

practical utility; (2) Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the 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: Public and Indian Housing-Resident Satisfaction and Management Needs Survey for the Chicago Housing Authority.

OMB Control Number:

Description of the need for the information and proposed use: HUD is in the process of assessing management needs at the CHA, and as part of that effort, has planned a survey of CHA residents to obtain their perceptions of living conditions in CHA developments and their satisfaction with CHA services. It is HUD's intent that this survey capture a baseline of resident satisfaction that can be used to measure changes in satisfaction one year after the initial survey. There are three instruments which will be used in this study: Building Level Data form, Record of Contact Sheet, and the CHA Resident Satisfaction and Management Needs Survey. The Building Level form will be completed for each building in the survey sample. The information collected includes size of the building, history of modernization activities, and type of CHA management. The Contact Sheet is a record of the interviewer's attempts to contact residents in a particular unit. The final study instrument is the CHA Resident Satisfaction and Management Needs Survey. The survey will be administered face-to-face by trained interviewers who will record each resident's answers. The questions on the survey cover the following topics: perceptions of maintenance of residents' apartments and buildings, CHA management performance, perceptions of crime and safety, use of services on-site, effect of HUD takeover, and basic demographic data.

Agency forms numbers, if applicable: 2577-

Members of affected public: Chicago Housing Authority Residents Estimation of the total number of hours needed to prepare the information collection including number of respondents, frequency of response, and hours of response: 1,175 respondents, on occasion, 15 average minutes per

response, 2 responses per respondent, 588 hours for a total reporting burden.

Status of the proposed information collection: New.

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

Dated: March 18, 1996.

Michael B. Janis,

General Deputy Assistant Secretary for Public and Indian Housing.

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[Docket No. FR-3235-N-04]

Office of Housing; Submission for OMB Review: Comment Request

AGENCY: Office of the Assistant Secretary for Housing, HUD.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The proposed information collection requirement described below has been submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for emergency review, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act. The Department is soliciting public comments on the subject proposal.

DATES: Comments due date: April 1, 1996.

ADDRESSES: Interested persons are invited to submit comments regarding this proposal. Comments must be received within seven-ten (7-10) days from the date of this Notice. Comments should refer to the proposal by name and/or OMB approval number should be sent to: Joseph F. Lackey, Jr., OMB Desk Officer, Office of Management and Budget, Room 10235, New Executive Office Building, Washington, D.C. 20503.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Kay F. Weaver, Reports Management Officer, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 7th Street, Southwest, Washington, D.C. 20410, telephone (202) 708-0050. This is not a toll-free number. Copies of the proposed forms and other available documents submitted to OMB may be obtained from Ms. Weaver.

The Notice is soliciting comments from members of the public and affecting agencies concerning the proposed collection of information to: (1) evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility; (2) evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the 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: Notice of Funding Availability for the Federally Assisted Low-Income Housing Drug Elimination Grant Program—FY 1996 (FR-3235).

OMB Control Number: 2502-0476.

Description of the need for the information and proposed use: This information collection is required in connection with HUD's proposed issuance of a Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) that will announce the availability of \$10,000,000 in grant funds authorized under Chapter 2, Subtitle C, Title V of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988 (42 U.S.C. 11901 et seq.), as amended by Section 581 of the National Affordable Housing Act of 1990 (NAHA) approved November 28, 1990, Public Law 101-625. The requirements of the Notice of Funding Availability will provide guidance for applicants that will implement the funding while the rulemaking is pending.

Housing owners are eligible to apply for Drug Elimination Grants for drug elimination activity in federally assisted low-income housing projects. Unlike drug elimination grants made by HUD to Public Housing Authorities, grant funds to private owners are limited to the following activities: Systems designed to limit building access to project residents, the installations of barriers, lighting systems, fence bolts, locks; the landscaping or reconfiguration of common areas to discourage drug-related crime; and other physical improvements designed to enhance security and discourage drug-related activity. In particular, HUD is seeking plans that provide successful, proven and cost effective drug crime deterrents designed to address the realities of low-income assisted housing environments.

Information provided by the housing owner will be reviewed by HUD to determine that it meets the requirements of the Notice of Funding Availability and to assign points in accordance with the selection criteria.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Department has submitted the proposal for the collection of information, as described below, to OMB for emergency review, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35).

March 27, 1996 is requested for OMB approval.

