

General Land Office Records, 20 M Street SE., Washington, DC 20003.

**NOTIFICATION PROCEDURES:**

An individual requesting notification of the existence of records on himself or herself should send a signed, written inquiry to the System Manager identified above. The request envelope and letter should both be clearly marked "PRIVACY ACT INQUIRY." A request for notification must meet the requirements of 43 CFR 2.235.

**RECORDS ACCESS PROCEDURES:**

An individual requesting records on him or herself should send a signed, written inquiry to the System Manager identified above. The request should describe the records sought as specifically as possible. The request envelope and letter should both be clearly marked "PRIVACY ACT REQUEST FOR ACCESS." A request for access must meet the requirements of 43 CFR 2.238.

**CONTESTING RECORDS PROCEDURES:**

An individual requesting corrections or the removal of material from his or her records should send a signed, written request to the System Manager identified above. A request for corrections or removal must meet the requirements of 43 CFR 2.246.

**RECORD SOURCE CATEGORIES:**

The historical land records contain information provided by individuals to whom the land was granted, the surveyors, and other individuals (both governmental and private) who were integral to this historical process. Information needed to complete online orders of certified land records is obtained directly from members of the public and other individuals who are requesting to purchase certified copies of Federal land conveyance records.

**EXEMPTIONS CLAIMED FOR THE SYSTEM:**

None.

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**DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**

**Bureau of Land Management**

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**Second Call for Nominations for the Northern California Resource Advisory Council**

**AGENCY:** Bureau of Land Management, Interior. **ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The purpose of this notice is to reopen the request for public

nominations for the Northern California Resource Advisory Council (RAC), which has 15 open positions this year. This RAC provides advice and recommendations to the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) on land use planning and management of the National System of Public Lands within northern California and far northwest Nevada. The BLM will accept public nominations for 30 days after the publication of this notice.

**DATES:** All nominations must be received no later than June 26, 2014.

**ADDRESSES:** Nominations should be sent to: Bureau of Land Management, 2950 Riverside Drive, Susanville, CA 96130, Attention, Jeff Fontana. Application forms are available online at: <http://www.blm.gov/ca/st/en/info/rac.html>.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Nancy K. Haug, Bureau of Land Management, Northern California District Manager, 355 Hemsted Drive, Redding, CA 96130; 530-224-2160.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Federal Land Policy and Management Act (FLPMA) directs the Secretary of the Interior to involve the public in planning and issues related to management of lands administered by the BLM. Section 309 of FLPMA (43 U.S.C. 1739) directs the Secretary to establish 10- to 15-member citizen-based advisory councils that are consistent with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA). As required by FACA, RAC membership must be balanced and representative of the various interests concerned with the management of the public lands. The rules governing RACs are found at 43 CFR subpart 1784 and include the following three membership categories:

*Category One*—Holders of Federal grazing permits and representatives of organizations associated with energy and mineral development, timber industry, transportation or rights-of-way, developed outdoor recreation, off-highway vehicle use, and commercial recreation;

*Category Two*—Representatives of nationally or regionally recognized environmental organizations, archaeological and historic organizations, dispersed recreation activities, and wild horse and burro organizations; and

*Category Three*—Representatives of State, county, or local elected office, employees of a State agency responsible for management of natural resources, representatives of Indian tribes within or adjacent to the area for which the council is organized, representatives of academia who are employed in the natural sciences, and the public-at-large.

Individuals may nominate themselves or others. Nominees must be residents of the State in which the RAC has jurisdiction. The BLM will evaluate nominees based on their education, training, experience, and knowledge of the geographical area of the RAC. Nominees should demonstrate a commitment to collaborative resource decision-making. The Obama Administration prohibits individuals who are currently federally registered lobbyists from being appointed or re-appointed to FACA and non-FACA boards, committees, or councils.

The following must accompany all nominations:

- Letters of reference from represented interests or organizations;
- A completed RAC application; and
- Any other information that addresses the nominee's qualifications.

Simultaneous with this notice, the BLM California State Office will issue a press release providing additional information for submitting nominations, with specifics about the number and categories of member positions available. If you have already submitted your nomination materials for the Northern California RAC in response to the first call for nominations published in the **Federal Register** on February 6, 2014 (79 FR 7223), you do not need to resubmit the materials.

**Authority:** 43 CFR 1784.4-1.

**Martha Maciel,**

*Deputy State Director, External Affairs.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**

**Bureau of Land Management**

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**Call for Nominations Las Cruces District Resource Advisory Council, New Mexico**

**AGENCY:** Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Bureau of Land Management (BLM) is soliciting nominations for the vacant elected-official position on the BLM's Las Cruces District Resource Advisory Council (RAC). The council provides advice and recommendations to the BLM on the management of public lands in the Las Cruces District.

