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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Agricultural Marketing Service

[Docket No. FV96-920-4 NC]

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

AGENCY: Agricultural Marketing Service, USDA.

ACTION: Notice and request for comments.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44) U.S.C. Chapter 35), this notice announces the Agricultural Marketing Service's (AMS) intention to request an extension for and revision to a currently approved information collection for Kiwifruit Grown in California, Marketing Order No. 920.

DATES: Comments on this notice must be received by December 31, 1996 to be assured of consideration.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION OR COMMENTS: Contact Charles L. Rush, Marketing Order Administration Branch, F & V, AMS, USDA, P.O. Box 96456, room 2523-S, Washington, D.C., 20090-6456, or FAX (202) 720-5698; or Rose M. Aguayo, California Marketing Field Office, Marketing Order Administration Branch, F&V, AMS, USDA, 2202 Monterey Street, suite 102B, Fresno, California 93721; telephone: (209) 487-5901, Fax # (209) 487-5906.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Title: Kiwifruit Grown in California, Marketing Order 920.

OMB Number: 0581-0149. Expiration Date of Approval: June 30,

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

Abstract: Marketing order programs provide an opportunity for producers of fresh fruits, vegetables and specialty

crops, in a specified production area, to work together to solve marketing problems that cannot be solved individually. Order regulations help ensure adequate supplies of high quality product and adequate returns to producers. Under the Agricultural Marketing Agreement Act of 1937 (AMAA), as amended (7 U.S.C. 601-674), industries enter into marketing order programs. The Secretary of Agriculture is authorized to oversee the order operations and issue regulations recommended by a committee of representatives from each commodity industry.

The information collection requirements in this request are essential to carry out the intent of the AMAA, to provide the respondents the type of service they request, and to administer the kiwifruit marketing order program, which has been operating since 1984.

The kiwifruit marketing order authorizes the issuance of quality regulations and inspection requirements. Regulatory provisions apply to kiwifruit shipped within and outside of the production area, except those specifically exempt. The order also has authority for production and marketing research and development projects, including paid advertising.

The order, and rules and regulations issued thereunder, authorize the Kiwifruit Administrative Committee (Committee), the agency responsible for local administration of the order, to require handlers and growers to submit certain information. Much of this information is compiled in aggregate and provided to the industry to assist in marketing decisions.

The Committee has developed forms as a means for persons to file required information with the Committee relating to kiwifruit supplies, shipments, dispositions, and other information needed to effectively carry out the purpose of the Act and order. Kiwifruit may be shipped beginning in October and ending in April, and these forms are utilized accordingly. A USDA form is used to allow growers to vote on amendments to or continuance of the marketing order. In addition, kiwifruit growers and handlers who are nominated by their peers to serve as representatives on the Committee must file nomination forms with the Secretary.

The forms covered under this information collection require the minimum information necessary to effectively carry out the requirements of the order, and their use is necessary to fulfill the intent of the Act as expressed in the order.

The information collected is used only by authorized representatives of the USDA, including AMS, Fruit and Vegetable Division regional and headquarter's staff, and authorized employees of the Committee. Authorized Committee employees and the industry are the primary users of the information and AMS is the secondary

Estimate of Burden: Public reporting burden for this collection of information is estimated to average .335 hours per response.

Respondents: Kiwifruit growers and handlers in the designated production area in California.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 247.

Estimated Number of Responses per Respondent: 8.032.

Estimated Total Annual Burden on Respondents: 665 hours.

Comments are invited on: (1) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the functioning of the kiwifruit marketing order program; (2) the accuracy of the collection burden estimate and the validity of methodology and assumptions used in estimating the burden of respondents; (3) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information requested; and (4) ways to minimize the burden, including use of automated electronic technologies.

Comments should reference OMB No. 0581-0149 and Kiwifruit Marketing Order No. 920, and be mailed to Docket Clerk, Fruit and Vegetable Division, AMS, USDA, P.O. Box 96456, room 2525-S, Washington, D.C., 20090-6456. Comments should reference the docket number and the date and page number of this issue of the Federal Register. All comments received will be available for public inspection in the Office of the Docket Clerk during regular USDA business hours at 14th and Independence Ave. S.W., Washington, D.C., room 2525 South Building.

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: October 28, 1996.

Robert C. Keeney,

Director, Fruit and Vegetable Divison. [FR Doc. 96–28025 Filed 10–31–96; 8:45 am]

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Forest Service

Establishment of Wesley Chapel Gulf Purchase Unit

AGENCY: Forest Service, USDA.
ACTION: Notice of establishment of
Wesley Chapel Gulf Purchase Unit.

SUMMARY: On September 26, 1996, the Deputy Under Secretary, Natural Resources and Environment, created the 189-acre Wesley Chapel Gulf Purchase Unit in Orange County, Indiana. A copy of the establishment document, which includes the legal description of the lands within the purchase unit, appears at the end of this notice.

EFFECTIVE DATE: Establishment of this purchase unit was effective September 26, 1996.

ADDRESSES: A copy of the map depicting the purchase unit is on file and available for public inspection in the office of the Director, Lands Staff, 4 South, Auditor's Building, Forest Service, USDA, 201 14th Street, S.W., Washington, D.C.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: J. Kenneth Myers, Lands Staff,

telephone: (202) 205–1248. Dated: October 28, 1996.

Janice H. McDougle,

Associate Deputy Chief.

