

occur no sooner than January 1, 2024. To apply for designation or to request more information on the geographic areas serviced by these official agencies contact [FGISQACD@usda.gov](mailto:FGISQACD@usda.gov).

Please note that sampling, weighing, and inspection services may be offered by designated agencies under the Agricultural Marketing Act of 1946 for other commodities under the auspices of FGIS through separate cooperative service agreements with AMS. The service area for such cooperative agreements mirrors the USGSA designation area. For further information, see 7 U.S.C. 1621 *et seq* or contact [FGISQACD@usda.gov](mailto:FGISQACD@usda.gov).

### Areas of Delegation

#### Virginia

Pursuant to Section 7(e)(2) of the USGSA, the following export port locations in the State of Virginia are assigned to this State agency.

In Virginia: All export port locations in the State of Virginia.

#### Wisconsin

Pursuant to Section 7(e)(2) of the USGSA, the following export port locations in the State of Wisconsin are assigned to this State agency.

In Wisconsin: All export port locations in the State of Wisconsin.

*Authority:* 7 U.S.C. 71–87k.

**Melissa Bailey,**

*Associate Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

### Office of the Secretary

#### Meeting Notice of the National Agricultural Research, Extension, Education, and Economics (NAREEE) Advisory Board, National Genetic Resources Advisory Council (NGRAC)

**AGENCY:** Research, Education, and Economics, USDA.

**ACTION:** Notice of public meeting.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act, section 1408 of the National Agricultural Research, Extension, and Teaching Policy Act of 1977, and the Agriculture Improvement Act of 2018, the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) announces a meeting of the National Agricultural Research, Extension, Education, and Economics (NAREEE) Advisory Board, National Genetic Resources Advisory

Council (NGRAC), a subcommittee of NAREEE.

**DATES:** The National Agricultural Research Extension, Education, and Economics Advisory Board, National Genetic Resources Advisory Council will meet in person on April 11–12, 2023.

**Public Participation/Oral Comments:** This meeting is open to the public. Interested individuals may participate in-person or via internet. To attend the meeting via Zoom and/or make oral comments, you must contact Ms. Michele Simmons at email: [nareee@usda.gov](mailto:nareee@usda.gov) at least 5 business days prior to the meeting (no later than April 4, 2023). Members of the public will be heard in the order in which they sign up.

**Written Comments:** The public may file written comments no later than April 4, 2023. Written comments from the public may be submitted via email at [nareee@usda.gov](mailto:nareee@usda.gov) to the attention of Ms. Michele Simmons.

All statements will become a part of the official record of the NAREEE Advisory Board and will be kept on file for public review in the NAREEE Advisory Board's Office. Written comments by attendees and other interested stakeholders will be welcomed for the public record before and up to two weeks following the Board meeting (no later than 5 p.m. eastern standard time on Wednesday, April 26, 2023).

**ADDRESSES:** The meeting will take place in person at the USDA National Laboratory for Genetic Resources Preservation, 1111 South Mason St., Fort Collins, CO 80521.

A link for virtual participation will be provided for those unable to attend the meeting in person.

**Web Preregistration:** Participants wishing to virtually participate should preregister by email at [nareee@usda.gov](mailto:nareee@usda.gov) to the attention of Ms. Michele Simmons. A meeting link will be sent out to pre-registered guests.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Ms. Kate Lewis, Executive Director/ Designated Federal Official, or Ms. Michele Simmons, Program Support Coordinator, National Agricultural Research, Extension, Education, and Economics Advisory Board; telephone: (202) 579–6610 or email: [nareee@usda.gov](mailto:nareee@usda.gov).

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

**Purpose of the meeting:** for members to discuss the future recommendations this Council will provide to the Secretary of Agriculture and to the National Genetic Resources Program

(NGRP), part of USDA's Agricultural Research Service, on new and innovative approaches to genetic resources conservation. Topics to be discussed may include actions and policies for the collection, maintenance, and utilization of genetic resources; and the review of genetic resources plans of several domestic and international organizations.

