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(OFHEO)**

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**For Immediate Release**

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**OFHEO Soliciting Comments for 2006 - 2011  
Strategic Plan**

The Office of Federal Housing Enterprise Oversight (OFHEO) is soliciting comments for its 2006-2011 Strategic Plan. In accordance with the requirements of the Government Performance and Results Act of 1993, OFHEO is developing its 2006-2011 Strategic Plan and soliciting the views and suggestions of those entities potentially affected by or interested in the plan.

OFHEO's [Strategic Plan, for FY 2003 - 2008](#), can be viewed at <http://www.ofheo.gov> in the "[About OFHEO](#)" section. OFHEO's Strategic Plan guides each year's performance goals, as described in the Annual Performance Plans and Performance Budgets. These are available on the OFHEO web site in the "News Center", "[Reports](#)" section.

Please e-mail any comments to [StrategicPlan@ofheo.gov](mailto:StrategicPlan@ofheo.gov) by May 5, 2006. OFHEO will publish a draft plan on the OFHEO web site in late summer.

Notice as printed in [Federal Register](#) is attached.

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*OFHEO's mission is to promote housing and a strong national housing finance system by ensuring the safety and soundness of Fannie Mae and Freddie Mac.*

Response System Advisory Committee is necessary and in the public interest in connection with the performance of duties of the National Urban Search and Rescue Response System. This determination follows consultation with the Committee Management Secretariat, General Services Administration.

*Name of Committee:* National Urban Search and Rescue Response System Advisory Committee.

**DATES:** If you desire to submit comments, they must be submitted by May 8, 2006.

**ADDRESSES:** You may submit comments, identified by Docket Number FEMA-2006-0006 by one of the following methods:

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

E-mail: [FEMA-RULES@dhs.gov](mailto:FEMA-RULES@dhs.gov). Include Docket Number FEMA-2006-0006 in the subject line of the message.

Fax: 202-646-4536.

Mail/Hand Delivery/Courier: Rules Docket Clerk, Office of General Counsel, Federal Emergency Management Agency, Room 840, 500 C Street, SW., Washington, DC 20472.

Instructions: All Submissions received must include the agency name and docket number (FEMA-2006-0006). Regardless of the method used for submitting comments or material, all submissions will be posted, without change, to the Federal eRulemaking Portal at <http://www.regulations.gov>, and will include any personal information you provide. Therefore, submitting this information makes it public. You may wish to read the Privacy Act notice that is available on the Privacy and Use Notice link on the Administration Navigation Bar of <http://www.regulations.gov>.

Docket: For access to the docket to read background documents or comments received, go to the Federal eRulemaking Portal at <http://www.regulations.gov>. Submitted comments may also be inspected at FEMA, Office of General Counsel, 500 C Street, SW., Room 840, Washington, DC 20472.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Michael Tamillow, Chief, Urban Search and Rescue Response System, Federal Emergency Management Agency, 500 C Street, SW., Washington, DC 20472, tel.: (202) 646-2549, email: [mike.tamillow@dhs.gov](mailto:mike.tamillow@dhs.gov).

*Purpose and Objective:* The Committee will advise the Director of the Federal Emergency Management Agency on programmatic, policy, operational, administrative, and technological issues within DHS that

affect the readiness and operational effectiveness of the National Urban Search and Rescue Response System, and other related issues.

*Balanced Membership Plans:* The Committee will consist of not more than 15 members selected for their demonstrated professional and personal qualifications, and on their direct and continuing experience with urban search and rescue activities and organizations. The Committee membership is a balanced mix of sponsoring organizations by geographical region, management, labor, and the Operations Group, which is the principal work group through which all functional work groups report to the Advisory Committee.

*Duration:* Two years, subject to renewal.

*Responsible DHS Officials:* William Lokey, Operations Branch Chief, Response Division, Federal Emergency Management Agency, Department of Homeland Security, 500 C Street, SW., Washington DC 20472, tel. (202) 646-7085, (e-mail) [William.Lokey@dhs.gov](mailto:William.Lokey@dhs.gov).

Dated: April 3, 2006.

