

This notice also lists the following information:

*Title of Proposal:* Public Housing Admissions/Occupancy Policies.

*Approval Number:* 2577-0220.

*Form Numbers:* None.

*Description of the Need for the Information and Its Proposed Use:* To ensure the low-income character of public housing projects and to ensure sound management practices, Public Housing Agencies (PHAs) which have

entered into an Annual Contribution Contract (ACC) with HUD must develop, and keep on file, admission and occupancy policies approved by HUD.

*Frequency of Submission:* On occasion.

	Number of respondents	×	Annual responses	×	Hours per response	=	Burden hours
<i>Reporting Burden</i> .....	3,200		1		60		92,000

*Total Estimated Burden Hours:* 192,000.

*Status:* Revision of a currently approved collection.

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

Dated: February 24, 2005.

**Wayne Eddins,**

*Departmental Paperwork Reduction Act Officer, Office of the Chief Information Officer.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

[Docket No. FR-4971-N-11]

### Notice of Submission of Proposed Information Collection to OMB; Third Round Designation of Seven Urban Empowerment Zones

**AGENCY:** Office of the Chief Information Officer, HUD.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The proposed information collection requirement described below has been submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act. The Department is soliciting public comments on the subject proposal.

This is a revision to a currently approved collection. The application portion of this collection has been discontinued. Information will report

progress by respondents of Round I, II, III Empowerment Zones (EZs). Businesses located in the EZs are eligible for Federal tax incentives to hire local residents and to expand or improve their operations.

**DATES:** Comments Due Date: April 4, 2005.

**ADDRESSES:** Interested persons are invited to submit comments regarding this proposal. Comments should refer to the proposal by name and/or OMB approval Number (2506-0148) and should be sent to: HUD Desk Officer, Office of Management and Budget, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503; fax: 202-395-6974.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Wayne Eddins, Reports Management Officer, AYO, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 Seventh Street, SW., Washington, DC 20410; e-mail [Wayne\\_Eddins@HUD.gov](mailto:Wayne_Eddins@HUD.gov); or Lillian Deitzer at [Lillian\\_L\\_Deitzer@HUD.gov](mailto:Lillian_L_Deitzer@HUD.gov) or telephone (202) 708-2374. This is not a toll-free number. Copies of available documents submitted to OMB may be obtained from Mr. Eddins or Ms Deitzer and at HUD's Web site at <http://www5.hud.gov:63001/po/i/icbts/collectionsearch.cfm>.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This notice informs the public that the Department of Housing and Urban Development has submitted to OMB a request for approval of the information collection 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 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:* Third Round Designation of Seven Urban Empowerment Zones.

*OMB Approval Number:* 2506-0148.

*Description of the Need for the Information and Its Proposed Use:* This is a revision to a currently approved collection. The application portion of this collection has been discontinued. Information will report progress by respondents of Round I, II, III Empowerment Zones (EZs). Businesses located in the EZs are eligible for Federal tax incentives to hire local residents and to expand or improve their operations.

*Frequency of Submission:* On occasion, annually.

	Number of respondents	×	Annual responses	×	Hours per response	=	Burden hours
<i>Reporting Burden</i> .....	75		1		15		1,125

*Total Estimated Burden Hours:* 1,125.  
*Status:* Revision of a currently approved collection.

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

Dated: February 25, 2005.

**Wayne Eddins,**

*Departmental Paperwork Reduction Act Officer, Office of the Chief Information Officer.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

[Docket No. FR-4971-N-13]

### Notice of Submission of Proposed Information Collection to OMB; Designation of Round III Empowerment Zones and Renewal Communities

**AGENCY:** Office of the Chief Information Officer, HUD.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The proposed information collection requirement described below has been submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act. The Department is soliciting public comments on the subject proposal.

This is a revision to a currently approved collection. The Round III Empowerment Zones and Renewal

Communities (RCs) application has been discontinued. However, HUD is requesting approval to continue collecting information for progress reporting provided by designated RCs.

**DATES:** Comments Due Date: April 4, 2005.

**ADDRESSES:** Interested persons are invited to submit comments regarding this proposal. Comments should refer to the proposal by name and/or OMB approval Number (2506-0173) and should be sent to: HUD Desk Officer, Office of Management and Budget, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503; fax: 202-395-6974.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Wayne Eddins, Reports Management Officer, AYO, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 Seventh Street, SW., Washington, DC 20410; e-mail [Wayne\\_Eddins@HUD.gov](mailto:Wayne_Eddins@HUD.gov); or Lillian Deitzer at [Lillian\\_L\\_Deitzer@HUD.gov](mailto:Lillian_L_Deitzer@HUD.gov) or telephone (202) 708-2374. This is not a toll-free number. Copies of available documents submitted to OMB may be obtained from Mr. Eddins or Ms Deitzer and at HUD's Web site at <http://www5.hud.gov:63001/po/i/icbts/collectionsearch.cfm>.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This notice informs the public that the Department of Housing and Urban Development has submitted to OMB a request for approval of the information collection 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 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:* Designation of Round III Empowerment Zones and Renewal Communities.

*OMB Approval Number:* 2506-0173.

*Form Numbers:* None.

*Description of the Need for the Information and its Proposed Use:* This is a revision to a currently approved collection. The Round III Empowerment Zones and Renewal Communities (RCs) application has been discontinued. However, HUD is requesting approval to continue collecting information for progress reporting provided by designated RCs.

*Frequency of Submission:* On occasion, annually.

	Number of respondents	×	Annual responses	×	Hours per response	=	Burden hours
<i>Reporting Burden</i> .....	40		2		20		1,600

*Total Estimated Burden Hours:* 1,600.  
*Status:* Revision of a currently approved collection.

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

Dated: February 25, 2005.

**Wayne Eddins,**

*Departmental Paperwork Reduction Act Officer, Office of the Chief Information Officer.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Fish and Wildlife Service

#### North American Wetlands Conservation Council Meeting Announcement

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

**ACTION:** Notice of meeting.

**SUMMARY:** The North American Wetlands Conservation Council (Council) will meet to select North American Wetlands Conservation Act (NAWCA) grant proposals for recommendation to the Migratory Bird Conservation Commission (Commission). The meeting is open to the public.

**DATES:** March 14, 2005, 1-4 p.m.

**ADDRESSES:** The meeting will be held at the Crystal Gateway Marriott, 1700 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, VA. The Council Coordinator is located at the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, 4401 N. Fairfax Drive, Mail Stop: MBSP 4501-4075, Arlington, Virginia 22203.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

David A. Smith, Council Coordinator, (703) 358-1784 or [dbhc@fws.gov](mailto:dbhc@fws.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** In accordance with NAWCA (Pub. L. 101-233, 103 Stat. 1968, December 13, 1989, as amended), the State-private-Federal Council meets to consider wetland acquisition, restoration, enhancement, and management projects for recommendation to, and final funding approval by, the Commission. Proposal due dates, application instructions, and eligibility requirements are available through the NAWCA Web site at