

related fields; (4) to advise the OPC on national ocean research priorities; and (5) any additional responsibilities that the OPC considers appropriate.

**Status:** The December 3, 2024 meeting will be open to public participation with a 30-minute public comment period at 3:15 p.m. EST. The ORAP expects that public statements presented at its meetings will not be repetitive of previously submitted verbal or written statements. In general, each individual or group making a verbal presentation will be limited to a total time of three minutes. Written comments for the December 3–4, 2024 meeting should be received by November 20, 2024 by the ORAP DFO ([DFO.orap@noaa.gov](mailto:DFO.orap@noaa.gov)) to provide sufficient time for ORAP review. Written comments received by the ORAP DFO after this date will be distributed to the ORAP, but may not be reviewed prior to the meeting date.

**Special Accommodations:** These meetings are physically accessible to people with disabilities. Requests for special accommodations may be directed to the ORAP DFO no later than 12 p.m. EST on November 20, 2024.

**Matters to be Considered:** During the ORAP meeting on Dec. 13–14, 2023, the Ocean Policy Committee (OPC) requested that the ORAP advise on areas of opportunity for partnership (such as through the National Oceanic Partnership Program) on the topic of emerging technology (which could include Artificial Intelligence/Machine Learning, eDNA, and similar technology) with ocean industry and other sectors over the next 5–10 years. The OPC also requested that ORAP self-select another topic to address. The ORAP members agreed that the topic of accessible, inter-operable, interdisciplinary, and trusted ocean data to meet research and user needs is critical and deserves ORAP immediate attention. At this meeting on December 3–4, 2024, ORAP members will examine barriers, challenges, and potential mechanisms that expand opportunities for public-private partnerships by engaging external input from Government and Industry.

Meeting materials, including work products, will be made available on the ORAP website: <https://www.noaa.gov/ocean-research-advisory-panel/orap-public-meetings>.

Dated: October 23, 2024.

**David Holst,**

*Director Chief Financial Officer/CAO, Office of Oceanic and Atmospheric Research, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration.*

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**COMMISSION OF FINE ARTS**

**Notice of Meeting**

Per 45 CFR 2102.3, the next meeting of the U.S. Commission of Fine Arts is scheduled for November 21, 2024, at 9 a.m. and will be held via online videoconference. Items of discussion may include buildings, infrastructure, parks, memorials, and public art.

Draft agendas, the link to register for the online public meeting, and additional information regarding the Commission are available on our website: [www.cfa.gov](http://www.cfa.gov). Inquiries regarding the agenda, as well as any public testimony, should be addressed to Thomas Luebke, Secretary, U.S. Commission of Fine Arts, at the above address; by emailing [cfastaff@cfa.gov](mailto:cfastaff@cfa.gov); or by calling 202–504–2200. Individuals requiring sign language interpretation for the hearing impaired should contact the Secretary at least 10 days before the meeting date.

Dated November 4, 2024 in Washington, DC.

**Zakiya N. Walters,**

*Administrative Officer.*

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**CORPORATION FOR NATIONAL AND COMMUNITY SERVICE**

**Sunshine Act Meetings**

The Board of Directors of the Corporation for National and Community Service (operating as AmeriCorps) gives notice of the following meeting:

**TIME AND DATE:** Wednesday, November 20, 2024, 1:00 p.m.–2:00 p.m. (ET).

**PLACE:** AmeriCorps, 250 E Street SW, Washington, DC 20525. For health and safety reasons, this will be a virtual meeting.

- To register for the meeting, please use this link: [https://americorps.zoomgov.com/webinar/register/WN\\_2g06wm-NSzOcWzFTDtMWaA](https://americorps.zoomgov.com/webinar/register/WN_2g06wm-NSzOcWzFTDtMWaA).

- Webinar ID:** 161 300 7199.

- Passcode:** 625067.

- To participate by phone, call toll free: 833 568 8864.

**STATUS:** Open to the public.

**MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:**

- I. Opening Remarks by the Chair
- II. CEO Report
- III. OGA Committee Report Out
- IV. Spotlight: AmeriCorps will share details from its new Volunteering and Civic Life in America research, a comprehensive look at how Americans make a difference in

their communities and promote the common good.

V. Chair's Closing Remarks and Adjournment

Members of the public who would like to comment on the business of the Board may do so in writing or virtually. Submit written comments to [board@americorps.gov](mailto:board@americorps.gov) with the subject line: "Comments for November 20, 2024, AmeriCorps Board Meeting" no later than 5:00 p.m. (ET) November 13, 2024. Individuals who would like to comment during the meeting will be given instructions for signing up when they join the meeting. Comments are requested to be limited to two minutes.

AmeriCorps provides reasonable accommodation to individuals with disabilities, where needed.

**CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION:** Meliha Tokay by telephone: 202–914–6854 or by email: [board@americorps.gov](mailto:board@americorps.gov).

**Andrea Grill,**

*Acting General Counsel.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE**

**Defense Acquisition Regulations System**

[Docket Number DARS–2024–0036; OMB Control Number 0704–0231]

**Information Collection Requirement; Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement (DFARS) Part 237, Service Contracting, and Related Clauses and Forms**

**AGENCY:** Defense Acquisition Regulations System; Department of Defense (DoD).

**ACTION:** Notice and request for comments regarding a proposed extension of an approved information collection requirement.

**SUMMARY:** In compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, DoD announces a proposed extension of a public information collection requirement and seeks public comment on the provisions thereof. DoD invites comments on: whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of DoD, including whether the information will have practical utility; the accuracy of DoD's estimate of the burden of the proposed information collection; ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and ways to minimize the burden of the information collection on

respondents, including the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology. The Office of Management and Budget (OMB) has approved this information collection for use under Control Number 0704–0231 through March 31, 2025. DoD proposes that OMB approve an extension of the information collection requirement, to expire three years after the approval date.

