

authorized to administer the NPDES Program incur a burden of 92,033 hours annually.

Dated: January 6, 2003.

**James A. Hanlon,**

*Director, Office of Wastewater Management.*

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## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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### Environmental Impact Statements; Notice of Availability

*Responsible Agency:* Office of Federal Activities, General Information (202) 564-7167 or <http://www.epa.gov/compliance/nepa/>. Weekly receipt of Environmental Impact Statements Filed December 30, 2002 Through January 03, 2003 Pursuant to 40 CFR 1506.9.

*EIS No. 030000*, DRAFT EIS, FHW, TX, TX-121 Highway from Interstate Highway 30 to Farm-to-Market 1187 (FM 1187) in Forth Worth, Construction, USCG Section 9, COE Section 10 and 404 Permits, Tarrant County, TX, Comment Period Ends: February 24, 2003, Contact: Patrick Bauer (512) 536-5950.

*EIS No. 030001*, FINAL EIS, FHW, MO, U.S. Route 50 East-Central Corridor Study, Highway Improvements from Route 50 to Route 63 east of Jefferson City, Major Transportation Investment Analysis, Osage, Gasconade, and Franklin Counties, MO, Wait Period Ends: February 10, 2003, Contact: Don Neumann (573) 636-7104.

*EIS No. 030002*, DRAFT EIS, AFS, CO, Trout-West Hazardous Fuels Reduction Project, Proposed Action to Reduce Fuels, Pike-San Isabel National Forest, Trout and West Creek Watersheds, Teller, El Paso and Douglas Counties, CO, Comment Period Ends: March 03, 2003, Contact: Rochelle Desser (541) 592-4075. This document is available on the Internet at: (<http://www.fs.fed.us/r2/psicc/spl/twest.htm>.)

*EIS No. 030003*, FINAL EIS, FSA, Programmatic EIS—Conservation Reserve Program Implementation and Expansion, Farm Security and Rural Investment Act of 2002 (2002 Farm Bill), in the United States, Wait Period Ends: February 10, 2003, Contact: Don Steck (202) 690-0224. This document is available on the Internet at: <http://www.fsa.usda.gov/cepd/epb/nepa/htm>.

*EIS No. 030004*, DRAFT EIS, FTA, LA, Desire Streetcar Ling Project, Restoration of Streetcar Service Along

North Rampart Street/St. Claude Avenue between Canal Street and Poland Avenue, Regional Transit Authority of New Orleans, New Orleans, LA, Comment Period Ends: February 24, 2003, Contact: Jesse Balleza (817) 978-0559.

*EIS No. 030005*, DRAFT SUPPLEMENT, DOE, WA, Kangley-Echo Lake Transmission Line Project, Construct a New 500 Kilovolt (kV) Transmission Line, Updated Information on the Re-evaluating Alternative Not Analyzed, COE Section 10 and Permits (DOE/EIS-0317), King County, WA, Comment Period Ends: February 24, 2003, Contact: Gene Lynard (503) 230-3790.

Dated: January 07, 2003.

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## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-7438-1]

### EPA National Advisory Council for Environmental Policy and Technology—Compliance Assistance Advisory Committee; Notification of Public Advisory Committee Teleconference Meeting

**AGENCY:** Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

**ACTION:** Notification of Public Advisory Committee teleconference meeting.

**SUMMARY:** Pursuant to the Federal Advisory Committee Act, Public Law 92-463, notice is hereby given that the Compliance Assistance Advisory Committee (CAAC) under the National Advisory Council for Environmental Policy and Technology (NACEPT) will meet in a public teleconference on Friday, January 24, 2003, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. eastern time. The meeting will be hosted out of Conference Room #6148, U.S. EPA, Ariel Rios Federal Building, 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20004. The meeting is open to the public, however, due to limited space, seating will be on a registration-only basis. For further information regarding the teleconference meeting, or how to register and obtain the phone number, please contact the individuals listed below.

*Background:* NACEPT is a federal advisory committee under the Federal Advisory Committee Act, Pub. L. 92463. NACEPT provides advice and

recommendations to the Administrator and other EPA officials on a broad range of domestic and international environmental policy issues. NACEPT consists of a representative cross-section of EPA's partners and principle constituents who provide advice and recommendations on policy issues and serves as a sounding board for new strategies that the Agency is developing. The CAAC, a subcommittee of NACEPT, provides a Federal advisory forum from which the Agency can receive valuable multi-stakeholder advice and recommendations on enhancing EPA's compliance assistance program.

*Purpose of Meeting:* EPA is developing its new FY 2003-2008 Strategic Plan to serve as the Agency's road map for the next 5 years. The Strategic Plan will lay out EPA's five long-term goals and guide the Agency in establishing the annual goals it will need to meet along the way. It will help EPA to measure how far it has come towards achieving its goals and to recognize where it needs to adjust its approaches or directions to achieve better results. Finally, it will provide a basis from which EPA's managers can focus on the highest priority environmental issues and ensure that the Agency uses taxpayer dollars effectively. EPA is building its Strategic Plan around five goals, centered on the themes of air, water, land, communities and ecosystems, and compliance and environmental stewardship. These themes reflect EPA's mission, "to protect human health and the environment." In addition, the Plan will discuss strategies the Agency is applying across all five goals, in areas such as science, human capital, innovation, information, homeland security, and partnerships.

