

data as well as narrative information for evaluation.

| Information collection | Number of respondents | Responses per year | Total annual responses | Estimated burden hours per response | Total hours | Hourly cost | Annual cost |
|---|-----------------------|--------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| GRANT APPLICATIONS | | | | | | | |
| SF-424—Application for Federal Assistance (2501–0017) | 75 | 1 | 75 | 0.75 | 56.25 | \$42 | \$2,365 |
| SF-LLL—Lobbying (0348–0046) | 75 | 1 | 75 | 0.17 | 12.75 | 42 | 536 |
| HUD-2880—Applicant Disclosure (2510–0011) | 75 | 1 | 75 | 0.17 | 12.75 | 42 | 536 |
| HUD-2991—Certification of Consistency with Consolidated Plan (2506–0112) | 75 | 1 | 75 | 0.25 | 18.75 | 42 | 788 |
| HUD-2993—Acknowledgement of Application Receipt (2577–0259) | 75 | 1 | 75 | 0.5 | 37.5 | 42 | 1,577 |
| Map of Proposed Site | 75 | 1 | 75 | 0.25 | 18.75 | 42 | 788 |
| Signed MOU between PHA and WIB | 75 | 1 | 75 | 2 | 150 | 42 | 6,308 |
| Match/Leverage Commitment Letters | 75 | 1 | 75 | 14 | 1050 | 42 | 44,153 |
| Rating Factor 1—Capacity | 75 | 1 | 75 | 10 | 750 | 42 | 31,538 |
| Rating Factor 2—Need | 75 | 1 | 75 | 8 | 600 | 42 | 25,230 |
| Rating Factor 3—Soundness of Approach | 75 | 1 | 75 | 12 | 900 | 42 | 37,845 |
| Applicant’s Detailed Program Budget | 75 | 1 | 75 | 3.2 | 240 | 42 | 10,092 |
| Form HUD-50144—Summary Jobs Plus Budget | 75 | 1 | 75 | 2 | 150 | 42 | 6,308 |
| Narrative to Program Budget | 75 | 1 | 75 | 4 | 300 | 42 | 12,615 |
| Rating Factor 4—Match/Leveraging Table | 75 | 1 | 75 | 2 | 150 | 42 | 6,308 |
| Rating Factor 5—Bonus Points Documentation (HUD–2995) .. | 75 | 1 | 75 | 0.5 | 37.5 | 42 | 1,577 |
| Sub-Total Application Submission w/Narratives | 75 | 1 | 75 | 59.79 | 4484.25 | 42 | 188,562.71 |
| POST AWARD SUBMISSIONS | | | | | | | |
| Code of Conduct (if not on HUD website, if recently updated, if not previously submitted) | 36 | 1 | 36 | 1 | 36 | 42 | 1,514 |
| Sub-Total—Post-Award | 36 | 1 | 36 | 1 | 36 | 42 | 1,513.80 |
| GRANT MANAGEMENT | | | | | | | |
| Quarterly Performance Reports | 36 | 4 | 144 | 8 | 1152 | 42 | 48,442 |
| Annual Performance Reports | 36 | 4 | 144 | 6 | 864 | 42 | 36,331 |
| Workplan Submission | 36 | 1 | 36 | 10 | 360 | 42 | 15,138 |
| Federal Financial Report (Form SF–425) | 36 | 1 | 36 | 2 | 72 | 42 | 3,028 |
| Final Financial Status Report (Form SF–269–A) | 36 | 1 | 36 | 4 | 144 | 42 | 6,055 |
| Sub-Total—Grant Management | 36 | 1 | 36 | 24 | 2592 | 42 | 108,993.60 |
| PROGRAM MONITORING | | | | | | | |
| Monitoring and Reporting | 36 | 1 | 36 | 10 | 10 | 42 | 421 |
| Sub-Total—Monitoring | 36 | 1 | 36 | 10 | 360 | 42 | 15,138.00 |
| Grand Totals | | | | | 7472.25 | 42 | 314,208.11 |

B. Solicitation of Public Comment

This notice is soliciting comments from members of the public and affected parties concerning the collection of information described in Section A on the following:

- (1) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility;
- (2) The accuracy of the agency’s estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information;
- (3) Ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and
- (4) Ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond; including through the use of appropriate automated collection techniques or other forms of

information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses.

HUD encourages interested parties to submit comment in response to these questions.

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

Dated: October 3, 2017.

Merrie Nichols-Dixon,
Director, Office of Policy, Program and Legislative Initiatives.

