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## UNITED STATES AFRICAN DEVELOPMENT FOUNDATION

### Public Quarterly Meeting of the Board of Directors

**AGENCY:** United States African Development Foundation.

**ACTION:** Notice of meeting.

**SUMMARY:** The U.S. African Development Foundation (USADF) will hold its quarterly meeting of the Board of Directors to discuss the agency's programs and administration. This meeting will occur at the USADF office.

**DATES:** The meeting date is Tuesday, October 29, 2024, 9 a.m. to 12:00 noon.

**ADDRESSES:** The meeting location is USADF, 1400 I St. NW, Suite 1000, Washington, DC 20005.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Kerline Perry, (202) 233-8805.

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## DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

### Food and Nutrition Service

#### Agency Information Collection Activities: Longitudinal Study of SNAP Households AKA The Study of Household Insights and Nutritional Experiences (SHINE)

**AGENCY:** Food and Nutrition Service (FNS), USDA.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, this notice invites the general public and other public agencies to comment on this proposed information collection. This new collection will provide the

U.S. Department of Agriculture, Food and Nutrition Service (FNS) key information from a large representative sample of SNAP households to enable FNS to examine how SNAP households change through time.

**DATES:** Written comments must be received on or before December 17, 2024.

**ADDRESSES:** Comments may be sent to: Michael Burke, Food and Nutrition Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, 1320 Braddock Place, 5th Floor, Alexandria, VA 22314. Comments may also be submitted via email to [michael.burke@fns.usda.gov](mailto:michael.burke@fns.usda.gov). Comments will also be accepted through the Federal eRulemaking Portal. Go to <http://www.regulations.gov>, and follow the online instructions for submitting comments electronically.

All responses to this notice will be summarized and included in the request for Office of Management and Budget approval. All comments will be a matter of public record.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Requests for additional information or copies of this information collection should be directed to Michael Burke at 703-305-4369.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions that were 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 on those who are to respond, including use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

**Title:** Longitudinal Study of SNAP Households AKA The Study of Household Insights and Nutritional Experiences (SHINE).

**Form Number:** N/A.

**OMB Number:** 0584-NEW.

**Expiration Date:** Not Yet Determined.

**Type of Request:** New collection.

**Abstract:** This is a new information collection request. The Supplemental

Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) provides monthly benefits to low-income households to reduce food insecurity and improve health and well-being. SNAP policies and benefit calculations change over time in response to economic factors, such as inflation, high unemployment, and changes in Federal budget priorities. To understand SNAP's effectiveness at helping participants maintain their food-purchasing power following such changes, the Food and Nutrition Service (FNS) requires accurate and timely data about SNAP households. The sample must be large enough to produce reliable conclusions and detailed enough to examine policy changes affecting only subpopulations of SNAP participants. The Food and Nutrition Act of 2008, as amended through Public Law 116-94, enacted December 20, 2019, provides the legislative authority for FNS to administer SNAP. Section 17 of the Act authorizes FNS to conduct research to help improve the administration and effectiveness of SNAP.

The proposed study—Longitudinal Study of SNAP Households AKA The Study of Household Insights and Nutritional Experiences (SHINE)—will conduct a longitudinal survey among a nationally representative sample of SNAP households. The study will also field a dietary recall assessment interview among a subset of households. These data will enable FNS to conduct detailed analyses of SNAP participants' characteristics over time and observe how they respond to Federal, State, and local policy and economic changes. With these data, FNS will be able to examine how participating SNAP households fared before and after potential economic shocks or policy changes, reducing reliance on comparisons of changes for broad groups of participants.

SHINE overcomes the limitations of the data FNS currently uses to examine SNAP policies and effects on households. FNS' currently available data sources typically lack the detail required for in-depth study, do not include a representative sample, or do not include the same households over time. This study addresses these issues by collecting key information for a large representative sample of SNAP households through time, drawn from State SNAP administrative data.