species, and (3) the granted permit would be consistent with the purposes and policy set forth in section 2 of the ESA.

## **Availability of Documents**

The permittees' original permit application materials, along with public comments we received during public comment periods for the applications, are available for review. To locate the application materials and received comments, go to *www.regulations.gov* and search for the appropriate permit number (*e.g.*, 12345C) provided in the following table:

| Permit No. | Applicant                           | Permit issuance date |
|------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------|
| 65009A     | William B. Montgomery               | December 6, 2017.    |
| 32933C     | Mario A. Gutierrez                  | December 6, 2017.    |
| 4006C      | Houston Zoo, Inc                    | December 11, 2017.   |
| 9140B      | Zooworld Zoological                 | December 11, 2017.   |
| 95720B     | McCarthy's Wildlife Sanctuary       | December 14, 2017.   |
| 85535C     | Richard Frank Rueden                | December 18, 2017.   |
| 7438A      | Jack Phillips                       | December 18, 2017.   |
| 9947A      | Bruce H. Fairchild                  | December 19, 2017.   |
| 5139C      | Omaha's Henry Doorly Zoo & Aquarium | December 19, 2017.   |
| 0470A      | Lucky 7 Exotics Ranch               | December 19, 2017.   |
| 9695C      | Joseph F. Mandola                   | November 14, 2017.   |
| 2630A      | Ripley's Aquarium                   |                      |
| 61887      | American Museum of Natural History  | November 14, 2017.   |
| 80059C     | Columbus Zoo & Aquarium             | November 14, 2017.   |
| 4507C      | St. Catherines Island Foundation    | November 21, 2017.   |
| 362003C    | Wildlife Conservation Society       | November 30, 2017.   |

# Authority

We issue this notice under the authority of the ESA, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1531 *et seq.*).

# Joyce Russell,

Government Information Specialist, Branch of Permits, Division of Management Authority.

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

#### Fish and Wildlife Service

[FWS-R7-R-2018-N028; FF07R08000F-XRS-1263-0700000-178; OMB Control Number 1018-0141]

# Agency Information Collection Activities; Submission to the Office of Management and Budget for Review and Approval; Alaska Guide Service Evaluation

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

**ACTION:** Notice of information collection; request for comment.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, we, the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, are proposing to renew an information collection.

**DATES:** Interested persons are invited to submit comments on or before May 7, 2018.

**ADDRESSES:** Send written comments on this information collection request (ICR) to the Office of Management and Budget's Desk Officer for the Department of the Interior by email at *OIRA\_Submission@omb.eop.gov;* or via facsimile to (202) 395–5806. Please provide a copy of your comments to the Service Information Collection Clearance Officer, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, MS: BPHC, 5275 Leesburg Pike, Falls Church, VA 22041–3803 (mail); or by email to *Info\_Coll@ fws.gov.* Please reference OMB Control Number 1018–0141 in the subject line of your comments.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: To

request additional information about this ICR, contact Madonna L. Baucum, Service Information Collection Clearance Officer, by email at *Info\_ Coll@fws.gov*, or by telephone at (703) 358–2503. You may also view the ICR at *http://www.reginfo.gov/public/do/ PRAMain.* 

## SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: ${\rm In}$

accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, we provide the general public and other Federal agencies with an opportunity to comment on new, proposed, revised, and continuing collections of information. This helps us assess the impact of our information collection requirements and minimize the public's reporting burden. It also helps the public understand our information collection requirements and provide the requested data in the desired format.

On August 31, 2017, we published in the **Federal Register** (82 FR 41423) a notice of our intent to request that OMB approve this information collection. In that notice, we solicited comments for 60 days, ending on October 30, 2017. We received no comments in response to that notice.

We are again soliciting comments on the proposed ICR that is described below. We are especially interested in public comment addressing the following issues: (1) Is the collection necessary to the proper functions of the Service; (2) will this information be processed and used in a timely manner; (3) is the estimate of burden accurate; (4) how might the Service enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (5) how might the Service minimize the burden of this collection on the respondents, including through the use of information technology.

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 us in your comment to withhold your personal identifying information from public review, we cannot guarantee that we will be able to do so.

