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(4) Ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond; including through the use of appropriate automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology, *e.g.*, permitting electronic submission of responses.

HUD encourages interested parties to submit comment in response to these questions.

C. Authority

Section 3507 of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, 44 U.S.C. Chapter 35.

Dated: August 2, 2019.

Anna P. Guido,

*Department Reports Management Officer,
Office of the Chief Information Officer.*

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DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

[Docket No. FR-6174-D-01]

Order of Succession for the Office of Community Planning and Development

AGENCY: Office of the Secretary, HUD.

ACTION: Notice of Order of Succession for the Office of Community Planning and Development.

SUMMARY: In this notice, the Secretary of HUD designates the Order of Succession for the Office of Community Planning and Development (CPD). This Order of Succession supersedes all prior Orders of Succession for the Assistant Secretary for Community Planning and Development, including the Order of Succession published on April 20, 2015.

DATES: August 1, 2019.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: John Biechman, Field Management Officer and CPD Continuity of Operations Plan Coordinator, Office of Field Management, Office of Community Planning and Development, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 7th Street SW, Room 7228, Washington, DC 20410-7000, telephone

number 202-402-2252 (this is not a toll-free number). Persons with hearing or speech impairments may access this telephone number via TTY by calling the Federal Relay Service, toll-free, at 1-800-877-8339.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Secretary of HUD is issuing this Order of Succession of officials authorized to perform the functions and duties of the Office of the Assistant Secretary for Community Planning and Development when the Assistant Secretary is not available to exercise the powers or perform the duties of the office. This Order of Succession is subject to the provisions of the Federal Vacancies Reform Act of 1998 (5 U.S.C. 3345-3349d). This publication supersedes all prior orders of succession for the Office of Community Planning and Development, including the Order of Succession published in the **Federal Register** on April 20, 2015 at 80 FR 21755.

Section A. Order of Succession

Subject to the provisions of the Federal Vacancies Reform Act of 1998, during any period when, by reason of absence, disability, or vacancy in office, the Assistant Secretary for Community Planning and Development is not available to exercise the powers or perform the duties of the Assistant Secretary for Community Planning and Development the following officials within the Office of Community Planning and Development are hereby designated to exercise the powers and perform the duties of the Office, including the authority to waive regulations:

(1) Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary for Community Planning and Development.

(2) General Deputy Assistant Secretary for Community Planning and Development.

(3) Deputy Assistant Secretary for Grant Programs.

(4) Deputy Assistant Secretary for Special Needs Programs.

(5) Deputy Assistant Secretary for Economic Development.

(6) Deputy Assistant Secretary for Operations.

(7) CPD Regional Office Director, Philadelphia.

(8) CPD Regional Office Director, Kansas City.

(9) CPD Regional Office Director, Boston.

These officials shall perform the functions and duties of the Office in the order specified herein, and no official shall serve unless all the other officials, whose positions precede his/hers in this order, are unable to act by reason of

absence, disability, or vacancy in office. No individual who is serving in an office listed above in an acting capacity shall act as the Assistant Secretary for Community Planning and Development pursuant to this Order of Succession.

Section B. Authority Superseded

This Order of Succession supersedes all prior orders of succession for the Office of Community Planning and Development, including the one published at 80 FR 21755 on April 20, 2015.

Authority: Section 7(d), Department of Housing and Urban Development Act, 42 U.S.C. 3535(d).

Dated: August 1, 2019.

Brian D. Montgomery,

Acting Deputy Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

[Docket No. FR-7011-N-32]

30-Day Notice of Proposed Information Collection: Data Collection for the HUD Secretary's Awards

AGENCY: Office of the Chief Information Officer, HUD.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: HUD is seeking approval from the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for the information collection described below. In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act, HUD is requesting comment from all interested parties on the proposed collection of information. The purpose of this notice is to allow for 30 days of public comment.

DATES: *Comments Due Date:* September 12, 2019.

ADDRESSES: Interested persons are invited to submit comments regarding this proposal. Comments should refer to the proposal by name and/or OMB Control Number and should be sent to: HUD Desk Officer, Office of Management and Budget, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503; fax: 202-395-5806; Email: OIRA_Submission@omb.eop.gov.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Anna P. Guido, Reports Management Officer, QMAC, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 7th Street SW, Washington, DC 20410; email Anna P. Guido at Anna.P.Guido@hud.gov or telephone 202-402-5535. This is not a toll-free number. Person with hearing or speech impairments may access this

number through TTY by calling the toll-free Federal Relay Service at (800) 877-8339. Copies of available documents submitted to OMB may be obtained from Ms. Guido.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This notice informs the public that HUD is

seeking approval from OMB for the information collection described in Section A.

The **Federal Register** notice that solicited public comment on the information collection for a period of 60 days was published on Thursday, April 5, 2019 at 84 FR 13710.

A. Overview of Information Collection

Title of Information Collection: Data Collection for the HUD Secretary's Awards.

OMB Approval Number: 2528–New.

Type of Request: New collection.

Form Number: TBD.

