

DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

[Docket No. FR-4972-N-03]

Notice of Submission of Proposed Information Collection to OMB; Emergency Comment Request; Grant Application for Housing for People Who Are Homeless and Addicted to Alcohol**AGENCY:** Office of Community Planning and Development, HUD.**ACTION:** Notice of proposed information collection.**SUMMARY:** The proposed information collection requirement described below has been submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for emergency review and approval, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act. The Department is soliciting public comments on the subject proposal.**DATES:** *Comments Due Date:* March 24, 2005.**ADDRESSES:** Interested persons are invited to submit comments regarding this proposal. Comments must be received within fourteen (14) days from the date of this Notice. Comments should refer to the proposal by name and should be sent to: HUD Desk Officer, Office of Management and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503.**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Wayne Eddins, Paperwork Reduction Act Compliance Officer, AYO, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 Seventh Street, SW., Washington, DC 20410; 3-mail WayneEddins@HUD.gov; telephone (202) 708-2374. This is not a toll-free number. Copies of documentation submitted to OMB may be obtained from Mr. Eddins.**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This Notice informs the public that the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) has submitted to OMB, for emergency processing, a proposed information collection requirement as described below. This 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 theinformation 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: Grant Application for Housing for People who are Homeless and Addicted to Alcohol.*Description of Information Collection:* This is an application for a program that will provide supporting housing assistance to chronically homeless persons who have been living on the streets for at least three hundred sixty-five (365) days over the last five (5) years and have a long-term addiction to alcohol. The information to be collected includes project information, program component and type, number of beds and participants, leasing information and the subpopulations to be assisted. We need to collect this information so that we fully understand the scope of the project and so that the applicant would be eligible to apply for renewal funds through the Continuum of Care process once the grant term expires.*OMB Control Number:* To be assigned.*Agency Form Numbers:* HUD-40112. Plus standard grant application forms SF 424, HUD-2991, SF-424-SUPP, HUD 27300, HUD-96011, HUD-96010, OMB-SF-LLL, SF-424A.*Members of Affected Public:* States, local government, other government agencies, and public and private nonprofit agencies.*Estimation of the total numbers of hours needed to prepare the information collection:* No more than 100 applicants are expected to respond to this NOFA, and this will be a one-time collection effort. Program staff determines that it will take approximately ten (10) hours to complete this form.*Status:* Proposed new collection.**Authority:** The Paper Reduction Act of 1995, 44 U.S.C. Chapter 35, as amended.

Dated: March 4, 2005.

Nelson Bregón,*General Deputy Assistant Secretary,
Community Planning and Development.*
[FR Doc. 05-4661 Filed 3-9-05; 8:45 am]**BILLING CODE 4210-29-M****DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR****Fish and Wildlife Service****Aquatic Nuisance Species Task Force Great Lakes Panel on Aquatic Nuisance Species Meeting****AGENCY:** Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.**ACTION:** Notice of meeting.**SUMMARY:** This notice announces a meeting of the Aquatic Nuisance Species (ANS) Task Force Great Lakes Panel on Aquatic Nuisance Species. The meeting is open to the public. The meeting topics are identified in the **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION** section.**DATES:** The Great Lakes Panel on Aquatic Nuisance Species will meet from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Thursday, April 14, 2005 and from 8:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Friday, April 15, 2005. Minutes of the meeting will be available for public inspection during regular business hours, Monday through Friday.**ADDRESSES:** The Great Lakes Panel on Aquatic Nuisance Species meeting will be held at the Courtyard by Marriott, 3205 Boardwalk, Ann Arbor, Michigan 48108. Phone (734) 995-5900. Minutes of the meeting will be maintained in the office of Chief, Division of Environmental Quality, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Suite 322, 4401 North Fairfax Drive, Arlington, Virginia 22203-1622.**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Kathe Glassner-Shwayder, Great Lakes Panel on Aquatic Nuisance Species member and Senior Project Manager, Great Lakes Commission at (734) 971-9135 shwayder@glc.org or Pam Meacham, Aquatic Nuisance Species Task Force, at 703-358-1796.**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Pursuant to section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (5 U.S.C. App. I), this notice announces meetings of the Aquatic Nuisance Species Task Force Great Lakes Panel on Aquatic Nuisance Species. The ANS Task Force was established by the Nonindigenous Aquatic Nuisance Prevention and Control Act of 1990. The Great Lakes Panel on Aquatic Nuisance Species was established by the ANS Task Force in 1991. The Great Lakes Panel on Aquatic Nuisance Species, comprised of representatives from Federal, State, local agencies and from private environmental and commercial interests, performs the following activities:

a. Identifies priorities for activities in the Great Lakes,

b. Develops and submits recommendations to the national Aquatic Nuisance Species Task Force,
 c. Coordinates aquatic nuisance species program activities in the Great Lakes,

d. Advises public and private interests on control efforts, and
 e. Submits an annual report to the Aquatic Nuisance Species Task Force.
 The purpose of the Panel is to advise and make recommendations to the Aquatic Nuisance Species Task Force on issues relating to the Great Lakes region of the United States that includes eight Great Lakes States: Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Minnesota, New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio and Wisconsin. The Great Lakes Panel on Aquatic Nuisance Species will discuss several topics at this meeting including: progress reports on the Aquatic Invasive Species action plan; the Panel's draft operational guidance; the Great lakes Regional Collaboration and related significance for Aquatic Invasive Species work in the region, including for the Great Lakes Panel; committee meetings (Research, Information/Education, and Legislation/Policy); progress reports from Great Lakes panel projects and Great Lakes Commission projects (ANS-GIS, Early Detection, Rapid Response); recommendations for the ANS Task Force; and updates from Panel member organizations and states.

