NIAID's sole judgment, the ability to develop a viable vaccine. Potential collaborators considered equally competitive in terms of capacity will also be evaluated based on their plans and intent to distribute in areas with immediate need, followed by the likelihood of the proposed plan contributing to the achievement of a self-sustaining vaccine ecosystem in developing nations.

This material is available for access for commercial development in accordance with 35 U.S.C. 209 and 37 CFR part 404, as well as for further development and evaluation under a research collaboration agreement.

Potential Commercial Applications:

- Prophylaxis against mpox in normal or high-risk populations
- Vaccine research Competitive Advantages:
- MVA clone-1 material is believed to be functionally and genetically similar to FDA-approved vaccine material
- Identification of vaccine candidates that can elicit protective antibodies against mpox in normal or high-risk populations
- Royalty-free access for vaccine development and/or research Development Stage:
  - Pre-clinical

*NIH Contributor:* Bernard Moss, MD, Ph.D.

Publications:

• Earl PL, et al. (2004)

Immunogenicity of a highly attenuated MVA smallpox vaccine and protection against monkeypox. *Nature*. 428:182.

- Wyatt LS, et al. (2004) Highly attenuated smallpox vaccine protects mice with and without immune deficiencies against pathogenic vaccinia virus challenge. *Proc Nat Acad Sci USA*.101:4590.
- Earl PL, et al. (2003) Development and use of a vaccinia virus neutralization assay based on flow cytometric detection of green fluorescent protein. *J Virol.* 77:10684. *Intellectual Property:* N/A.

Technology Transfer Specialist: To discuss access to this technology, please contact Benjamin Hurley at (benjamin.hurley@nih.gov).

Collaborative Research Opportunity: The National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases is seeking inquiries from parties interested in independent R&D and/or collaborative research to further develop, evaluate, and commercialize a viable mpox vaccine for distribution using this material. Please contact Benjamin Hurley at 240–669–5092 or benjamin.hurley@nih.gov.

Dated: December 4, 2024.

# Jeremiah D. Mitzelfelt,

Acting Deputy Director, Technology Transfer and Intellectual Property Office, National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases. [FR Doc. 2024–28924 Filed 12–9–24; 8:45 am]

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#### DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### **Bureau of Land Management**

[LLHQ430000.L12200000.PM0000; OMB Control No. 1004-0217]

Agency Information Collection Activities; Submission to the Office of Management and Budget for Review and Approval; Surveys and Focus Groups To Support Outcomes-Focused Management (Recreation Survey and Focus Groups)

**AGENCY:** Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice of information collection; request for comment.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA), the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) has submitted an information collection request (ICR) to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review.

**DATES:** Interested persons are invited to submit comments on or before January 9, 2025.

ADDRESSES: Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be sent within 30 days of publication of this notice to www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain. Find this particular information collection by selecting "Currently under 30-day Review—Open for Public Comments" or by using the search function.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: To request additional information about this ICR, contact Matt Blocker, Outdoor Recreation Planner, by email at *mblocker@blm.gov*, or by telephone at (385) 341–3403. Individuals who are hearing or speech impaired may call the Federal Relay Service at 1–800–877–8339 for TTY assistance. You may also view the ICR at http://www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** In accordance with the PRA (44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*) and 5 CFR 1320.8(d)(1)), we provide the general public and other Federal agencies with an opportunity 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.

A **Federal Register** notice with a 60-day public comment period soliciting comments on this collection of information was published on July 5, 2024 (89 FR 55653). No comments were received.

As part of our continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burdens, we are again soliciting comments from the public and other Federal agencies on the proposed ICR that is described below. We are especially interested in public comment addressing the following:

- (1) Whether the collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether 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: and
- (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. 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.

Abstract: Information will be collected from visitors of public lands and community members near public lands. Information gathered from visitors and local community residents will be used to inform planning decisions in support of BLM's Planning for Recreation and Visitor Services Handbook H–8320–1. This request is for OMB to renew these surveys and focus groups for three (3) years.

Title of Collection: Surveys and Focus Groups to Support Outcomes-Focused Management (Recreation Survey and Focus Groups).

