

Activity	Number of respondents	Number of responses	Completion time per response (in hours)	Total annual burden hours
Initial Application (project narrative) .....	200	2,500	40	100,000
Revision of Award Terms (Amendment) .....	150	1,500	2	3,000
Performance Reports .....	200	3,500	6	21,000
Totals .....	550	7,500	.....	124,000

**Abstract:** The Wildlife and Sport Fish Restoration Program (WSFR), U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, administers financial assistance programs (see 77 FR 3489, January 24, 2012). We award most financial assistance as grants, but cooperative agreements are possible if the Federal Government will be substantially involved in carrying out the project. You can find a description of most programs in the Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance.

To apply for financial assistance funds, you must submit an application that describes in substantial detail project locations, benefits, funding, and other characteristics. Materials to assist applicants in formulating project proposals are available on Grants.gov. We use the application to determine:

- Eligibility for the grant.
- Scale of resource values or relative worth of the project.
- Effect of the project on environmental and cultural resources.
- How well the proposed project will meet the purposes of the program's establishing legislation.

Persons or entities receiving grants must submit periodic performance reports that contain information necessary for us to track costs and accomplishments.

**Comments:** On January 24, 2012, we published in the **Federal Register** (77 FR 3489) a notice of our intent to request that OMB renew approval for this information collection. In that notice, we solicited comments for 60 days, ending on March 26, 2012. We received one comment. The commenter objected to the funding of these grants, but did not address the information collection requirements. We did not make any changes to our requirements.

We again invite comments concerning this information collection on:

- Whether or not the collection of information is necessary, including whether or not the information will have practical utility;
- The accuracy of our estimate of the burden for this collection of information;
- Ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and

- Ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents.

Comments that you submit in response to this notice are a matter of public record. Before including your address, phone number, email address, or other personal identifying information in your comment, you should be aware that your entire comment, including your personal identifying information, may be made publicly available at any time. While you can ask OMB in your comment to withhold your personal identifying information from public review, we cannot guarantee that it will be done.

Dated: May 31, 2012.

**Tina A. Campbell,**

Chief, Division of Policy and Directives Management, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service.

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Fish and Wildlife Service

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#### Proposed Information Collection; Bald Eagle Post-delisting Monitoring

**AGENCY:** Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice; request for comments.

**SUMMARY:** We (U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service) will ask the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) to approve the information collection (IC) described below. As required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 and as part of our continuing efforts to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, we invite the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on this IC. This IC is scheduled to expire on November 30, 2012. We may not conduct or sponsor and a person is not required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number.

**DATES:** To ensure that we are able to consider your comments on this IC, we must receive them by August 6, 2012.

**ADDRESSES:** Send your comments on the IC to the Service Information Collection Clearance Officer, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, MS 2042-PDM, 4401 North Fairfax Drive, Arlington, VA 22203 (mail); or [INFOCOL@fws.gov](mailto:INFOCOL@fws.gov) (email). Please include "1018-0143" in the subject line of your comments.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** To request additional information about this IC, contact Hope Grey at [INFOCOL@fws.gov](mailto:INFOCOL@fws.gov) (email) or 703-358-2482 (telephone).

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### I. Abstract

This information collection implements the requirements of the Endangered Species Act (16 U.S.C. 1531 *et seq.*) (ESA). There are no corresponding Service regulations for the ESA's post-delisting monitoring requirement.

The bald eagle (*Haliaeetus leucocephalus*) in the lower 48 States was removed from the List of Endangered and Threatened Wildlife (delisted) on August 8, 2007 (72 FR 37346, July 9, 2007). Section 4(g) of the ESA requires that all species that are recovered and removed from the List of Endangered and Threatened Wildlife be monitored in cooperation with the States for a period of not less than 5 years. The purpose of this requirement is to detect any failure of a recovered species to sustain itself without the protections of the ESA. We work with relevant Federal, State, and tribal entities, and other species experts to develop plans and procedures for systematically monitoring recovered wildlife and plants after a species is delisted.

The bald eagle has a large geographic distribution that includes a substantial amount of non-Federal land. Although the ESA requires that monitoring of recovered species be conducted for not less than 5 years, the life history of bald eagles is such that it is appropriate to monitor this species for a longer period of time in order to meaningfully evaluate whether or not the bald eagle

continues to maintain its recovered status.

We plan to monitor the status of the bald eagle in the 48 contiguous States by collecting data on nests over a 20-year period with sampling events held once every 5 years. The Post-delisting Monitoring Plan for the Bald Eagle (Plan) describes monitoring procedures and methods. The Plan is available at [http://www.fws.gov/midwest/eagle/protect/FINAL\\_BEPDM11May2010.pdf](http://www.fws.gov/midwest/eagle/protect/FINAL_BEPDM11May2010.pdf). We will use the monitoring data to review the status of the bald eagle in the United States and determine if it remains recovered and, therefore, does not require the protections of the ESA.

