

testing prior to implementation of any EBT system and analysis of the results of implementation in a limited pilot project area before expansion of the system. Any State requesting funding for an EBT system must submit an APD.

*Respondents:* State agencies that administer the FSP.

*Number of Respondents:* 53.

*Estimated Number of Responses per Respondent:* Plan of Operation Updates: 53 State agencies once a year.

Form FNS-366A: 53 State agencies once a year.

Form FNS-366B: 53 State agencies once a year.

Advance Planning Documents: 15 State agencies once a year.

Advance Planning Documents for EBT Systems: 10 State agencies once a year.

EBT Reporting: 41 State agencies reporting four times a year.

*Estimate of Burden:* Plan of Operation Updates: The State agencies submit Plan updates at an estimate of 10 hours per respondent, or 530 total hours.

Form FNS-366A: The State agencies submit Form FNS-366A at an estimate of 13 hours per respondent, or 689 total hours.

Form FNS-366B: The total burden for the collection of information for Form FNS-366B is 18 hours per respondent, or 954 hours.

Outreach Plans: We estimate that up to 25 States may submit an Outreach Plan over the next year at an estimate of 1 hour per respondent or 25 total hours.

PRWORA Plan Updates: We estimate 34 States will choose one or more options, and thus will have to respond, at an average .25 hours per response, or a total burden of 8.5 hours.

*Advance Planning Documents:*

Approximately 15 State agencies submit an APD each year at an estimate of 10 hours per respondent or 150 total hours.

*Advance Planning Documents for EBT Systems:* Approximately ten State agencies submit an APD each year for an EBT system at an estimate of 35 hours per respondent, or 350 total hours.

*EBT Reporting:* None.

*Estimated Total Annual Burden on Respondents:* The total annual reporting and recordkeeping burden for OMB No. 0584-0083 is estimated to be 2,707 hours, a decrease of 225 hours from the previous estimate and currently approved burden of 2,932 hours. The decrease in the burden is due to a decrease in the number of States who submit an APD and the time to complete an APD.

Dated: June 11, 2003.

**Roberto Salazar,**

*Administrator.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

### Forest Service

#### Information Collection; Youth Conservation Corps

**AGENCY:** Forest Service, USDA.

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

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the Forest Service is seeking comments from all interested individuals and organizations on the extension of a previously approved information collection for forms FS-1800-18, Youth Conservation Corps Application, and FS-1800-3, Youth Conservation Corps Medical History. The collected information will help the Forest Service evaluate the employment eligibility of youth 15-18 years old through the Youth Conservation Corps Program. Under this Program, the Forest Service cooperates with other Federal agencies to provide seasonal employment for youth.

**DATES:** Comments must be received in writing on or before August 18, 2003 to be assured of consideration. Comments received after that date will be considered to the extent practicable.

**ADDRESSES:** All comments should be addressed to: United States Department of Agriculture, Forest Service, Director, Youth Conservation Corps, Senior, Youth and Volunteer Programs, Mail Stop 1136, PO Box 96090, Washington, DC 20090-1136.

Comments also may be submitted via facsimile to (703) 605-5115 or by e-mail to: [syvp/wo@fs.fed.us](mailto:syvp/wo@fs.fed.us).

The public may inspect comments at the Office of the Director, Senior, Youth and Volunteer Programs, Forest Service, USDA, Room 1010, 1621 North Kent Street, Arlington, VA 22209. Visitors are asked to call (703) 605-4831 in advance to facilitate entrance into the office.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Ransom Hughes, Youth Conservation Corps, Senior, Youth and Volunteer Program at (703) 605-4854.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### Background

Under the Youth Conservation Corps Act of August 13, 1970, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1701)—(1706), the U.S. Department of Agriculture Forest Service in cooperation with the U.S. Department of the Interior Fish and Wildlife Service, National Park Service and Bureau of Land Management provide seasonal employment for eligible youth 15 to 18 years old.

Youth who seek training and employment with the Forest Service

through the Youth Conservation Corps must complete the following forms: (1) FS 1800-18, Youth Conservation Corps Application, and (2) FS-1800-3, Youth Conservation Corps Medical History. Forest Service and Department of the Interior employees use the information to evaluate the eligibility of each applicant.

The Youth Conservation Corps stresses three important objectives:

1. Accomplish needed conservation work on public lands;
2. Provide gainful employment for 15 to 18 year old males and females from all social, economic, ethnic, and racial backgrounds; and
3. Foster, on the part of the 15 to 18 year old youth, an understanding and appreciation of the Nation's natural resources and heritage.

#### Description of Information Collection

1. *Title:* FS-1800-18, Youth Conservation Corps (YCC) Application.

*OMB Number:* 0596-0084.

*Expiration Date of Approval:* September 30, 2003.

*Type of Request:* Extension of an information collection previously approved by the Office of Management and Budget.

*Abstract:* Employees of the U.S. Department of Agriculture, Forest Service and the U.S. Department of the Interior, Fish and Wildlife Service, National Park Service and Bureau of Land Management will evaluate the data and determine the eligibility of each youth for employment with the Youth Conservation Corps. To be considered for employment with the Corps, each youth must complete FS-1800-18, Youth Conservation Corps Application Form. Applicants are asked to answer questions that include their name, social security number, date of birth, mailing address, and telephone number. The applicant's parents or guardian must sign the form.

