

will be submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Public law 104-13 (44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)). The Department is soliciting public comments on the subject proposal.

DATES: Written comments must be submitted on or before April 14, 1997.

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: Reports Liaison Officer, Office of Policy Development and Research, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 7th Street, SW., Room 8226, Washington, DC 20410.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ndeye Jackson at (202) 708-5537, Ext. 105 (this is not a toll free number), or Leslie Strauss, Housing Assistance Council, 1025 Vermont Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20005, (202) 842-8600.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Department will submit the proposed information collection to OMB for review, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35, as amended).

This Notice is soliciting comments from members of the public and affected agencies concerning the proposed collection of information to: (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; (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 collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses.

This Notice also lists the following information:

Title of Proposal: Survey of Housing Conditions of Migrant and Seasonal Farmworkers

OMB Control Number: Description of the need for the information and proposed use: The Survey of Housing Conditions of Migrant and Seasonal Farmworkers collects data on the housing conditions of farmworkers along the east coast migrant stream including types of structures occupied, proportion of households crowded, proportion households cost burdened, proportion lacking full appliances and

sanitary facilities, proportion residing in grower-provided housing, and other characteristics. Very little is known about the housing conditions of migrant and seasonal farmworkers. Only a few national studies have addressed the needs of the farmworkers, and most have not collected information pertaining to housing conditions. The only major study focusing on farmworker housing conditions was the national Farmworker Housing Study prepared in 1980; this study was never published. Housing developers and others who provide housing to this population are hampered in serving them by this lack of information.

Agency Form Numbers:

Members of affected public: Migrant farmworkers, rural housing developers, and government agencies

Estimation of the total numbers of hours needed to prepare the information collection including number of respondents, frequency of response, and hours of response: Number of respondents: 3,000; Estimate Responses per Respondent: 18; Time per respondent: 15 minutes; Total hours to respond: 750.

Respondents's Obligation: Voluntary.

Status of the proposed information collection: Pending OMB approval.

Authority: Title 42 U.S.C. 5424 note, Title 13 U.S.C. sec. 8(b), and Title 12, U.S.C., sec. 1701z-1.

Dated: January 31, 1997.

Michael A. Stegman,
Assistant Secretary, Office of Policy
Development and Research.

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[Docket No. FR-4105-N-03]

Announcement of Funding Awards for Fiscal Year 1996 Hispanic-Serving Institutions Work Study Program

AGENCY: Office of the Assistant Secretary for Policy Development and Research, HUD.

ACTION: Announcement of funding awards.

SUMMARY: In accordance with section 102(a)(4)(C) of the Department of Housing and Urban Development Reform Act of 1989, this document notifies the public of funding awards for Fiscal Year 1996 Hispanic-serving Institutions Work Study Program (HSI-WSP). The purpose of this document is to announce the names and addresses of the award winners and the amount of the awards to be used to attract economically disadvantaged and minority students to pre-professional

careers in community and economic development, community planning and community management, and to provide a cadre of well-qualified professionals to work in local community building programs.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Jane Karadbil, Office of University Partnerships, U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, room 8110, 451 Seventh Street, SW., Washington, DC 20410, telephone (202) 708-1537, extension 218. To provide service for persons who are hearing- or speech-impaired, this number may be reached via TTY by dialing the Federal Information Relay Service on (800) 877-8399, or 202-708-1455. (Telephone numbers, other than the "800" TTY number, are not toll free.)

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The HSI-WSP is administered by the Office of University Partnerships under the Assistant Secretary for Policy Development and Research. The Office of University Partnerships administers HUD's ongoing grant programs to institutions of higher education and creates initiatives through which colleges and universities can bring their traditional missions of teaching, research, service, and outreach to bear on the pressing local problems in their communities.

The HSI-WSP was created through an earmark of funds appropriated for the Community Development Work Study Program in the Conference Report, H. Rep. 104-384, dated December 6, 1995, which accompanied "The Departments of Veterans Affairs and Housing and Urban Development and Independent Agencies Appropriations Act, 1996" (Pub. L. 104-134). Eligible applicants are private and public non-profit Hispanic-serving community colleges having qualifying academic degrees. Each participating institution of higher education can be funded for a minimum of three and a maximum of ten students. The HSI-WSP provides each participating student up to \$12,200 per year for a work stipend (for internship-type work in community building) and tuition and additional support (for books and other expenses related to the academic program). Additionally, the HSI-WSP provides the participating institution of higher education with an administrative allowance of \$1,000 per student per year. On October 2, 1996 (61 FR 51566), HUD published a Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) announcing the availability of \$3 million in FY 1996 funds for the Hispanic-serving Institutions Work Study Program. The Department reviewed, evaluated and scored the

applications received based on the criteria in the NOFA. As a result, HUD has funded the applications announced below, and in accordance with section 102(a)(4)(C) of the Department of Housing and Urban Development Reform Act of 1989 (103 Stat. 1987, 42 U.S.C. 3545), the Department is publishing details concerning the recipients of funding awards, as follows:

List of Awardees for Grant Assistance Under the FY 1996 Hispanic-Serving Institutions Work Study Program Funding Competition, by Name, Address, Phone Number, Grant Amount and Number of Students Funded

New York/New Jersey

1. Bronx Community College, Ms. Carin Savage, Bronx Community College, University Avenue and West 181st Street, Bronx, New York 10453, (718) 289-5184. Grant: \$209,760 to fund eight students.

