

exercised appropriately and franchise fees determined in a timely manner without undue burden on the concessioner.

Estimate of Burden (Gross Receipts):
Under \$100,000: approximately 2

hours per response.

\$100,000–\$250,000: approximately 4 hours per response.

Over \$250,000—approximately 16 hours per response.

Estimated Number of Respondents:

Under \$100,000—281 respondents.

\$100,000–\$250,000—67 respondents.

Over \$250,000—171 respondents.

Estimated Number of Responses per Respondent: One.

Estimated Total Annual Burden on Respondents:

Under \$100,000—approximately 562 hours.

\$100,000–\$250,000—approximately 268 hours.

Over \$250,000—approximately 2,736 hours.

Sample copies of this information collection can be obtained from Robert K. Yearout, Chief, Concession Program Division, at 202–343–3784.

Send comments regarding the accuracy of the burden estimate, ways to minimize the burden, including the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology, or any other aspect of this collection of information to Robert K. Yearout, Chief, Concession Program Division, National Park Service, P.O. Box 37127, Washington, D.C. 20013–7127.

All responses to this notice will be summarized and included in the request for OMB approval. All comments will also become a matter of public record.

Dated: May 29, 1996.

Maureen Finnerty,

Associate Director, Park Operations and Education.

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Notice of Request for Extension and Revision of a Currently Approved Information Collection

AGENCY: National Park Service, Interior.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, this notice announces the National Park Service's intention to request an extension for and revision to a currently approved information collection in support of its Concession Management Program based on reestimates.

DATES: Comments on this notice must be received no later than August 19, 1996.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION OR COMMENTS: Contact Robert K. Yearout, Chief,

Concession Program Division, National Park Service, P.O. Box 37127, Washington, D.C. 20013–7127 or 202–343–3784.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Title: Submission of Offers for Concession Opportunities.

OMB Number: 1024–0125.

Expiration Date of Approval: January 31, 1996.

Type of Request: Extension and revision of a currently approved information collection.

Abstract: The National Park Service (NPS) authorizes private businesses known as concessioners to provide necessary and appropriate visitor facilities and services in areas of the National Park System. The NPS issues prospectuses to advise interested parties of concession business opportunities and to solicit offers from all parties interested in specific opportunities.

16 U.S.C. 20(d) requires that before granting extensions, renewals or new concession contracts, the NPS must give reasonable public notice and must consider and evaluate all proposals received as a result thereof. Implementing regulations at 36 CFR, Part 51, further require the submission of offers by all interested parties, and provide that the principal factors to be considered in selecting the best offer shall be (1) the experience and related background of the offeror, (2) the offeror's financial capability, and (3) conformance to the terms and conditions of the prospectus issued by the NPS in relation to quality of service to the visitor. Secondary factors include franchise fee offered and other factors as may be specified.

The information requested in each prospectus is used to evaluate all offers received and determine which among them is the best offer for purposes of contract award. Specific information on the experience and background of the person(s) or entity, the financial capabilities of each offeror, their financial and operational plans, the franchise fee offered, and the proposed term of contract are requested in each prospectus issued by the NPS. The amount of information or degree of detail requested varies widely, depending upon the size and scope of the business opportunity. For example, a much greater amount of detailed information would be required for a multi-unit food and lodging operation such as that at Yellowstone, than would be required for a small firewood sales operation. Without such information, the NPS would be unable to objectively evaluate offers received for a particular business opportunity, and would be

unable to assure that the park resources will be adequately protected, or to determine which offeror would provide the best service to visitors at reasonable rates, and the greatest overall return to the Government.

Estimate of Burden:

For large operations—approximately 480 hours per response.

For small operations—approximately 240 hours per response.

Estimated Number of Respondents:

Large operations—approximately 150.

Small operations—approximately 200.

Estimated Number of Responses per Respondent: One

Estimated Total Annual Burden on Respondents:

Large operations—72,000 hours.

Small operations—48,000 hours.

A sample copy of this information collection can be obtained from Robert K. Yearout, Chief, Concession Program Division, at 202–343–3784.

Send comments regarding the accuracy of the burden estimate, ways to minimize the burden, including the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology, or any other aspect of this collection of information to Robert K. Yearout, Chief, Concession Program Division, National Park Service, P.O. Box 37127, Washington, D.C. 20013–7127.

All responses to this notice will be summarized and included in the request for OMB approval. All comments will also become a matter of public record.

Dated: May 29, 1996.

Maureen Finnerty,

Associate Director, Park Operations and Education.

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Notice of Request for Extension of a Currently Approved Information Collection

AGENCY: National Park Service, Interior.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, this notice announces the National Park Service's intention to request an extension for a currently approved information collection in support of its Concession Management Program.

DATES: Comments on this notice must be received no later than August 19, 1996.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION OR COMMENTS: Contact Robert K. Yearout, Chief, Concession Program Division, National Park Service, P.O. Box 37127, Washington, DC 20013–7127 or 202–343–3784.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Title: Proposed Sale of Concession Operations.

OMB Number: 1024-0126.

Expiration Date of Approval: January 31, 1996.

Type of Request: Extension of a currently approved information collection.

