

proposed collection of information and related forms may be obtained by contacting the Bureau's clearance officer at the phone number listed below. OMB has up to 60 days to approve or disapprove the information collection, but may respond after 30 days; therefore public comments should be submitted to OMB within 30 days in order to assure their maximum consideration. Comments and suggestions on the requirement should be made directly to the Desk Officer for the Interior Department, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, Washington, DC 20503, and to the Bureau Clearance officer, U.S. Geological Survey, 807 National Center, 12201 Sunrise Valley Drive, Reston, Virginia, 20192.

Specific public comments are requested as to:

1. Whether the collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions on the bureaus, including whether the information will have practical utility;
2. The accuracy of the bureau's estimate of the burden of the collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;
3. The quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and
4. How to minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other forms of information technology.

Title: Conservation Reserve Program (CRP) Contractee Perceptions on Environmental Benefits and Management.

OMB Approval No.: New collection.

Abstract: The Conservation Research Program (CRP) is the nation's largest environmental program with enrollment currently over 30 million acres. Continuing refinement of conservation and management provisions by the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) continue to give greater importance to wildlife habitat. Program participants who desire to renew contracts often are required to improve the quality or composition of vegetation on land enrolled in the program. An evaluation of contractee perceptions about the validity of these requirements will assist USDA in refinement of CRP management and conservation policies in the 2002 Farm Bill. Description of contractee opinions about personal, local, and regional effects of the program will be useful for documentation of environmental and social effects of the program.

Bureau Form No.: None.

Frequency: one time.

Description of Respondents:

Individual or households.

Estimated Completion Time: 11.5 minutes per respondent (approximate).

Number of Respondents: 1400.

Burden hours: 268 hours. (The burden estimates are based on 11.5 minutes to complete each questionnaire and a 70% return rate.)

Bureau of Clearance Officer: John Cordyack (703) 648-7313.

Dated: April 10, 2001.

Dennis B. Fenn,

Associate Director for Biology.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

U.S. Geological Survey

Request for Public Comments on Proposed Information Collection Submitted to OMB for Review Under the Paperwork Reduction Act

A request for the information collection described below has been submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for approval under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)). Copies of the proposed collection may be obtained by contacting the Bureau's clearance officer at the phone number listed below. OMB has up to 60 days to approve or disapprove the information collection but may respond after 30 days; therefore, public comments should be submitted to OMB within 30 days in order to assure their maximum consideration. Public comments on the proposal should be made directly to the Desk Officer for the Interior Department, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, Washington, DC 20503 and to the Bureau Clearance Officer, U.S. Geological Survey, 807 National Center, Reston, VA 20192.

As required by OMB regulations at 5 CFR 1320.8(d)(1), the U.S. Geological Survey solicits specific public comments as to:

1. Whether the collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions on the bureaus, including whether the information will have practical utility;
2. The accuracy of the bureau's estimate of the burden of the collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;
3. The quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and
4. How to minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who

are to respond, including the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other forms of information technology.

Title: Assessment of the Use and Benefits of Waterfowl Production Areas in Minnesota.

OMB Approval No.: New collection.

Summary: Respondents supply information through a mailed survey on (1) preferences for recreational and educational activities and experiences associated with Waterfowl Production Areas, (2) the non-economic benefits they receive from visiting Waterfowl Production Areas; (3) attitudes and support toward federal management and acquisition of Waterfowl Production Areas. Information will be used to improve management and operation of Waterfowl Production Areas and programs.

Estimated Completion Time: 25 minutes.

Estimated Annual Number of Respondents: 700.

Frequency: Once.

Estimated Annual Burden Hours: 292 hours.

Affected Public: Visitors to Waterfowl Production Areas in the state of Minnesota.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: To obtain copies of the survey, contact the Bureau clearance officer, U.S. Geological Survey, 807 National Center, 12201 Sunrise Valley Drive, Reston, VA 20192, telephone (703) 648-7313.

Dated: April 10, 2001.

Dennis B. Fenn,

Associate Director for Biology.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

[AZ-020-01-5410-11-A187; AZA-31581]

Notice of Receipt of Conveyance of Mineral Interest Application

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of minerals segregation.

SUMMARY: The private lands described in this notice aggregating approximately 950 acres, are segregated and made unavailable for filings under the general mining laws and the mineral leasing laws to determine their suitability for conveyance of the reserved mineral interest pursuant to section 209 of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of October 21, 1976.

The mineral interest will be conveyed in whole or in part upon favorable mineral examination.

The purpose is to allow consolidation of surface and subsurface of minerals ownership where there are no known mineral values or in those instances where the reservation interferes with or precludes appropriate nonmineral development and such development is a more beneficial use of the land than the mineral development.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Vivian Titus, Land Law Examiner, Arizona State Office, 222 N. Central Ave., Phoenix, Arizona 85004, (602) 417-9598. Serial Number AZA-31581.