2. Fiorella LaGuardia Community College, Dr. Harry N. Heinemann, Fiorella LaGuardia Community College, 31-10 Thomson Avenue, Long Island, NY 11101, (718) 482-5200. Grant: \$132,960 to fund eight students.

3. Hostos Community College, Dr. Carole Joseph, Hostos Community College, 500 Grand Concourse, Bronx, New York 10451, (718) 518-6660. Grant: \$204,352 to fund eight students.

4. Hudson County Community College, Dr. Estelle F. Greenberg, Hudson County Community College, 25 Journal Square, Jersey City, NJ 07306. Grant: \$124,746 to fund eight students.

Southeast/Caribbean

5. Colegio Universitario del Este, Dr. Dulcinea Nunez, Colegio Universitario del Este, PO Box 2010, Carolina, PR 00984, (787) 257-7373, ext. 2100. Grant: \$172,840 to fund eight students.

6. Miami-Dade Community College, Ms. Isabel Rapp, Miami-Dade Community College, 300 NE. 2nd Avenue, Miami, FL 33132, (305) 237-3015. Grant: \$206,952 to fund eight students.

Midwest

7. St. Augustine College, Dr. Joaquin Villegas, St. Augustine College, 1333 W. Argyle, Chicago, IL 60640, (773) 772-1760. Grant: \$205,120 to fund eight students.

Southwest

8. Northern New Mexico Community College, Dr. Felicia Casados, Northern New Mexico Community College, 1002 N. Onate Street, Espanola, NM 87532, (505) 747-2142. Grant: \$211,200 to fund eight students.

9. Southwest Texas Junior College, Mrs. Gloria Rivera, Southwest Texas Junior College, 2401 Garner Field Road, Uvalde, TX 78801, (210) 591-7286. Grant: \$164,232 to fund eight students.

Rocky Mountain

10. Otero Junior College, Mr. Jeff Paolucci, Otero Junior College, 1802 Colorado Avenue, La Junta, CO 81050, (719) 384-6834. Grant: \$207,664 to fund eight students.

Pacific/Hawaii

11. Compton Community College, Dr. Ron Chapman, Compton Community College, 1111 E. Artesia Blvd., Compton, CA 90221, (310) 637-2660. Grant: \$173,280 to fund eight students.

12. Fresno City College, Dr. Dona Alpert, Fresno City College, 1525 E. Weldon Avenue, Fresno, CA 93704, (209) 244-5980. Grant: \$211,200 to fund eight students.

13. Los Angeles Harbor College, Dr. Clare Adams, Los Angeles Harbor College, 1111 Figueroa Place, Wilmington, CA 90744, (310) 522-8318. Grant: \$206,208 to fund eight students.

14. Los Angeles Trade Technical College, Dr. Denise Fairchild, Los Angeles Trade Technical College, 400 West Washington Blvd., Los Angeles, CA 90015, (213) 744-9065. Grant: \$211,200 to fund eight students.

15. Rancho Santiago College, Dr. Gloria Guzman, Rancho Santiago College, 1530 W. 17th Street, Santa Ana, CA 92705, (714) 564-6810. Grant: \$211,200 to fund eight students.

Dated: February 6, 1997.
Michael A. Stegman,
Assistant Secretary for Policy Development and Research.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Office of the Secretary

Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Public Advisory Group Charter

AGENCY: Office of the Secretary, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of Renewal of the Public Advisory Group Charter—Exxon Valdez Oil Spill.

SUMMARY: This notice is published in accordance with 41 CFR Part 101-6, section 101-6.1015(a), Committee establishment, reestablishment, or renewal.

Following the recommendation and approval of the Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council, the Secretary of the Interior hereby renews the Exxon

Valdez Oil Spill Public Advisory Group Charter to continue for two years, to October 22, 1998.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Douglas Mutter, Department of the Interior, Office of Environmental Policy and Compliance, 1689 "C" Street, Suite 119, Anchorage, Alaska, (907) 271-5011.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On March 24, 1989, the T/V Exxon Valdez ran aground on Bligh Reef in Prince William Sound in Alaska spilling approximately 11 million gallons of North Slope crude oil. Oil moved into the Gulf of Alaska, along the Kenai coast to Kodiak Island and the Alaska Peninsula—some 600 miles from Bligh Reef. Massive clean-up and containment efforts were initiated and continue to 1992. On October 8, 1991, an agreement was approved by the United States District Court for the District of Alaska that settled claims of the United States and the State of Alaska against the Exxon Corporation and the Exxon Shipping Company for various criminal and civil violations. Under the civil settlement, Exxon companies agreed to pay to the governments \$900 million over a period of 10 years.

The Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council was established to manage the funds obtained from the civil settlement of the Exxon Valdez Oil Spill. The Trustee Council is composed of three State of Alaska trustees (Attorney General; Commissioner, Department of Environmental Conservation; and Commissioner, Department of Fish and Game) and three Federal representatives appointed by the Federal Trustees (Secretary, U.S. Department of Agriculture; the Administrator of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration; and the Secretary, U.S. Department of the Interior).

The Public Advisory Group was created by Paragraph V.A.4 of the Memorandum of Agreement and Consent Decree entered into by the United States of America and the State of Alaska on August 27, 1991 and approved by the United States District Court for the District of Alaska in settlement of *United States of America v. State of Alaska*, Civil Action No. A91-081 CV. The Public Advisory Group was chartered by the Secretary of the Interior on October 23, 1992 and functions solely as an advisory body, and in compliance with the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (5 U.S.C. App. (1988)).

The Public Advisory Group was established to advise the Trustee Council, and began functioning in October 1992. The Public Advisory