*OMB Control Number:* 1004–0217. *Form Numbers:* None.

*Type of Review:* Extension of a currently approved collection.

Respondents/Affected Public: Individuals or households.

Total Estimated Number of Annual Respondents: 5,330.

Total Estimated Number of Annual Responses: 7,230.

Estimated Completion Time per Response: Varies from 1 minute to answer an on-site survey to 90 minutes to participate in a focus group.

Total Estimated Number of Annual Burden Hours: 2,046.

Respondent's Obligation: Voluntary. Frequency of Collection: On occasion. Total Estimated Annual Nonhour Burden Cost: \$0.

An agency may not conduct or sponsor and, notwithstanding any other provision of law, 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.*).

#### Darrin King,

Information Collection Clearance Officer. [FR Doc. 2024–28951 Filed 12–9–24; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 4331–84–P

## **DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**

# **Bureau of Land Management**

[L19900000.PO0000.LLHQ320000.25X; OMB Control No. 1004-0025]

Agency Information Collection Activities; Submission to the Office of Management and Budget for Review and Approval; Mineral Surveys, Mineral Patent Applications, Adverse Claims, Protests, and Contests

**AGENCY:** Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice of information collection; request for comment.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA), the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) proposes to renew an information collection.

**DATES:** Interested persons are invited to submit comments on or before January 9, 2025.

ADDRESSES: Written comments and recommendations for this information collection request (ICR) should be sent within 30 days of publication of this notice to www.reginfo.gov/public/do/

PRAMain. Find this information collection by selecting "Currently under 30-day Review—Open for Public Comments" or by using the search function.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: To request additional information about this ICR, contact John Grasso by email at *jgrasso@blm.gov*, or by telephone at (303) 239-3777. 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-ofcontact in the United States. You may also view the ICR at http:// www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In accordance with the PRA (44 U.S.C. 3501 et seq.) and 5 CFR 1320.8(d)(1), we invite the public and other Federal agencies to comment on new, proposed, revised, and continuing collections of information. This helps the BLM assess impacts of its information collection requirements and minimize the public's reporting burden. It also helps the public understand BLM information collection requirements and ensure requested data are provided in the desired format.

A **Federal Register** notice with a 60-day public comment period soliciting comments on this collection of information was published on August 9, 2024 (89 FR 65390).

As part of our continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burdens, we are again inviting the public and other Federal agencies to comment on the proposed ICR described below. The BLM is especially interested in public comment addressing the following:

(1) Whether the collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether 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; and

(4) How the agency could minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including 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 submitted in response to this notice are a matter of public record. 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.

Abstract: The General Mining Law (30 U.S.C. 29, 30, and 39) authorizes a holder of an unpatented claim for hardrock minerals to apply for fee title (patent) to the federal land (as well as minerals) embraced in the claim. Division E. Title I of the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2024 (Pub. L. 118-42), the annual appropriation bill for the Department of the Interior, prevents the BLM from processing mineral patent applications unless the applications were grandfathered under the initial legislation. While grandfathered applications are rare at present, the approval to collect the information continues to be necessary because of the possibility that the moratorium will be lifted and applicable regulations that contain the information are still part of the Code of Federal Regulations. OMB control number 1004-0025 is scheduled to expire on July 31, 2025. This request is for OMB to renew this OMB control number for an additional three (3) years.

Title of Collection: Mineral Surveys, Mineral Patent Applications, Adverse Claims, Protests, and Contests (43 CFR parts 3860 and 3870).

OMB Control Number: 1004–0025. Form Numbers: 3860–2 and 3860–5. Type of Review: Extension of a currently approved collection.

Respondents/Affected Public: Owners of unpatented mining claims and mill sites upon the public lands, and of reserved mineral lands of the United States, National Forests, and National Parks.

Total Estimated Number of Annual Respondents: 1.

*Total Estimated Number of Annual Responses:* 10.

Estimated Completion Time per Response: Varies from 1–100 hours, depending on activity.

Total Estimated Number of Annual Burden Hours: 559.

Respondent's Obligation: Required to obtain or retain a benefit.

Frequency of Collection: On occasion. Total Estimated Annual Non-hour Burden Cost: \$259,035.