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:* FY 13 Transformative Initiative Sustainable Communities Research Grant Program (SCRGP).

*OMB Approval Number:* 2528–0264. *Form Numbers:* SF–424supp, 424cb, SFLLL, SF–424, 2880.

# Description of the Need for the Information and its Proposed

The purpose of the FY13 Sustainable Communities Grant Program (SCRGP) is to offer researchers the opportunity to submit grant applications to fund quality research under the broad subject area of sustainability. HUD is primarily interested in funding cutting edge research in the areas of equitable affordable housing development, transportation and infrastructure financing, and energy and "green" building practices.

	Number of respondents	Annual responses	×	Hours per response	=	Burden hours
Reporting Burden	20	1		49		980

*Total Estimated Burden Hours:* 980. *Status:* Reinstatement with change of a previously approved collection.

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

Dated: July 13, 2012.

## Colette Pollard,

Department Reports Management Officer, Office of the Chief Information Officer. [FR Doc. 2012–17499 Filed 7–17–12; 8:45 am]

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#### DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

#### Fish and Wildlife Service

[FWS-R6-ES-2012-N159; FXES11130600000D2-123-FF06E00000]

# Endangered and Threatened Wildlife and Plants; Issuance of Recovery Permits

**AGENCY:** Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice of issuance of permits.

SUMMARY: We, the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, have issued the following permits, between January and June 2012, to conduct certain activities with endangered species. The Endangered Species Act of 1973, as amended (Act), prohibits activities with endangered and threatened species unless a Federal permit allows such activity. The Act also requires that we invite public comment before issuing these permits for endangered species. FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Kris Olsen, Permit Coordinator Ecological Services, (303) 236-4256 (phone); permitsR6ES@fws.gov (email). SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

## Background

The Act (16 U.S.C. 1531 *et seq.*) prohibits activities with endangered and threatened species unless a Federal permit allows such activity. Along with our implementing regulations in the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) at 50 CFR part 17, the Act provides for permits.

A permit granted by us under section 10(a)(1)(A) of the Act authorizes

applicants to conduct activities with United States endangered or threatened species for scientific purposes, enhancement of propagation or survival, or interstate commerce (the latter only in the event that it facilitates scientific purposes or enhancement of propagation or survival). Our regulations implementing section 10(a)(1)(A) for these permits are found at 50 CFR 17.22 for endangered wildlife species, 50 CFR 17.32 for threatened wildlife species, 50 CFR 17.62 for endangered plant species, and 50 CFR 17.72 for threatened plant species.

We have issued the following permits in response to incidental take and recovery permit applications we received under the authority of section 10 of the Act (16 U.S.C. 1531 *et seq.*). Each permit listed below was issued only after we determined that it was applied for in good faith; that granting the permit would not be to the disadvantage of the listed species; and that the terms and conditions of the permit were consistent with the purposes and policies set forth in the Act.

Applicant name	Permit No.	Date issued	Date expired						
Recovery Permits									
Montana Fish, Wildlife, and Parks	047250	01/01/2012	09/30/2016						
Bureau of Land Management	059105	01/01/2012	09/30/2016						
California Academy of Sciences	161444	01/01/2012	06/30/2015						
Colorado Parks and Wildlife	047290	01/01/2012	03/13/2017						
Department of the Army	049623	01/01/2012	06/30/2017						
Saratoga National Fish Hatchery	052204	01/01/2012	09/30/2016						
Colorado State University	056079	01/01/2012	06/30/2016						
Utah State University	07858A	01/01/2012	06/30/2017						
Kansas Department of Health and Environment	064685	01/01/2012	06/30/2017						
Detroit Zoo									
Dakota Zoological Society	051815	01/01/2012	06/30/2015						
Kleinfelder	056165	01/01/2012	03/31/2016						
Cedar Creek Associates	050704	01/01/2012	09/30/2016						
Toronto Zoo	051841	01/01/2012	12/31/2016						

