

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**Bureau of Indian Affairs**

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Number 1076-0021, 1076-0047, 1076-0141,
1076-0155, 1076-0162]

**Agency Information Collection
Activities; Electric Power Service
Application, Reindeer in Alaska, Water
Request, Leases and Permits, Navajo
Partitioned Lands Grazing Permits**

AGENCY: Bureau of Indian Affairs,
Interior.

ACTION: Notice of information collection;
request for comment.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the
Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, we,
the Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA) are
proposing to renew five information
collections.

DATES: Interested persons are invited to
submit comments on or before
November 9, 2021.

ADDRESSES: Send your comments on
this information collection request (ICR)
by mail to Johnna Blackhair, Deputy
Bureau Director, Office of Trust
Services, BIA, 1849 C Street NW, MS-
4620-MIB, Washington, DC 20240; or by
email to comments@bia.gov. Please
reference OMB Control Number 1076-
0021, 1076-0047, 1076-0141, 1076-
0155, or 1076-0162 the subject line of
your comments.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In
accordance with the Paperwork
Reduction Act of 1995, we provide the
general public and other Federal
agencies with an opportunity to
comment on new, proposed, revised,
and continuing collections of
information. This helps us assess the
impact of our information collection
requirements and minimize the public's
reporting burden. It also helps the
public understand our information
collection requirements and provide the
requested data in the desired format.

We are soliciting comments on the
proposed ICR that is described below.
We are especially interested in public

comment addressing the following
issues: (1) Is the collection necessary to
the proper functions of the BIA; (2) will
this information be processed and used
in a timely manner; (3) is the estimate
of burden accurate; (4) how might the
BIA enhance the quality, utility, and
clarity of the information to be
collected; and (5) how might the BIA
minimize the burden of this collection
on the respondents, including through
the use of information technology.

Comments that you submit in
response to this notice are a matter of
public record. We will include or
summarize each comment in our request
to OMB to approve this ICR. Before
including your address, phone number,
email address, or other personal
identifying information in your
comment, you should be aware that
your entire comment—including your
personal identifying information—may
be made publicly available at any time.
While you can ask us in your comment
to withhold your personal identifying
information from public review, we
cannot guarantee that we will be able to
do so.

Abstract: The BIA owns, operates, and
maintains three electric power utilities
that provide a service to the end user,
pursuant to 25 CFR 175 (Indian Electric
Power Utilities). The BIA must collect
customer information to identify the
individual responsible for repaying the
government its costs for delivering the
service and bill for those costs. The BIA
must also collect information to identify
the location of the service delivery (*i.e.*,
electrical hook-up). In addition, the
Debt Collection Improvement Act of
1996 (DCIA), 31 U.S.C. 3701-3733
requires that certain information be
collected from individuals and
businesses doing business with the
government. This information includes
the taxpayer identification number for
possible future use to recover
delinquent debt.

Title of Collection: Electric Power
Service Application.

OMB Control Number: 1076-0021.

Form Number: Electric Service
Application.

Type of Review: Extension of a
currently approved collection.

Respondents/Affected Public:
Individual Indians and Indian Tribes.

**Total Estimated Number of Annual
Respondents:** 1,300.

**Total Estimated Number of Annual
Responses:** 1,300.

**Estimated Completion Time per
Response:** 30 minutes.

**Total Estimated Number of Annual
Burden Hours:** 650.

Respondent's Obligation: Required to
Obtain a Benefit.

Frequency of Collection: On occasion.
**Total Estimated Annual Nonhour
Burden Cost:** \$0.

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Abstract: The Bureau of Indian Affairs
(BIA) is seeking renewal of the approval
for the information collection conducted
under 25 CFR part 243, Reindeer in
Alaska, which is used to monitor and
regulate the possession and use of
Alaskan reindeer by non-Natives in
Alaska. The information to be provided
includes an applicant's name and
address, and where an applicant will
keep the reindeer. The applicant must
fill out an application for a permit to get
a reindeer for any purpose; and is
required to report on the status of
reindeer annually or when a change
occurs, including changes prior to the
date of the annual report. This
information collection utilizes four
forms. A response is required to obtain
and/or retain a benefit.

Title of Collection: Reindeer in
Alaska.

OMB Control Number: 1076-0047.

Form Number: None.

Type of Review: Extension of a
currently approved collection.

Respondents/Affected Public: Non-
Indians who wish to possess Alaskan
reindeer.

**Total Estimated Number of Annual
Respondents:** 4 per year, on average
(1 respondent for the Sale Permit for
Alaska Reindeer, 1 respondent for the
Sale Report Form for Alaska Reindeer,
1 respondent for the Special Use Permit
for Alaskan Reindeer, and 1 respondent
for the Special Use Reindeer Report).

**Total Estimated Number of Annual
Responses:** 4.

**Estimated Completion Time per
Response:** 5 minutes for the Sale Permit
and Report forms; and 10 minutes for
the Special Use Permit and Report
forms, on average.

**Total Estimated Number of Annual
Burden Hours:** 30 minutes.

Respondent's Obligation: Required to
Obtain a Benefit.

Frequency of Collection: Once a year,
on average.

**Total Estimated Annual Nonhour
Burden Cost:** \$0.

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Abstract: The BIA owns, operates, and
maintains 17 irrigation projects that
provide a service to the end user. To
properly bill for the services provided,
the BIA must collect customer
information to identify the individual
responsible for repaying the government
the costs of delivering the service;
determine eligibility for waiver of fees;
and determine designation of irrigable
lands as assessable or non-assessable.