Data gathered in this information collection are not available from other sources.

*Estimate of Annual Burden:* 6 minutes.

*Type of Respondents:* Youth 15 to 18 years old.

*Estimated Annual Number of Respondents:* 18,000.

*Estimated Annual Number of Responses per Respondent:* 1.

*Estimated Total Annual Burden on Respondents:* 1,800 hours.

#### Description of Information Collection

2. *Title:* FS-1800-3, Youth Conservation Corps Medical History.

*OMB Number:* 0596-0084.

*Expiration Date of Approval:* September 30, 2003.

*Type of Request:* Extension of an information collection previously approved by the Office of Management and Budget.

*Abstract:* To be considered for employment with the Corps, each youth must complete FS-1800-3, Youth Conservation Corps Medical History Form. Applicants are asked to answer questions regarding their personal health. The purpose of FS-1800-3 is to certify the youth's physical fitness to work in the seasonal employment Program. The applicant's parents or guardian must sign the form.

Data gathered in this information collection are not available from other sources.

*Estimate of Annual Burden:* 14 minutes.

*Type of Respondents:* Youth 15 to 18 years old.

*Estimated Annual Number of Respondents:* 18,000.

*Estimated Annual Number of Responses per Respondent:* 1.

*Estimated Total Annual Burden on Respondents:* 4,200 hours.

#### Comment Is Invited

The agency invites comments on the following: (a) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the stated purpose and the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical or scientific 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 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 respondents, including the use of automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

#### Use of Comments

All comments received in response to this notice, including names and address when provided, will become a matter of public record. Comments will be summarized and included in the request for Office of Management and Budget.

Dated: June 11, 2003.

**Irving W. Thomas,**

*Acting Deputy Chief Operations.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

[I.D. 061203F]

#### Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

The Department of Commerce has submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for clearance the following proposal for collection of information under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35).

*Agency:* National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA).

*Title:* National Marine Sanctuaries - Socioeconomic Impacts of Marine Reserves.

*Form Number(s):* None.

*OMB Approval Number:* 0648-0408.

*Type of Request:* Regular submission.

*Burden Hours:* 1,330.

*Number of Respondents:* 665.

*Average Hours Per Response:* 2.

*Needs and Uses:* NOAA's National Marine Sanctuaries are authorized under the National Marine Sanctuary Act to use zoning to prohibit or restrict uses in certain portions (zones) of sanctuaries. Ecological Reserves, Sanctuary Preservation Areas, or Marine Reserves (no-take zones) are being proposed. There is a need to evaluate the socioeconomic impact that no-take zones might have on different user groups. Those activities that might be displaced from no-take zones include commercial fishing operations, recreational fishing operations, and individuals takes of anything in the area. The surveys will collect socioeconomic data for use by NOAA, sanctuary advisory councils, and similar participants in the planning process.

*Affected Public:* Business or other for-profit organizations, individuals or households, and not-for-profit institutions.

*Frequency:* Annually, one-time.

*Respondent's Obligation:* Voluntary.

*OMB Desk Officer:* David Rostker, (202) 395-3897.

Copies of the above information collection proposal can be obtained by calling or writing Diana Hynek, Departmental Paperwork Clearance Officer, (202) 482-0266, Department of Commerce, Room 6625, 14th and Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20230 (or via the Internet at [dHynek@doc.gov](mailto:dHynek@doc.gov)).

Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be sent within 30 days of publication of this notice to David Rostker, OMB Desk

Officer, Room 10202, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503.

Dated: June 11, 2003.

**Gwellnar Banks,**

*Management Analyst, Office of the Chief Information Officer.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

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#### Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

The Department of Commerce has submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for clearance the following proposal for collection of information under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35).

*Agency:* National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA).

*Title:* Northeast Region Vessel Monitoring and Communications.

*Form Number(s):* None.

*OMB Approval Number:* 0648-0404.

*Type of Request:* Regular submission.

*Burden Hours:* 974.

*Number of Respondents:* 150.

*Average Hours Per Response:* 1 hour for installation of a vessel monitoring system (VMS); 2 minutes for verification of installation; 5 seconds for an automatic position report; and 2 minutes for a Letter of Authorization Exemption request.

*Needs and Uses:* Owners or operators of vessels that have caught 500 metric tons of herring in the past year, or intend to catch 500 metric tons in the current year, must equip their vessels with an approved Vessel Monitoring System (VMS). The VMS units automatically report the vessel's position at least once per hour when the vessel is underway. Vessel owners must submit proof that the VMS has been installed. Herring carriers may be exempted from this requirement by obtaining a letter of authorization from NOAA.

*Affected Public:* Business or other for-profit organizations, individuals or households.

*Frequency:* On occasion, hourly.

*Respondent's Obligation:* Mandatory.

*OMB Desk Officer:* David Rostker, (202) 395-3897.

Copies of the above information collection proposal can be obtained by calling or writing Diana Hynek, Departmental Paperwork Clearance