**DATES:** DoD will consider all comments received by January 13, 2025.

**ADDRESSES:** You may submit comments, identified by OMB Control Number 0704–0231, using either of the following methods:

o *Federal eRulemaking Portal:* <https://www.regulations.gov>. Follow the instructions for submitting comments.

o *Email:* [osd.dfars@mail.mil](mailto:osd.dfars@mail.mil). Include OMB Control Number 0704–0231 in the subject line of the message.

Comments received generally will be posted without change to <https://www.regulations.gov>, including any personal information provided.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Ms. Saleemah McMillan, at 202–308–5383.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** *Title and OMB Number:* Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement (DFARS) Part 237, Service Contracting, associated DFARS Clauses at DFARS 252.237, DD Form 2062, and DD Form 2063; OMB Control Number 0704–0231.

*Affected Public:* Businesses or other for-profit and not-for-profit institutions. *Respondent's Obligation:* Required to obtain or retain benefits.

*Frequency:* On occasion.

*Number of Respondents:* 7,018.

*Responses Per Respondent:* 3.8.

*Annual Responses:* 26,564.

*Average Burden Per Response:* 1.01 hours.

*Annual Burden Hours:* 26,738.

*Needs and Uses:* This information collection is used for the following purposes—

a. The information collected pursuant to paragraph (c) of the solicitation provision at DFARS 252.237–7000, Notice of Special Standards of Responsibility, is used to verify that the offeror is properly licensed in the state or other political jurisdiction in which the offeror operates its professional practice.

b. The contract clause at DFARS 252.237–7011, Preparation History; the DD Form 2062, Record of Preparation and Disposition of Remains (Outside CONUS); and the DD Form 2063, Record of Preparation and Disposition of Remains (Within CONUS) are used to verify that the deceased's remains have been properly cared for by the mortuary contractor.

c. The written plan required by the solicitation provision at DFARS 252.237–7024, Notice of Continuation of Essential Contractor Services, submitted by offerors concurrently with the proposal or offer, allows the contracting officer to assess the offeror's capability to continue providing contractually required services to support the DoD component's mission-essential functions during periods of crisis.

d. The information collected pursuant to the contract clause at DFARS 252.237–7023, Continuation of Essential Contractor Services, allows the contracting officer to provide approval of updates to the contractor's plan provided under the provision at DFARS 252.237–7024, to ensure that the contractor can continue to provide services in support of the DoD component's required mission-essential functions during crisis situations.

**Jennifer D. Johnson,**

*Editor/Publisher, Defense Acquisition Regulations System.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

### Office of the Secretary

[Docket ID: DoD–2024–OS–0118]

#### Personnel Demonstration Project at the Defense Health Agency, Research and Development Science and Technology Reinvention Laboratory (STRL)

**AGENCY:** Under Secretary of Defense for Research and Engineering (USD(R&E)), Department of Defense (DoD).

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** This serves as notice of the proposed adoption of an STRL personnel demonstration project plan and additional flexibilities by the Defense Health Agency, Research and Development (DHA R&D), a DoD STRL. DHA R&D is an STRL comprised of medical research organizations that were formerly components of Military Department organizations, including the U.S. Army Medical Research and Development Command (USAMRDC), a successor to the U.S. Army Medical Research and Material Command (USAMRMC). The DHA R&D proposes to adopt the personnel demonstration project plan of the USAMRDC at the **Federal Register** issue of March 3, 1998. In addition, DHA R&D proposes to adopt certain personnel flexibilities available to all DoD STRLs.

**DATES:** This proposal may not be implemented until a 30-day comment period is provided, comments addressed, and a final **Federal Register** notice published. To be considered, written comments must be submitted on or before December 13, 2024.

**ADDRESSES:** You may submit comments, identified by docket number and title, by any of the following methods:

*Federal eRulemaking Portal:* <https://www.regulations.gov>. Follow the instructions for submitting comments.

*Mail:* Department of Defense, Office of the Assistant to the Secretary of Defense for Privacy, Civil Liberties, and Transparency, Regulatory Directorate, 4800 Mark Center Drive, Attn: Mailbox 24, Suite 05F16, Alexandria, VA 22350–1700.

*Instructions:* All submissions must include the agency name, docket number and title for this **Federal Register** document. The general policy for comments and other submissions from members of the public is to make these submissions available for public viewing on the internet at <http://www.regulations.gov> as they are received without change, including any personal identifiers or contact information.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

- *DHA R&D STRL:* Linda Krout, 301–619–7276, [linda.j.krout.civ@health.mil](mailto:linda.j.krout.civ@health.mil).
- *Office of Under Secretary of Defense (Research and Engineering), DoD Laboratories, Defense Research Enterprise:* Julia Parakkat, 703–625–5768, [julia.b.parakkat.civ@mail.mil](mailto:julia.b.parakkat.civ@mail.mil).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Pursuant to section 4121 of title 10, United States Code (U.S.C.), the Secretary of Defense is authorized to conduct personnel demonstration projects at laboratories designated as DoD STRLs. DoD STRLs must have an approved personnel demonstration project plan published in an FRN and fulfill any collective bargaining obligations before implementing the demonstration project or adopting the flexibilities available to other DoD STRL demonstration projects. In implementing this plan, DHA R&D will establish internal operating procedures as appropriate.

#### 1. Background

A personnel demonstration project was implemented at the USAMRMC in accordance with the plan at 63 FR 10440 (March 3, 1998). In 2019, the USAMRMC was redesignated as the USAMRDC and the personnel demonstration project notice at 63 FR 10440 was updated through a minor modification on August 30, 2019, to reflect this change. On May 5, 2024,