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Dated: October 11, 2002.

**Jane M. Harrison,**

*Director, Division of Policy Review and Coordination.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT**

[Docket No. FR-4734-N-60]

**Notice of Submission of Proposed Information Collection to OMB: Survey of Neighborhood Networks Centers Directors**

**AGENCY:** Office of the Chief Information Officer, HUD.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The proposed information collection requirement described below has been submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act. The Department is soliciting public comments on the subject proposal.

**DATES:** *Comments Due Date:* November 18, 2002.

**ADDRESSES:** Interested persons are invited to submit comments regarding this proposal. Comments should refer to the proposal by name and/or OMB approval number and should be sent to: Lauren Wittenberg, OMB Desk Officer, Office of Management and Budget, Room 10235, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503; Fax number (202) 395-6974; e-mail [Lauren\\_Wittenberg@omb.eop.gov](mailto:Lauren_Wittenberg@omb.eop.gov).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Wayne Eddins, Reports Management Officer, QDAM, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 Seventh Street, Southwest, Washington, DC 20410; e-mail [Wayne\\_Eddins@HUD.gov](mailto:Wayne_Eddins@HUD.gov); telephone (202) 708-2374. This is not a toll-free number. Copies of the proposed forms and other available documents submitted to OMB may be obtained from Mr. Eddins.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Department has submitted the proposal for the collection of information, as described below, to OMB for review, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35). The Notice lists the following information: (1) The title of the information collection proposal; (2) the office of the agency to collect the information; (3) the OMB approval number, if applicable; (4) the description of the need for the

information and its proposed use; (5) the agency form number, if applicable; (6) what members of the public will be affected by the proposal; (7) how frequently information submissions will be required; (8) an estimate of the total number of hours needed to prepare the information submission including number of respondents, frequency of response, and hours of response; (9) whether the proposal is new, an extension, reinstatement, or revision of an information collection requirement; and (10) the name and telephone number of an agency official familiar with the proposal and of the OMB Desk Officer for the Department.

This Notice also lists the following information:

*Title of Proposal:* Survey of Neighborhood Networks Centers Directors.

*OMB Approval Number:* 2502-XXXX.

*Form Numbers:* None.

*Description of the Need for the Information and its Proposed Use:* A Survey of Neighborhood Networks Centers will identify successful program areas, and target specific areas for improvement.

*Respondents:* Business or other for-profit, not-for profit institutions.

*Frequency of Submission:* Annually.

	Number of respondents	×	Annual responses	×	Hours per response	=	Burden hours
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*Total Estimated Burden Hours:* 733.  
*Status:* New collection.

**Authority:** Section 3507 of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, 44 U.S.C. 35, as amended.

Dated: October 10, 2002.

**Wayne Eddins,**

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

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**DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT**

**Federal Property Suitable as Facilities To Assist the Homeless**

[Docket No. FR-4730-N-42]

**AGENCY:** Office of the Assistant Secretary for Community Planning and Development, HUD.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** This Notice identifies unutilized, underutilized, excess, and

surplus Federal property reviewed by HUD for suitability for possible use to assist the homeless.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Mark Johnston, room 7266, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 Seventh Street SW, Washington, DC 20410; telephone (202) 708-1234; TTY number for the hearing- and speech-impaired (202) 708-2565 (these telephone numbers are not toll-free), or call the toll-free Title V information line a 1-800-927-7588.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** In accordance with 24 CFR part 581 and section 501 of the Stewart B. McKinney Homeless Assistance Act (42 U.S.C. 11411), as amended, HUD is publishing this Notice to identify Federal buildings and other real property that HUD has reviewed for suitability for use to assist the homeless. The properties were reviewed using information provided to HUD by Federal landholding agencies regarding unutilized and underutilized buildings and real property controlled by such agencies or by GSA regarding

its inventory of excess or surplus Federal property. This Notice is also published in order to comply with the December 12, 1988 Court Order in *National Coalition for the Homeless v. Veterans Administration*, No. 88-2503-OG (D.D.C.).

Properties reviewed are listed in this Notice according to the following categories: Suitable/available, suitable/unavailable, suitable/to be excess, and unsuitable. The properties listed in the three suitable categories have been reviewed by the landholding agencies, and each agency has transmitted to HUD: (1) Its intention to make the property available for use to assist the homeless, (2) its intention to declare the property excess to the agency's needs, or (3) a statement of the reasons that the property cannot be declared excess or made available for use as facilities to assist the homeless.

