

## DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

## Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives

[OMB Number 1140-NEW]

## Agency Information Collection Activities; Proposed eCollection of eComments Requested; New Information Collection; Request for Interim Security Clearance—ATF Form 8620.70

**AGENCY:** Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives, Department of Justice.

**ACTION:** 60-Day notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives (ATF), Department of Justice (DOJ), will submit the following information collection request to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995. The proposed information collection (IC) is also being published to obtain comments from the public and affected agencies.

**DATES:** Comments are encouraged and will be accepted for 60 days until August 16, 2021.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** If you have additional comments, regarding the estimated public burden or associated response time, suggestions, or need a copy of the proposed information collection instrument with instructions, or additional information, contact Lakisha Gregory, Chief, Personnel Security Division by mail at 99 New York Avenue NE, Mailstop 1.E-300, Washington, DC 20226, email at [Lakisha.Gregory@atf.gov](mailto:Lakisha.Gregory@atf.gov), or telephone at 202-648-9260.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Written comments and suggestions from the public and affected agencies concerning the proposed collection of information are encouraged. Your comments should address one or more of the following four points:

- Evaluate 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;
- Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;
- Evaluate whether and if so how the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected can be enhanced; and

—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, *e.g.*, permitting electronic submission of responses.

## Overview of This Information Collection

1. *Type of Information Collection (check justification or form 83-I):* New collection.

2. *The Title of the Form/Collection:* Request for Interim Security Clearance.

3. *The agency form number, if any, and the applicable component of the Department sponsoring the collection:*

*Form number (if applicable):* ATF Form 8620.70.

*Component:* Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives, U.S. Department of Justice.

4. *Affected public who will be asked or required to respond, as well as a brief abstract:*

*Primary:* Individuals or households.

*Other (if applicable):* None.

*Abstract:* The Request for Interim Security Clearance—ATF Form 8620.70 will be used to determine if a candidate for Federal or contractor employment at the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives can be granted an interim security clearance prior to the completion and adjudication of their full background investigation.

5. *An estimate of the total number of respondents and the amount of time estimated for an average respondent to respond:* An estimated 2,000 respondents will use the form annually, and it will take each respondent approximately 5 minutes to complete their responses.

6. *An estimate of the total public burden (in hours) associated with the collection:* The estimated annual public burden associated with this collection is 167 hours, which is equal to 2,000 (# of respondents) \* .0833333 (5 minutes).

If additional information is required contact: Melody Braswell, Department Clearance Officer, United States Department of Justice, Justice Management Division, Policy and Planning Staff, Two Constitution Square, 145 N Street NE, Mail Stop 3E.405A, Washington, DC 20530.

Dated: June 11, 2021.

**Melody Braswell,**

*Department Clearance Officer for PRA, U.S. Department of Justice.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

## Notice of Lodging of Proposed Consent Decree Under the Clean Water Act

On June 9, 2021, the Department of Justice lodged a proposed Consent Decree with the United States District Court for the District of Massachusetts in the lawsuit entitled *United States of America v. City of Quincy, Massachusetts*, Civil Action No. 1:19-cv-10483-RGS.

The United States filed a Complaint against the City of Quincy, Massachusetts (“City”) on March 14, 2019, alleging violations of the Clean Water Act. The Complaint alleged that sewage in the City’s sanitary sewer system had leaked from the sanitary system and entered the separate storm sewer system, ultimately discharging with storm water into Quincy Bay and other receiving waters. The Complaint also alleged that the City’s sanitary sewer system had overflowed on numerous occasions, resulting in discharges of sewage. The Consent Decree calls for the City to implement a comprehensive and integrated program to investigate, repair, and rehabilitate its stormwater and sanitary sewer systems, with all investigations and remedial work completed by December 31, 2034. The City will also pay a \$115,000 penalty.

The publication of this notice opens a period for public comment on the Consent Decree. Comments should be addressed to the Assistant Attorney General, Environment and Natural Resources Division, and should refer to *United States v. City of Quincy*, D.J. Ref. No. 90-5-1-1-11446. All comments must be submitted no later than thirty (30) days after the publication date of this notice.

Comments may be submitted either by email or by mail:

<i>To submit comments:</i>	<i>Send them to:</i>
By email .....	<a href="mailto:pubcomment-ees.enrd@usdoj.gov">pubcomment-ees.enrd@usdoj.gov</a> .
By mail .....	Assistant Attorney General, U.S. DOJ—ENRD, P.O. Box 7611, Washington, DC 20044-7611.

During the public comment period, the Consent Decree may be examined and downloaded at this Justice Department website: <https://www.justice.gov/enrd/consent-decrees>. We will provide a paper copy of the Consent Decree upon written request and payment of reproduction costs. Please mail your request and payment

to: Consent Decree Library, U.S. DOJ—ENRD, P.O. Box 7611, Washington, DC 20044–7611. Please enclose a check or money order for \$17.25 for a copy of the Consent Decree without the appendices or for \$58.25 for a copy of the Consent Decree with appendices (25 cents per page reproduction cost) payable to the United States Treasury.

