

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**Overview of This Information
Collection**

Type of Information Collection: New
collection.

Title of Information Collection:
History, The Past, and Public Culture
Survey.

Abstract: This information collection
request is pursuant to a cooperative
agreement between NEH and the
American Historical Association (AHA).
The purpose of the survey is to
understand how the public perceives,
and engages with, history and the work
of historians. NEH, AHA, and the many
educational and cultural institutions
they support will use the information
gathered in the proposed survey to
create responsive and effective history
and other humanities programming to
better serve the American people. Most
immediately, NEH will use findings
from the survey to inform programming
for "A More Perfect Union," the
agency's special initiative advancing
civic education and commemorating the
nation's 250th anniversary in 2026.

NEH and AHA are developing the
survey in collaboration with an advisory
board, regional history experts, and
Fairleigh Dickinson University Poll
(FDUP), a market research and public
interest survey center. In April of 2020,
FDUP will administer this internet
survey to adults in the United States.
Survey questions will concern
respondents' perceptions of history and
its significance, their understanding of
the work of historians, and their
consumption of history in various forms
and via a variety of media and
experiences. The survey will be
voluntary and will collect both
qualitative and quantitative information.
FDUP will ensure optimal polling
methodology and manage the logistics
of the data collection. This survey will
not collect any personally identifiable
information (PII).

Affected Public: Survey respondents
will be comprised of adult individuals
in the United States.

Frequency of Information Collection:
Once.

Estimated Number of Respondents:
1,500.

*Estimated Average Time per
Response:* 25 minutes.

Estimated Total Burden Hours: 625
hours.

Request for Comments

NEH will make comments submitted
in response to this notice, including
names and addresses where provided, a
matter of public record. NEH will
summarize the contents and include
them in the request for OMB approval.
We are requesting comments on all
aspects of this clearance request,
including (a) 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; (b) the accuracy of the
agency's estimate of the burden of the
proposed collection of information; (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
on respondents, including through the
use of appropriate automated,
electronic, mechanical, or other
technological collection techniques or
other forms of information technology.

Dated: October 7, 2019.

Caitlin Cater,

*Attorney-Advisor, National Endowment for
the Humanities.*

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NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION**Agency Information Collection
Activities: Comment Request**

AGENCY: National Science Foundation.

ACTION: Submission for OMB review;
comment request.

SUMMARY: The National Science
Foundation (NSF) has submitted the
following information collection
requirement to OMB for review and
clearance under the Paperwork
Reduction Act of 1995. This is the
second notice for public comment; the
first was published in the **Federal
Register**, and no comments were
received. NSF is forwarding the
proposed submission to the Office of
Management and Budget (OMB) for
clearance simultaneously with the
publication of this second notice. The
full submission may be found at: [http://
www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain](http://www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain).

DATES: Comments regarding this
information collection are best assured
of having their full effect if received by
November 12, 2019.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:
Office of Information and Regulatory
Affairs of OMB, Attention: Desk Officer
for National Science Foundation, 725
17th Street NW, Room 10235,

Washington, DC 20503, and Suzanne H.
Plimpton, Reports Clearance Officer,
National Science Foundation, 2415
Eisenhower Avenue, Alexandria, VA
22314, or send email to [splimpto@
nsf.gov](mailto:splimpto@nsf.gov). Individuals who use a
telecommunications device for the deaf
(TDD) may call the Federal Information
Relay Service (FIRS) at 1-800-877-
8339, which is accessible 24 hours a
day, 7 days a week, 365 days a year
(including federal holidays).

Copies of the submission may be
obtained by calling 703-292-7556.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: NSF may
not conduct or sponsor a collection of
information unless the collection of
information displays a currently valid
OMB control number and the agency
informs potential persons who are to
respond to the collection of information
that such persons are not required to
respond to the collection of information
unless it displays a currently valid OMB
control number.

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 the points of contact in the
FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT
section.

Title of Collection: Antarctic
Conservation Act Application Permit
Form.

OMB Number: 3145-0034.

Type of Request: Intent to seek
approval to renew an information
collection.

*Overview of this Information
Collection:* The current Antarctic
Conservation Act Application Permit
Form (NSF 1078) has been in use for
several years. The form requests general
information, such as name, affiliation,
location, etc., and more specific
information as to the type of object to
be taken (plant, native mammal, or
native bird).

Use of the Information: The purpose
of the regulations (45 CFR 670) is to
conserve and protect the native
mammals, birds, plants, and
invertebrates of Antarctica and the

ecosystem upon which they depend and to implement the Antarctic Conservation Act of 1978, Public Law 95-541, as amended by the Antarctic Science, Tourism, and Conservation Act of 1996, Public Law 104-227.

Burden on the Public: The Foundation estimates about 25 responses annually at 45 minutes per response; this computes to approximately 19 hours annually.

Dated: October 7, 2019.