*Abstract:* We collect information via FWS Form 3–2349 (Alaska Guide Service Evaluation) to help us evaluate commercial guide services on our national wildlife refuges in the State of Alaska (State). The National Wildlife Refuge Administration Act of 1966, as amended (16 U.S.C. 668dd–ee), authorizes us to permit uses, including commercial visitor services, on national wildlife refuges when we find the activity to be compatible with the purposes for which the refuge was established. With the objective of making available a variety of quality visitor services for wildlife-dependent recreation on National Wildlife Refuge System lands, we issue permits for commercial guide services, including big game hunting, sport fishing, wildlife viewing, river trips, and other guided activities. We use FWS Form 3–2349 as a method to:

• Monitor the quality of services provided by commercial guides.

• Gauge client satisfaction with the services.

• Assess the impacts of the activity on refuge resources.

The client is the best source of information on the quality of commercial guiding services. We collect:

- Client name.
- Guide name(s).
- Type of guided activity.

• Dates and location of guided activity.

• Information on the services received, such as the client's expectations, safety, environmental impacts, and client's overall satisfaction.

We encourage respondents to provide any additional comments that they wish regarding the guide service or refuge experience, and ask whether or not they wish to be contacted for additional information.

The above information, in combination with State-required guide activity reports and contacts with guides and clients in the field, provides a comprehensive method for monitoring permitted commercial guide activities. A regular program of client evaluation helps refuge managers detect potential problems with guide services so that we can take corrective actions promptly. In addition, we use this information during the competitive selection process for big game and sport fishing guide permits to evaluate an applicant's ability to provide a quality guiding service.

*Title of Collection:* Alaska Guide Service Evaluation.

OMB Control Number: 1018–0141. Form Number: FWS Form 3–2349. Type of Review: Extension of a currently approved collection.

*Respondents/Affected Public:* Clients of permitted commercial guide service providers.

<sup>1</sup> Total Estimated Number of Annual Respondents: 264.

Total Estimated Number of Annual Responses: 264.

*Estimated Completion Time per Response:* 15 minutes. Total Estimated Number of Annual Burden Hours: 66.

*Respondent's Obligation:* Voluntary. *Frequency of Collection:* One time, following use of commercial guide services.

*Total Estimated Annual Nonhour Burden Cost:* None.

An agency 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.

The authority for this action is the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*).

Dated: April 3, 2018.

#### Madonna Baucum,

Information Collection Clearance Officer, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service.

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

#### Fish and Wildlife Service

[FWS-HQ-MB-2018-N026; FF09M21200-178-FXMB12320900000; OMB Control Number 1018-0133]

## Agency Information Collection Activities; Control and Management of Resident Canada Geese

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

**ACTION:** Notice of Information Collection; request for comment.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, we, the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (Service), are proposing to renew an information collection.

**DATES:** Interested persons are invited to submit comments on or before June 5, 2018.

ADDRESSES: Send your comments on the information collection request (ICR) by mail to the Service Information Collection Clearance Officer, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, MS: BPHC, 5275 Leesburg Pike, Falls Church, VA 22041– 3803 (mail); or by email to *Info\_Coll@ fws.gov.* Please reference OMB Control Number 1018–0133 in the subject line of your comments.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: To request additional information about this ICR, contact Madonna L. Baucum, Service Information Collection Clearance Officer, by email at *Info\_Coll@fws.gov*, or by telephone at (703) 358–2503.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, we provide the

general public and other Federal agencies with an opportunity to comment on new, proposed, revised, and continuing collections of information. This helps us assess the impact of our information collection requirements and minimize the public's reporting burden. It also helps the public understand our information collection requirements and provide the requested data in the desired format.

We are soliciting comments on the proposed ICR that is described below. We are especially interested in public comment addressing the following issues: (1) Is the collection necessary to the proper functions of the Service; (2) will this information be processed and used in a timely manner; (3) is the estimate of burden accurate; (4) how might the Service enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (5) how might the Service minimize the burden of this collection on the respondents, including through the use of information technology.

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 ICR. 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.

Abstract: The Migratory Bird Treaty Act (16 U.S.C. 703 et seq.) prohibits the take, possession, import, export, transport, sale, purchase, or bartering of migratory birds or their parts, except as permitted under the terms of a valid permit or as permitted by regulations. In 2006, we issued regulations establishing two depredation orders and three control orders that allow State and tribal wildlife agencies, private landowners, and airports to conduct resident Canada goose population management, including the take of birds, nest and eggs. We monitor the data collected for activities under these orders and may rescind an order if monitoring indicates that activities are inconsistent with conservation of Canada geese.

Control order for airports. Our regulations at 50 CFR 21.49 allow managers at commercial, public, and private airports and military airfields and their employees or agents to implement management of resident