

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: Ginnie Mae Multiclass Securities Guide.

OMB Control Number, if applicable: 2503-0030.

Description of the need for the information and proposed use: The Multiclass Securities Guide (Guide) is used by program participants to obtain guidance and information on the Ginnie Mae Multiclass Securities Program. The Guide contains participation requirements for the REMICs, callable trust and platinum securities transactions.

Agency form numbers, if applicable: Not applicable.

Members of affected public: For-profit businesses (mortgage companies, thrifts, savings & loans, etc.).

Estimation of the total number of hours needed to prepare the information collection including number of respondents, frequency of response, and hours of response:

Participants	Number of participants	Est. average response time	Est. annual burden hours
Sponsor	20	.5	10
Co-Sponsor	10	.5	5
Trust Counsel	8	.5	4
Co-Trust Counsel	8	.5	4
Accountant	3	.5	1.5
Trustee	8	.5	4
Total	57	.5	28.5

Status of the proposed information collection: This is a reinstatement, with change of a previously approved collection information for which approval has expired.

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

Dated: December 1, 1998.

George S. Anderson,

Executive Vice President, Ginnie Mae.

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DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

[Docket No. FR-4384-FA-04]

Funding Awards for the Native American Rural Housing and Economic Development Initiative Fiscal Year 1998

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

ACTION: Announcement of funding awards.

SUMMARY: In accordance with section 102(a)(4)(C) of the Department of Housing and Urban Development Reform Act of 1989, this document notifies the public of funding awards for the Native American Rural Housing and Economic Development Initiative Grants for Fiscal Year 1998.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Jacqueline Johnson, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Office of Native American Programs, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 Seventh Street, SW, Washington, DC 20410, telephone (202) 401-7914 (this is not a toll-free

number). Hearing- or speech-impaired persons may access this number via TTY by calling the toll-free Federal Information Relay Service at 1-800-877-8339.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. The FY 1998 Native American Rural Housing and Economic Development Initiative

The Departments of Veterans Affairs and Housing and Urban Development, and Independent Agencies Appropriations Act, 1998 (Pub. L. 105-65, 111 Stat. 1344, 1357; approved October 27, 1997) (the FY 1998 HUD Appropriations Act) provided \$25 million for grants (not to exceed \$4,000,000 each) to rural and tribal areas, including at least one Native American area in Alaska and one rural area in each of the States in Iowa and Missouri. The purpose of these grants is to test comprehensive approaches to developing a job base through economic development, developing affordable low and moderate-income rental and homeownership housing, and increasing the investment of both private and nonprofit capital.

Of these \$25 million made available by the FY 1998 HUD Appropriations Act, HUD has awarded \$9 million for economic development and affordable housing activities in Native American areas (the "FY 1998 Native American Rural Housing and Economic Development Initiative"). The FY 1998 Native American Rural Housing and Economic Development Initiative consists of four funding awards:

One title VI capacity-building grant (\$3 million);

Two rural housing and economic development grants (\$2 million each); and

One rural housing and economic development mortgage funding grant (\$4 million).

II. Title VI Loan Guarantee Capacity Building Grants

On July 23, 1998 (63 FR 39686), HUD published a notice announcing the availability of up to \$4 million from the \$25 million authorized under the FY 1998 HUD Appropriations Act for rural housing activities. Under the July 23, 1998 notice of funding availability (NOFA), HUD awarded a single competitive grant of \$3 million to a technical assistance provider who will use the grant funds to provide capacity-building technical assistance to Indian tribes or Tribally Designated Housing Entities (TDHEs) that have been granted a loan guarantee under title VI of the Native American Housing Assistance and Self-Determination Act of 1996 (25 U.S.C. 4101 *et seq.*) (NAHASDA).

