

funding program supports community-based programs serving children, youth, and families in at risk environments. CYFAR funds are intended to support the development of high quality, effective programs based on research and to document the impact of these programs on intended audiences which are children, youth, and families in at-risk environments. The CYFAR Year End Report collects demographic and impact data from each community site, which is used by the Cooperative State Research, Education, and Extension Service (CSREES). Funding for the CYFAR is authorized under section 3(d) of the Smith-Lever Act (7 U.S.C. 341 *et seq.*), as amended and other relevant authorizing legislation, which provides jurisdictional basis for the establishment and operation of extension educational work for the benefit of youth and families in communities.

**Need and Use of the Information:** The purpose of the CYFAR Year End Report is to collect the demographic and impact data from each community site in order to evaluate the impact of the programs on intended audiences. The CYFAR data is also used to respond to requests for impact information from Congress, the White House, and other Federal agencies. Data from the CYFAR annual reports is used to refine and improve program focus and effectiveness. Without the information CSREES would not be able to verify if CYFAR programs are reaching at risk, low-income audiences.

**Description of Respondents:** State, Local or Tribal Government.

**Number of Respondents:** 51.

**Frequency of Responses:** Reporting: Annually.

**Total Burden Hours:** 16,422.

#### **Cooperative State Research, Education, and Extension Service**

**Title:** Expanded Food and Nutrition Education Program (EFNEP).

**OMB Control Number:** 0524-0044.

**Summary of Collection:** The Department of Agriculture's Cooperative State Research, Education, and Extension Service (CSREES), Expanded Food and Nutrition Education Program (EFNEP) is a unique program that began in 1969. It is designed to reach limited resource audiences—especially youth and families with young children. EFNEP operates in all 50 states and in American Samoa, Guam, Micronesia, Northern Marianas, Puerto Rico, and the Virgin Islands. Extension professionals train and supervise paraprofessionals and volunteers who teach food and nutrition information and skills to families and youth with limited financial resources.

**Need and Use of the Information:** CSREES will collect information using Nutrition Education Evaluation and Reporting System (NEERS), which is an integrated database system that stores information on: (1) Adult program participants, their family structure and dietary practices; (2) youth group participants; and (3) staff. NEERS replaces the Evaluation and Reporting System (ERS). Without the information it would be extremely difficult for the national office to compare, assess, and analyze the effectiveness and the impact of EFNEP without the annual collection of data.

**Description of Respondents:** State, Local or Tribal Government.

**Number of Respondents:** 74.

**Frequency of Responses:** Recordkeeping; Reporting: Annually.

**Total Burden Hours:** 91,982.

#### **Ruth Brown,**

*Departmental Information Collection Clearance Officer.*

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### **DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE**

#### **Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request; Correction**

December 3, 2008.

The Department of Agriculture has submitted the following information collection requirement(s) to OMB for review and clearance under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Public Law 104-13. Comments regarding (a) Whether the collection of information is necessary 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 burden including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility and clarity of the information to be collected; (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology should be addressed to: Desk Officer for Agriculture, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget (OMB), [OIRA\\_Submission@OMB.EOP.GOV](mailto:OIRA_Submission@OMB.EOP.GOV) or fax (202) 395-5806 and to Departmental Clearance Office, USDA, OCIO, Mail Stop 7602, Washington, DC 20250-7602. Comments regarding these information collections are best assured

of having their full effect if received within 30 days of this notification. Copies of the submission(s) may be obtained by calling (202) 720-8681.

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The following notice that published in the **Federal Register** on Monday, November 24, 2008 (Volume 73, No. 227, page 70954), contained an error in the total burden hours. The correct total is 1,020 burden hours not the 541 burden hours originally published in the notice.

#### **Forest Service**

**Title:** Southern Appalachian Forest Management Survey.

**OMB Control Number:** 0596-New.

#### **Charlene Parker,**

*Departmental Information Collection Clearance Officer.*

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### **DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE**

#### **Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request**

December 4, 2008.

