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FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Duane Davis, Section Chief, FEMA, Grant Programs Directorate, 202–680–4060, duane.davis@fema.dhs.gov. You may contact the Information Management Division for copies of the proposed collection of information at email address: FEMA-Information-Collections-Management@fema.dhs.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Section 102 of the Maritime Transportation Security Act of 2002, as amended (46 U.S.C. 70107), authorizes the PSGP to provide for the risk-based allocation of funds to implement Area Maritime Transportation Security Plans and facility security plans among port authorities, facility operators, and State and local government agencies required to provide port security services and to train law enforcement personnel under 46 U.S.C. 70132. Before awarding a grant under the program, the Secretary for Homeland Security shall provide for review and comment by the appropriate Federal Maritime Security Coordinators and the Maritime Administrator. In administering the grant program, the Secretary shall consider national economic, energy, and strategic defense concerns based upon the most current risk assessments available.

The PSGP is a Department of Homeland Security grant program that focuses on infrastructure protection activities. The PSGP is one tool in the comprehensive set of measures authorized by Congress and implemented by the Administration to strengthen the Nation's critical infrastructure against risks associated with potential terrorist attacks. The bulk of U.S. critical infrastructure is owned and/or operated by state, local and private sector partners. The PSGP provides funds to state, local, and private sector partners to support increased port-wide risk management and protect critical surface transportation infrastructure from acts of terrorism, major disasters, and other emergencies.

FEMA is making two changes with this revision. First, FEMA is removing the template for a Memorandum of Understanding (or Agreement) from this collection because this informal template has not been required in Fiscal Years 2022 or 2023. Second, FEMA is introducing an extension request form to help reviewers understand the nature and cause of performance delays, inform GPD of grant recipients who are failing to meet policy and legislative grant requirements, and streamline current processes.

This proposed information collection previously published in the **Federal Register** on September 6, 2023, at 88 FR 60964 with a 60-day public comment period. No comments were received. The purpose of this notice is to notify the public that FEMA will submit the information collection abstracted below to the Office of Management and Budget for review and clearance.

Collection of Information

Title: FEMA Preparedness Grants: Port Security Grant Program (PSGP).

Type of Information Collection: Revision of a currently approved information collection.

OMB Number: 1660–0114.

FEMA Forms: FEMA Form FF–207–FY–23–108 (formerly 089–05), PSGP Investment Justification; FEMA Form FF–207–FY–23–109 (formerly 088–0–1), Grant Programs Directorate Performance Report (GPD–PR), and FEMA Form FF–207–FY–23–110, Grant Programs Directorate Extension Request (GPD–Extension).

Abstract: Section 102 of the Maritime Transportation Security Act of 2002, as amended (46 U.S.C. 70107), authorizes the PSGP to provide for the risk-based allocation of funds to implement Area Maritime Transportation Security Plans and facility security plans among port authorities, facility operators, and State and local government agencies required to provide port security services and to train law enforcement personnel under 46 U.S.C. 70132. Before awarding a grant under the program, the Secretary for Homeland Security shall provide for review and comment by the appropriate Federal Maritime Security Coordinators and the Maritime Administrator. In administering the grant program, the Secretary shall take into account national economic, energy, and strategic defense concerns based upon the most current risk assessments available.

Affected Public: State, Local or Tribal Government and Private Sector.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 966.

Estimated Number of Responses: 1,832.

Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours: 17,446.

Estimated Total Annual Respondent Cost: \$1,462,290.

Estimated Respondents' Operation and Maintenance Costs: \$0.

Estimated Respondents' Capital and Start-Up Costs: \$0.

Estimated Total Annual Cost to the Federal Government: \$1,853,355.

Comments

Comments may be submitted as indicated in the **ADDRESSES** caption

above. Comments are solicited to (a) evaluate whether the proposed data collection is necessary for the proper performance of the Agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; evaluate 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) enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses.

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DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

[Docket Number DHS–2023–0017]

Agency Information Collection Activities: USSS Citizens Academy Application, Electronic Form

AGENCY: Department of Homeland Security (DHS).

ACTION: 60-Day notice and request for comments.

SUMMARY: The Department of Homeland Security will submit the following Information Collection Request (ICR) to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and clearance in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995.

DATES: Comments are encouraged and will be accepted until January 16, 2024. This process is conducted in accordance with 5 CFR 1320.1

ADDRESSES: You may submit comments, identified by docket number Docket # DHS–2023–0017, at:

○ *Federal eRulemaking Portal:* <http://www.regulations.gov>. Please follow the instructions for submitting comments.

