DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

Federal Emergency Management Agency

Agency Information Collection Activities: Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request


ACTION: Notice and request for comments.

SUMMARY: The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) has submitted the following information collection to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and clearance in accordance with the requirements of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35). The submission describes the nature of the information collection, the categories of respondents, the estimated burden (i.e., the time, effort and resources used by respondents to respond) and cost, and includes the actual data collection instruments FEMA will use.

Title: Flood Awareness, Attitude and Usage Survey.

OMB Number: 1660-NEW7.

Abstract: The Flood Awareness, Attitude and Usage Survey is the evaluative tool of the NFIP’s FloodSmart marketing campaign. The study assesses the overall impact of the campaign elements (i.e., advertising recall, media exposure, etc.) on property owners’ perceptions of flood insurance. Data findings are combined with additional program data to measure the sale and retention of flood insurance policies in meeting the program’s goal of a 5 percent net growth annually. Findings will be used primarily to plan for the subsequent marketing campaign, and will be combined with additional program metrics for further performance evaluation.

Affected Public: Individuals or households.

Number of Respondents: 800 respondents.

Estimated Time per Respondent: 20 minutes.

Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours: 264 hours.

Frequency of Response: Once.

Comments: Interested persons are invited to submit written comments on the proposed information collection to the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs at OMB. Attention: Desk Officer for the Department of Homeland Security/FEMA, Docket Library, Room 10102, 725 17th Street, NW., Washington, DC 20503, or facsimile number (202) 395–7285. Comments must be submitted on or before July 18, 2005.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Requests for additional information or copies of the information collection should be made to Muriel B. Anderson, Section Chief, Records Management, FEMA at 500 C Street, SW., Room 316, Washington, DC 20472, facsimile number (202) 646–3347, or e-mail address FEMA-Information-Collections@dhs.gov.

Dated: June 3, 2005.

George S. Trotter,

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: CBP invites the general public and other Federal agencies to comment on proposed and/or continuing information collections pursuant to the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (Pub. L. 104–13; 44 U.S.C. 3505(c)(2)). The comments should address the accuracy of the burden estimates and ways to minimize the burden including the use of automated collection techniques or the use of other forms of information technology, as well as other relevant aspects of the information collection. The comments that are submitted will be summarized and included in the CBP request for Office of Management and Budget (OMB) approval. All comments will become a matter of public record. In this document CBP is soliciting comments concerning the following information collection:

Title: Crews Effects Declaration.

OMB Number: 1651–0020.

Form Number: CBP Form-1304.

Abstract: CBP Form-1304 contains a list of crews effects that are accompanying them on the trip, which are required to be manifested, and also the statement of the master of the vessel attesting to the truthfulness of the merchandise being carried on board the vessel as crews effects.

Current Actions: There are no changes to the information collection. This submission is being submitted to extend the expiration date.

Type of Review: Extension (without change).

Affected Public: Business or other for-profit institutions.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 206,100.

Estimated Time per Respondent: 5 minutes.

Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours: 17,326.

Estimated Total Annualized Cost on the Public: N/A.

Dated: June 9, 2005.

Tracey Denning,
Agency Clearance Officer, Information Services Branch.

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estimated grant outlays. The following information collections are used:

**FEMA-State Agreement and Amendment.** Federal assistance under Section 420 of the Stafford Act must be provided in accordance with the FEMA-State Agreement for FMAGP. The State Governor and the Regional Director must sign the Agreement, which contains the necessary terms and conditions consistent with the provisions of applicable laws, executive orders, and regulations, and specifies the type and extent of Federal assistance to be provided. The Agreement is an annual agreement applicable only for the calendar year in which it is signed. Amendments to the FEMA-State Agreement may be executed throughout the calendar year as necessary. One amendment, Exhibit E, must be completed upon each approval of a fire management assistance declaration. Exhibit E confirms the name, incident number, and transmittal to FEMA.

**Amendments to the FEMA-State Agreement.** All amendments must be signed by the Governor or Governor designate. The Governor must submit the proposal to the Regional Director. The Regional Director must ensure that the State agency to serve as Grantee, and ensure State compliance with the FEMA-State Agreement and Regional summary and will render a determination.

A State Administrative Plan for FMAGP must be developed by the State for the administration of fire management assistance grants. The plan must describe the procedures for the administration of FMAGP, designate the State agency to serve as Grantee, and ensure State compliance with the provisions of law and regulation applicable to fire management assistance grants. The plan must also identify staffing functions, the sources of staff to fill these functions, and the management and oversight responsibilities of each. The plan should describe the procedures to notify potential applicants of the availability of the program, assist FEMA in determining applicant eligibility, review PWs, process payment of subgrants, and audit and reconcile subgrants. The plan should also outline the processes to be used to facilitate close-out of the fire management assistance grant in accordance with 44 CFR part 13, subpart D. The Regional Director must ensure that the State has an up-to-date Administrative Plan or approve a new plan prior to approval of the SF 424. The State may request the Regional Director to provide technical assistance in the preparation of the State Administrative Plan.

Training sessions are provided primarily for Regional staff and State officials who administer FMAGP for the purpose of instructing and updating attendees on the laws, regulations, policies, and process that govern the program, as well as to discuss any program issues.

