

**DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION**

[Docket No.: ED–2023–SCC–0075]

**Agency Information Collection Activities; Comment Request; Master Generic Plan for Customer Surveys and Focus Groups****AGENCY:** Department of Education (ED).**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) of 1995, the Department is proposing an extension without change of a currently approved information collection request (ICR).

**DATES:** Interested persons are invited to submit comments on or before June 27, 2023.

**ADDRESSES:** To access and review all the documents related to the information collection listed in this notice, please use <http://www.regulations.gov> by searching the Docket ID number ED–2023–SCC–0075. Comments submitted in response to this notice should be submitted electronically through the Federal eRulemaking Portal at <http://www.regulations.gov> by selecting the Docket ID number or via postal mail, commercial delivery, or hand delivery. If the [www.regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov) site is not available to the public for any reason, the Department will temporarily accept comments at [ICDocketMgr@ed.gov](mailto:ICDocketMgr@ed.gov). Please include the docket ID number and the title of the information collection request when requesting documents or submitting comments. Please note that comments submitted after the comment period will not be accepted. Written requests for information or comments submitted by postal mail or delivery should be addressed to the Manager of the Strategic Collections and Clearance Governance and Strategy Division, U.S. Department of Education, 400 Maryland Ave. SW, LBJ, Room 6W203, Washington, DC 20202–8240.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** For specific questions related to collection activities, please contact Stephanie Valentine, (202) 453–7061.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Department, in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA) (44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)), provides the general public and Federal agencies with an opportunity to comment on proposed, revised, and continuing collections of information. This helps the Department assess the impact of its information collection requirements and minimize the public's reporting burden. It also helps the public understand the Department's information collection

requirements and provide the requested data in the desired format. The Department is soliciting comments on the proposed information collection request (ICR) that is described below. The Department is especially interested in public comment addressing the following issues: (1) is this collection necessary to the proper functions of the Department; (2) will this information be processed and used in a timely manner; (3) is the estimate of burden accurate; (4) how might the Department enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (5) how might the Department minimize the burden of this collection on the respondents, including through the use of information technology. Please note that written comments received in response to this notice will be considered public records.

*Title of Collection:* Master Generic Plan for Customer Surveys and Focus Groups.

*OMB Control Number:* 1800–0011.

*Type of Review:* Extension without change of a currently approved ICR.

*Respondents/Affected Public:* State, Local, and Tribal Governments; Individuals or Households.

*Total Estimated Number of Annual Responses:* 451,326.

*Total Estimated Number of Annual Burden Hours:* 115,344.

*Abstract:* Surveys to be considered under this generic will only include those surveys that improve customer service or collect feedback about a service provided to individuals or entities directly served by ED. The results of these customer surveys will help ED managers plan and implement program improvements and other customer satisfaction initiatives. Focus groups that will be considered under the generic clearance will assess customer satisfaction with a direct service or will be designed to inform a customer satisfaction survey ED is considering. Surveys that have the potential to influence policy will not be considered under this generic clearance.

Dated: April 24, 2023.

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**DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION****Applications for New Awards—American History and Civics Education—Presidential and Congressional Academies for American History and Civics**

**AGENCY:** Office of Elementary and Secondary Education, Department of Education.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Education (Department) is issuing a notice inviting applications for new awards for fiscal year (FY) 2023 for the Presidential and Congressional Academies for American History and Civics (Academies) Program, Assistance Listing Number 84.422A. This notice relates to the approved information collection under OMB control number 1894–0006.

**DATES:**

*Applications Available:* April 28, 2023.

*Date of Pre-Application Webinars:* The Office of Elementary and Secondary Education intends to conduct informational webinars designed to provide technical assistance to interested applicants for grants under the Academies Program. These informational webinars occur approximately 2 weeks after the publication of this notice in the **Federal Register** at <https://oese.ed.gov/offices/office-of-discretionary-grants-support-services/effective-educator-development-programs/american-history-and-civics-academies>.

*Note:* For potential new grantees or for applicants unfamiliar with grantmaking at the Department, please consult the resources on the Department's Grants web page: [www2.ed.gov/fund/grant/about/discretionary/index.html](http://www2.ed.gov/fund/grant/about/discretionary/index.html).

*Deadline for Notice of Intent To Apply:* May 30, 2023.

*Deadline for Transmittal of Applications:* July 12, 2023.

*Deadline for Intergovernmental Review:* September 11, 2023.

**ADDRESSES:** For the addresses for obtaining and submitting an application, please refer to our Common Instructions for Applicants to Department of Education Discretionary Grant Programs, published in the **Federal Register** on December 7, 2022 (87 FR 75045), and available at [www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/FR-2022-12-07/pdf/2022-26554.pdf](http://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/FR-2022-12-07/pdf/2022-26554.pdf). Please note that these Common Instructions supersede the version published on December 27, 2021.

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