

CORPORATION FOR NATIONAL AND COMMUNITY SERVICE**Information Collection; Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request**

AGENCY: Corporation for National and Community Service.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Corporation for National and Community Service (hereinafter the "Corporation") has submitted a public information collection request (ICR) to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Public Law 104-13, (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35). Copies of this ICR, with applicable supporting documentation, may be obtained by calling the Corporation for National and Community Service, Ms. Angela Roberts, at (202) 606-6822, (aroberts@cns.gov); (TTY/TDD) at (202) 606-5256 between the hours of 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. eastern time, Monday through Friday.

DATES: Written comments must be submitted to the individual and office listed in the **ADDRESSES** section by December 5, 2005.

ADDRESSES: Comments may be submitted, identified by the title of the information collection activity, by either of the following two methods:

- (1) By fax to: (202) 395-6974, Attention: Ms. Katherine Astrich, OMB Desk Officer for the Corporation for National and Community Service; and
- (2) Electronically by e-mail to: Katherine_T_Astrich@omb.eop.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The OMB is particularly interested in comments which:

- Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the Corporation, including whether the information will have practical utility;
- Evaluate the accuracy of the Corporation's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;
 - Propose ways to enhance the quality, utility and clarity of the information to be collected; and
 - Propose ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submissions of responses.

Type of Review: Extension of a currently approved collection.

Agency: Corporation for National and Community Service.

Title: Senior Corps "Join Senior Service Now" Senior Corps web-based recruitment system.

OMB Number: 3045-0078.

Agency Number: None.

Affected Public: (1) Prospective volunteers age 55 and over and (2) organizations electing to post opportunities for volunteers age 55 and over on the system.

Total Respondents: 452,526: 152,526 registered users and 300,000 unregistered users.

Frequency: Annual.

Average Time Per Respondent: 7 minutes for individuals.

25 minutes for organizations posting opportunities.

Estimated Total Burden Hours: 30,000.

Total Burden Cost (capital/startup): None.

Total Burden Cost (operating/maintenance): \$0.

Description: The Corporation requests approval with no changes to its existing Web-based recruitment system known as "JASON."

Comments: A 60-day public comment Notice, regarding modification of the Senior Corps Web-based recruitment system was published in the **Federal Register** on June 28, 2005. A total of 28 written responses were received. All of the written responses were submitted by Senior Corps project directors. Each written response contained numerous separate comments or statements.

(a) Twenty comments were received about the overall effectiveness of recruiting volunteers ages 55 and over using the JASON system. Nine indicated that the system is not effective at all; with five also commenting that low-income seniors are not computer literate, and six indicated that the JASON system is effective for recruiting current seniors as well as volunteers too young for the Senior Corps programs. The Corporation believes that these comments reflect the demographic shift underway in our society. In contrast to individuals age 65 and over, mid to late Baby Boomers and younger Americans are generally indistinguishable in their use of computers. The Corporation projects that the JASON system is an investment that will pay off in the near future, as more computer savvy individuals become eligible for Senior Corps.

(b) Nine comments were received about the user-friendliness of the JASON system. Six indicated that the system is easy to use; and three

indicated that using online forms can be confusing. The Corporation will more prominently post the "step-by-step" guides for users on the site.

(c) Eight comments focused on the Federal cost of the system. Five comments indicated that the system is too expensive for the return on investment, and recommended that JASON be discontinued. Two stated that the cost should be lowered. One comment said that JASON is already cost effective. The Corporation agrees that the JASON cost going forward will be reduced to approximately 1/3 of the original cost per year. This reduction is due to the inapplicability of start-up costs going forward.

(d) Three comments said that the time demands of JASON are too burdensome for the benefits received. The Corporation believes that the burden is appropriate.

(e) A total of 11 general comments were received that were beyond the scope of this information collection. Comments included four instances where seniors who expressed interest in volunteering did not, in turn, answer the telephone calls or e-mails from project staff seeking more information. Two comments contained pleas to provide more Federal funds to grantees for local recruitment campaigns. Three were general comments about dependence on computers in general.

Dated: October 24, 2005.

Tess Scannell,

Director, Senior Corps.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE**Office of the Secretary****Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request**

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Department of Defense has submitted to OMB for clearance, the following proposal for collection of information under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35).

DATES: Consideration will be given to all comments received by December 5, 2005.

Title, Form, and OMB Number: Application and Contract for Establishment of a Junior Reserve Officers' Training Corps Unit; DA Form 3126; OMB Control Number 0702-0021.

Type of Request: Extension.

Number of Respondents: 70.