This notice publishes the name and address of the highest scoring applicant under the July 23, 1998 NOFA who was selected to act as the technical assistance provider to Indian Tribes and TDHEs (see Section V. of this notice). The purposes of the grant awarded under the July 23, 1998 NOFA are to:

1. Strengthen the economic feasibility of projects guaranteed under Title VI of NAHASDA;
2. Directly enhance the security of Title VI guaranteed loans;
3. Finance affordable housing activities and related projects that will provide near-term results;
4. Demonstrate economic benefits such as homeownership opportunities, increased housing availability, housing

accessibility and visitability and job creation related to the approved Title VI demonstration project; and

5. Attainment of Indian Housing Plan goals and objectives.

III. Rural Housing and Economic Development Grants

As noted above, the FY 1998 HUD Appropriations Act specifically directs HUD to make a grant, not to exceed \$4 million, to at least one Native American area in Alaska. In accordance with this statutory language, HUD has made two grants (of \$2 million each) to two organizations located in Alaska Native areas. The purpose of these grants is to test comprehensive approaches to economic development and affordable housing in these areas. This notice publishes the names and addresses of these award recipients (see Section V. of this notice).

IV. Rural Housing and Economic Development Mortgage Funding Grant

In addition to the three grants describe above, HUD has awarded a \$2 million grant to Pine Ridge, South Dakota for the provision of homeownership counseling and other related services. The grantee shall use these funds to establish a Federal Housing Administration Loan Correspondent Corporation which shall provide for home mortgage loans, direct lending for home improvement loans, non-conforming loans, construction contingency reserves and interest rate reduction services. This action also enhances economic development through job creation to staff the organization for a period of two years.

V. Funding Award Recipients

Section 102(a)(4)(C) of the Department of Housing and Urban Development Act of 1989 (42 U.S.C. 3545) (the HUD Reform Act) requires that HUD notify the public of all funding decisions made by HUD. In accordance with section 102(a)(4)(C) of the HUD Reform Act, this notice provides details regarding the recipients of funding awards under the FY 1998 Native American Rural Housing and Economic Development Initiative, as follows:

Title VI Loan Guarantee Capacity Building Grant

IHA Management Systems, Inc.;
15414 N. 7th Street, Suite 8-145;
Phoenix, AZ 85022 (\$3 million).

Rural Housing and Economic Development Grant

1. Alaska Native Heritage Center, Inc.,
2525 C Street, Suite 301, Anchorage, AK
99503 (\$2 million).

2. Bristol Bay Housing Authority, P.O.
Box 50, Dillingham, AK 99576 (\$2
million).

Rural Housing and Economic Development Mortgage Funding Grant

Oglala Sioux Lakota Tribe, P.O. Box
C, Pine Ridge, SD 57770 (\$2 million).

VI. Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance

The Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance number for this program is 14.867.

Dated: December 14, 1998.

Harold Lucas,

Assistant Secretary for Public and Indian Housing.

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DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

[Docket No. FR-4341-N-40]

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: December 18, 1998.

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; TTY 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: December 10, 1998.

Fred Karnas, Jr.,

Deputy Assistant Secretary for Economic Development.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Fish and Wildlife Service

Availability of a Supplemental Draft Environmental Impact Statement on a Proposed Modification of Plum Creek Timber Company's Incidental Take Permit for Threatened and Endangered Species on Portions of its Lands in the Central Cascades, King and Kittitas Counties, Washington

AGENCY: Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

ACTION: Notice

SUMMARY: This notice advises the public that Plum Creek Timber Company (Permittee) has requested modification of their incidental take permit (PRT-808398) to accommodate the new land base expected as a result of a potential land exchange with the U.S. Forest Service. The Fish and Wildlife Service and the National Marine Fisheries Service (together Services) prepared a Draft Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement (Supplement). The Final Environmental Impact Statement (Statement) associated with the original Habitat Conservation Plan (Plan) is not being re-opened or re-analyzed, and the decisions based on the original Statement are not being reconsidered. The Services herein announce the availability of the Supplemental Draft Environmental Impact Statement for the proposed modification pursuant to the National Environmental Policy Act regulations (40 CFR 1506.6).

DATES: Written comments on the Supplement should be received on or before February 8, 1999. This comment period was established for a longer period of time than required by regulation and policy to compensate for days lost for public review during the December holidays.

ADDRESSES: Comments regarding the Supplement, or requests for that document, should be addressed to William Vogel, Fish and Wildlife Service, Pacific Northwest Plan Program, 510 Desmond Drive S.E., Suite 102, Lacey, Washington 98503-1273; (360) 753-9440; or Bob Turner, Plan Program Manager, National Marine Fisheries Service, 510 Desmond Drive S.E., Suite 103, Lacey, Washington 98503-1273; (360) 753-6054.