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AGENCY FOR INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Request for Information Regarding the Global AI Research Agenda; Extension of Comment Period

AGENCY: U.S. Agency for International Development.

ACTION: Request for information; extension of comment period.

SUMMARY: On March 13, 2024, the United States Agency for International Development (USAID) published a request for information (RFI) seeking comment on a Global AI Research Agenda being developed on Safe, Secure, and Trustworthy Development and Use of Artificial Intelligence. The RFI established a April 10, 2024, deadline for the submission of written comments. DOE is extending the comment period to April 24, 2024.

DATES: The comment period for the RFI published on March 13, 2024 (89 FR 18590) (<https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2024/03/14/2024-05357/global-ai-research-agenda>) is extended. USAID will accept comments responding to this RFI submitted on or before April 24, 2024.

ADDRESSES: Comments may be submitted by any of the following methods:

Sent as an attachment to gaira_rfi@usaid.gov in any of the following unlocked formats: HTML; ASCII; Word; RTF; Unicode, or .pdf.

Written comments may be submitted by mail to: USAID, IPI/ITR/T, Rm. 2.12-213, RRB, 1300 Pennsylvania Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20004.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For questions about this RFI contact: Craig Jolley, gaira_rfi@usaid.gov or 1-202-712-5536.

Accessible Format: USAID will make the RFI available in alternate formats, such as Braille or large print, upon request by persons with disabilities.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On March 13, 2024, the U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID) published a request for information (RFI) in the **Federal Register** (89 FR 18590) (<https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2024/03/14/2024-05357/global-ai-research-agenda>). USAID issued this RFI to assist in carrying out responsibilities under Executive Order 14110 (<https://www.federalregister.gov/executive-order/14110>) on Safe, Secure, and Trustworthy Development and Use of Artificial Intelligence issued on October 30, 2023. Specifically, the E.O. directs USAID and the State Department to publish a Global AI Research Agenda to guide the objectives and implementation of AI-related research in contexts beyond United States borders.

Authority: Executive Order 14110 of Oct. 30, 2023.

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Forest Service

Solicitation of Nominations for Membership for the Southern Region Recreation Resource Advisory Committee

AGENCY: Forest Service, Agriculture (USDA).

ACTION: Solicitation of nominations for membership.

SUMMARY: The United States Department of Agriculture (Department) is seeking nominations for the Southern Region Recreation Resource Advisory Committee (Southern Region Recreation RAC) pursuant to the authority of the Federal Lands Recreation Enhancement Act and the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA), as amended. The Southern Region Recreation RAC will provide recommendations to the Secretary of Agriculture on recreation fees on lands and waters managed by the Forest Service and the Department of the Interior's Bureau of Land Management in the regions covered by each committee. The Southern Region

Recreation RAC will be governed by the provisions of FACA. Duration of the Southern Region Recreation RAC is for two years unless renewed by the Secretary.

DATES: Nominations must be submitted via email or postmarked by May 31, 2024.

ADDRESSES: Nominations and resumes may be submitted to the Secretary of Agriculture through the Forest Service via Caroline Mitchell, Southern Region Recreation RAC Coordinator, Ouachita National Forest, P.O. Box 1270, Hot Springs, AR 71902 or via email to sm.fs.r8_rrac@usda.gov.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Inquiries may be sent to Tiffany Williams, Regional Recreation Fees, Southern Region, USDA Forest Service, 1720 Peachtree Street NW, Atlanta, GA 30309, by phone (404) 576-1024 or via email sm.fs.r8_rrac@usda.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Pursuant to Federal Lands Recreation Enhancement Act (Pub. L. 108-447) and the Federal Advisory Committee Act (5 U.S.C. 10), notice is hereby given the Secretary of Agriculture's intent to solicit members. Additional information on the Southern Region Recreation RAC can be found by visiting the committee website at <https://www.fs.usda.gov/main/r8/recreation/racs>.

Southern Region Recreation RAC Membership

The Southern Region Recreation RAC will be comprised of 11 members approved by the Secretary of Agriculture where each will serve a two- or three-year term. Memberships shall include representation from the following interest areas:

1. Five persons who represent:
 - a. Winter motorized such as snowmobiling;
 - b. Winter non-motorized such cross-country skiing and snowshoeing;
 - c. Summer motorized recreation such as motorcycling, boating, and off-highway vehicle driving;
 - d. Summer nonmotorized recreation such as hiking, horseback riding, mountain biking, canoeing, and rafting; and
 - e. Hunting and fishing.
2. Three persons who represent:
 - a. Motorized outfitters and guides;
 - b. Non-motorized outfitters and guides; and

- c. Local environmental groups.
3. Three persons who represent:
- State tourism official representing the State;
 - A representative of affected Indian tribes; and
 - A representative of affected local government interests.