Abstract: The National Park Service (NPS) authorizes private businesses known as concessioners to provide necessary and appropriate visitor facilities and services in areas of the National Park System. Concession authorizations may be assigned, sold, transferred or encumbered by the concessioner subject to prior written approval of the NPS. The NPS requires that certain information be submitted for review prior to the consummation of any sale, transfer, assignment or encumbrance.

16 U.S.C. 3 provides that no contract, lease, permit or privilege granted for the purpose of providing accommodations for visitors to the national parks shall be assigned or transferred by such grantees, permittees, or licensees without the approval of the NPS, first obtained in writing. It further provides that the NPS may authorize concessioners to execute mortgages and issue bonds, shares of stock, and other evidences or interest in or indebtedness upon their rights, properties and franchises, for the purposes of installing, enlarging or improving plant and equipment and extending facilities for the accommodation of the public within national parks and monuments. 16 U.S.C. 20(3) also provides that the possessory interest of a concessioner may be assigned, transferred, encumbered, or relinquished. Regulations at 36 CFR, Part 51, require that certain information be submitted for review by the NPS prior to the consummation of any sale, transfer, assignment or encumbrance.

The information requested is used to determine whether or not the proposed transaction will result in decreased services to the public, the lack of a reasonable opportunity for profit over the remaining term of the authorization, or rates in excess of existing approved rates to the public. In addition, pursuant to the regulations at 36 CFR, Part 51, the value of rights for intangible assets such as the concession contract, right of preference in renewal, user days, or low fees belong to the Government. If any portion of the purchase price is attributable either directly or indirectly to such assets, the transaction may not be approved. The amount and type of information to be submitted varies with

the type and complexity of the proposed transaction. Without such information, the NPS would be unable to determine whether approval of the proposed transaction would be in the best interest of the public and whether the return to the Government for the privileges authorized would be adequate.

Estimate of Burden: Approximately 80 hours per response.

Estimated Number of Respondents: Approximately 20.

Estimated Number of Responses per Respondent: One.

Estimated Total Annual Burden on Respondents: 1,600 hours.

A list of information required to be submitted with a request for sale, assignment, transfer or encumbrance of a concession authorization is set forth at 36 CFR, Part 51.7.

Send comments regarding the accuracy of the burden estimate, ways to minimize the burden, including the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology, or any other aspect of this collection of information to: Robert K. Yearout, Chief, Concession Program Division, National Park Service, P.O. Box 37127, Washington, DC 20013-7127.

All responses to this notice will be summarized and included in the request for OMB approval. All comments will also become a matter of public record.

Dated: May 29, 1996.

Maureen Finnerty,

Associate Director, Park Operations and Education.

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National Register of Historic Places; Notification of Pending Nominations

Nominations for the following properties being considered for listing in the National Register were received by the National Park Service before JUNE 8, 1996. Pursuant to section 60.13 of 36 CFR Part 60 written comments concerning the significance of these properties under the National Register criteria for evaluation may be forwarded to the National Register, National Park Service, P.O. Box 37127, Washington, DC 20013-7127. Written comments should be submitted by July 3, 1996.

Beth Boland,

Acting Keeper of the National Register.

Arizona

Pima County

Armory Park Historic Residential District (Boundary Increase), Roughly, 19th, 20th, and 21st Sts. from Stone Ave. to Jacobs Ave., Tucson, 96000754

District of Columbia

District of Columbia State Equivalent

Chevy Chase Theater, 5612 Connecticut Ave., Washington, 96000734

Codman Carriage House and Stable, 1413-1415 22nd St., NW, Washington, 96000733

Georgia

Worth County

US Post Office, 122 N. Main St., Sylvester, 96000735

Massachusetts

Worcester County

Grove Street School, 23 Grove St., Spencer, 96000737

Oakdale Village Historic District, 11-68 N. Main, 8-24 May, 6-10 Green, 12-23 High, 4-68 Laurel, 14-34 Washacum, and park at Thomas and N. Main, West Boylston, 96000738

Pleasant Street School, 54 Pleasant St., Spencer, 96000736

New Mexico

Valencia County

El Cerro Tome Site, .5 mi. E of jct. of NM 47 and Tome Hill Rd., Tome vicinity, 96000739

South Dakota

Clay County

Burbank School No. 10, White St., 2 blocks N of Chicago, Milwaukee, St. Paul, and Pacific RR tracks., Burbank, 96000740

Codington County

Goodhue Lutheran Church, 15555 441st Ave., Florence vicinity, 96000745

Lawrence County

Nemo School House, Nemo Rd., Nemo, 96000747

Minnehaha County

Bridge at Iverson Crossing, 48054 266th St., Brandon vicinity, 96000746

Potter County

Curran, D. H. and Leah, House, 206 S. Broadway, Gettysburg, 96000741

Potter County Courthouse (County Courthouses of South Dakota), 201 S. Exene St., Gettysburg, 96000743

Stocker, G.L., Blacksmith Shop, Main St., 2 blocks S of US 212, Gettysburg, 96000744

Union County

Hyden House, 405 Hyden House, Alcester, 96000742

Tennessee

Warren County

Walling, Edgar, House, 406 N. Spring St., McMinnville, 96000749

Weakley County

US Post Office (Martin MPS) 100 Main St., Martin, 96000751

University Street Historic District (Martin MPS) 225-248 University St., Martin, 96000750