An agenda for this two-day meeting may be received by sending an email to the attention of Ms. Michele Simmons at [nareee@usda.gov](mailto:nareee@usda.gov).

This notice is being published less than 15 days prior to the meeting due to timing limitations imposed by planning and scheduling difficulties.

Dated: March 27, 2023.

**Cikena Reid,**

*USDA Committee Management Officer.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

### Food and Nutrition Service

#### Agency Information Collection Activities: Renewing Burden Number 0584–0293

**AGENCY:** Food and Nutrition Service (FNS), USDA.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, this notice invites the public and other public agencies to comment on this proposed information collection. This is a revision to a currently approved collection, to prevent a lapse in OMB approval of data collection. This collection allows for Food Distribution Programs, such as the National School Lunch Program (NSLP), the Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations (FDPIR), the Commodity Supplemental Food Program (CSFP), and The Emergency Food Assistance Program (TEFAP), to run effectively.

**DATES:** Written comments must be received on or before May 30, 2023.

**ADDRESSES:** The Food and Nutrition Service, USDA, invites interested persons to submit written comment.

- **Preferred Method:** Federal eRulemaking Portal. Go to <http://www.regulations.gov> and follow the online instructions for submitting comments electronically.

- **Mail:** Send comments to Lisa Mays, Food and Nutrition Service, 1320 Braddock Place, 3rd Floor, Alexandria, Virginia 22314.

All responses to this notice will be summarized and included in the request

for Office of Management and Budget (OMB) approval. All comments will be a matter of public record.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Requests for additional information or copies of this information collection should be directed to Lisa Mays by phone at (703) 457-7762 or via email at [lisa.mays@usda.gov](mailto:lisa.mays@usda.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The information reported and the records kept for purposes of review under 7 CFR parts 240, 247, 250, 251, 253, and 254 are used by State and recipient agencies, Indian Tribal Organizations (ITOs), and FNS regional and national offices for the purpose of administering USDA Food Distribution Programs. The programs assist American farmers and people who are food insecure by purchasing commodities and delivering them to State agencies and ITOs that, in turn, distribute them to organizations for use in providing food assistance to those in need. The information collected allows State agencies and ITOs to administer programs that align with their local preferences and gives FNS National and Regional offices the ability to ensure programs are complying with program regulations and policies.

*Comments are invited on:* (a) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions that were used; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

**Supplementary Information**

*Title:* Food Distribution Burden Table.

*Form Numbers:* FNS 7, 52, 53, 57, 152, 153, 155, 667, and SF-425.

*OMB Number:* 0584-0293.

*Expiration Date:* July 31, 2023.

*Abstract:* The Food Distribution Programs of the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) assist American farmers and needy people by purchasing and delivering food to State agencies and ITOs that, in turn, distribute them to organizations that assist those in need. Effective administration of Food Distribution Programs is dependent on the collection

and submission of information from State and local agencies, ITOs, and private-for-profit companies to FNS. This information includes, for example, the number of households served in the programs; the quantities of foods ordered and where the food is to be delivered; verification of the receipt of a food order; and the amounts of USDA Foods in inventory. FNS employs this information collection activity to obtain the data necessary to make those calculations. This is a revision of the information collection under the burden number 0584-0293.

Regulations at 7 CFR 240 establish procedures for State distributing agencies which receive cash in lieu of USDA Foods, including the manner of disbursement and requirements for accountability for funds. Although the reporting burden for these forms is captured in a separate information activity collection (OMB #0584-0055), the recordkeeping burden of these collections is included in this revision and renewal.

