs.gov (e-mail); and reference Information Collection 1028-0068 in the subject line.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: To request additional information about this ICR, contact Carleen Kostick at 703-648-7940 (telephone); ckostick@usgs.gov (e-mail); or by mail at U.S. Geological Survey, 985 National Center, 12201 Sunrise Valley Drive, Reston, VA 20192. To see a copy of the entire ICR submitted to OMB, go to <http://www.reginfo.gov> (Information Collection Review, Currently under Review).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Abstract

Respondents use these forms to supply the USGS with domestic consumption data of 13 ores, concentrates, metals, and ferroalloys, some of which are considered strategic

and critical. This information will be published as chapters in Minerals Yearbook, monthly Mineral Industry Surveys, annual Mineral Commodity Summaries, and special publications, for use by Government agencies, industry, education programs, and the general public.

II. Data

OMB Control Number: 1028-0068.

Form Number: Various (17 forms).

Title: Ferrous Metals Surveys.

Type of Request: Revision of a currently approved collection.

Affected Public: Private sector: U.S. nonfuel minerals producers of ferrous and related metals.

Respondent Obligation: Voluntary.

Frequency of Collection: Monthly and annually.

Estimated Number of Annual Responses: 3,201.

Annual Burden Hours: 1,660 hours.

We expect to receive 3,201 annual responses. We estimate an average of 10 minutes to 1 hour per response.

Estimated Reporting and Recordkeeping "Non-Hour Cost"

Burden: We have not identified any "non-hour cost" burdens associated with this collection of information.

III. Request for Comments

On February 22, 2011, we published a **Federal Register** Notice (76 FR 9810) announcing that we would submit this ICR to OMB for approval and soliciting comments. The comment period closed on April 21, 2011. We did not receive any comments in response to that notice.

We again invite comments concerning this ICR on: (a) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the agency to perform its duties, including whether the information is useful; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information; (c) how to enhance the quality, usefulness, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) how to minimize the burden on the respondents, including the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

Please note that the comments submitted in response to this notice are a matter of public record. Before including your address, phone number, e-mail address, or other personal identifying information in your comment, you should be aware that your entire comment, including your personal identifying information, may be made publicly available at anytime. While you can ask OMB in your comment to withhold your personal

identifying information from public review, we cannot guarantee that it will be done.

USGS Information Collection Clearance Officer: Phadrea Ponds 970–226–9445.

Dated: May 23, 2011.

John H. DeYoung, Jr.,
Director, National Minerals Information Center, U.S. Geological Survey.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

National Park Service

[NPS–WASO–CRHPF–0511–7554; 2256–672]

Information Collection Request Sent to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for Approval; Procedures for State, Tribal, and Local Government Historic Preservation Programs

AGENCY: National Park Service, Interior.

ACTION: Notice; request for comments.

SUMMARY: We (National Park Service, NPS) have sent an Information Collection Request (ICR) to OMB for review and approval. We summarize the ICR below and describe the nature of the

collection and the estimated burden and cost. This ICR is scheduled to expire on May 31, 2011. We may not conduct or sponsor and a person is not required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number. However, under OMB regulations, we may continue to conduct or sponsor this information collection while it is pending at OMB.

DATES: You must submit comments on or before June 30, 2011.

ADDRESSES: Send your comments and suggestions on this information collection to the Desk Officer for the Department of the Interior at OMB–OIRA at (202) 395–5806 (fax) or *OIRA_docket@omb.eop.gov* (e-mail). Please send a copy of your comments to John W. Renaud, Project Coordinator, Historic Preservation Grants, Heritage Assistance Programs, NPS, 1849 C St., NW. (2256), Washington, DC 20240; or via fax at (202) 371–1961; or via e-mail at *John_Renaud@nps.gov*. Please also provide a copy of your comments to Rob Gordon, Information Collection Clearance Officer, National Park Service, MS 2605, 1201 Eye Street, NW., Washington, DC 20240 (mail), or *robert_gordon@nps.gov* (e-mail). Please include 1024–0038 in the subject line of your comments.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: To request additional information about this ICR, contact John Renaud by mail or e-mail (see **ADDRESSES**) or by telephone at (202) 354–2066. You may review the ICR online at *http://www.reginfo.gov*. Follow the instructions to review Department of the Interior collections under review by OMB.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

OMB Control Number: 1024–0038.

Title: Procedures for State, Tribal, and Local Government Historic Preservation Programs; 36 CFR part 61.

Service Form Number: None.

Type of Request: Extension of a currently approved collection.

Description of Respondents: State, tribal, and local governments.

Respondent's Obligation: Required to obtain or retain a benefit.

Frequency of Collection: Annually or on occasion.

Estimated Number of Respondents:

1,924 (59 States, territories, and the District of Columbia; 100 tribes; and 1,765 certified local governments).

Estimated Annual Nonhour Burden Cost: \$340,474, primarily for photocopying, mailing, office supplies, travel expenses, etc.

Activity	Annual number of responses	Completion time per response (hours)	Total annual burden hours
Local Government Certification Application	55	21.40	1,177
Certified Local Government Monitoring	1,765	7.00	12,355
Certified Local Government Evaluations	441	13.33	5,879
Baseline Questionnaire for CLGs	250	.59	148
Annual Achievements Report for CLGs	900	2.20	1,980
State Inventory Maintenance	26,904	.46	12,376
State Review and Compliance Task Tracking	25,370	.17	4,313
State Program Review	14	90.00	1,260
State Cumulative Products Table	59	7.46	440
State Organization Chart and Staffing Summary	30	1.15	35
State Anticipated Activities List	30	7.47	224
State Project Notification	30	1.37	41
State Final Project Report	30	1.03	31
State Project/Activity Database Report	59	7.14	421
State Sources of Non-Federal Matching Share Report	52	4.28	223
State Unexpended Funds Carryover Table and Statement	59	.08	5
State Significant Preservation Accomplishments Summary	59	2.09	123
Annual Achievements Report for States	25	2.22	56
Tribal Historic Preservation Office (THPO) Grants Product Summary Page	100	12.00	1,200
THPO Unexpected Funds Carryover Statement	50	7.08	354
THPO Annual Report	100	17.49	1,749
Totals	56,382	44,390

Abstract: This set of information collection requirements has an impact on State, tribal, and local governments that wish to participate formally in the National Historic Preservation Partnership (NHPP) Program, and State and tribal governments that wish to

apply for Historic Preservation Fund (HPF) grants. The National Historic Preservation Act (16 U.S.C. 470 *et seq.*), as amended, established these programs. Implementing regulations at 36 CFR part 61 detail the processes for approval of State and tribal programs, the

certification of local governments, and the monitoring and evaluation of State and certified local government programs. We developed the information collections associated with 36 CFR part 61 in consultation with