

PRG Meeting Agenda

The PRG meeting agenda will typically include (1) Welcome and introduction; (2) Previous meeting minutes review; (3) Program update; (4) Status of PA stipulations; (5) Review of any deliverables provided; (6) Comments on any deliverables (7) Other business; and (8) Date of next meeting. MARAD will publish meeting agendas in the **Federal Register** and on its website a minimum of one week before each meeting.

Public Participation

PRG meetings will be open to the public to attend in-person or virtually. MARAD will publish notices in advance of each meeting in the **Federal Register** and on MARAD's website that will provide meeting access information and other relevant information. MARAD posts will include information relative to the particular meeting, deliverables for review, and instructions on how best to provide public comment. Each meeting notice will direct members of the public who wish to participate to register their attendance through the person listed in the **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT** section.

Note: The NSS is not compliant with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA). The ship has some capability to accommodate persons with impaired mobility, for which advance notice is required. If you require accommodations to attend PRG meetings in-person, please include this information in your RSVP.

(Authority: 49 CFR 1.81 and 1.93; 36 CFR part 800; 5 U.S.C. 552b.)

By Order of the Maritime Administrator.
T. Mitchell Hudson, Jr.,
Secretary, Maritime Administration.

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION**Office of the Secretary**

[Docket No. DOT-OST-2016-0023]

Extension of a Previously Approved Collection: Public Charters

AGENCY: Office of the Secretary

ACTION: Notice and request for comments.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the Department of Transportation (DOT) invites the general public, industry and other governmental parties to comment on Public Charters. A **Federal Register** Notice with a 60-day comment period soliciting comments on the following

information collection was published on April 21, 2023. No comments were received.

DATES: Written comments should be submitted by July 21, 2023.

ADDRESSES: Send comments regarding the burden estimate, including suggestions for reducing the burden, to the Office of Management and Budget, Attention: Desk Officer for the Office of the Secretary of Transportation, 725 17th Street NW, Washington, DC 20503. Comments may also be sent via email to OMB at the following address: *oira_submissions@omb.eop.gov*.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ms. Reather Flemmings (202-366-1865) and Mr. Brett Kruger (202-366-8025), Office of the Secretary, Office of International Aviation, U.S. Air Carrier Licensing/Special Authorities Division-X44, 1200 New Jersey Ave. SE, Washington, DC 20590.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

OMB Control Number: 2106-0005.

Title: Public Charters, 14 CFR part 380.

Form Numbers: 4532, 4533, 4534, 4535.

Type of Review: Extension of a Previously Approved Collection: The current OMB inventory has not changed.

Abstract: 14 CFR part 380 establishes regulations embodying the Department's terms and conditions for Public Charter operators to conduct air transportation using direct air carriers. Public Charter operators arrange transportation for groups of people on chartered aircraft. This arrangement is often less expensive for the travelers than individually buying a ticket. Part 380 exempts charter operators from certain provisions of the U.S. code in order that they may provide this service. A primary goal of part 380 is to seek protection for the consumer.

Accordingly, the rule stipulates that the charter operator must file evidence (a prospectus—consisting of OST Forms 4532, 4533, 4534, 4535, and supporting financial documents) with the Department for each charter program certifying that it has entered into a binding contract with a direct air carrier to provide air transportation and that it has also entered into agreements with Department-approved financial institutions for the protection of charter participants' funds. The prospectus must be accepted by the Department prior to the operator's advertising, selling or operating the charter. If the prospectus information were not collected it would be extremely difficult to assure compliance with agency rules

and to assure that public security and other consumer protection requirements were in place for the traveling public. The information collected is available for public inspection (*unless the respondent specifically requests confidential treatment*). Part 380 does not provide any assurances of confidentiality.

Burden Statement: Completion of all forms in a prospectus can be accomplished in approximately two hours (30 minutes per form) for new filers and one hour for amendments (existing filings). The forms are simplified and request only basic information about the proposed programs and the private sector filer. The respondent can submit a filing to operate for up to one year and include as many flights as desired, in most cases. If an operator chooses to make changes to a previously approved charter operation, then the operator is required by regulations to file revisions to its original prospectus.

Respondents: Private Sector: Air carriers; tour operators; the general public (including groups and individuals, corporations and Universities or Colleges, etc.).

Number of Respondents: 245.

Number of Responses: 1,782.

Total Annual Burden: 891.

Frequency of Responses:

245 (respondents) × 4 = 980

401 (amendments from the same respondents) × 2 = 802

Total estimated responses: 980 + 802 = 1,782

The frequency of response is dependent upon whether the operator is requesting a new program or amending an existing prospectus. Variations occur due to the respondents' criteria. On average four responses (forms 4532, 4533, 4534 and/or 4535) are required for filing new prospectuses and two of the responses (forms) are required for amendments. The separate hour burden estimate is as follows:

Total Annual Burden: 891 hours.

Approximately 1,782 (responses) × 0.50 (per form) = 891

Public Comments Invited: (a) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the Department, including whether the information will have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the Department's estimate of the burden of the proposed information collection; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility and clarity of the information collection; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, by the use of electronic means, including the use of automated

collection techniques or other forms of information technology. All responses to this notice will be summarized and included in the request for OMB approval. All comments will also become a matter of public record.