Properties listed as suitable/available will be available exclusively for homeless use for a period of 60 days

from the date of this Notice. Where property is described as for "off-site use only" recipients of the property will be required to relocate the building to their own site at their own expense. Homeless assistance providers interested in any such property should send a written expression of interest to HHS, addressed to Brian Rooney, Division of Property Management, Program Support Center, HHS, room 5B-41, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, MD 20857; (301) 443-2265. (This is not a toll-free number.) HHS will mail to the interested provider an application packet, which will include instructions for completing the application. In order to maximize the opportunity to utilize a suitable property, providers should submit their written expressions of interest as soon as possible. For complete details concerning the processing of applications, the reader is encouraged to refer to the interim rule governing this program, 24 CFR part 581.

For properties listed as suitable/to be excess, that property may, if subsequently accepted as excess by GSA, be made available for use by the homeless in accordance with applicable law, subject to screening for other Federal use. At the appropriate time, HUD will publish the property in a Notice showing it as either suitable/available or suitable/unavailable.

For properties listed as suitable/unavailable, the landholding agency has decided that the property cannot be declared excess or made available for use to assist the homeless, and the property will not be available.

Properties listed a unsuitable will not be made available for any other purpose for 20 days from the date of this Notice. Homeless assistance providers interested in a review by HUD of the determination of unsuitability should call the toll free information line at 1-800-927-7588 for detailed instructions or write a letter to Mark Johnston at the address listed at the beginning of this Notice. Included in the request for review should be the property address (including zip code), the date of publication in the **Federal Register**, the landholding agency, and the property number.

For more information regarding particular properties identified in this Notice (*i.e.*, acreage, floor plan, existing sanitary facilities, exact street address), providers should contact the appropriate landholding agencies at the following addresses: GSA: Mr. Brian K. Polly, Assistant Commissioner, General Services Administration, Office of Property Disposal, 18th and F Streets, NW., Washington, DC 20405; (202) 501-

0052; NAVY: Mr. Charles C. Cocks, Director, Department of the Navy, Real Estate Policy Division, Naval Facilities Engineering Command, Washington Navy Yard, 1322 Patterson Ave., SE., Suite 1000, Washington, DC 20374-5065; (202) 685-9200; (These are not toll-free numbers).

Dated: October 10, 2002.

**John D. Garrity,**

*Director, Office of Special Needs Assistance Programs.*

**Suitable/Available Properties**

*Buildings (by State)*

Arkansas

Jamestown Antenna Tower Site.  
Jamestown Co: Independence AR 7250-  
Landholding Agency: GSA.  
Property Number: 54200240001.  
Status: Surplus.  
Comment: Radio repeater tower on 1.05  
acres, subject to existing easements.  
GSA Number: 7-D-AR-0562.

Ash Flat Comm. Site.  
Gillette Co: AR 72055-  
Landholding Agency: GSA.  
Property Number: 54200240002.  
Status: Surplus.  
Comment: Radio repeater tower on 2.06  
acres, subject to existing easements.  
GSA Number: 7-D-AR-0565.

Maryland

9 Housing Units.  
U.S. Naval Station.  
Annapolis Co: Anne Arundel MD 21402-  
Landholding Agency: Navy.  
Property Number: 77200240005.  
Status: Excess.  
Comment: Size varies, brick veneer wood  
frame on slab, off-site use only.

New York

Army Reserve Center.  
205 Oak Street.  
Batavia Co: NY 14020-  
Landholding Agency: GSA.  
Property Number: 54200240004.  
Status: Excess.  
Comment: 9595 sq. ft., presence of asbestos/  
lead paint, most recent use—admin/  
storage, proximity of wetlands.  
GSA Number: 1-D-NY-890.  
Fed. Bldg. #2.  
850 Third Ave.  
Brooklyn Co: NY 11232-  
Landholding Agency: GSA.  
Property Number: 54200240005.  
Status: Surplus.  
Comment: 140,000 sq. ft., needs major rehab,  
presence of asbestos, historic property,  
heavy industrial area, presence of  
hazardous materials and toxic releases,  
abutting Federal prison.  
GSA Number: 1-G-NY-0872.