Suzanne H. Plimpton,

Reports Clearance Officer, National Science Foundation.

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NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

Notice of Permit Applications Received Under the Antarctic Conservation Act of 1978

AGENCY: National Science Foundation.

ACTION: Notice of permit applications received.

SUMMARY: The National Science Foundation (NSF) is required to publish a notice of permit applications received to conduct activities regulated under the Antarctic Conservation Act of 1978. NSF has published regulations under the Antarctic Conservation Act in the Code of Federal Regulations. This is the required notice of permit applications received.

DATES: Interested parties are invited to submit written data, comments, or views with respect to this permit application by November 12, 2019. This application may be inspected by interested parties at the Permit Office, address below.

ADDRESSES: Comments should be addressed to Permit Office, Office of Polar Programs, National Science Foundation, 2415 Eisenhower Avenue, Alexandria, Virginia 22314.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Nature McGinn, ACA Permit Officer, at the above address, 703-292-8030, or ACAPermits@nsf.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The National Science Foundation, as directed by the Antarctic Conservation Act of 1978 (Pub. L. 95-541, 45 CFR 670), as amended by the Antarctic Science, Tourism and Conservation Act of 1996, has developed regulations for the establishment of a permit system for various activities in Antarctica and designation of certain animals and certain geographic areas a requiring special protection. The regulations establish such a permit system to

designate Antarctic Specially Protected Areas.

Application Details

1. *Applicant:* Lee Welhouse, 1225 West Dayton Street, Madison, Wisconsin, USA 53706—Permit application No. 2020-014.

Activity for Which Permit Is Requested—Enter Antarctic Specially Protected Area (ASP). The applicant would enter ASPA 106, Cape Hallett, to perform maintenance and updates on an already installed automatic weather station and to retrieve data collected from the station. The permit holder and agents would approach the area by small fixed-wing aircraft and enter the ASPA on foot. The permit holder would adhere to all guidance in the ASPA management plan.

Location—ASPAs 106, Cape Hallett, Northern Victoria Land, Ross Sea.

Dates of Permitted Activities—November 10-30, 2019.

2. *Applicant:* Patricia Ward, Nutopia Ltd., Kirkman House, 12-14 Whitfield Street, London, W1T 2RF, UK—Permit application No. 2020-015.

Activity for Which Permit Is Requested—Harmful Interference. The applicant and agents propose to film emperor penguins (*Aptenodytes forsteri*) underwater and on the sea ice, using handheld cameras, pole-mounted cameras, and cameras attached to remotely piloted aircraft systems (RPAS). The resulting footage and photography would be used to create media products including a multi-part series for television. The applicant and agents would access the filming area via helicopter and approach the penguins on foot or while diving. Divers would not approach penguins, but penguins are expected to come within five meters of divers. On the sea ice and when operating the RPAS, the applicant and agents would maintain distance from penguins that would avoid or minimize disturbance. The results of this work are expected to be useful for outreach and education about Antarctica and the scientific research conducted there.

Location—McMurdo Sound, Ross, Sea, Antarctica.

Dates of Permitted Activities—November 13-December 15, 2019.

Erika N. Davis,

Program Specialist, Office of Polar Programs.

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NEIGHBORHOOD REINVESTMENT CORPORATION

Sunshine Act Meetings; Regular Board of Directors Meeting

TIME AND DATE: 2:00 p.m., Tuesday, October 15, 2019.

PLACE: NeighborWorks America—Gramlich Boardroom, 999 North Capitol Street NE, Washington, DC 20002.

STATUS: Open (with the exception of Executive Session).

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED: The General Counsel of the Corporation has certified that in his opinion, one or more of the exemptions set forth in 5 U.S.C. 552 (b)(2) and (4) permit closure of the following portion(s) of this meeting:

- Report from CEO

Agenda

- I. Call to Order
- II. Approval of Minutes
- III. Executive Session: Report From CEO
- IV. Discussion Item National NeighborWorks Association
- V. Action Item LIFT 7.0 (2020)
- VI. Action Item Western Region—Lease Renewal
- VII. Action Item Auditor Rotation Policy
- VIII. Discussion Item Non-Core Funds
- IX. Discussion Item Audit Committee Report
- X. Discussion Item Governance Working Group Report
- XI. Discussion Item Health Insurance Delegation of Authority
- XII. Discussion Item FY2020 Corporate Goals
- XIII. Management Program Background and Updates
- XIV. Adjournment

CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION: Rutledge Simmons, EVP & General Counsel/Secretary, (202) 760-4105; Rsimmons@nw.org.

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EVP & General Counsel/Corporate Secretary

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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

[NRC-2019-0074]

Information Collection: NRC Form 850, Request for Contractor Assignment(s)

AGENCY: Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

ACTION: Renewal of existing information collection; request for comment.

SUMMARY: The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) invites public