**Henry Friedman,**

*Assistant Section Chief, Environmental Enforcement Section, Environment and Natural Resources Division.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

### Employment and Training Administration

#### Employment and Training Administration (ETA) Program Year (PY) 2021; Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) Section 167, National Farmworker Jobs Program (NFJP) Grantee Allotments

**AGENCY:** Employment and Training Administration, Labor.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** This Notice announces Program Year (PY) 2021 allotments to States for the National Farmworker Jobs Program (NFJP), which is authorized under the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA), Section 167. These allotments are based on the funds appropriated in the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2021 (from this point forward will be referred to as the “the Act”).

**DATES:** The PY 2021 NFJP allotments become effective for the grant period that begins July 1, 2021.

**ADDRESSES:** Questions on this notice can be submitted to the Employment and Training Administration, Office of Workforce Investment, Attention at: [NFJP@dol.gov](mailto:NFJP@dol.gov).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Laura Ibañez, Unit Chief, at (202) 693–3645. Individuals with hearing or speech impairments may access the telephone numbers above via TTY by calling the toll-free Federal Information Relay Service at 1–877–889–5627 (TTY–TDD).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This notice is published according to Section 182(d) of the WIOA, Prompt Allotment of Funds. ETA developed the formula to distribute funds geographically by state service area, based on each state service area’s relative share of persons eligible for the program. The formula’s original

methodology is described in the **Federal Register** notice 64 FR 27390, May 19, 1999. That information is accessible at <https://www.federalregister.gov/>. In PY 2018, ETA incorporated two modifications to the allotment formula to provide more accurate estimates of each state service area’s relative share of persons eligible for the program. The formula also used updated data from each of the four data files serving as the basis of the formula since 1999. The revised formula methodology is described in the **Federal Register** notice 83 FR 32151, July 11, 2018.

Two modifications were incorporated into the formula for PY 2021. These modifications improve the formula’s accuracy in terms of estimating the true NFJP-eligible population in state service areas, and one of the modifications is necessitated by a recent statutory change to the NFJP eligibility criteria, which Congress enacted in the FY 2021 appropriation. Section II includes further explanation of these modifications.

This notice represents the final of a two-stage process. ETA published a notice requesting public comments on May 10, 2021, regarding the formula methodology and modifications. Additionally, ETA hosted a webinar on May 5, 2021, to share the preliminary allotments, explained the data sources, and encourage response to the notice published shortly thereafter. ETA did not receive any comments through the public comment process. In this final stage, ETA is publishing the final formula and final allotment levels.

### I. Background

The Department is announcing the final PY 2021 allotments for the National Farmworker Jobs Program (NFJP). This notice provides information on the amount of funds available during PY 2021 to state service areas awarded grants through Funding Opportunity Announcements FOA–ETA–20–08 and FOA–ETA–20–08–A for the NFJP Career Services and Training grants and Housing grants. Funds to implement NFJP are appropriated in the Act. In appropriating these funds, Congress provided \$87,083,000 for formula grants (of which \$86,946,000 was allotted after \$137,000 was set aside for program integrity), \$6,256,000 for migrant and seasonal farmworker housing (of which not less than 70 percent shall be for permanent housing), and another \$557,000 for discretionary purposes. Included below is the table listing the PY 2021 allotments for the NFJP Career Services and Training grants. Individual grants are awarded for Housing as a result of the grants

competition and are further distributed according to language in the appropriations law requiring that of the total amount available, not less than 70 percent shall be allocated to permanent housing activities, leaving not more than 30 percent to temporary housing activities.

### II. Description of Data Files and Review of PY 2021 Modifications to the Allotment Formula

As with all state planning estimates since 1999, the PY 2021 estimates are based on four data sources: (1) State-level, 2017 hired farm labor expenditure data from the United States Department of Agriculture’s (USDA) Census of Agriculture (COA); (2) regional-level, 2017 average hourly earnings data from the USDA’s Farm Labor Survey; (3) regional-level, 2010–2018 demographic data from the ETA’s National Agricultural Workers Survey (NAWS); and, (4) 2015–2019 (5-year file) data from the United States Census Bureau’s American Community Survey (ACS). A detailed description of how each data source is used within the formula is in the **Federal Register** notice 64 FR 27390, May 19, 1999. In addition to populating the formula with updated data, ETA incorporated two modifications that will improve the formula’s accuracy in terms of estimating the true NFJP-eligible population in state service areas. One of the modifications is necessitated by the change to the NFJP eligibility criteria applicable to the PY 2021 appropriation.

(1) First, the Act expands program eligibility for grants funded by the PY 2021 appropriation to include farmworkers who are in families with total family incomes at or below 150 percent of the poverty line. Therefore, the PY 2021 allocations used special tabulations of data from the ACS and the NAWS to estimate the share of farmworkers with total family incomes at or below 150 percent of the poverty line. ETA will subsequently revise the PY 2022 guidance regarding the definition of “low-income individual,” as needed if the same provision is not included in subsequent appropriations.

(2) Second, and to more closely align the formula with the definition of eligible migrant and seasonal farmworker under WIOA Section 167(i) and 20 CFR 685.110 and clarified in the Training and Employment Guidance Letter 18–16, ETA modified how the formula accounts for crop workers who are primarily employed in agriculture. This formula considers a crop worker to be primarily employed in agriculture if at least 50 percent of their total individual income is from farm work or