Gila and Salt River Base and Meridian, Maricopa County, Arizona

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N $\frac{1}{2}$ S $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;

Sec. 21, All.

Minerals Reservation—All Minerals

Upon publication of this Notice of Segregation in the **Federal Register** as provided in 43 CFR 2720.1-1(b), the mineral interests owned by the United States in the private lands covered by the application shall be segregated to the extent that they will not be subject to appropriation under the mining and mineral leasing laws. The segregative effect of the application shall terminate upon: issuance of a patent or deed of such mineral interest; upon final rejection of the application; or two years from the date of publication of this notice, whichever occurs first.

Dated: March 28, 2001.

Denise P. Meridith,
State Director.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

National Park Service

Submission of Study Package to Office of Management and Budget; Review Opportunity for Public Comment

AGENCY: Department of the Interior, National Park Service; Glacier National Park.

ACTION: Notice and request for comments.

ABSTRACT: In 2001, The National Park Service (NPS) is proposing to conduct a telephone survey of potential visitors to Glacier National Park. For purposes of this study, potential visitors are those that have expressed interest in visiting Glacier National Park by making contact with a state-funded tourism

development office but subsequently did not visit. Survey results will help describe and quantify potential socio-economic impacts of Going-to-the-Sun Road rehabilitation alternatives by providing information regarding behavior of potential visitors if travel on Going-to-the-Sun Road is hampered.

The estimated number of responses is 700. At an average of one or ten minutes per interview, the expected burden is 64 hours.

SUMMARY: Under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 and 5 CFR part 1320, Reporting and Record Keeping Requirements, the NPS invites public comment on this proposed information collection request (ICR). Comments are invited on: (1) The need for the information including whether the information has practical utility; (2) the accuracy of the reporting burden estimate; (3) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) ways to minimize the burden of the information collection on respondents, including the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

The NPS goal in conducting this survey is to collect information that aids in assessing the potential socio-economic impacts of rehabilitation alternatives for Going-to-the-Sun Road. Direct responses from potential visitors will provide quality information upon which to develop reliable analyses.

There were no public comments received as a result of publishing in the **Federal Register** a 60-day notice of intention to request clearance of information collection for this survey.

DATES: Public comments will be accepted on or before May 29, 2001.

SEND COMMENTS TO: Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs of OMB, Attention Desk Officer for the Interior Department, Office of Management and Budget, Washington, DC 20503.

The OMB has up to 60 days to approve or disapprove the information collection but may respond after 30 days. Therefore, to ensure maximum consideration, OMB should receive public comments within thirty days from the date listed at the top of this page in the **Federal Register**.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION OR A COPY OF THE STUDY PACKAGES SUBMITTED FOR OMB REVIEW, CONTACT: Fred Babb Voice: 406-888-7976; Email: fred_babb@nps.gov

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Title: Survey of Potential Visitors to Glacier National Park.

Bureau Form Number: None.

OMB Number: 1024-new.

Expiration Date: September 30, 2001 (requested).

Type of request: Request for new clearance.

Title: Description of need: The National Park Service needs information to assess the potential socio-economic impacts of rehabilitation alternatives for Going-to-the-Sun Road.

Automated Data Collection: At the present time, there is no automated way to gather this information, since it includes asking potential visitors about their travel plans and preferences if restrictions are imposed on Going-to-the-Sun Road during rehabilitation.

Description of respondents: Respondents are potential visitors to Glacier National Park. These are individuals that made an inquiry to Travel Montana regarding Glacier National Park in the last 12 months prior to the inception of the study but did not visit Glacier National Park. Travel Montana is a state-sponsored tourism development organization.

Estimated average number of respondents: 700.

Estimated average number of responses: Each respondent will respond only one time, so the number of responses will be the same as the number of respondents, 700.

Estimated averaged burden hour per response: 1 minute or 10 minutes.

Frequency of Response: 1 time per respondent.

Estimated annual reporting burden: 64.2 hours.

Dated: April 5, 2001.

Betsy Chittenden,

Information Collection Clearance Officer,
WASO Administrative Program Center,
National Park Service.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

National Park Service

Submission of Study Package to Office of Management and Budget; Review Opportunity for Public Comment

AGENCY: Department of the Interior, National Park Service; Glacier National Park.

ACTION: Notice and request for comments.

ABSTRACT: Later in 2001, the National Park Service (NPS) is proposing to conduct a mail-out/mail-back survey of businesses in the Glacier National Park area, which comprises three counties in Montana (Lake, Glacier and Flathead) plus some communities in southwest