Regulations at 7 CFR 247 provide instructions on the administration of the Commodity Supplemental Food Program (CSFP). Information collections in this section include applications to receive benefits, USDA Foods inventory management, use of administrative funding, and agreements between State agencies operating the program and FNS. These information collections ensure that the eligible individuals are able to access the program, that foods are distributed in a safe and effective manner, and that Federal funds are used appropriately.

Regulations at 7 CFR 250 govern the use of USDA Foods in child nutrition programs, household food distribution programs, disasters, and situations of distress. Information collection activities authorized by this section are necessary so that the Department can distribute USDA Foods as needed to State distributing agencies and, in turn, that State distributing agencies provide USDA Foods and associated funding to recipient agencies in accordance with Federal statutory and regulatory requirements.

Regulations at 7 CFR 251 establish requirements and procedures for administration of The Emergency Food Assistance Program (TEFAP). Information collections authorized by this section include agreements between State agencies and FNS, plans for statewide distribution of USDA Foods, State plan amendments to implement Farm to Food Bank project grants, and records of participation in the distribution of USDA Foods for home consumption. These information

collections provide FNS with an understanding of how USDA Foods are distributed through the program.

Regulations at 7 CFR 253 govern the Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations (FDPIR). Information collections authorized by this section include plans of program operation, plans for monitoring and oversight of program operation by Tribal organizations, management of administrative funds, and reports of damaged or out of condition USDA Foods. These information collections allow FNS to understand how USDA Foods will be distributed by administering organizations, how Federal funds are used to support program operations, and ensure that USDA Foods are distributed in a safe and effective manner.

Regulations at 7 CFR part 254 establish requirements and procedures for the operation of FDPIR for households in Oklahoma. Information collections authorized by this section are identical to those of 7 CFR 253.

There are other forms which are used to report information that are associated with this collection that are approved under other FNS information collections or in other agency information collections. The burden associated with these forms is approved under these collections and is not included in the total burden for this collection. These forms include FNS-44 Report of Child and Adult Care Food Program, FNS-10 Report of School Operations, FNS-191 CSFP Racial/Ethnic Group Participation, FNS-292A Report of Commodity Distribution for Disaster Relief, and FNS-292B Disaster Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program Benefit Issuance (OMB #0584-0594 Food Programs Reporting System (FPRS), expiration date 7/31/2023) and FNS-74 Federal-State Agreement (OMB #0584-0067 7 CFR part 235—State Administrative Expense (SAE) Funds, expiration date 1/31/2026). In addition to these Agency-developed forms, FNS also uses OMB Standard Forms SF-269 Financial Status Report (Long), SF-269A Financial Status Report (Short), SF-424 Application for Federal Assistance, and SF-1034 in the commodity programs.

*Affected Public:* Respondent groups include: (1) Individuals and households; (2) businesses or other for-profit entities; (3) not for-profit organizations; and (4) State, local, and tribal governments.

*Estimated Number of Respondents:* The total estimated number of respondents is 756,158. This includes 77,786 respondents from State, Local, and Tribal Governments, 6,886 from private for-profit business and

companies, 3,079 nonprofits, and 725,700 households and individuals.  
*Estimated Number of Responses per Respondent:* The total estimated average number of responses is 5.35.

*Estimated Time per Response:* The average response time is 0.30 hours (18 minutes) per response.  
*Estimated Total Annual Burden on Respondents:* 1,218,613.38. See table

below for estimated total annual burden for each type of respondent.

