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*Respondents:* State and territorial government employees.

*Estimated No. of Respondents:* 336.

*Estimated No. of Annual Responses per Respondent:* 1.

*Estimated Total Burden on Respondents:* 56 hours.

Copies of this information collection assessment can be obtained from Gina Kouba, Office of Policy and Program Development, Food Safety and Inspection Service, USDA, 1400 Independence Avenue SW, Room 6065, South Building, Washington, DC 20250-3700; (202) 720-5627.

*Comments are invited on:* (a) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of FSIS's functions, including whether the information will have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of FSIS's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the method and assumptions used; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques, or other forms of information technology. Comments may be sent to both FSIS, at the addresses provided above, and the Desk Officer for Agriculture, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, Washington, DC 20253.

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**Paul Kiecker,**

*Acting Administrator.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE****Forest Service**

**Snow King Mountain Resort On-Mountain Improvements Project Environmental Impact Statement. Bridger-Teton National Forest, Jackson Ranger District, Teton County, Wyoming**

**AGENCY:** Forest Service, USDA.

**ACTION:** Correction and extension of comment period.

**SUMMARY:** The USDA Forest Service, Bridger-Teton National Forest (BTNF) published in the **Federal Register** on August 3, 2018 a Notice of Intent (NOI) to prepare an Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) for the Snow King Mountain Resort On-mountain Improvements Project. The NOI referenced an incorrect project website address and the date the comment period ends was unclear; this notice provides a technical correction to the NOI to provide the correct website and also clarifies and extends the scoping comment period.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Mary Moore, Jackson District Ranger, [marymoore@fs.fed.us](mailto:marymoore@fs.fed.us) or (307) 739-5410. Individuals who use telecommunication devices for the deaf (TDD) may call the Federal Information Relay Service (FIRS) at 1-800-877-8339 between 8:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m., Eastern Time, Monday through Friday.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

**Correction**

In the **Federal Register** on August 3, 2018 (83 FR 38117), on p. 38117, in the first column, correct the **DATES** caption to read:

**DATES:** Comments concerning the scope of the analysis must be received by September 13, 2018.

**Correction**

In the **Federal Register** on August 3, 2018 (83 FR 38117) on page 38118, in the second column, correct the first paragraph (under **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION** caption, in the Proposed Action subheading) to read:

A more detailed description of the proposed action, including maps, is available at: <http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=54201>.

Dated: August 6, 2018.

**Kevin Heikkila,**

*Acting Associate Deputy Chief, National Forest System.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE**

**Rural Business-Cooperative Service**

**Notice of Solicitation of Applications for the Rural Energy for America Program for Fiscal Year 2019**

**AGENCY:** Rural Business-Cooperative Service, USDA.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Rural Business-Cooperative Service (the Agency) Notice of Solicitation of Applications (NOSA) is being issued prior to passage of a final appropriations act to allow potential applicants time to submit applications for financial assistance under Rural Energy for America Program (REAP) for Federal Fiscal Year (FY) 2019, and give the Agency time to process applications within the current FY. This NOSA is being issued prior to enactment of full year appropriation for FY2019. The Agency will publish the amount of funding received in any continuing resolution or the final appropriations act on its website at <https://www.rd.usda.gov/newsroom/notices-solicitation-applications-nosas>. Expenses incurred in developing applications will be at the applicant's risk.

The REAP has two types of funding assistance: (1) Renewable Energy Systems and Energy Efficiency Improvements Assistance and (2) Energy Audit and Renewable Energy Development Assistance Grants.

The Renewable Energy Systems and Energy Efficiency Improvement Assistance provides grants and guaranteed loans to agricultural producers and rural small businesses to purchase and install renewable energy systems and make energy efficiency improvements to their operations. Eligible renewable energy systems for REAP provide energy from: Wind, solar, renewable biomass (including anaerobic digesters), small hydro-electric, ocean, geothermal, or hydrogen derived from these renewable resources.

The Energy Audit and Renewable Energy Development Assistance Grant is available to a unit of State, Tribal, or local government; instrumentality of a State, Tribal, or local government; institution of higher education; rural electric cooperative; a public power entity; or a council, as defined in 16 U.S.C. 3451. The recipient of grant funds, grantee, will establish a program to assist agricultural producers and rural small businesses with evaluating the energy efficiency and the potential to incorporate renewable energy technologies into their operations.

**DATES:** See under **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION** section.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** The applicable USDA Rural Development Energy Coordinator for your respective State, as identified via the following link: [https://www.rd.usda.gov/files/RBS\\_StateEnergyCoordinators.pdf](https://www.rd.usda.gov/files/RBS_StateEnergyCoordinators.pdf).

For information about this Notice, please contact Anthony Crooks, Rural Energy Policy Specialist, USDA Rural

Development, Energy Division, 1400 Independence Avenue SW, Stop 3225, Room 6870, Washington, DC 20250. Telephone:(202) 205-9322. Email: [anthony.crooks@wdc.usda.gov](mailto:anthony.crooks@wdc.usda.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

**Preface**

The Agency encourages applications that will support recommendations made in the Rural Prosperity Task Force report to help improve life in rural America ([www.usda.gov/ruralprosperity](http://www.usda.gov/ruralprosperity)). Applicants are encouraged to consider projects that provide measurable results in helping rural communities build robust and sustainable economies through strategic investments in infrastructure, partnerships, and innovation. Key strategies include:

- Achieving e-Connectivity for Rural America
- Developing the Rural Economy
- Harnessing Technological Innovation
- Supporting a Rural Workforce
- Improving Quality of Life

**I. Program Description**

The Rural Energy for America Program (REAP) helps agricultural producers and rural small businesses reduce energy costs and consumption and helps meet the Nation's critical energy needs. REAP has two types of funding assistance: (1) Renewable Energy Systems and Energy Efficiency Improvements Assistance and (2) Energy Audit and Renewable Energy Development Assistance Grants.

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