**Suitable/Unavailable Properties**

*Buildings (by State)*

Tennessee

Courthouse/Fed. Bldg.  
101 W. Summer Street.  
Greeneville Co: Greene TN 37743-

Landholding Agency: GSA.  
Property Number: 54200210027.  
Status: Excess.  
Comment: 17,241 sq. ft. office bldg. w/25  
parking spaces, presence of asbestos,  
subject to Historic Preservation Covenants,  
published in error on 9/13/02 as available.  
GSA Number: 4-G-TN-0652.

Virginia

Federal Building.  
1426 N. Augusta St.  
Staunton Co: Augusta VA 24401-2401.  
Landholding Agency: GSA.  
Property Number: 54200210022.  
Status: Surplus.  
Comment: 4084 sq. ft. office building,  
published in error on 9/13/02 as available.  
GSA Number: 4-G-VA-0728.

*Land (by State)*

North Carolina

4.939 acres.  
Staton Road.  
Greenville Co: Pitt NC.  
Landholding Agency: GSA.  
Property Number: 54200210002.  
Status: Surplus.  
Comment: Undeveloped land, published in  
error on 9/13/02 as available.  
GSA Number: 4-D-NC-738.

**Unsuitable Properties**

*Buildings (by State)*

California

Bldg. 02606.  
Naval Air Weapons Station.  
China Lake Co: CA 93555-6100.  
Landholding Agency: Navy.  
Property Number: 77200240001.  
Status: Excess.  
Reasons: Secured Area, Extensive  
deterioration.

Florida

Bldg. 148.  
Naval Air Station.  
Jacksonville Co: Duval FL 32212-  
Landholding Agency: Navy.  
Property Number: 77200240002.  
Status: Unutilized.  
Reasons: Secured Area, Extensive  
deterioration.

Bldg. 161.  
Naval Air Station.  
Jacksonville Co: Duval FL 32212-  
Landholding Agency: Navy.  
Property Number: 77200240003.  
Status: Unutilized.  
Reasons: Secured Area, Extensive  
deterioration.

Bldg. 944.  
Naval Air Station.  
Jacksonville Co: Duval FL 32212-  
Landholding Agency: Navy.  
Property Number: 77200240004.  
Status: Unutilized.  
Reasons: Secured Area, Extensive  
deterioration.

Virginia

30 Housing Units.  
Marine Corps Base.  
Quantico Co: VA 22134-  
Landholding Agency: Navy.  
Property Number: 77200240006.

Status: Excess.  
Reason: Extensive deterioration.  
Bldgs. 3028, 3037.  
Marine Corps Base.  
Quantico Co: VA 22134—  
Landholding Agency: Navy.  
Property Number: 77200240007.  
Status: Excess.  
Reason: Extensive deterioration.  
Bldgs. 3035, 3040, 3205.  
Marine Corps Base.  
Quantico Co: VA 22134—  
Landholding Agency: Navy.  
Property Number: 77200240008.  
Status: Excess.  
Reason: Extensive deterioration.  
Bldg. 60.  
Naval Surface Warfare Center.  
Dahlgren Co: King George VA 22448—  
Landholding Agency: Navy.  
Property Number: 77200240009.  
Status: Unutilized.  
Reasons: Within 2000 ft. of flammable or  
explosive material, Secured Area,  
Extensive deterioration.

Bldg. 1216.  
Naval Surface Warfare Center.  
Dahlgren Co: King George VA 22448—  
Landholding Agency: Navy.  
Property Number: 77200240010.  
Status: Unutilized.  
Reasons: Within 2000 ft. of flammable or  
explosive material, Secured Area,  
Extensive deterioration.

Bldg. 1354.  
Naval Surface Warfare Center.  
Dahlgren Co: King George VA 22448—  
Landholding Agency: Navy.  
Property Number: 77200240011.  
Status: Unutilized.  
Reasons: Within 2000 ft. of flammable or  
explosive material, Secured Area,  
Extensive deterioration.

#### Land (by State)

Arkansas  
Recreation Area.  
Sandy Beach.  
Camden Co: Ouachita AR 71701—  
Landholding Agency: GSA.  
Property Number: 54200240003.  
Status: Surplus.  
Reason: Floodway.  
GSA Number: 7-D-AR-0566.