Dated: February 28, 2005.

Mamie A. Parker,

Co-Chair, Aquatic Nuisance Species Task Force, Assistant Director—Fisheries & Habitat Conservation.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Fish and Wildlife Service

Aquatic Nuisance Species Task Force Detection and Monitoring Committee Meeting

AGENCY: Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: This notice announces a meeting of the Detection and Monitoring Committee of the Aquatic Nuisance Species Task Force. The meeting is open to the public. The meeting topics are identified in the **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION**.

DATES: The Committee will meet from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m., Tuesday, March 22, 2005.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held at the Smithsonian Environmental

Research Center, 647 Contees Wharf Rd., Edgewood, Maryland. Phone (443) 482-2200.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Pam Fuller, Chair, Detection and Monitoring Committee, at (352) 264-3481 or by e-mail at: Pam_Fuller@usgs.gov or Pam Meacham, Acting Executive Secretary, Aquatic Nuisance Species Task Force at (703) 358-1796 or by e-mail at: pam_meacham@fws.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Pursuant to section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (5 U.S.C. App. I), this notice announces a meeting of the Aquatic Nuisance Species Task Force Detection and Monitoring Committee. The Task Force was established by the Nonindigenous Aquatic Nuisance Prevention and Control Act of 1990 (16 U.S.C. 4701-4741). Topics to be addressed at this meeting include: A discussion of the committee's goals; a demonstration of the USGS database on sampling protocols for aquatic invasive species, followed by discussion on standardized protocols and reviewer recommendations; presentations by selected monitoring programs focusing on geographic location, habitat, sampling techniques and species sampled; and discussion of a framework for inventorying monitoring activities and data management for aquatic invasive species in the U.S.

Minutes of the meeting will be maintained by the Executive Secretary, Aquatic Nuisance Species Task Force, Suite 810, 4401 North Fairfax Drive, Arlington, Virginia 22203-1622. Minutes for the meetings will be available at this location for public inspection during regular business hours, Monday through Friday.

Dated: March 2, 2005.

Mamie A. Parker,

Co-Chair, Aquatic Nuisance Species Task Force, Assistant Director—Fisheries and Habitat Conservation.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Fish and Wildlife Service

Aquatic Nuisance Species Task Force Northeast Regional Panel Meeting

AGENCY: Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: This notice announces a meeting of the Aquatic Nuisance Species (ANS) Task Force Northeast Regional Panel. The meeting is open to

the public. The meeting topics are identified in the **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION** section.

DATES: The Northeast Regional Panel will meet from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. on Wednesday, May 4, 2005, and 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Thursday, May 5, 2005. Minutes of the meeting will be available for public inspection during regular business hours, Monday through Friday.

ADDRESSES: The Northeast Regional Panel meeting will be held at the Urban Forestry Center, 45 Elwyn Road, Portsmouth, NH 03801. Phone (603) 431-6774. Minutes of the meeting will be maintained by the Executive Secretary, Aquatic Nuisance Species Task Force, Suite 810, 4401 North Fairfax Drive, Arlington, Virginia 22203-1622.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Michele Tremblay, NEANS Panel Program Manager at (603) 796-2615 or, by e-mail, at info@northeastans.org or Pam Meacham, Aquatic Nuisance Species Task Force, at (703) 358-1796.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Pursuant to section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (5 U.S.C. App. I), this notice announces a meeting of the Aquatic Nuisance Species Task Force Northeast Regional Panel. The ANS Task Force was established by the Nonindigenous Aquatic Nuisance Prevention and Control Act of 1990. The Northeast Regional Panel was established by the ANS Task Force in 2001. The NEANS Panel, comprised of representatives from Federal, State, and local agencies and from private environmental and commercial interests, performs the following activities:

- a. Identifies priorities for the Northeast Region with respect to aquatic nuisance species,
- b. Makes recommendations to the Task Force,
- c. Assists the Task Force in coordinating Federal aquatic nuisance species program activities in the Northeast region,
- d. Coordinates aquatic nuisance species program activities in the Northeast region,
- e. Provides advice to public and private individuals and entities concerning methods of controlling aquatic nuisance species, and
- f. Submits an annual report describing activities within the Northeast region related to aquatic nuisance species prevention, research, and control.

The purpose of the Panel is to advise and make recommendations to the Aquatic Nuisance Species Task Force on issues relating to the Northeast region of the United States that includes seven