The Department of Agriculture has submitted the following information collection requirement(s) to OMB for review and clearance under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Public Law 104-13. Comments regarding (a) Whether the collection of information is necessary 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 burden including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility and clarity of the information to be collected; (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology should be addressed to: Desk Officer for Agriculture, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget (OMB), [Pamela\\_Beverly\\_OIRA\\_](mailto:Pamela_Beverly_OIRA_)

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#### **Cooperative State Research, Education, and Extension Service**

*Title:* CSREES Proposal Review Process.

*OMB Control Number:* 0524-0041.

*Summary of Collection:* The Cooperative State Research, Education, and Extension Service (CSREES) is responsible for performing a review of proposals submitted to CSREES competitive awards programs in accordance with section 103(a) of the Agricultural Research, Extension, and Education Reform Act, of 1998, 7 U.S.C. 7613(a). Reviews are undertaken to ensure that projects supported by CSREES are of high quality and are consistent with the goals and requirements of the funding program. Proposals submitted to CSREES undergo a programmatic evaluation to determine worthiness of Federal support. The evaluations consist of a peer panel review and may also entail an assessment by Federal employees. CSREES will collect information using the "Proposal Review Sheet" or the "Reviewer Worksheet", and a Reviewer Questionnaire.

*Need and Use of the Information:* The collected information from the evaluations is used to support CSREES grant programs. CSREES uses the results of each proposal to determine whether a proposal should be declined or recommended for award. If this information is not collected, it would be difficult for a review panel and CSREES staff to determine which projects warrant funding, or identify appropriate qualified reviewers. In addition, Federal grants staff and auditors could not assess the quality or integrity of the review, and the writer of the application would not benefit from any feedback on why the application was funded or not.

*Description of Respondents:* Not-for-profit institutions; Business or other for-profit; Individuals or households; Federal Government; State, Local or Tribal Government; Farms.

*Number of Respondents:* 12,600.

*Frequency of Responses:* Reporting: On occasion; Annually.

*Total Burden Hours:* 78,650.

**Ruth Brown,**

*Departmental Information Collection Clearance Officer.*

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#### **DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE**

##### **Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request**

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##### **Grain Inspection, Packers and Stockyard Administration**

*Title:* Export Inspection and Weighing Waiver for High Quality Specialty Grains Transported in Containers.

*OMB Control Number:* 0580-0022.

*Summary of Collection:* The United States Grain Standards Act, as amended (7 U.S.C. 71-87) (USGSA), with few exceptions, requires that all grain shipped from the United States must be officially inspected and weighed. The Grain Inspection, Packers and Stockyards Administration (GIPSA) amended section 7 CFR 800.18 of the regulations to waive the mandatory inspection and weighing requirements of the USGSA for high quality specialty grain exported in containers. GIPSA established this waiver to facilitate the marketing of high quality specialty grain exported in containers.

*Need and Use of the Information:* To comply with the waiver of the mandatory inspection and weighing requirements, GIPSA requires exporters of high quality specialty grain to maintain records generated during the normal course of business that pertain to these shipments and make these documents available to GIPSA upon request for review or copying purposes. These records are maintained for a period of 3 years. This requirement is essential to ensure exporters of high quality specialty grain in containers comply with the waiver requirements.

*Description of Respondents:* Business or other for-profit.

*Number of Respondents:* 40.

*Frequency of Responses:* Recordkeeping.

*Total Burden Hours:* 240.

**Charlene Parker,**

*Departmental Information Collection Clearance Officer.*

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#### **DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE**

##### **Agricultural Marketing Service**

[Doc. No. AMS-TM-08-0092; TM-08-15]

##### **Notice of Funds Availability (NOFA) Inviting Applications for the Federal-State Marketing Improvement Program (FSMIP)**

**AGENCY:** Agricultural Marketing Service, USDA.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Agricultural Marketing Service (AMS) announces the