Additional information necessary for providing the service is the location of the service delivery and the number of serviced acres. The Debt Collection Improvement Act of 1996 (DCIA) requires that certain information be collected from individuals and businesses doing business with the government. This information includes the taxpayer identification number for possible future use to recover delinquent debt. To implement the DCIA requirement to collect customer information, the BIA has included a section concerning the collection of information in its regulations governing its irrigation projects (25 CFR 171).

Title of Collection: Water Request.

OMB Control Number: 1076-0141.

Form Number: BIA-DWP-Irr-101; BIA-DWP-Irr-102; BIA-DWP-Irr-103; BIA-DWP-Irr-104; BIA-DWP-Irr-105.

Type of Review: Extension of a currently approved collection.

Respondents/Affected Public: Individuals.

Total Estimated Number of Annual Respondents: 13,438.

Total Estimated Number of Annual Responses: 35,941.

Estimated Completion Time per Response: Varies from .2 to 6 hours.

Total Estimated Number of Annual Burden Hours: 17,981.

Respondent's Obligation: Required to Obtain or Retain a Benefit.

Frequency of Collection: On occasion.

Total Estimated Annual Nonhour Burden Cost: \$0.

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Abstract: Generally trust and restricted land may be leased by Indian land owners, with the approval of the Secretary of the Interior, except when specified by statute. Submission of this information allows BIA to review applications for obtaining, modifying and assigning leases and permits of land that the United States holds in trust or restricted status for individual Indians and Indian Tribes. The information is used to determine approval of a lease, amendment, assignment, sublease, mortgage or related document. A response is required to obtain or retain a benefit.

Title of Collection: Leases and Permits.

OMB Control Number: 1076-0155.

Form Number: None.

Type of Review: Extension of a currently approved collection.

Respondents/Affected Public: Individual Indians and Indian Tribes seeking to lease their trust or restricted land and businesses that lease trust and restricted land.

Total Estimated Number of Annual Respondents: 99,340.

Total Estimated Number of Annual Responses: 99,340.

Estimated Completion Time per Response: Varies from 15 minutes to 2 hours.

Total Estimated Number of Annual Burden Hours: 81,899.

Respondent's Obligation: Required to Obtain or Retain a Benefit.

Frequency of Collection: In general, once per approval per lease. Some collections occur upon request for modification or assignment or upon a trespass violation, which occur, on average, fewer than once per lease. Additionally, rent payments occur, on average, once per month.

Total Estimated Annual Nonhour Burden Cost: \$1,813,000.

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Abstract: This information collection is authorized under 25 CFR 161, which implements the Navajo-Hopi Indian Relocation Amendments Act of 1980, 94 Stat. 929, and the Federal court decisions of *Healing v. Jones*, 174 F. Supp. 211 (D. Ariz. 1959) (Healing I), *Healing v. Jones*, 210 F. Supp. 126 (D. Ariz. 1962), aff'd 363 U.S. 758 (1963) (Healing II), *Hopi Tribe v. Watt*, 530 F. Supp. 1217 (D. Ariz. 1982), and *Hopi Tribe v. Watt*, 719 F.2d 314 (9th Cir. 1983). This information collection allows BIA to receive the information necessary to determine whether an applicant to obtain, modify, or assign a grazing permit on Navajo Partitioned Lands is eligible and complies with all applicable grazing permit requirements. BIA, in coordination with the Navajo Nation, will continue to collect grazing permit information up to and beyond the initial reissuing of the grazing permits, likely within a 1-3 year time period from the date of publication of this notice. The data is collected by electronic global positioning systems and field office interviews by BIA & Navajo Nation staff. The data is maintained by BIA's Navajo Partitioned Lands office.

Title of Collection: Navajo Partitioned Lands Grazing Permits.

OMB Control Number: 1076-0162.

Form Number: 5-5015 and 5-5022.

Type of Review: Extension of a currently approved collection.

Respondents/Affected Public: Tribes, Tribal organizations, and individual Indians.

Total Estimated Number of Annual Respondents: 700.

Total Estimated Number of Annual Responses: 3,121.

Estimated Completion Time per Response: Varies from 15 minutes to 2 hours.

Total Estimated Number of Annual Burden Hours: 2,123.

Respondent's Obligation: Required to Obtain a Benefit.

Frequency of Collection: Annually.

Total Estimated Annual Nonhour Burden Cost: \$0.

An agency 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.

The authority for this action is the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*).

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Director, Office of Regulatory Affairs and Collaborative Action—Indian Affairs.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Indian Affairs

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Indian Gaming; Approval of Tribal-State Class III Gaming Compact in the State of Washington

Correction

In notice document 2021-18819, appearing on pages 49049 through 49050 in the issue of Wednesday, September 1, 2021 make the following correction.

On page 49049, in the third column, in the **DATES** section, on the second line, "November 1, 2021" should read, "September 1, 2021".

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

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Notice of Competitive Offer for Solar Energy Development on Public Lands in Beaver County, Utah

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976, as amended, the Bureau of Land Management (BLM), Cedar City Field Office, Cedar City, Utah, will accept competitive bids to lease public lands for solar energy projects on approximately 4,836 acres within the Milford Flats South Solar Energy Zone in Beaver County, Utah. Notice is