## II. Data

*OMB Control Number:* 1018-0143.

*Title:* Bald Eagle Post-delisting Monitoring.

*Type of Request:* Extension of a currently approved collection.

*Description of Respondents:* States, tribes, and local governments; Federal land managers; and nongovernmental partners.

*Respondent's Obligation:* Voluntary.

*Frequency of Collection:* Once every 5 years.

**Note:** For each 5-year survey, we estimate a total of 48 respondents will provide 48 responses totaling 1,478 burden hours. The burden estimates below are annualized over the 3-year period of OMB approval.

*Estimated Annual Number of Respondents:* 16.

*Estimated Total Annual Responses:* 16.

*Estimated Time per Response:* 30.8 hours.

*Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours:* 493.

## III. Comments

We invite comments concerning this information collection on:

- Whether or not the collection of information is necessary, including whether or not the information will have practical utility;
- The accuracy of our estimate of the burden for this collection of information;
- Ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and
- Ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents.

Comments that you submit in response to this notice are a matter of public record. We will include or summarize each comment in our request to OMB to approve this IC. Before including your address, phone number, email address, or other personal identifying information in your

comment, you should be aware that your entire comment, including your personal identifying information, may be made publicly available at any time. While you can ask us in your comment to withhold your personal identifying information from public review, we cannot guarantee that we will be able to do so.

Dated: May 31, 2012.

**Tina A. Campbell,**  
Chief, Division of Policy and Directives  
Management, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service.

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Bureau of Land Management

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### Notice of Public Meeting; Wyoming Resource Advisory Council

**AGENCY:** Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976 and the Federal Advisory Committee Act of 1972, the U.S. Department of the Interior, Bureau of Land Management's (BLM) Wyoming Resource Advisory Council (RAC) will meet as indicated below.

**DATES:** Wednesday, July 11 (7:30 a.m.–5:00 p.m.) and Thursday, July 12 (7:30 a.m.–4 p.m.), 2012.

**ADDRESSES:** The Cody Hotel, 232 West Yellowstone Avenue, Cody, Wyoming.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This 10-member RAC advises the Secretary of the Interior on a variety of management issues associated with public land management in Wyoming. All RAC meetings are open to the public. Public comments will be accepted at the end of the second day for this meeting. Depending on the number of persons wishing to comment and the time available, the time for individual oral comments may be limited. The public may also submit written comments to the RAC.

On July 11, a field tour of the McCullough Peaks Herd Management Area will be followed by a panel discussion on the BLM's wild horse partnership with Friends of a Legacy and Marathon Oil, water projects, porcine zona pellucida and the overall wild horse program; a RAC business session; and a presentation on fire and fuels. On July 12, a field tour to North Fork/Rattlesnake Mountain will be followed by continued discussion of

RAC business; an overview of the BLM Wyoming Wind River/Bighorn Basin District and Cody Field Office; and a travel management planning process discussion.

The public may attend the field tour portions of the agenda, but must provide their own transportation. High clearance vehicles are recommended.

### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Cindy Wertz, Wyoming Resource Advisory Council Coordinator, Wyoming State Office, 5353 Yellowstone, Cheyenne, WY 82009; telephone 307-775-6014; email [cwertz@blm.gov](mailto:cwertz@blm.gov). Persons who use a telecommunications device for the deaf may call the Federal Information Relay Service (FIRS) at 1-800-877-8339 to contact the above individual during normal business hours. The FIRS is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, to leave a message or question with the above individual. You will receive a reply during normal business hours.

**Donald A. Simpson,**

State Director.

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Bureau of Reclamation

### Agency Information Collection Activities; Renewal of a Currently Approved Information Collection (OMB Control Number 1006-0029)

**AGENCY:** Bureau of Reclamation, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice of renewal and request for comments.

**SUMMARY:** The Bureau of Reclamation intends to submit a request for renewal of an existing approved information collection to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB): Reclamation Rural Water Supply Program (OMB Control Number 1006-0029). Title 43 CFR part 404 requires entities interested in participating in the Rural Water Supply Program (Rural Water Program) to submit information to allow Reclamation to evaluate and prioritize requests for financial or technical assistance.

**DATES:** Submit written comments by August 6, 2012.

**ADDRESSES:** Send written comments on this information collection to Christopher Perry, Bureau of Reclamation, 84-55000, P.O. Box 25007, Denver, CO 80225; or to [cperry@usbr.gov](mailto:cperry@usbr.gov).