

work organization and location, mode of transportation, and commuting costs.

AUTHORITY FOR MAINTENANCE OF THE SYSTEM:

Pub. L. 101-509; E.O. 13150; 26 USC 132(f); 5 USC 5701-5733; and Federal Employees Clean Air Incentives Act (section 2(a) of Pub. L. 103-172, found at 5 USC 7905.

PURPOSE:

To establish and maintain systems for providing monetary and non-monetary transportation fringe benefits to employees who use mass transportation and vanpools to commute to and from work.

ROUTINE USES OF RECORDS MAINTAINED IN THE SYSTEM, INCLUDING CATEGORIES OF USERS AND THE PURPOSE OF SUCH USES:

System information is used to determine the eligibility of applicants for transportation benefits and to disburse benefits to eligible employees through the Department of the Treasury. The information also may be disclosed as a routine use to:

a. The Federal, State, or local agency responsible for investigating, prosecuting, enforcing, or implementing a statute, rule, regulation, or order, where the General Services Administration becomes aware of a violation or potential violation of civil or criminal law or regulation.

b. A Member of Congress or to a congressional staff member in response to a request for assistance by the subject of record.

c. Another Federal agency or to a court when the Government is party to a judicial proceeding before the court.

d. The Office of Personnel Management or the General Accounting Office when the information is required for evaluation of the subsidy program.

e. An expert, consultant, or contractor of GSA in the performance of a Federal duty to which the information is relevant.

POLICIES AND PRACTICES FOR STORING, RETRIEVING, ACCESSING, RETAINING, AND DISPOSING OF RECORDS IN THE SYSTEM:

STORAGE:

System records are stored electronically and on paper.

RETRIEVABILITY:

Records may be retrieved by name, mode of transportation, Social Security Number, or other identifier in the system.

SAFEGUARDS:

Records are safeguarded in accordance with the Privacy Act and the Computer Security Act. Technical, administrative, and personnel security

measures ensure confidentiality and integrity of system data. Access is limited to authorized individuals.

RETENTION AND DISPOSAL:

Applications will be maintained for as long as the applicant is an eligible participant in the subsidy program. System records are retained and disposed of according to GSA records maintenance and disposition schedules and the requirements of the National Archives and Records Administration (NARA).

SYSTEM MANAGER(S) AND ADDRESS:

John Hughes, General Services Administration (BEAP), 1800 F Street, NW, Washington, DC 20405.

NOTIFICATION PROCEDURES:

Inquiries should be directed to the system manager at the above address.

RECORD ACCESS PROCEDURES:

Requests for access to records should be directed to the system manager. GSA rules for accessing records under the Privacy Act are provided in 41 CFR part 105-64.

RECORD CONTESTING PROCEDURES:

Requests to correct records should be directed to the system manager. GSA rules for contesting record contents and for appealing determinations are provided in 41 CFR part 105-64.

RECORD SOURCE CATEGORIES:

Sources for information in the system are: employees submitting applications for parking permits, vanpool membership, ridesharing information, and transit subsidies; and other Federal agencies participating in the program.

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Daniel K. Cooper,

Director, Information Management Division.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Office of the Secretary

Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collections; Comment Request

The Department of Health and Human Services, Office of the Secretary will periodically publish summaries of proposed information collection projects and solicit public comments in compliance with the requirements of Section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995. To request more information on the project or to obtain

a copy of the information collection plans and instruments, call the OS Reports Clearance Officer on (202) 690-6027.

Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information; (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 through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

*Proposed Project 1. Research Misconduct: An Inquiry into Etiology and Stigma—NEW—*The Office of Research Integrity (ORI), PHS is responsible for developing activities to prevent research misconduct and improve research integrity. The purpose of this survey is to study research misconduct. The survey will contribute to a better understanding of scientific misconduct, its causes, its effects on the careers of those found guilty of such misconduct and possible preventive and control measures. *Respondents:* Individuals; *Burden Information—* Number of Respondents: 84; Burden per Response: 2 hours; Total Burden: 168 hours.

Send comments to Cynthia Agens Bauer, OS Reports Clearance Officer, Room 503H, Humphrey Building, 200 Independence Avenue S.W., Washington, D.C., 20201. Written comments should be received within 60 days of this notice.

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Kerry Weems,

Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary, Budget.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Fish and Wildlife Service

Notice of Intent To Conduct Public Scoping Meetings To Obtain Suggestions and Information on Issues To Include in the Preparation of Comprehensive Conservation Plans for Cedar Island National Wildlife Refuge in Carteret County, North Carolina, and Pea Island National Wildlife Refuge in Dare County, NC

SUMMARY: This notice advises the public that the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service intends to gather information necessary