Applicant name		Date issued	Date expired
Louisville Zoo	051826	01/01/2012	12/31/2016
Wyoming Natural Diversity Database	085324	01/01/2012	09/30/2016
Toledo Zoological Gardens	052627	01/01/2012	09/30/2016
Wind Cave National Park	145090	01/01/2012	12/31/2016
Colorado Parks and Wildlife	051368	01/01/2012	09/30/2016
Denver Botanic Gardens	106182	01/01/2012	09/30/2016
Red Butte Garden and Arboretum	049109	01/01/2012	09/30/2016
Missouri National Recreational River	67018A	01/01/2012	09/30/2016
Omaha's Henry Doorly Zoo	053961	01/01/2012	09/30/2016
Turner Endangered Species Fund	051139	01/01/2012	12/31/2016
Northern Prairie Wildlife Research Center	121914	01/01/2012	09/30/2016
Great Plains Fish & Wildlife Conservation Office	056851	01/01/2012	09/30/2016
Utah State University	08832A	01/01/2012	09/30/2016
Two R Ranch Wildlife Consulting	66793A	04/23/2012	04/30/2017
Niobrara National Scenic River	053925	01/01/2012	09/30/2016
Missouri River Fish & Wildlife Conservation Office	105455	01/01/2012	12/31/2015
Nebraska National Forests and Grasslands	051374	01/01/2012	09/30/2016
Kansas Department of Wildlife and Parks	052005	01/01/2012	09/30/2016
Colorado Natural Heritage Program	059369	01/01/2012	09/30/2016
Kansas State University	067729	03/13/2012	06/30/2016

## **Availability of Documents**

Documents and other information submitted with these applications are available for review, subject to the requirements of the Privacy Act and Freedom of Information Act, by any party who submits a written request for a copy of such documents (see FOR FUTHER INFORMATION CONTACT section of this notice).

#### Authority

We provide this notice under section 10 of the Act (16 U.S.C. 1531 *et seq.*).

Dated: July 5, 2012.

#### Michael G. Thabault,

Acting Regional Director, Mountain-Prairie Region.

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#### DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

# **Bureau of Indian Affairs**

## Renewal of Agency Information Collection for Indian Reservation Roads

**AGENCY:** Bureau of Indian Affairs, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice of submission to OMB.

**SUMMARY:** In compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA) is seeking comments on renewal of Office of Management and Budget (OMB) approval for the collection of information for Indian Reservation Roads. The information collection is currently authorized by OMB Control Number 1076–0161, which expires July 31, 2012. **DATES:** Interested persons are invited to submit comments on or before August 17, 2012.

ADDRESSES: You may submit comments on the information collections to the Desk Officer for the Department of the Interior at the Office of Management and Budget, by facsimile to (202) 395–5806; or you may send an email to: *OIRA\_DOCKET@omb.eop.gov.* Please send a copy of your comments to LeRoy Gishi, Chief, Division of Transportation, Bureau of Indian Affairs, 1849 C Street NW., MS–4512 MIB, Washington, DC 20240; facsimile: (202) 208–4696 email: *LeRoy.Gishi@bia.gov.* 

# FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

LeRoy Gishi, (202) 513–7711. You may review the information collection requests online at *http:// www.reginfo.gov*. Follow the instructions to review Department of the Interior collections under review by OMB.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

## I. Abstract

This collection allows Federally recognized Tribal governments to participate in the Indian Reservation Roads (IRR) program as defined in 25 U.S.C. 204(a)(1). The information collected determines the allocation of IRR program funds to Indian tribes as described in 25 U.S.C. 202(d)(2)(A).

# **II. Request for Comments**

The BIA requests your comments on these collections concerning: (a) The necessity of this information collection for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility; (b) The accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden (hours and cost) of the collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used; (c) Ways we could enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) Ways we could minimize the burden of the collection of the information on the respondents, such as through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

Please note that an agency may not conduct or sponsor, and an individual need not respond to, a collection of information unless it has a valid OMB Control Number.

It is our policy to make all comments available to the public for review at the location listed in the **ADDRESSES** section. Before including your address, phone number, email address or other personally identifiable information, be advised that your entire comment including your personally identifiable information—may be made public at any time. While you may request that we withhold your personally identifiable information, we cannot guarantee that we will be able to do so.

# III. Data

*OMB Control Number*: 1076–0161. *Title*: 25 CFR part 170, Indian Reservation Roads.

Brief Description of Collection: Some of the information such as the application of Indian Reservation Roads High Priority Projects (IRRHPP) (25 CFR 170.210), the road inventory updates (25 CFR 170.443), the development of a long range transportation plan (25 CFR 170.411 and 170.412), the development of a tribal transportation improvement program and priority list (25 CFR 170.420 and 170.421) are mandatory for