**R. David Paulson,**

*Acting Director, Federal Emergency Management Agency, Department of Homeland Security.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

[Docket No. FR-5045-N-14]

### Federal Property Suitable as Facilities to Assist the Homeless

**AGENCY:** Office of the Assistant Secretary for Community Planning and Development, HUD

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** This Notice identifies unutilized, underutilized, excess, and surplus Federal property reviewed by HUD for suitability for possible use to assist the homeless.

**DATES:** *Effective Date:* April 7, 2006.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Kathy Ezzell, Department of Housing and Urban Development, Room 7262, 451 Seventh Street, SW., Washington, DC 20410; telephone (202) 708-1234; TTY number for the hearing- and speech-impaired (202) 708-2565, (these telephone numbers are not toll-free), or call the toll-free Title V information line at 1-800-927-7588.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** In accordance with the December 12, 1988

court order in *National Coalition for the Homeless v. Veterans Administration*, No. 88-2503-OG (D.D.C.), HUD publishes a Notice, on a weekly basis, identifying unutilized, underutilized, excess and surplus Federal buildings and real property that HUD has reviewed for suitability for use to assist the homeless. Today's Notice is for the purpose of announcing that no additional properties have been determined suitable or unsuitable this week.

Dated: March 30, 2006.

**Mark R. Johnston,**

*Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary for Special Needs.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

### Office of Federal Housing Enterprise Oversight; Strategic Plan

**AGENCY:** Office of Federal Housing Enterprise Oversight, HUD.

**ACTION:** Solicitation of comments for Updating the Strategic Plan.

**SUMMARY:** Office of Federal Housing Enterprise Oversight (OFHEO) is soliciting comments as it updates its Strategic Plan. In accordance with the requirements of the Government Performance and Results Act of 1993 that agencies update their Strategic Plans every three years, OFHEO is developing its 2006-2011 Strategic Plan and soliciting the views and suggestions of those entities potentially affected by or interested in the plan. OFHEO's current Strategic Plan, for FY 2003-2008, may be viewed on the OFHEO Web site at <http://www.ofheo.gov> in the "About OFHEO" section.

**DATES:** Written comments regarding the Strategic Plan must be received by May 5, 2006.

**ADDRESSES:** All comments concerning the notice should be addressed to: Susan S. Jacobs, Chief Strategic Planning Officer, Office of Federal Housing Enterprise Oversight, 1700 G Street, NW., Third Floor, Washington, DC 20552. Comments may also be submitted via electronic mail to: "[StrategicPlan@ofheo.gov](mailto:StrategicPlan@ofheo.gov)". OFHEO requests that written comments submitted in hard copy also be accompanied by the electronic version in MS Word or in portable document format (PDF) on 3.5 disk or CD-ROM. If OFHEO cannot read your comment due to technical difficulties and cannot contact you for clarification, OFHEO

may not be able to consider your comment. Electronic files should avoid the use of special characters and any form of encryption, and be free of any defects or viruses.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Susan S. Jacobs, Chief Strategic Planning Officer, Office of Federal Housing Enterprise Oversight, 1700 G Street, NW., Third Floor, Washington, DC 20552, telephone (202) 414-3821 (not a toll-free number). The telephone number for the Telecommunications Device for the Deaf is: (800) 877-8339.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Office of Federal Housing Enterprise Oversight (OFHEO) is charged by Congress, as established in Title XIII of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1992, known as the Federal Housing Enterprises Financial Safety and Soundness Act of 1992, with the mandate of overseeing the Federal National Mortgage Association and the Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation, Fannie Mae and Freddie Mac (Enterprises).

Three years ago, OFHEO adopted a Strategic Plan covering FY 2003-2008. Section 306 of the Government Performance and Results Act of 1993 (GPRA), 31 U.S.C. 1115 *et seq.*, requires that agencies update and revise their Strategic Plans every three years. OFHEO is currently drafting a new plan for FY 2006-2011 that will describe the agency's mission, strategic goals and objectives, and strategies to achieve them. This plan will provide a framework for the years ahead. OFHEO uses its Strategic Plan to guide each year's performance goals, which are described in OFHEO's Annual Performance Budgets. They may be viewed on the OFHEO Web site at <http://www.ofheo.gov> in the "News Center & FOIA" section, "Reports" section.