Membership Nomination Information

The appointment of members to the Southern Region Recreation RAC will be made by the Secretary of Agriculture, or their designee. Any interested person or organization may nominate qualified individuals for membership. Interested candidates may nominate themselves. Individuals who wish to be considered for membership on the committee must submit a nomination with information, including a background disclosure form (Form AD-755; <https://www.usda.gov/sites/default/files/documents/ad-755.pdf>). Nominations should be typed and include the following:

- If nominating an individual, a brief summary, no more than two pages, explaining the nominee's qualifications to serve on the committee and addressing the membership composition and criteria described above.
- A resume providing the nominee's background, experience, and educational qualifications.
- A completed background disclosure form (Form AD-755) signed by the nominee.
- Letters of endorsement are optional. Persons with disabilities who require alternative means of communication for program information (Braille, large print, audiotape, American Sign Language, etc.) should contact the responsible Agency or USDA's TARGET Center at (202) 720-2600 (voice and TTY) or contact USDA through the Federal Relay Service at (800) 877-8339. Additionally, program information may be made available in languages other than English.

USDA programs are prohibited from discriminating based on race, color, national origin, religion, sex, gender identity (including gender expression), sexual orientation, disability, age, marital status, family/parental status, income derived from a public assistance program, political beliefs, or reprisal or retaliation for prior civil rights activity, in any program or activity conducted or funded by USDA (not all bases apply to all programs). Remedies and complaint filing deadlines vary by program or incident.

Equal opportunity practices in accordance with USDA's policies will be followed in all appointments to the committee. To ensure that the recommendations of the committee have

taken in account the needs of the diverse groups served by USDA, membership shall include to the extent possible, individuals with demonstrated ability to represent minorities, women, and person with disabilities. USDA is an equal opportunity provider, employer, and lender.

Dated: April 9, 2024.

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USDA Committee Management Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Rural Utilities Service

[Docket No. RUS-24-WATER-0008]

60-Day Notice of Proposed Information Collection: RUS-Technical Assistance and Construction for Innovative Regional Wastewater Treatment Solutions (TAC-RWTS) Pilot Grant Program; OMB Control No.: 0572-0157

AGENCY: Rural Utilities Service, USDA.

ACTION: Notice; request for comments.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) Rural Utilities Service (RUS or Agency) announces its intention to request a revision of a currently approved information collection and invites comments on this information collection.

DATES: Comments on this notice must be received by June 14, 2024 to be assured of consideration.

ADDRESSES: Comments may be submitted electronically by the Federal eRulemaking Portal, <http://www.regulations.gov>. In the "Search for dockets and documents on agency actions" box, enter the docket number "RUS-24-WATER-0008," and click the "Search" button. From the search results: click on or locate the document title: "60-Day Notice of Proposed Information Collection: "RUS-Technical Assistance and Construction for Innovative Regional Wastewater Treatment Solutions (TAC-RWTS) Pilot Grant Program" and select the "Comment" button. Before inputting comments, commenters may review the "Commenter's Checklist" (optional). To submit a comment: Insert comments under the "Comment" title, click "Browse" to attach files (if available), input email address, select box to opt to receive email confirmation of submission and tracking (optional), select the box "I'm not a robot," and then select "Submit Comment."

Information on using [Regulations.gov](https://www.regulations.gov), including instructions for accessing documents, submitting comments, and viewing the docket after the close of the comment period, is available through the site's "FAQ" link.

All comments will be available for public inspection online at the Federal eRulemaking Portal (<https://www.regulations.gov>).

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Lisa Day, Rural Development Innovation Center—Regulations Management Division, USDA, 1400 Independence Avenue SW, Room 4227, South Building, Washington, DC 20250-1522. Telephone: (971) 313-4750. Email Lisa.Day@USDA.GOV.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Office of Management and Budget's (OMB) regulation (5 CFR part 1320) implementing provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (Pub. L. 104-13) requires that interested members of the public and affected agencies have an opportunity to comment on information collection and recordkeeping activities (see 5 CFR 1320.8(d)). This notice identifies the following information collection that RUS is submitting to OMB as an extension to an existing collection with Agency adjustment.

Title: RUS-Technical Assistance and Construction for Innovative Regional Wastewater Treatment Solutions (TAC-RWTS) Pilot Grant Program.

OMB Control Number: 0572-0157.

Expiration Date of Approval: August 31, 2024.

Type of Request: Revision of a currently approved collection.

Estimate of Burden: This collection of information is estimated to average 4.4 hour per response.

Respondents: Not-for-profit institutions; Business or other for profit.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 9.

Estimated Number of Responses per Respondent: 10.77.

Estimated Total Number of Responses: 97.

Estimated Annual Reporting Burden on Respondents: 423 hours.

Estimated Annual Recordkeeping Burden on Respondents: 0 hours.

Estimated Total Annual Burden on Respondents: 423 hours.

Abstract: The TAC-RWTS Grant Pilot Program was authorized by the Further Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2020, for the study and design of innovative treatment solutions of regional wastewater systems for historically impoverished communities that have had difficulty installing traditional wastewater treatment systems due to soil conditions. Qualified regional