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DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

[Docket No. FR–6004–N–07]

60-Day Notice of Proposed Information Collection; Public Housing Assessment System (PHAS) Appeals; PHAS Unaudited Financial Statement Submission Extensions; Assisted and Insured Housing Property Inspection Technical Reviews and Database Adjustments

AGENCY: Office of the Assistant Secretary for Public and Indian Housing, HUD.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: HUD is seeking approval from the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for the information collection described below. In accordance with the

Paperwork Reduction Act, HUD is requesting comment from all interested parties on the proposed collection of information. The purpose of this notice is to allow for 60 days of public comment.

DATES: *Comments Due Date:* December 11, 2017.

ADDRESSES: Interested persons are invited to submit comments regarding this proposal. Comments should refer to the proposal by name and/or OMB Control Number and should be sent to: Colette Pollard, Reports Management Officer, QDAM, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 7th Street SW., Room 4176, Washington, DC 20410-5000; telephone 202-402-5564 (this is not a toll-free number) or email at Colette.Pollard@hud.gov for a copy of the proposed forms or other available information. Persons with hearing or speech impairments may access this number through TTY by calling the toll-free Federal Relay Service at (800) 877-8339.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Arlette Mussington, Office of Policy, Programs and Legislative Initiatives, PIH, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 7th Street SW., (L'Enfant Plaza, Room 2206), Washington, DC 20410; telephone 202-402-4109, (this is not a toll-free number). Persons with hearing or speech impairments may access this number via TTY by calling the Federal Information Relay Service at (800) 877-8339. Copies of available documents

submitted to OMB may be obtained from Ms. Mussington.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This notice informs the public that HUD is seeking approval from OMB for the information collection described in Section A.

A. Overview of Information Collection

Title of Information Collection: Public Housing Assessment System (PHAS) Appeals; Public Housing and Multifamily Housing Technical Reviews and Database Adjustments; Assisted and Insured Housing property inspection Technical Reviews and Database Adjustments.

OMB Approval Number: 2577-0257.

Type of Request: Revision of a currently approved collection.

Form Number: HUD-52306.

Description of the need for the information and proposed use: The collection of this information supports HUD's ongoing mission to provide safe, decent and affordable housing to lower income households. Accurate assessment information is necessary PHAs performing poorly may be subject to additional reporting requirements, may receive HUD assistance, and are subject to possible penalties. For the Office of Housing, accurate scores are vital to their monitoring and compliance efforts. Unacceptable property scores result in automatic penalties and referral for enforcement actions.

Pursuant to § 6(j)(2)(A)(iii) of the United States Housing Act of 1937, as amended, HUD established procedures

in the Public Housing Assessment System (PHAS) rule for a public housing agencies (PHAs) to appeal a troubled assessment designation (§ 902.69). The PHAS rule in §§ 902.24 and 902.68 also provides that under certain circumstances PHAs may submit a request for a database adjustment and technical review, respectively, of physical condition inspection results.

Pursuant to the Office of Housing Physical Condition of Multifamily Properties regulation at § 200.857(d) and (e), multifamily property owners also have the right, under certain circumstances, to submit a request for a database adjustment and technical review, respectively, of physical condition inspection results.

Appeals, when granted, change assessment scores and designations; database adjustments and technical reviews, when granted, change property scores. These changes result in more accurate assessments.

Section 902.60 of the PHAS rule also provides that, in extenuating circumstances, PHAs may request an extension of time to submit required unaudited financial information. When granted, an extension of time postpones the imposition of sanctions for a late submission.

Respondents (i.e. affected public): Public Housing Agencies (PHAs) and Multifamily Housing property owners (MF POs).

BURDEN HOUR ESTIMATES FOR RESPONDENTS FOR APPEALS, TRS AND DBAS

| Type | Number of respondents | × | Frequency of response | Total responses | × | Estimated hours | = | Total annual burden hours |
|---------------------|-----------------------|---|-----------------------|-----------------|---|-----------------|---|---------------------------|
| PHA Appeal | 151 | | 1 | 151 | | 5 | | - 755 |
| PHA DBA | 189 | | 1 | 189 | | 8 | | 1,512 |
| PHA TR | 293 | | 1 | 293 | | 8 | | 2,344 |
| MF PO DBA | 189 | | 1 | 189 | | 8 | | 1,512 |
| MF PO TR | 688 | | 1 | 688 | | 8 | | 5,504 |
| Totals | 1,510 | | | 1,510 | | | | 11,627 |

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