A **Federal Register** Notice with a 60-day comment period on the information collection was published on April 21, 2023 (88 FR 24659).

Authority: The Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995; 44 U.S.C. chapter 35, as amended; and 49 CFR 1.48.

Issued in Washington, DC, on June 21, 2023.

Benjamin J. Taylor,

Director, Office of International Aviation.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

Community Development Financial Institutions Fund

Capital Magnet Fund (CMF)

ACTION: Notice and request for information.

SUMMARY: The Community Development Financial Institutions Fund (CDFI Fund), Department of the Treasury requests comments from the public regarding methods by which it can enhance and improve the impact of the Capital Magnet Fund; streamline or minimize the administrative burden on Capital Magnet Fund applicants and award recipients; as well as safeguard public funds. Information provided in response to this Request will allow the CDFI Fund to consider the development of policies and programs that better support and expand Capital Magnet Fund activities to spur investment in affordable housing and related economic development efforts that serve low-income families and communities.

DATES: Written comments must be received on or before September 5, 2023.

ADDRESSES: You may submit comments via the Federal eRulemaking Portal: www.regulations.gov. Follow the instructions on the website for submitting comments. In general, all comments will be available for inspection at www.regulations.gov. Comments, including attachments and other supporting materials, are part of the public record. Do not submit any information in your comments or supporting materials that you consider confidential or inappropriate for public disclosure.

For further information, contact Andrew Schlack, Program Manager, Capital Magnet Fund, CDFI Fund, 1500 Pennsylvania Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20220, or by email at cmf@cdfi.treas.gov, and include "CMF RFI" in the subject line of the email. Other information regarding the CDFI Fund and its programs may be obtained through the CDFI Fund website at www.cdfifund.gov.

Note: Capitalized terms not defined in this Notice are defined in the CMF Interim Rule (as amended February 8, 2016; 12 CFR part 1807).¹

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Background

The Capital Magnet Fund (CMF) was established through the Housing and Economic Recovery Act of 2008 (HERA), Public Law 110-289, section 1131. Per the statute, the allocations to the Capital Magnet Fund are to be used to carry out a competitive grant program administered by the CDFI Fund.

HERA requires Fannie Mae and Freddie Mac to set aside an amount equal to 4.2 basis points for each dollar of their unpaid principal balances of total new business purchases to be allocated to the Housing Trust Fund (administered by the Department of Housing and Urban Development) and the Capital Magnet Fund.

Through CMF, the CDFI Fund is authorized to make grants to Certified Community Development Financial Institutions (CDFIs) and Nonprofit Organizations (if one of their principal purposes is the development or management of affordable housing). CMF Awards must be used to attract private financing for and increase investment in: (1) the Development, Preservation, Rehabilitation, and Purchase of Affordable Housing for primarily Extremely Low-, Very Low-, and Low-Income Families; and (2) Economic Development Activities which, In Conjunction with Affordable Housing Activities, will implement a Concerted Strategy to stabilize or revitalize a Low-Income or Underserved Rural Area.

II. Purpose of This Request for Information

The purpose of this Request for Information (RFI) is to solicit public input related to CMF. Specifically, the goals of this RFI are: (1) to clarify terms, concepts, and requirements of the CMF program to improve CMF Recipients' understanding of their obligations and requirements under the program; (2) to

ensure the CMF Program requirements adequately address activities and current business practices in the affordable housing industry; (3) to identify opportunities to reduce the burden of administering CMF Awards for CMF Recipients while ensuring accountability; (4) to identify opportunities to better align the CMF program with the rules, terms, practices, and definitions of other significant federal funding sources for affordable housing, as a way to facilitate compatibility and reduce CMF Recipient burden; and (5) to determine how the CMF Program can better promote and incorporate policy priorities such as economic development in conjunction with affordable housing and affordable homeownership.

III. Specific Information Requested

A. Facilitate CMF Alignment with Other Federal Affordable Housing Programs: With respect to the financing of affordable housing, CMF is often an integral part of project financing (the capital stack), along with capital generated or received through other federal programs. To help reduce Recipient reporting burden and to ease the administration of CMF Awards, the CDFI Fund is soliciting public input on areas where CMF can better align with other federal programs.

1. Using CMF with other federal programs in the same project(s): The CDFI Fund is considering an approach where certain CMF Affordable Housing projects (funded under designated federal housing programs and subject to certain rules and restrictions similar to those under the CMF Program) could be categorically presumed as eligible Affordable Housing Activities and be deemed as meeting CMF rules and requirements for Affordable Housing. For example, under this approach, projects funded with both CMF and the Low-Income Housing Tax Credit (LIHTC), and meeting all LIHTC requirements, could be assumed to meet all CMF requirements such as affordability or rent requirements.

(a) Should the CDFI Fund consider this approach as a way to align the CMF program with other significant federal affordable housing programs?

(b) What are the potential benefits and concerns in utilizing this approach for CMF?

(c) What federal programs are sources of capital frequently used in conjunction with CMF that should be considered if this approach were to be adopted, particularly those related to rental, homeownership, and/or rural housing?

¹ <https://www.cdfifund.gov/sites/cdfi/files/documents/interim-rule-fr-2016-02132.pdf>.