Information collection	Number of respondents	Frequency of response	Responses per annum	Burden hours per response	Annual burden hours	Hourly cost per response	Annual cost
The Secretary's Award for Public-Philanthropic Partnerships—Housing and Community Development in Action	50.00	1.00	50.00	3.00	150.00	\$15.92	\$2,388.00
The Secretary's Award for Healthy Homes ...	30.00	1.00	30.00	3.00	90.00	15.92	1,432.80
ACHP/HUD Secretary's Award for Excellence in Historic Preservation	50.00	1.00	50.00	3.00	150.00	15.92	2,388.00
American Planning Association-HUD Secretary's Opportunity and Empowerment ...	50.00	1.00	50.00	3.00	150.00	15.92	2,388.00
American Institute of Architects/HUD Secretary's Housing and Community Design ...	50.00	1.00	50.00	3.00	150.00	15.92	2,388.00
HUD Innovation in Affordable Housing Student Competition	50.00	1.00	50.00	3.00	150.00	15.92	2,388.00
Total	280.00	280.00	840.00	13,372.80

Description of the need for the information and proposed use: HUD seeks to collect information that will be used to make the following HUD Secretary's Awards: (a) The Secretary's Award for Public-Philanthropic Partnerships—Housing and Community Development in Action, (b) the Secretary's Award for Healthy Homes, (c) the ACHP/HUD Secretary's Award for Excellence in Historic Preservation, (d) American Planning Association-Opportunity and Empowerment, and American Institute of Architects-Housing and Community Design.

On an annual basis, HUD accepts nominations for the above listed awards. A common application form containing general information will streamline information collection across these five award programs. Each non-monetary award recognizes awardees for their innovation and commitment to raising industry standards in Housing and Community Development. Below is a brief description of each of the five awards programs.

The Secretary's Award for Public-Philanthropic Partnerships—Housing and Community Development in Action

HUD, in partnership with the Council on Foundations, announces the HUD's Secretary's Awards for Public-Philanthropic Partnerships which recognize excellence in partnerships that have both transformed the relationships between the sectors and led to measurable benefits in terms of increased economic development, health, safety, education, disaster resilience, inclusivity and cultural opportunities, and/or housing access for low- and moderate-income families. By strengthening the connection between the HUD and philanthropy, these awards highlight the power of collective impact that can be achieved through public-philanthropic partnerships between government entities and foundations.

The Secretary's Award for Healthy Homes

HUD, through its Office of Lead Hazard Control and Healthy Homes (OLHCHH), and in partnership with the National Environmental Health Association (NEHA), recognizes excellence in making indoor

environments healthier through healthy homes research, education, and through program delivery, especially in diverse, low to moderate income communities.

ACHP/HUD Secretary's Award for Excellence in Historic Preservation

HUD, through its Office of Policy Development and Research and in partnership with The Advisory Council on Historic Preservation (ACHP) recognizes developers, organizations and agencies for their success in advancing the goals of historic preservation while providing affordable housing and/or expanded economic opportunities for low-and moderate-income families and individuals.

American Planning Association—Opportunity and Empowerment

HUD, through its Office of Policy Development and Research, and in partnership with the American Planning Association, honors excellence in community planning that has led to measurable benefits in terms of increased economic development, employment, education, or housing choice and mobility for low- and moderate-income residents. The award stresses tangible results and recognizes

the planning discipline as an important community resource. The award emphasizes how creative housing, economic development, and private investments are used in, or in tandem with, a comprehensive community development plan.

American Institute of Architects—Housing and Community Design

HUD, through its Office of Policy Development and Research, and in conjunction with the Residential Knowledge Community of The American Institute of Architects (AIA), recognizes excellence in affordable housing, community-based design, participatory design, and accessibility. These awards demonstrate that design matters and provide examples of important benchmarks in the housing industry. Awards are offered in four categories: Community-Informed Design, Creating Community Connection, Excellence in Affordable Housing Design, and Housing Accessibility—Alan J. Rothman.

B. Solicitation of Public Comment

This notice is soliciting comments from members of the public and affected parties concerning the collection of information described in Section A on the following:

(1) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility;

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HUD encourages interested parties to submit comment in response to these questions.

C. Authority

Section 3507 of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, 44 U.S.C. Chapter 35.

Dated: August 1, 2019.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Fish and Wildlife Service

[FWS-HQ-MB-2019-N083; FF09M21200-190-FXMB1231099BPP0; OMB Control Number 1018-New]

Agency Information Collection Activities; Falconry Application Database

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, we), are proposing a new information collection.

DATES: Interested persons are invited to submit comments on or before October 15, 2019.

ADDRESSES: Send your comments on the information collection request by mail to the Service Information Collection Clearance Officer, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, MS: JAO/1N PRB/PERMA, 5275 Leesburg Pike, Falls Church, VA 22041-3803 (mail); or by email to Info_Coll@fws.gov. Please reference OMB Control Number 1018-Falconry 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 information collection request (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 Service collects information via permit applications to determine the eligibility of applicants for permits requested in accordance with the criteria in various Federal wildlife conservation laws and international treaties, including:

(1) Migratory Bird Treaty Act (16 U.S.C. 703 *et seq.*).

(2) Lacey Act (16 U.S.C. 3371 *et seq.*).

(3) Bald and Golden Eagle Protection Act (16 U.S.C. 668).

Service regulations implementing these statutes and treaties are in chapter I, subchapter B of title 50 of the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR). These regulations stipulate general and specific requirements that, when met, allow us to issue permits to authorize activities that are otherwise prohibited.

Beginning in 2014, the Service passed the authority to issue permits for the practice of falconry to individual States (50 CFR 21.29, 78 FR 72832). As part of this change in authority, we required States to maintain databases of falconers authorized to conduct falconry in their States and required falconers to report transfers of falconry birds using the paper version of FWS Form 3-186A. We require each State that maintains its own database to ensure that it is compatible with the Service's database. To date, 47 States utilize the system provided by the Service. The Service's database continues to track take of birds from the wild by falconers and to maintain records of persons permitted by the States to practice falconry, as required by 50 CFR 21.29(k)(1).

In 2018, the Service requested and received OMB approval under the Department of the Interior Fast Track generic clearance (OMB Control No. 1090-0011) to conduct usability testing of the revised/repaid application and database functionality. This new