Proposed Wesley Chapel Gulf Purchase Unit

Orange County, Indiana

Pursuant to the Secretary of Agriculture's authority under Section 17, P.L. 94–588 (90 Stat. 2949), the Wesley Chapel Gulf Purchase Unit is being created in Orange County, Indiana. The lands included within this purchase unit are described as follows:

Township 2 North, Range 1 West

2nd Principal Meridian

Orangeville Township, Orange County, Indiana

Section 9

The West Half of the Northeast Quarter (W¹/2 NE¹/4) of Section 9, Township 2 North, Range 1 West of the 2nd Principal Meridian, except 20 acres in the northeast corner thereof described as follows: Beginning at the northeast corner of said Half Quarter section and running thence West 40 rods; thence South 80 rods; thence East 40 rods to the east line of said Half Quarter section; thence north along said east line 80 rods to the place

of beginning, containing 20 acres, except, also, 1 acre in the northwest corner of said tract described as follows: Beginning at the northwest corner of said Quarter section and running thence east along the north line thereof 16 rods; thence South 10 rods; thence West 16 rods to the West line of said Quarter section; thence North along said West line 10 rods to the place of beginning, containing 1 acre, and containing exclusive of said exceptions, 59 acres, more or less.

Part of the Southeast Quarter (SE½) of Section 9, Township 2 North, Range 1 West, of the 2nd Principal Meridian described as follows: Beginning at the northwest corner of said Quarter section and running south along the west line thereof 20 rods; thence East 80 rods; thence North 20 rods; thence West 80 rods to the place of beginning, containing 10 acres.

Part of the Southeast Quarter (SE 1 /4) of Section 9, Township 2 North, Range 1 West, of the 2nd Principal Meridian, described as follows: Beginning at the northeast corner of said Quarter section and running thence West 80 rods; thence South 28 rods; thence East 80 rods to the east line of said Quarter section; thence north along said east line 28 rods to the place of beginning, containing 14 acres, more or less, containing in all 83.00 acres, more or less.

A part of the Southeast Quarter (SE½) of Section 9, Township 2 North, Range 1 West, beginning at the Southeast corner of said Section 9, and running north along said section line 132 rods; thence West 80 rods; thence North 8 rods; thence West 80 rods; thence South along the half mile section line 140 rods; thence East along the section line of said section, 160 rods to the place of beginning, containing in all 136 acres, more or less.

Excepting Therefrom

A part of the Northwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter (NW¹/₄ SE¹/₄) of Section 9, Township 2 North, Range 1 West, in Orangeville Township, Orange County, Indiana, described as follows:

Beginning at the northwest corner of property in Deed Record Book 110, pages 100–101, being also at the intersection of a fence line 20 rods south of the northwest corner of said Southeast Quarter with County Road #350–West; thence East about 990 feet along said fence line to a fence line west of the barn; thence South 470 feet along said fence to the intersection with the fence along the south line of this property; thence west about 990 feet to said Quarter line; thence North 470 feet along said line to point of beginning, containing 10.7 acres, more or less.

Also Excepting Therefrom

A part of the North Half of the Southeast Quarter (N½ SE¼) of Section 9, Township 2 North, Range 1 West, of Orangeville Township, Orange County, Indiana.

Beginning at the northwest corner of property in Deed Record Book 110, pages 100–101, being also at the intersection of a fence line 20 rods south of the northwest corner of said Southeast Quarter with County Road #350 West; thence East about 990 feet along said fence line to a fence line west of the barn to point of beginning proper; thence

South 470 feet along said fence to the intersection with the fence along the south line of this property; thence East 410 feet; thence North 470 feet to the line 20 rods South of the Quarter line; thence West 410 feet to the point of beginning proper. Containing 4.42 acres, more or less.

Also Excepting Therefrom:

A part of the North Half of the Southeast Quarter (N½ SE¼) of Section 9, Township 2 North, Range 1 West, Orangeville Township, Orange County, Indiana.

Beginning on the fence line that is the south line of Deed Record Book 148, pages 748-749, that intersects County Road #350 West, which is 48 rods, more or less, south of the northwest corner of the Southeast Quarter of said Section 9: thence East 1400 feet along said fence line to the southeast corner of Deed Record Book 155, pages 254-255; thence South 470 feet along a line extended from the fence on the east line of said deed record: thence West 1400 feet along a line parallel with existing fence line to County Road #350 West and Quarter line; thence North 470 feet along said Quarter line and county road to the point of beginning. Containing 15.1 acres, more or less.

The lands within the Wesley Chapel Gulf Purchase Unit total 188.88 acres, more or less. These lands are well suited for watershed protection and meet the requirements of the Act of March 1, 1911, as amended.

Dated: October 28, 1996.

Brian Eliot Burke,

Deputy Under Secretary, Natural Resources and Environment.

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Fry-Zim EIS/Basin Creek EIS; Kootenai National Forest; Lincoln County, MT; Correction of Fry-Zim Notice of Intent and Change of Name to Basin Creek FIS

AGENCY: Forest Service, USDA.

ACTION: Environmental impact statement correction and name change notice.

SUMMARY: This correction gives notice of changes to the Fry-Zim Notice of Intent published in the Federal Register March 9, 1995 (FR document is FR 95-5695 Filed 3-8-95). The Fish Lakes and Zimmerman Hill fire salvage portions of the Fry-Zim project were analyzed under the Fry-Zim Salvage Environmental Assessment, and a Decision Notice was signed on October 8, 1996. The Basin Creek portion of the Fry-Zim project will be analyzed under a separate analysis entitled the Basin Creek Environmental Impact Statement (EIS). The Basin Creek proposed action, developed in response to a mountain pine beetle infestation, remains the same as originally presented in the Fry-Zim EIS Notice of Intent.