

*Affected Public:* Businesses or other for-profit.

*Estimated Frequency of Response:* On occasion; Quarterly.

*Description:* The information collection requirements ensure that institutions conduct their operations in a safe and sound manner and in accordance with applicable Federal banking law and regulations. The collections of information provide needed information for examiners and offer protections for institutions. The collections are necessary for regulatory and examination purposes and for national banks to ensure their compliance with Federal law and regulations.

The information collection requirements are as follows:

- *Investment in national bank or Federal savings association premises*—A national bank or Federal savings association may invest in banking premises and other premises-related investments, loans, or indebtedness by filing an application for prior approval whenever its investment in bank premises will cause it to exceed its capital stock. The application must describe the present and proposed bank premises investment and the business reason for making the investment. A bank with a composite 1 or 2 CAMELS rating entering a transaction that increases its aggregate bank premises investment to not more than 150 percent of its capital and surplus may proceed without prior OCC approval but must provide an after-the-fact notice. 12 CFR 5.37.

- *Sale of money orders at nonbanking outlets*—A national bank may designate bonded agents to sell the bank's money orders at nonbanking outlets. The responsibility of both the bank and its agent should be defined in a written agreement setting forth the duties of both parties and providing for remuneration of the agent. 12 CFR 7.1014.

- *Tax equity finance transactions*—A written request to the OCC is required to secure a waiver to participate in a tax equity finance transaction exceeding the aggregate investment limit. Prior written notification to the OCC is required for each tax equity finance transaction. 12 CFR 7.1025(d).

- *Payment systems*—Thirty (30) days advance written notice is required before joining a payment system that would expose the institution to open-ended liability. An after-the-fact written notice to the OCC must be filed within 30 days of becoming a member of a payment system that does not expose the institution to open-ended liabilities. In both cases, the notice must represent

that the national bank or Federal savings association has and will continue to comply with safety and soundness review and notification requirements. 12 CFR 7.1026(c) and (d).

- *Derivatives activities*—Thirty (30) days prior written notice to the examiner-in-charge is required before a national bank may engage in certain derivatives hedging activities, expand the bank's derivatives hedging activities to include a new category of underlying for derivatives transactions, engage in certain customer-driven financial intermediation derivatives activities, or expand the bank's customer-driven financial intermediation derivatives activities to include a new category of underlying specified in the regulation. 12 CFR 7.1030(d).

- *Corporate governance procedures—Other sources of guidance*—A national bank must designate in its bylaws the body of law selected for its corporate governance procedures. 12 CFR 7.2000(b).

- *State corporate governance*—A request for the views of OCC staff on the permissibility of a national bank's adoption of a particular State corporate governance provision must include the name of the national bank, citation to the relevant State statutes or regulations, a discussion of whether a similarly situated State bank is subject to or may adopt the provision, the identification of all Federal banking statutes and regulations on the same subject, and an analysis of how the proposed practice is not inconsistent with applicable Federal statutes or regulations and is not inconsistent with safety and soundness. 12 CFR 7.2000(d).

- *Honorary directors or advisory boards*—Any listing of a national bank's honorary or advisory directors must distinguish between those directors and the bank's board of directors or indicate their advisory status. 12 CFR 7.2004.

- *Indemnification of institution-affiliated parties—Written agreement required for advancement*—A written agreement that an IAP will reimburse the institution for any portion of non-reimbursed indemnification that the IAP is found not entitled to is required before advancing funds to an IAP. 12 CFR 7.2014(c).

- *Issuing stock in certificate form*—When issuing stock in certificate form, national banks must comply with the requirements of 12 U.S.C. 52 and include the name and location of the bank, the name of the holder of record, the number and class of shares the certificate represents, information on rights of shareholders, signatures of the bank president and cashier, and the bank's seal. 12 CFR 7.2016(b).

- *Staggered terms for national bank directors*—Any national bank may adopt bylaws that provide for staggering the terms of its directors. National banks must provide the OCC with copies of any bylaws so amended. 12 CFR 7.2024(a).

- *Size of bank board*—A national bank seeking to increase the number of its directors must notify the OCC any time the proposed size would exceed 25 directors. 12 CFR 7.2024(c).

*Burden Estimates:*

*Estimated Number of Respondents:* 1,727.

*Estimated Total Annual Burden:* 1,138 hours.

*Comments:* On December 26, 2023, the OCC published a 60-day notice for this information collection, 88 FR 89026. No comments were received.

Comments continue to be invited on:

(a) Whether the collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the OCC, including whether the information has practical utility;

(b) The accuracy of the OCC's estimate of the burden of the collection of information;

(c) Ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected;

(d) Ways to minimize the burden of the collection on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology; and

(e) Estimates of capital or start-up costs and costs of operation, maintenance, and purchase of services to provide information.