The Notice lists the information: (1) the title of the information collection proposal; (2) the office of the agency to collect the information; (3) the OMB approval number, if applicable; (4) the description of the need for the information and its proposed use; (5) the agency form number, if applicable; (6) what members of the public will be affected by the proposal; (7) how frequently information submissions will be required; (8) an estimate of the total number of hours needed to prepare the information submission including number of respondents, frequency of response, and hours of response; (9) whether the proposal is new, an extension, reinstatement, or revision of an information collection requirement;

and (10) the names and telephone numbers of an agency official familiar with the proposal and of the OMB Desk Officer for the Department.

Authority: Section 3507 of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, 44 U.S.C. 35, as amended.

Dated: March 18, 1996.

David S. Cristy,
Director, IRM Policy and Management Division.

Notice of Submission of Proposed Information Collection to OMB

Title of Proposal: Notice of Funding Availability for the Federal Assisted Low-Income Housing Drug Elimination Grant Program—FY 1996 (FR-3235).

Office: Office of the Assistant Secretary Housing-Federal Housing Commissioner.

OMB Approval Number: 2502-0476.

Description of the Need for the Information and its Proposed Use: Drug Elimination Grant Housing owners must apply for grants to use in eliminating drug-related crime in Federally assisted low-income housing. The application process includes developing a plan, seeking tenant comments, certifying compliance with HUD requirements and outlining a comprehensive drug prevention program.

Form Number: SF-424, 424A, LLL, HU-50070 and 2880.

Respondents: 1,000.

Frequency of Submission: One time plan and application.

Reporting Burden:

	Number of respondents	x	Frequency of responses	x	Hours per response	=	Burden hours
1,000			1		40		40,000

Total Estimated Burden Hours:
40,000.

Status: Reinstatement.

Contact: Michael Diggs, HUD, (202) 708-0614; Joseph F. Lackey, Jr., OMB, (202) 395-7316.

Dated: March 18, 1996.

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[Docket No. FR-3778-N-77]

Office of the Assistant Secretary for Community Planning and Development; Federal Property Suitable as Facilities to Assist the Homeless

AGENCY: Office of the Assistant Secretary for Community Planning and Development, HUD.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This Notice identifies unutilized, underutilized, excess, and surplus Federal property reviewed by HUD for suitability for possible use to assist the homeless.

EFFECTIVE DATE: March 22, 1996.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mark Johnston, Department of Housing and Urban Development, Room 7256, 451 Seventh Street SW., Washington, DC 20410; telephone (202) 708-1226; TDD number for the hearing- and speech-impaired (202) 708-2565, (these telephone numbers are not toll-free), or call the toll-free Title V information line at 1-800-927-7588.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In accordance with the December 12, 1988 court order in *National Coalition for the Homeless v. Veterans Administration*, No. 88-2503-OG (D.D.C.), HUD publishes a Notice, on a weekly basis, identifying unutilized, underutilized, excess and surplus Federal buildings and real property that HUD has reviewed for suitability for use to assist the homeless. Today's Notice is for the purpose of announcing that no additional properties have been determined suitable or unsuitable this week.

Dated: March 15, 1996.

Jacquie M. Lawing,
Deputy Assistant Secretary for Economic Development.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Fish and Wildlife Service

Availability of Final Environmental Impact Statement for Proposed Issuance of a Permit to Allow Incidental Take of Golden-cheeked Warbler, Black-capped Vireo, and Six Karst Invertebrates in Travis County, Texas

AGENCY: Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of Availability of a Final Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) for the proposed issuance of a section 10(a)(1)(B) permit to allow the

incidental take of golden-cheeked warblers, black-capped vireos, and six karst invertebrates for land development on private lands in Travis County, Texas.

SUMMARY: The City of Austin and Travis County have applied for a permit from the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service to allow for incidental take of Federally listed endangered species black-capped vireo, golden-cheeked warbler, and six karst invertebrates under section 10(a)(1)(B) of the Endangered Species Act. This will be incidental to otherwise lawful activities that would occur as a result of clearing of vegetation and grading or other earth-moving activities necessary for residential, commercial, and industrial construction and infrastructure projects within Travis County, Texas.

The proposed permit will allow approved incidental take outside of proposed preserve lands within the proposed permit boundaries. In general, this area includes all of the lands within Travis County, excluding that portion of Balcones Canyonlands National Wildlife Refuge that falls within Travis County, and the city limits and planning jurisdictions of municipalities not participating in the Balcones Canyonlands Conservation Plan. The permit period is 30 years. Potential development for this time period is estimated to affect between 30,000 and 60,000 acres within the permit area. Of the approximately 2,000 acres of known occupied black-capped vireo habitat located within Travis County, 933 acres