In today's notice, OFHEO is soliciting the views and suggestions that may be considered in the development of its revised plan. Additionally, OFHEO will publish a draft plan on the OFHEO Web site in late summer and will continue to encourage comments. OFHEO will then submit its Strategic Plan to the President and the Congress, pursuant to the statutory requirements, and make it available to the public on the OFHEO Web site.

Dated: April 3, 2006.

**Stephen A. Blumenthal**

*Acting Director, Office of Federal Housing Enterprise Oversight.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**

**Fish and Wildlife Service**

**Endangered and Threatened Wildlife and Plants; Initiation of a 5-Year Review of Maguire Daisy, Holmgren Milk-Vetch, Shivwits Milk-Vetch, Virgin River Chub, Woundfin, and Kanab Ambersnail**

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

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (Service) announces a 5-year review of Maguire daisy (*Erigeron maguirei*), Holmgren milk-vetch (*Astragalus holmgreniorum*), Shivwits milk-vetch (*Astragalus ampullarioides*), Virgin River chub (*Gila seminuda*), woundfin (*Plagopterus argentissimus*), and Kanab ambersnail (*Oxyloma haydeni kanabensis*) under the Endangered Species Act of 1973 (ESA). The purpose of reviews conducted under this section of the ESA is to ensure that the classification of species as threatened or endangered on the List of Endangered and Threatened Wildlife and Plants (50 CFR 17.12) is accurate. The 5-year review is an assessment of the best scientific and commercial data available at the time of the review.

**DATES:** To allow us adequate time to conduct this review, we must receive your information no later than June 6, 2006. However, we will continue to accept new information about any listed species at any time.

**ADDRESSES:** Submit information to the Utah Field Office, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Attention: 5-year Review, 2369 West Orton Circle, Suite 50, West Valley City, Utah 84119. Information received in response to this notice and review, as well as other documentation in our files, will be available for public inspection, by appointment, during normal business hours, at the above address.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Henry Maddux, Field Supervisor, at the above address, or telephone 801-975-3330.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

**Why Is a 5-Year Review Being Conducted?**

Section 4(c)(2)(A) of the ESA (16 U.S.C. 1531 *et seq.*) requires that we conduct a review of listed species at least once every 5 years. We are then, under section 4(c)(2)(B) and the provisions of subsections (a) and (b), to determine, on the basis of such a review, whether or not any species should be removed from the List of

Endangered and Threatened Wildlife and Plants (delisted), or reclassified from endangered to threatened (downlisted), or reclassified from threatened to endangered (uplisted). The 5-year review is an assessment of the best scientific and commercial data available at the time of the review. Therefore, we are requesting submission of any new information (best scientific and commercial data) on the following species since their original listings as endangered (Holmgren milk-vetch (66 FR 49560, September 28, 2001), Kanab ambersnail (57 FR 13657, April 17, 1992), Shivwits milk-vetch (66 FR 49560, September 28, 2001), Virgin River chub (54 FR 35305, August 24, 1989), Woundfin (39 FR 1171, January 4, 1974), and Maguire daisy (50 FR 36089, September 5, 1985)). For Maguire daisy, we especially request information since its 1996 reclassification from endangered to threatened (61 FR 31054, June 19, 1996). While the Holmgren and Shivwits milk-vetches have not yet been listed for 5 years, these reviews will not be completed until after the 5-year period on September 28, 2006. If the present classification of any of these species is not consistent with the best scientific and commercial information available, the Service will recommend whether or not a change is warranted in the Federal classification of the species. Any change in Federal classification would require a separate rule-making process.

Our regulations at 50 CFR 424.21 require that we publish a notice in the **Federal Register** announcing those species currently under active review. This notice announces our active review of the Holmgren milk-vetch, Kanab ambersnail, Maguire daisy, Shivwits milk-vetch, Virgin River chub, and woundfin.

**What Information Is Considered in the Review?**

A 5-year review considers all new information available at the time of the review. These reviews will consider the best scientific and commercial data that have become available since the current listing determination or most recent status review of each species, such as— (A) Species biology, including but not limited to population trends, distribution, abundance, demographics, and genetics; (B) Habitat conditions, including but not limited to amount, distribution, and suitability; (C) Conservation measures that have been implemented to benefit the species; (D) Threat status and trends (see five factors under heading "How do we determine whether a species is endangered or threatened?"); and (E) Other new