Total Estimated Annual Nonhour Burden Cost: 4,535.

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.*).

### Steven Mullen,

Information Collection Clearance Officer, 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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# Self-Governance PROGRESS Act Negotiated Rulemaking Committee; Notice of Meeting

**AGENCY:** Bureau of Indian Affairs, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice of virtual public meetings.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act, the Self-Governance PROGRESS Act Negotiated Rulemaking Committee (Committee), will hold their third (November 2022) and fourth (December 2022) virtual public meeting to negotiate and advise the Secretary of the Interior (Secretary) on a proposed rule to implement the Practical Reforms and Other Goals to Reinforce the Effectiveness of Self-Governance and Self-Determination for Indian Tribes Act of 2019 (PROGRESS Act).

**DATES:** Please see **ADDRESSES** below for details on how to submit written comments. Please see **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION** below for details on how to participate.

- November 2022 Meeting: The meeting will be open to the public and held virtually on Monday, November 14, 2022; from 1:00 to 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time. Interested persons are invited to submit comments on or before December 15, 2022.
- December 2022 Meeting: The meeting will be open to the public and held virtually on Friday, December 16, 2022; from 1:00 to 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time. Interested persons are invited to submit comments on or before January 17, 2022.

**ADDRESSES:** Send your comments to the Designated Federal Officer, Vickie

Hanvey, by any of the following methods:

- Preferred method: Email to comments@bia.gov.
- Alternate method: Mail, hand-carry or use an overnight courier service to the Designated Federal Officer, Ms. Vickie Hanvey, Office of Self-Governance, Office of the Assistant Secretary—Indian Affairs, 1849 C Street NW, Mail Stop 3624, Washington, DC 20240.

### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Vickie Hanvey, Designated Federal Officer, comments@bia.gov, (918) 931–0745. Individuals in the United States who are deaf, blind, hard of hearing, or have a speech disability may dial 711 (TTY, TDD, or TeleBraille) to access telecommunications relay services. Individuals outside the United States should use the relay services offered within their country to make international calls to the point-of-contact in the United States.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This meeting is being held under the PROGRESS Act (Pub. L. 116-180), the Negotiated Rulemaking Act (5 U.S.C. 561 et seq.), and the Federal Advisory Committee Act (5 U.S.C. Appendix 2). The Committee is to negotiate and reach consensus on recommendations for a proposed rule that will replace the existing regulations at 25 CFR part 1000. The Committee will be charged with developing proposed regulations for the Secretary's implementation of the PROGRESS Act's provisions regarding the Department of the Interior's (DOI) Self-Governance Program.

The PROGRESS Act amends subchapter I of the Indian Self-**Determination and Education** Assistance Act (ISDEAA), 25 U.S.C. 5301 et seq., which addresses Indian Self-Determination, and subchapter IV of the ISDEAA which addresses DOI's Tribal Self-Governance Program. The PROGRESS Act also authorizes the Secretary to adapt negotiated rulemaking procedures to the unique context of self-governance and the government-to-government relationship between the United States and Indian Tribes. The Federal Register (87 FR 30256) notice published on May 18, 2022, discussed the issues to be negotiated and the members of the Committee.

# **Meeting Agenda**

These meetings are open to the public. Detailed information about the Committee, including meeting agendas can be accessed at <a href="https://www.bia.gov/service/progress-act">https://www.bia.gov/service/progress-act</a>. Topics for these meetings may include Committee

operating protocols, negotiated rulemaking process, schedule and agenda setting for future meetings, Committee caucus, and public comment.

The third Plenary Committee meeting will begin at 1:00 p.m. Eastern Time on Monday, November 14, 2022. Members of the public wishing to attend the meeting should visit https:// teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/ 19%3ameeting ODZkOWE3Nz ItOWE5ZC00MzcwLTlhMzgtODQ0ZDAx MGY0Y2E4%40thread.v2/0?context= %7b%22Tid%22%3a%220693b5ba-4b18-4d7b-9341-f32f400a5494 %22%2c%22Oid%22%3a %2213321130-a12b-4290-8bcf-30387057bd7b%22%2c%22Is BroadcastMeeting%22%3atrue%7d& btype=a&role=a for virtual access.

The fourth Plenary Committee meeting will begin at 1:00 p.m. Eastern Time on Friday, December 16, 2022. Members of the public wishing to attend the meeting should visit https:// teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/ 19%3ameeting\_YjM2ZTVj NTAtZTlmOS00MmE5LWFkNGQ tNzIxYjJjNmY5YTIy%40thread.v2/ 0?context=%7b%22Tid% 22%3a%220693b5ba-4b18-4d7b-9341f32f400a5494%22%2c %22Oid%22%3a%2213321130-a12b-4290-8bcf-30387057bd7b%22 %2c%22IsBroadcast Meeting%22%3atrue%7d& btype=a&role=a for virtual access.