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Fish and Wildlife Service

#### Information Quality Guidelines Pursuant to Section 515 of the Treasury and General Government Appropriations Act for Fiscal Year 2001

**AGENCY:** Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice of availability.

**SUMMARY:** A notice published by the Office of Management and Budget

(OMB) in the **Federal Register** directed Federal agencies to issue and implement guidelines to ensure and maximize the quality, objectivity, utility, and integrity of Government information disseminated to the public. We, the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (FWS), are issuing these final Information Quality Guidelines to comply with the OMB requirement.

**DATES:** These guidelines are effective October 1, 2002.

**ADDRESSES:** To obtain a copy of the Fish and Wildlife Service Quality Guidelines please contact the Science Advisor, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Office of the Assistant Director—External Affairs, 1849 C Streets, NW., Mail Stop 301, Washington, DC 20240-0001, or by calling (202) 208-6541, or via e-mail to [scienceadvisor@fws.gov](mailto:scienceadvisor@fws.gov). In addition, these guidelines are available on the Service website ([www.fws.gov](http://www.fws.gov)).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Science Advisor, (202) 208-6541.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** A notice published by the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) in the **Federal Register**, dated January 3, 2002 (67 FR 369), and re-issued February 22, 2002 (67 FR 8451), directed Federal agencies to issue and implement guidelines to ensure and maximize the quality, objectivity, utility, and integrity of Government information disseminated to the public. On May 24, 2002, the Department of the Interior published a **Federal Register** notice providing the web site where the proposed Departmental Information Quality Guidelines may be reviewed. On August 5, 2002, the Department of the Interior published a Notice of Availability in the **Federal Register** of the proposed bureau specific information quality guidelines for public comment. Comments were received from a variety of sources and were considered in the preparation of this guidance. We are issuing these final Information Quality Guidelines in order to comply with Section 515 and the OMB direction.

FWS, which includes Headquarters and 7 Regional Offices, disseminates a wide variety of information to the public regarding the nation's fish and wildlife resources, habitat conservation and endangered species programs. The disseminated information includes organizational and management information, programs and services products, research and statistical reports, policy and regulatory information, and general reference material.

Dated: October 4, 2002.

**Marshall P. Jones, Jr.,**

*Deputy Director.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Bureau of Land Management

[MT-921-02-1320-EL-P; NDM 91647]

#### Notice of Competitive Coal Lease Offering by Sealed Bid—NDM 91647—The Falkirk Mining Company

**AGENCY:** Bureau of Land Management, Montana State Office, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice of Competitive Coal Lease Offering by Sealed Bid—NDM 91647.

**SUMMARY:** Notice is hereby given that the coal resources in the lands described below in McLean County, North Dakota, will be offered for competitive lease by sealed bid. This offering is being made as a result of an application filed by The Falkirk Mining Company, in accordance with the provisions of the Mineral Leasing Act of 1920, as amended (41 Stat. 437; 30 U.S.C. 181 *et seq.*)

The lease sale will be held at 1 p.m., Tuesday, December 10, 2002, in the Montana State Office Side B Main Conference Room, at the Bureau of Land Management, 5001 Southgate Drive, Billings, Montana 59101. Bids for the tract will be in the form of sealed bids. Sealed bids *clearly marked* "Sealed Bid for NDM 91647 Coal Sale—Not to be opened before 1 p.m., Tuesday, December 10, 2002" must be submitted on or before 12 noon, December 10, 2002, to the cashier, Bureau of Land Management, Montana State Office, 5001 Southgate Drive, Post Office Box 36800, Billings, Montana 59107-6800.

An Environmental Assessment of the proposed coal development and related requirements for consultation, public involvement, and hearings have been completed in accordance with 43 CFR 3425. The results of these activities were a finding of no significant environmental impact. The coal resource to be offered consists of all recoverable reserves in the following-described lands:

*T. 146 N., R. 82 W., 5th P. M.*

*Sec. 34: NW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>SW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>.*

Containing 40.00 acres, McLean County, North Dakota.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The tract will be leased to the qualified bidder of the highest cash amount provided that the high bid meets the fair market value of the coal resource. The minimum bid