Instructions: All submissions received must include the agency name and docket number Docket # DHS–2023–0017. All comments received will be posted without change to <http://www.regulations.gov>, including any personal information provided.

Docket: For access to the docket to read background documents or comments received, go to <http://www.regulations.gov>.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Agency has initiated a Citizens Academy to inform the public about its mission, focused on participation from local community leaders. The academy will take place in local Agency field offices. Prior to participating, applicants will need to provide information as their community leadership role and provide PII so that a background investigation can be conducted to check for criminal history, open warrants, etc. The application allows for the Agency to gather the information necessary for each applicant to determine if they are eligible for participation. Authority to collect the information sought on this form is derived from title 28 U.S.C. 599A, 28 CFR 0.130, and 18 U.S.C. 3056.

This will be a new collection of information. The Agency has initiated a Citizens Academy for local community members, who will need to fill out an application to express interest and to provide PII for the Agency to initiate a background investigation for the applicants prior to participating in the USSS Citizens Academy. The information will be gathered by electronic submission of the USSS Citizens Academy Application to local Agency Field Offices. Applicant information will also be used to contact any applicants placed on a wait list to join future USSS Citizens Academies.

All information collected will be via electronic submission. The applicant will receive a PDF form via email to complete and submit to the agency. All respondents are individuals, not small businesses/entities.

The collection will only occur one time per year upon initial application to the Agency requesting to participate in the USSS Citizens Academy. There would be no way to reduce the frequency or else community members would not be able to apply for the USSS Citizens Academy. There is no change in the burden as this is a new collection.

While the Agency does not provide any assurance of confidentiality, information provided by the respondents will be protected from disclosure to the extent appropriate under the applicable provisions of the Freedom of Information Act and the Privacy Act of 1974. Personally identifying information will be collected and transmitted in accordance with the Privacy Act. However, to the extent that the information collected is Sensitive Security Information (SSI) as defined in

49 CFR part 1520, Protection of Sensitive Security Information, such information is protected from public disclosure.

The application provides a Privacy Act Statement and requests signed Consent to collect the information. Further, this collection is covered under DHS/ALL-023—Department of Homeland Security Personnel Security Management, which is the baseline system for personnel security activities to ensure that all DHS components follow the same privacy rules for collecting and handling personnel security management records (74 FR 3084, January 16, 2009).

The Office of Management and Budget is particularly interested in comments which:

1. Evaluate 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;
2. Evaluate 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;
3. Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and
4. Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submissions of responses.

Analysis

Agency: Department of Homeland Security (DHS).

Title: USSS Citizens Academy Application.

OMB Number: 1620–New.

Frequency: Annually.

Affected Public: Individuals.

Number of Respondents: 80.

Estimated Time Per Respondent: 15 Minutes.

Total Burden Hours: 20 Hours.

Laura Chavez,

Deputy Division Chief, Enterprise Policy Division, Office of Strategic Planning and Policy.

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DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services

[CIS No. 2761–23; DHS Docket No. USCIS–2021–0003]

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Extension and Redesignation of Venezuela for Temporary Protected Status—Correction

AGENCY: U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS), Department of Homeland Security (DHS).

ACTION: Notice; correction.

SUMMARY: This document corrects a technical error that appears in the USCIS notice titled “Extension and Redesignation of Venezuela for Temporary Protected Status” that published in the **Federal Register** on October 3, 2023. This document aligns and makes consistent the date through which Temporary Protected Status (TPS) will be granted to certain beneficiaries and the validity period of their related employment authorization document (EAD). This correction only affects individuals with an initial Venezuela TPS application (Form I–821) or initial Venezuela TPS-related EAD application (Form I–765) that was pending as of October 3, 2023.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

- You may contact Rená Cutlip-Mason, Chief, Humanitarian Affairs Division, Office of Policy and Strategy, U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services, Department of Homeland Security, by mail at 5900 Capital Gateway Drive, Camp Springs, MD 20746, or by phone at 800–375–5283.
- For more information on TPS, including guidance on the registration process and additional information on eligibility, please visit the USCIS TPS web page at <https://www.uscis.gov/tps>. You can find specific information about Venezuela's TPS designation by selecting “Venezuela” from the menu on the left side of the TPS web page.
- If you have additional questions about TPS, please visit uscis.gov/tools. Our online virtual assistant, Emma, can answer many of your questions and point you to additional information on our website. If you cannot find your answers there, you may also call our USCIS Contact Center at 800–375–5283 (TTY 800–767–1833).

• Applicants seeking information about the status of their individual cases may check Case Status Online, available on the USCIS website at uscis.gov, or