**Appeals.** When a State’s request for a fire management assistance declaration is denied, the Governor of a State or GAR may appeal the decision in writing pursuant to 44 CFR 204.26. The State may submit this one-time request for reconsideration in writing, with additional information, to the Director, Recovery Division. The appeal must be submitted within 30 days of the date of the letter denying the State’s/Indian tribal government’s request. A time extension of 30 days may be granted by the Director if the Governor or GAR submits a written request for a time extension within the 30-day period.

Similarly, applicants may appeal any cost or eligibility determination under an approved declaration within 60 days after receipt of the notice of the action that is being appealed. The request must be submitted in writing to FEMA through the Grantee in accordance with the appeal procedures detailed in 44 CFR 204.60. Appeals usually consist of a letter briefly describing the reason for the appeal and any new supporting documentation the State or applicant submits to FEMA for review.

**Duplication of Benefits.** Applicants are required to notify FEMA of all benefits, actual or anticipated, received from other sources for the same loss for which they apply to FEMA for assistance. Notification can be accomplished in a letter, accompanied by supporting documentation.

**Affected Public:** State, local or tribal government and Federal government.

**Number of Respondents:** 36.

**Estimated Time per Respondent:**

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**OMB No. 1660–0058, FIRE MANAGEMENT ASSISTANCE GRANT PROGRAM ANNUAL BURDEN HOURS**

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FEMA Form 90, 38, Principal Advisor’s Report, is used to provide FEMA with technical assessment of a fire or fire complex for which the State is requesting a fire management assistance declaration. FEMA will review all information submitted in the State’s request along with the Principal Advisor’s assessment and Regional summary and will render a determination.

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* The burden estimates in the proposed 60-day Federal Register Notice has been changed to correct the frequency for submitting a State Administrative Plan for Fire Management Assistance. Each State is required to develop or submit one (1) Plan annually to the Regional Director for approval. This change has reduced the total annual burden from 384 to 96 hours. Therefore the Total Requested Burden Hours has been changed from 664 to 376 hours.

Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours: 377.
Frequency of Response: On occasion.
Comments: Interested persons are invited to submit written comments on the proposed information collection to the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs at OMB, Attention: Desk Officer for the Department of Homeland Security/FEMA, Docket Library, Room 10102, 725 17th Street, NW., Washington, DC 20503, or facsimile number (202) 395–7285. Comments must be submitted on or before July 18, 2005.

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George S. Trotter,
Acting Branch Chief, Information Resources Management Branch, Information Technology Services Division.

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DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

Federal Emergency Management Agency

[FEMA–1589–DR]

New York; Amendment No. 4 to Notice of a Major Disaster Declaration


ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This notice amends the notice of a major disaster declaration for the State of New York (FEMA–1589–DR), dated April 19, 2005, and related determinations.

DATES: Effective June 10, 2005.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The notice of a major disaster declaration for the State of New York is hereby amended to include the following area among those areas determined to have been adversely affected by the catastrophe declared a major disaster by the President in his declaration of April 19, 2005: Westchester County for Public Assistance. (The following Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Numbers (CFDA) are to be used for reporting and drawing funds: 97.030, Community Disaster Loans; 97.031, Cora Brown Fund Program; 97.032, Crisis Counseling; 97.033, Disaster Legal Services Program; 97.034, Disaster Unemployment Assistance (DUA); 97.046, Fire Management Assistance; 97.048, Individuals and Households Housing; 97.049, Individuals and Households Disaster Housing Operations; 97.050 Individuals and Households Program-Other Needs; 97.056, Public Assistance Grants; 97.059, Hazard Mitigation Grant Program.)

Michael D. Brown,

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DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

Federal Emergency Management Agency

Open Meeting/Conference Call, Board of Visitors for the National Fire Academy


ACTION: Notice of open meeting.

SUMMARY: In accordance with section 10 (a) (2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, 5 U.S.C. App. 2, FEMA announces the following committee meeting:

Name: Board of Visitors (BOV) for the National Fire Academy.

Dates of Meeting: July 12–13, 2005.

Place: Building H, Room 300, National Emergency Training Center, Emmitsburg, Maryland.

Time: July 12, 8:30 a.m.—5 p.m., and July 13, 8:30 a.m.—4 p.m.

Proposed Agenda: Review National Fire Academy Program Activities.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The meeting will be open to the public in the Emmitsburg commuting area with seating available on a first-come, first-served basis. Members of the general public who plan to participate in the meeting should contact the Office of the Superintendent, National Fire Academy, U.S. Fire Administration, 16825 South Seton Avenue, Emmitsburg, MD 21727, (301) 447–1117, on or before July 5, 2005.

Minutes of the meeting will be prepared and will be available for public viewing in the Office of the U.S. Fire Administrator, U.S. Fire Administration, Federal Emergency Management Agency, Emmitsburg, Maryland 21727. Copies of the minutes will be available upon request within 60 days after the meeting.

Dated: June 2, 2005.

R. David Paulison,
U.S. Fire Administrator.

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DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

[Docket No. FR–4980–N–24]

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