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## DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

### Advisory Committee on Cemeteries and Memorials, Notice of Meeting

The Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) gives notice under the Federal Advisory Committee Act, 5 U.S.C. ch. 10, that the annual meeting of the Advisory Committee on Cemeteries and Memorials will be held May 8–9, 2024. The meeting sessions will begin and end as follows:

Date(s):	Time(s):	Location(s)	Open to the public
May 8, 2024 .....	9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. Eastern Standard Time (EST)	Andersonville National Cemetery, 496 Cemetery Road, Andersonville, GA 31711.	Yes.
May 8, 2024 .....	2:00 p.m. to 2:45 p.m. EST .....	Fort Moore Post Cemetery, 64–66 Custer Road, Columbus, GA 31905.	No.
May 8, 2024 .....	3:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. EST .....	Fort Mitchell National Cemetery, 553 Highway 165, Fort Mitchell, AL 36856.	Yes.
May 9, 2024 .....	9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. EST .....	Marriott Columbus, 800 Front Avenue, Columbus, GA 31901.	Yes.

Sessions are open to the public, except when the Committee is conducting a tour of the Fort Moore Post Cemetery. The Fort Moore Post Cemetery tour has enhanced opportunities for interactions that would implicate privacy and personal information disclosure concerns. Tours of VA facilities are generally closed when it is necessary to protect privacy and personal information. 5 U.S.C. 552b(c)(6). Accordingly this tour is a closed session of the Committee.

The purpose of the Committee is to advise the Secretary of Veterans Affairs on the administration of national cemeteries, soldiers' lots and plots, the selection of new national cemetery sites, the erection of appropriate memorials, and the adequacy of Federal burial benefits. The Committee makes recommendations to the Secretary regarding such activities.

On Wednesday, May 8, 2024, the Committee will convene an open session from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. EST with tours to Andersonville National Cemetery and Fort Mitchell National Cemetery. The Committee will convene a closed session from 2:00 p.m. to 2:45 p.m. EST. The Committee will reconvene in an open session from 3:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. EST at the Fort Mitchell National Cemetery. Transportation will not be provided for the public.

On Thursday, May 9, 2024, the Committee will convene an open session from 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. EST. The agenda will include remarks by National Cemetery Administration leadership, and briefings from the Office of Cemetery Operations and Field Programs, Office of Engagement and Memorial Innovation, as well as the status of committee recommendations, public comments, and open discussion.

Any member of the public seeking additional information should contact Ms. Faith Hopkins, Designated Federal Officer, at 202–603–4499. Please leave a voice mail message. The Committee will also accept written comments. Comments may be transmitted electronically to the Committee at [faith.hopkins@va.gov](mailto:faith.hopkins@va.gov). In the public's

communications with the Committee, the writers must identify themselves and state the organizations, associations, or persons they represent.

Any member of the public who wishes to attend the meeting virtually on May 9, 2024, may use the following Cisco Webex Meeting Link:

Join On Your Computer Or Mobile App: <https://veteransaffairs.webex.com/j.php?MTID=mfa919558f3ede94e324627e9f21022ec>.

Meeting number: 2824 163 0470

Password: GYpUMKK\$648

Join by phone: 404–397–1596

Access code: 2824 163 0470

Dated: March 25, 2024.

**Jelessa M. Burney,**  
Federal Advisory Committee Management Officer.

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**DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS**

**Loan Guaranty: Specially Adapted Housing Assistive Technology Grant Program**

**AGENCY:** Department of Veterans Affairs.

**ACTION:** Notice of funding opportunity.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) is publishing the announcement of the availability of funds for the Specially Adapted Housing Assistive Technology (SAHAT) Grant Program for fiscal year (FY) 2024. The objective of the grant is to encourage the development of new assistive technologies for Specially Adapted Housing (SAH) grant recipients. This notice is intended to provide applicants with the information necessary to apply for the SAHAT Grant Program. VA strongly recommends referring to the SAHAT Grant Program regulation in conjunction with this notice. The registration process described in this notice applies only to applicants who will register to submit project applications for FY 2024 SAHAT Grant Program funds.

**DATES:** Applications for the SAHAT Grant Program must be submitted through [www.Grants.gov](http://www.Grants.gov) by 11:59 p.m. Eastern Standard Time on April 28, 2024. Awards made for the SAHAT Grant Program will fund operations for FY 2024. The SAHAT Grant Program application package for funding opportunity VA–SAHAT–24–09 is available through [www.Grants.gov](http://www.Grants.gov) and is listed as VA-Specially Adapted Housing Assistive Technology Grant Program. Applications may not be sent by mail, email, or facsimile. All application materials must be in a format compatible with the [www.Grants.gov](http://www.Grants.gov) application submission tool. Applications must be submitted as a complete package. Materials arriving separately will not be included in the application package for consideration and may result in the application being rejected. Technical assistance with the preparation of an initial SAHAT Grant Program application is available by contacting the program official listed below.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Jason Latona, Assistant Director, Specially Adapted Housing, Loan Guaranty Service, Veterans Benefits Administration, Department of Veterans Affairs, 810 Vermont Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20420, 202–461–9201 or [Jason.Latona@va.gov](mailto:Jason.Latona@va.gov). This is not a toll-free telephone number.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This notice is divided into eight sections. Section I provides a summary of and background information on the SAHAT Grant Program as well as the statutory authority, desired outcomes, funding priorities, definitions, and delegation of authority. Section II covers award information, including funding availability and the anticipated start date of the SAHAT Grant Program. Section III provides detailed information on eligibility and the threshold criteria for submitting an application. Section IV provides detailed application and submission information, including how to request an application, application content, and submission dates and times. Section V