

**SUMMARY:** The purpose of this **Federal Register** notice is to provide the public with notice that the Secretary of the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) intends to enter into an Enhanced-Use Lease (EUL) of Buildings 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, and 10 on approximately 3.9 acres of underutilized land on the Prescott campus of the Northern Arizona VA Health Care System (VAHCS).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** C. Brett Simms, Executive Director, Office of Asset Enterprise Management, Office of Management, 810 Vermont Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20420, 202-502-0262. This is not a toll-free number.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Pursuant to 38 U.S.C. 8161, *et seq.* as amended by Public Law 117-168, the Secretary of Veterans Affairs is authorized to enter into an EUL for a term of up to 99 years, that (a) provides supportive housing for Veterans and their families, or (b) enhances the use of the leased property by directly or indirectly benefitting Veterans. In addition, the EUL must not be inconsistent with and not adversely affect the mission of VA or the operation of VA's facilities, programs, and services in the area of the leased property. Consistent with this authority, the Secretary of Veterans Affairs intends to enter into an EUL for the purpose of outleasing Buildings 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, and 10 on approximately 3.9 acres of underutilized land on the campus of the Northern Arizona VAHCS, to develop approximately 103 units of supportive housing for Veterans and their families. The competitively selected EUL lessee/developer entity consisting of Gorman & Company and U.S.VETS will finance, design, develop, renovate, manage, maintain, and operate housing for eligible homeless Veterans or Veterans at risk of homelessness on a priority placement basis. In addition, the lessee/developer will be required to provide supportive services that guide Veteran residents towards long-term independence and self-sufficiency.

#### Signing Authority

Denis McDonough, Secretary of Veterans Affairs, approved and signed this document on September 26, 2024, and authorized the undersigned to sign and submit the document to the Office of the Federal Register for publication electronically as an official document of the Department of Veterans Affairs.

#### Luvenia Potts,

*Regulation Development Coordinator, Office of Regulation Policy & Management, Office of General Counsel, Department of Veterans Affairs.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

### National Research Advisory Council, Notice of Meeting

The Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) gives notice under the Federal Advisory Committee Act, 5 U.S.C. ch. 10, that the National Research Advisory Council (NRAC) will hold a meeting on Wednesday, October 30, 2024, at 811 Vermont Avenue NW, Room 4042, Washington, DC 20420. A virtual attention option is available via Teams. The teleconference number is 1-872-701-0185, Phone Conference ID: 172 005 576# or the meeting link is: <https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameetingOWNhODZIODAtODE2MS00NGFiLTkyMjctZmE2OGQyNDFmMGMz%40thread.v2/?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%22e95f1b23-abaf-45ee-821d-b7ab251ab3bf%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%226f005f4f-99eb-4f67-8e59-6062b290a2c8%22%7d>.

The meeting will convene at 8:30 a.m. and end at 3:15 p.m. Eastern Standard Time. This meeting is open to the public and will include time reserved for public comment at the end of the meeting. The public comment period will be 30 minutes. Individual stakeholders will be afforded three to five minutes to express their comments.

The purpose of NRAC is to advise the Secretary on research conducted by the Veterans Health Administration, including policies and programs targeting the high priority of Veterans' health care needs.

On October 30, 2024, the agenda will include remarks from the VA Chief of Staff; an overview of the Office of Research and Development enterprise transformation; discussion of the administration transition, subcommittee updates (Sensitive Species, Air Force Health Study, and Diversity, Equity and Inclusion); an update on fiscal year (FY) 2024 NRAC Recommendation(s); a proposal for a new NRAC subcommittee: VA Research and Emerging Health System Priorities; a presentation on research affiliation agreements; an overview of NRAC FY 2024 Program Assessment and NRAC FY 2025 Ops Plan; a discussion of key areas of interest for NRAC in FY2025; and public comments.

Members of the public may submit written statements for review by the NRAC in advance of the meeting. Public comments may be received no later than *close of business October 18, 2024*, for inclusion in the official meeting record. Please send statements to Rashelle Robinson, Designated Federal Officer,

Office of Research and Development (14RD), Department of Veterans Affairs, 811 Vermont Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20420, at 202-632.7351, or [Rashelle.robinson@va.gov](mailto:Rashelle.robinson@va.gov). Any member of the public seeking additional information should contact Rashelle Robinson at the above phone number or email address noted above.

Dated: October 1, 2024.

**LaTonya L. Small,**

*Federal Advisory Committee Management Officer.*

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### Agency Information Collection Activity Under OMB Review: Report of General Information, Report of First Notice of Death, Report of Nursing Home or Assisted Living Information, Report of Defense Finance and Accounting Service (DFAS), Report of Non-Receipt of Payment, Report of Incarceration, Report of Month of Death

**AGENCY:** Veterans Benefits Administration (VBA), Department of Veterans Affairs.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** Veterans Benefits Administration (VBA), Department of Veterans Affairs (VA), is announcing an opportunity for public comment on the proposed collection of certain information by the agency. Under the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) of 1995, Federal agencies are required to publish notice in the **Federal Register** concerning each proposed collection of information, including each proposed extension of a currently approved collection, and allow 60 days for public comment in response to the notice. DATES: Comments must be received on or before December 3, 2024.

**ADDRESSES:** Comments must be submitted through [www.regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov).

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

*Program-Specific information:* Nancy Kessinger, 202-461-8900, [nancy.kessinger@va.gov](mailto:nancy.kessinger@va.gov).

*VA PRA information:* Maribel Aponte, 202-461-8900, [vacopaperworkreduact@va.gov](mailto:vacopaperworkreduact@va.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Under the PRA of 1995, Federal agencies must obtain approval from the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for each collection of information they conduct or sponsor. This request for comment is