# Meeting Accessibility/Special Accommodations

Please make requests in advance for sign language interpreter services, assistive listening devices, or other reasonable accommodations. We ask that you contact the person listed in the FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT section of this notice at least seven (7) business days prior to the meeting to give the Department of the Interior sufficient time to process your request. All reasonable accommodation requests are managed on a case-by-case basis.

# **Public Comments**

Depending on the number of people who want to comment and the time available, the amount of time for individual oral comments may be limited. Requests to address the Committee during the meeting will be accommodated in the order the requests are received. Individuals who wish to expand upon their oral statements, or those who had wished to speak but could not be accommodated on the agenda, may submit written comments to the Designated Federal Officer up to 30 days following the meeting. Written

comments may be sent to Vickie Hanvey listed in the **ADDRESSES** section above.

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.

Authority: 5 U.S.C. Appendix 2.

## Bryan Newland,

Assistant Secretary—Indian Affairs.
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### **DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**

### **National Park Service**

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# Agency Information Collection Activities; Historic Preservation Certification Application

**AGENCY:** National Park Service, Interior. **ACTION:** Notice of information collection; request for comment.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, we, the National Park Service (NPS) are proposing to revise an information collection.

**DATES:** Interested persons are invited to submit comments on or before December 27, 2022.

ADDRESSES: Please provide a copy of your comments to the NPS Information Collection Clearance Officer (ADIR–ICCO), 12201 Sunrise Valley Drive, (MS–242) Reston, VA 20191 (mail); or phadrea\_ponds@nps.gov (email). Please reference OMB Control Number 1024–0009 in the subject line of your comments.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: To request additional information about this ICR by mail, contact Brian Goeken, Chief, Technical Preservation Services, 1849 C St. NW, Mail Stop 7243, Washington, DC 20240; or by email at brian\_goeken@nps.gov; or by telephone at 202–354–2033. Please reference OMB Control Number 1024–0009 in the subject line of your comments. Individuals in the United States who are deaf, deafblind, hard of hearing, or have a speech disability may dial 711 (TTY, TDD, or TeleBraille) to access

telecommunications relay services. Individuals outside the United States should use the relay services offered within their country to make international calls to the point-of-contact in the United States. You may also view the ICR at <a href="http://www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain.">http://www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain.</a>
SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In accordance with the Paperwork

accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, (PRA, 44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*) and 5 CFR 1320.8(d)(1), all information collections require approval under the PRA.

As part of our continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burdens, we invite the public and other Federal agencies 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 especially interested in public comment addressing the following:

(1) Whether or not the collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether or not the information will have practical utility.

(2) The accuracy of our estimate of the burden for this collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used.

(3) Ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected.

(4) How might the agency minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology, *e.g.*, permitting electronic submission of response.

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 vour 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 Federal Historic Preservation Tax Incentives Program

encourages private-sector investment in the rehabilitation and re-use of historic buildings. Through this program, underutilized or vacant buildings throughout the country of every period, size, style, and type have been rehabilitated and reused in a manner that maintains their historic character. To be eligible for tax incentives for historic buildings, a building must be listed individually on the National Register of Historic Places (NRHP); or located in a registered historic district and certified by the NPS as contributing to the historic significance of that district. A registered historic district is any district listed on the NRHP; or a state or local district if the district and the enabling statute have also been certified by the NPS. The NRHP is the official list of the Nation's historic places worthy of preservation.

Section 47 of the Internal Revenue Code requires that the Secretary of the Interior certify to the Secretary of the Treasury upon application by owners of historic properties for Federal tax benefits: (a) the historic significance of the property and (b) that the rehabilitation work is consistent with its historic character. The NPS administers the program with the Internal Revenue Service in partnership with the State Historic Preservation Offices (SHPOs). The NPS uses the information collected in the Historic Preservation Certification Application (Forms 10-168, 10-168a, 10–168b, and 10–168c) to evaluate the condition and historic significance of buildings undergoing rehabilitation and to evaluate whether or not the rehabilitation work meets the Secretary of the Interior's Standards for Rehabilitation. The program is moving towards an electronic system (SharePoint site) for the submission and review process of the application within the next fiscal year, 2023.

Regulations codified in 36 CFR part 67 contain a requirement for completion of an application form. The NPS uses the information collected on the application form to allow the authorized officer to determine if the project is qualified to obtain historic preservation certifications from the Secretary of the Interior. These certifications are necessary for an applicant to receive substantial federal tax incentives authorized by section 47 of the Internal Revenue Code. These incentives include a 20% federal income tax credit for the rehabilitation of income-producing historic buildings and an income tax deduction for the charitable donation of easements on historic properties. The Internal Revenue Code also provided a 10% federal income tax credit for the rehabilitation of non-historic,