The Compliance Assistance Advisory Committee (CAAC) will review and comment on EPA's Strategic Plan Architecture and identify opportunities for EPA to enhance the compliance assistance program. The comments submitted by the CAAC will be presented to the NACEPT Council for their review and approval at a future date. EPA is currently soliciting public comments on the draft goals and objectives that will provide the structure for the new Strategic Plan.

*Availability of Review Materials:* EPA's draft FY 2003-2008 Strategic Plan Architecture is available electronically from EPA's Office of Chief Financial Officer, at <http://www.epa.gov/ocfopage/plan/plan.htm>.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Members of the public wishing to gain access to the conference room on the

day of the meeting must contact Ms. Joanne Berman, Designated Federal Officer for the CAAC, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (2224A), Office of Enforcement and Compliance Assurance, 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20460; telephone/voice mail at (202) 564-7064, fax at (202) 564-7083; or via email at [berman.joanne@epa.gov](mailto:berman.joanne@epa.gov). Written comments from the public are welcome any time before or at the time of the meeting.

The agenda will be available to the public upon request. Written comments from the public are welcome any time before, during or after the meeting.

**General Information:** Additional information concerning the National Advisory Council for Environmental Policy and Technology (NACEPT) can be found on our web site (<http://www.epa.gov/ocem>).

**Meeting Access:** Individuals requiring special accommodation at this meeting, including wheelchair access to the conference room, should contact Ms. Berman at least five business days prior to the meeting so that appropriate arrangements can be made.

Dated: January 8, 2003.

**Frederick F. Stiehl,**

*Acting Director, Office of Compliance.*

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**FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY**

**Agency Information Collection Activities: Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request**

**ACTION:** Notice and request for comments.

**SUMMARY:** The Federal Emergency Management Agency is submitting a request for review and approval of a collection of information under the emergency processing procedures in the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) regulation 5 CFR 1320.13. FEMA is requesting that this information collection be approved by January 27, 2003. The approval will authorize FEMA to use the collection through July 31, 2003. FEMA plans to follow this emergency request with a request for a 3-year approval. The request will be processed under OMB's normal clearance procedures in accordance with the provisions of OMB regulation 5 CFR 1320.10. To help us with the timely processing of the emergency and normal clearance submissions to OMB, FEMA invites the general public to comment on the proposed collection of information.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Section 404 of the Robert R. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act, Public Law 93-288, as amended, authorizes Hazard Mitigation Grant Program awards to grantees to administer the program, which is a post-disaster program that contributes funds toward the cost of hazard mitigation activities in order to reduce the risk of future damage, hardship, loss or suffering in any area affected by a major disaster. Grantees are defined as any State of the United States, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, the Virgin Islands, Guam, American Samoa, and the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, or an Indian tribal government that chooses to act as a grantee. Subgrantees can be a State agency, local government, private nonprofit organization, or Indian tribal government to which a subgrant is awarded, and which is accountable to

the grantee for the use of the funds provided. In addition, grantees must report quarterly to FEMA as to the performance and financial status of the grant.

**Collection of Information**

*Title:* Hazard Mitigation Grant Program Application and Reporting.

*Type of Information Collection:* Reinstatement, with change, of a previously approved collection for which approval has expired.

*OMB Number:* 3067-0207.

*Abstract:* FEMA will use HMGP subgrant applications submitted by the Grantee to determine whether the Grantee's proposed use of the funds meets the requirements and intent of the program. The application will provide FEMA the required information to determine whether the mitigation activity proposed for funding meets eligibility criteria, including environmental review, and to objectively evaluate its merits. The eligibility reviews must be completed and approved by FEMA before a subgrant can be awarded and the eligible activity initiated. Grantees must report on a quarterly basis, certifying how the funds are being used and reporting on the progress of activities funded under the subgrant awards made to the Grantee by FEMA.

*Affected Public:* State, local or tribal government, and not-for-profit institutions.

*Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours:*

Type of collection forms	Number of respondents (A)	Number of responses/respondent (B)	Total number of annual responses	Hours per response and recordkeeping	Annual burden hours (A* B* C)
SF-424 (Application face sheet)	52	1	52	2 hours	104
FEMA Form 20-20 Budget—Non-Construction	52	15	780	9.7 hours	7,566
FEMA Form 20-16, 20-16A, 20-16B, 20-16C (Summary of assurances & certifications).	52	1	52	1 hour	52
SF LLL (lobbying disclosure)	52	1	52	10 minutes	8.7
Project Narrative (section 209.8(b))	52	15	780	12 hours	9,360
Benefit—Cost Determination	52	14	728	5 hours	3,640
Environmental Review	52	14	728	7.5 hours	5,460
HMGP Desk Reference	52	1	52	4 hours	208
Property Acquisition Handbook for Local Communities	52	10	520	4 hours	2,080