**DATES:** All nominations must be received no later than June 26, 2014.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Lauren Luckey, U.S. Department of the Interior, Bureau of Land Management, Correspondence, International, and Advisory Committee Office, 1849 C Street, NW., MS-MIB 5070, Washington, DC 20240; 202-208-3806.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Federal Land Policy and Management Act (FLPMA) (43 U.S.C. 1739) directs the Secretary of the Interior to involve the public in planning and issues related to the management of lands administered by the BLM. Section 309 of FLPMA directs the Secretary to establish 10- to 15-member citizen-based advisory councils that conform to the requirements of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA) (5 U.S.C Appendix 1). As required by FACA, RAC membership must be balanced and representative of the various interests concerned with the management of the public lands. The rules governing RACs are found at 43 CFR subpart 1784. Section 309(a) of FLPMA states that at least one member of the advisory council must be an elected official of general purpose government serving the people within the jurisdiction of the council. The vacant seat on the Las Cruces District RAC falls in category three as described in the regulations at 43 CFR 1784.6–1(c)(3). Individuals may nominate themselves or others to serve on the RAC. Nominees must be residents of New Mexico. The BLM will evaluate nominees based on their education, training, experience, and their knowledge of the geographical area of the RAC. Nominees should demonstrate a commitment to collaborative resource decision-making.

The Obama Administration prohibits individuals who are currently federally registered lobbyists from being appointed or re-appointed to FACA and non-FACA boards, committees, or councils.

The following must accompany all nominations:

- Letter of reference from represented interests or organizations;
- A completed background information nomination form; and
- Any other information that addresses the nominee's qualifications.

Nomination forms are available from Rena Gutierrez, Las Cruces District Office, BLM, 1800 Marquess St., Las Cruces, NM 88005, 575-525-4338 and online at [www.blm.gov/nm/racs](http://www.blm.gov/nm/racs). Completed applications should be sent to the same address.

**Authority:** 43 CFR 1784.4–1.

**Noel L. Wagner,**

*Acting State Director.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR

### National Park Service

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#### Proposed Information Collection; Programmatic Clearance for NPS-Sponsored Public Surveys.

**AGENCY:** National Park Service, Interior.

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

**SUMMARY:** We (National Park Service) will ask the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) to approve the information collection (IC) described below. As required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 and as part of our continuing efforts to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, we invite the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on this collection of information (OMB #1024-0224). This IC is scheduled to expire on August 31, 2014. We may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number.

**DATES:** To ensure that your comments on this IC are considered, we must receive them on or before July 28, 2014.

**ADDRESSES:** Direct all written comments on this IC to Phadrea Ponds, Information Collection Coordinator, National Park Service, 1201 Oakridge Drive, Fort Collins, CO 80525 (mail); or Phadrea\_Ponds@nps.gov (email). Please reference Information Collection 1024-0224 in the subject line.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Bret Meldrum, Chief, Social Science Program, National Park Service, 1201 Oakridge Drive, Fort Collins, CO 80525-5596 (mail); Bret\_Meldrum@nps.gov (email); or 970-267-7295 (phone).

### I. Abstract

The NPS needs information concerning park visitors and visitor services, potential park visitors, and residents of communities near parks to provide National Park Service (NPS) managers with usable information for improving the quality and utility of agency programs, services, and planning efforts. Since many of the NPS surveys are similar in terms of the populations being surveyed, the types of questions

being asked, and research methodologies, the NPS proposes to renew its clearance from OMB for a Generic Information Collection (1024-0224) of NPS-sponsored surveys. Since 1999, the benefits of this generic approval program have been significant to the NPS, Department of the Interior, OMB, NPS cooperators, and the public. Significant time and cost savings have been incurred and more than 550 surveys have been conducted in units throughout the National Park System. Approval is typically granted within 60 days or less from the date the Principal Investigator (PI) first submits the survey package to the NPS Information Review Coordinator for review. This is a significant reduction over the approximately 6–9 months involved in the regular OMB review process. We are requesting an extension of this collection for the purposes of revising the current Pool of Known questions that are the primary function of this process. We are planning to host a series of workshops of social science researchers to update the original list of questions and topics that are more than 20 years old because many questions in the current listing are underutilized. This extension will allow for the effective outreach prescribed in item 8 of Supporting Statement Part A.

### II. Data

*OMB Number:* 1024-0224.

*Title:* Programmatic Clearance for NPS-Sponsored Public Surveys.

*Type of Request:* Extension of a currently approved collection.

*Affected Public:* General public, visitors and potential visitors to parks, and residents of communities near parks.

*Respondent Obligation:* Voluntary.

*Estimated Annual Number of Respondents:* 140,000 respondents.

*Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours:* 46,666 hours. We estimate the public reporting burden averages 20 minutes per response.

*Estimated Reporting and Recordkeeping “Non-Hour Cost” Burden:* We have not identified any “non-hour cost” burdens associated with this collection of information.

### III. Request for Comments

We invite comments concerning this information collection on:

- Whether or not the collection of information is necessary, including whether or not the information will have practical utility;
- The accuracy of our estimate of the burden for this collection of information;