Responses Per Respondent: 1.
Annual Responses: 70.
Average Burden Per Response: 1 hour.
Annual Burden Hours: 70.

Needs and Uses: Educational institutions which desire to host a Junior ROTC unit may make application using DA Form 3126. The program provides unique educational opportunities for young citizens through their participation in a Federally-sponsored course while pursuing a civilian education. Participating students develop citizenship, leadership and communication skills, knowledge of the role of the U.S. Army in support of national objectives, as well as an appreciation for the importance of physical fitness. The organization of units established by the Department of the Army at public and private secondary schools is provided under 10 U.S.C. 2031 and 32 CFR 542.

Affected Public: Not-for-profit institutions.

Frequency: On occasion.

Respondent's Obligation: Required to obtain or retain benefits.

OMB Desk Officer: Mr. Lewis Oleinick.

Written comments and recommendations on the proposed information collection should be sent to Mr. Oleinick at the Office of Management and Budget, Desk Officer for DoD, Room 10236, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503.

DOD Clearance Officer: Ms. Patricia Toppings.

Written requests for copies of the information collection proposal should be sent to Ms. Toppings at WHS/ESD/ Information Management Division, 1777 North Kent Street, RPN, Suite 11000, Arlington, VA 22209-2133.

Dated: October 26, 2005.

Patricia L. Toppings,

Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary

Meeting of the Defense Department Advisory Committee on Women in the Services (DACOWITS)

AGENCY: Department of Defense.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to section 10(a), Public Law 92-463, as amended, notice is hereby given of a forthcoming meeting of the Defense Department Advisory Committee on Women in the

Services (DACOWITS). The purpose of the Committee meeting is to discuss the 2005 DACOWITS Report. The meeting is open to the public, subject to the availability of space.

Interested persons may submit a written statement for consideration by the Committee and make an oral presentation of such. Persons desiring to make an oral presentation or submit a written statement to the Committee must notify the point of contact listed below no later than 5 p.m., 31 October 2005. Oral presentations by members of the public will be permitted only on Monday, 7 November 2005 from 4:45 p.m. to 5 p.m. before the full Committee. Presentations will be limited to two minutes. Number of oral presentations to be made will depend on the number of requests received from members of the public. Each person desiring to make an oral presentation must provide the point of contact listed below with one (1) copy of the presentation by 5 p.m., 31 October 2005 and bring 35 copies of any material that is intended for distribution at the meeting. Persons submitting written statement must submit 35 copies of the statement to the DACOWITS staff by 5 p.m. on 31 October 2005.

DATES: 7 November 2005, 8:30 a.m.–5 p.m., 8 November 2005, 8:30 a.m.–5 p.m.

Location: Embassy Suite Crystal City National Airport, 1300 Jefferson Davis Hwy, Arlington, VA 22202.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: MAJ Kimberly Venable, USA DACOWITS, 4000 Defense Pentagon, Room 2C548A, Washington, DC 20301-4000. Telephone (703) 697-2122. Fax (703) 614-6233.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Meeting agenda.

Monday, 7 November 2005 8:30 a.m.–5 p.m.

Welcome and Administrative Remarks

Review and Vote on 2005 DACOWITS Report Recommendations

Public Forum

Tuesday, 8 November 2005 8:30 a.m.–5 p.m.

Welcome and Administrative Remarks

Review and Vote on 2005 DACOWITS Report Recommendations

Note: Exact order may vary.

Dated: October 28, 2005.

L.M. Bynum,

Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, DoD.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Department of the Air Force

Proposed Collection; Comment Request

AGENCY: Headquarters Air Force Recruiting Service.

ACTION: Notice.

In compliance with section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the Air Force Recruiting Service announces the proposed public information collection and seeks public comment on the provisions thereof. Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed information collection; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the information collection on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms or information technology.

DATES: Consideration will be given to all comments received January 3, 2005.

ADDRESSES: Written comments and recommendations on the proposed information collection should be sent to Headquarters Air Force Recruiting Service, AFRS/RSIS, 550 D Street West Suite 1, Randolph AFB, TX 78150-4526.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: To request more information on this proposed information collection or to obtain a copy of the proposal and associated collection instruments, please write to the above address, or call Headquarters Air Force Recruiting Service Information System Division Systems Support Branch at 210-565-0447.

Title And OMB Number: Air Force Recruiting Information Support System (AFRISS); OMB NUMBER 0701-0150.

Needs And Uses: Air Force Recruiting Service requires the collection of specific information on prospective Air Force enlistees (prospective Air Force enlistees include Active, Guard, and Reserve) entering the Air Force. The information is used to create the initial