Affected public	Est. number of respondents	Number of responses per respondent	Total annual responses	Est. total hours per response	Est. total burden
<b>Reporting</b>					
State, Local, and Tribal Governments .....	26,175	8.89	232,806.24	0.25	59,317.75
Private for Profit .....	3,443	199.28	861,749.33	0.03	26,229.88
Private Not for Profit .....	840	3.86	3,240.00	0.19	614.50
Individual .....	725,700.00	1.97	1,428,200.00	0.25	361,650.00
<b>Total Estimated Reporting Burden .....</b>	<b>756,158.00</b>	<b>3.34</b>	<b>2,525,995.57</b>	<b>0.18</b>	<b>447,812.13</b>
Affected public	Est. number of recordkeepers	Number of responses per recordkeeper	Total annual responses	Est. total hours per response	Est. total burden
<b>Recordkeeping</b>					
State, Local, and Tribal Governments .....	51,611.00	9.14	471,720.46	0.08	35,467.24
Private for Profit .....	6,886	150.22	1,034,429.00	0.06	62,671.72
Private Not for Profit .....	3,079	4.15	12,782.00	52.63	672,662.29
<b>Total Estimated Recordkeeping Burden .....</b>	<b>61,576.00</b>	<b>24.67</b>	<b>1,518,931.46</b>	<b>0.51</b>	<b>770,801.25</b>
<b>Total of Reporting and Recordkeeping</b>					
Reporting .....	756,158.00	3.34	2,525,995.57	0.18	447,812.13
Recordkeeping .....	61,576.00	24.67	1,518,931.46	0.51	770,801.25
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>756,158.00</b>	<b>5.35</b>	<b>4,044,927.03</b>	<b>0.30</b>	<b>1,218,613.38</b>

**Tameka Owens,**  
*Assistant Administrator, Food and Nutrition Service.*  
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**DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE**

**Food and Nutrition Service**

**The Emergency Food Assistance Program; Availability of Foods for Fiscal Year 2023**

**AGENCY:** Food and Nutrition Service, USDA.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** This notice announces the surplus and purchased foods that the Department expects to make available for donation to States for use in providing nutrition assistance to the needy under The Emergency Food Assistance Program (TEFAP) in Fiscal Year (FY) 2023. The foods made available under this notice must, at the discretion of the State, be distributed to eligible recipient agencies (ERAs) for use in preparing meals and/or for distribution to households for home consumption.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Ruth Decosse, Policy Branch, Food Distribution Division, Food and Nutrition Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, 1320 Braddock Place, Alexandria, Virginia 22314, *ruth.decosse@usda.gov* or telephone (617) 317-5136.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** In accordance with the provisions set forth in the Emergency Food Assistance Act of 1983 (EFAA), 7 U.S.C. 7501, *et seq.*, and the Food and Nutrition Act of 2008, 7 U.S.C. 2036, the Department makes foods available to States for use in providing nutrition assistance to those in need through TEFAP. In accordance with section 214 of the EFAA, 7 U.S.C. 7515, funding for TEFAP foods is allocated among States according to a formula that accounts for poverty and unemployment levels within each State. Section 214(a)(1) of the Act requires that 60 percent of each State's allocation be based on the number of people with incomes below the poverty level within the State; and section 214(a)(2) requires that the remaining 40 percent be equal to the percentage of the nation's unemployed persons within the State. State officials are responsible for establishing the network through which the foods will be used by ERAs in

providing nutrition assistance to those in need and for allocating foods among those ERAs. States have full discretion in determining the amount of foods that will be made available to ERAs for use in preparing meals and/or for distribution to households for home consumption.

**Surplus Foods**

Surplus foods donated for distribution under TEFAP are Commodity Credit Corporation (CCC) foods purchased under the authority of section 416 of the Agricultural Act of 1949, 7 U.S.C. 1431 (section 416) and foods purchased under the surplus removal authority of section 32 of the Act of August 24, 1935, 7 U.S.C. 612c (section 32). The types of foods typically purchased under section 416 include dairy, grains, oils, and peanut products. The types of foods purchased under section 32 include meat, poultry, fish, vegetables, dry beans, juices, and fruits.

Approximately \$233.1 million in surplus foods acquired in FY 2022 are being delivered to States in FY 2023. Surplus foods currently scheduled for delivery include almonds, beans, bison, cherries, chicken, dates, fish, grapes, shrimp, peaches, pistachios, nectarines, raisins, sweet potatoes, and walnuts.