

Street NW, in the Foreign Missions Center (FMC).

**DATES:** The application will be reviewed at the Commission's November meeting to be held on November 5, 2020. At the meeting, the public will be able to comment on the proposed application. The meeting will begin at 1 p.m. Parties wishing to speak must register at [www.ncpc.gov/review/meeting/](http://www.ncpc.gov/review/meeting/) by not later than 12 p.m. on November 4, 2020. Comments must be addressed solely to the six criteria by which NCPC must evaluate the application. These criteria are listed in this notice under **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION**.

**ADDRESSES:** Written public comments on the draft may be submitted electronically (preferred method) or by U.S. Mail as follows:

1. *U.S. mail, courier, or hand delivery:* National Capital Planning Commission, Attention: Office of Public Engagement, 401 9th Street NW, Suite 500N, Washington, DC 20004.

2. *Electronically:* Comments may be posted on-line at <https://www.ncpc.gov/participate/notices/8211/>.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Carlton Hart at (202) 482-7252 or [info@ncpc.gov](mailto:info@ncpc.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** On February 27, 2017, NCPC and the United States Department of State, Office of Foreign Missions (OFM), entered into a Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) addressing how applications for the location, replacement or expansion of chanceries at the Foreign Missions Center (FMC) would be reviewed. The FMC consists of approximately 30 acres of federally owned property at the former Walter Reed National Military Medical Center in Washington, DC. In the MOA, the parties granted NCPC sole authority to review applications for the location, replacement, or expansion of chanceries at the FMC. The MOA requires NCPC's review to undergo notice and comment, and it precludes conducting the review as a formal adjudicatory proceeding. It also requires NCPC to either not disapprove or, alternatively, disapprove the application based on the application of six criteria contained in the Foreign Missions Act (FMA). Those criteria include:

- The international obligation of the United States to facilitate provision of adequate and secure facilities for the foreign mission in the nation's capital;
- substantial compliance with Federal regulations governing historic preservation shall be required with respect to new construction, demolition, or alteration to historic landmarks to

ensure compatibility with historic landmarks and districts;

- the adequacy of off-street parking or other parking and the extent to which the area will be served by public transportation to reduce parking requirements, subject to such special security requirements as may be determined by the Secretary of State (Secretary), after consultation with Federal agencies authorized to perform protective services;

- the extent to which the area is capable of being adequately protected, as determined by the Secretary, after consultation with Federal agencies authorized to perform protective services;

- the municipal interest, as determined by the Mayor of the District of Columbia; and

- the Federal interest, as determined by the Secretary.

In addition to this notice, NCPC will publish a Tentative Agenda for the November 5, 2020 meeting on October 16, 2020 and a final agenda on October 30, 2020. These documents may be found on-line at <https://www.ncpc.gov/review/agenda/>.

**Authority:** 22 U.S.C. 4306; Memorandum of Agreement by and among the National Capital Planning Commission and the United States Department of State, Office of Foreign Missions, February 27, 2017.

Dated: September 29, 2020.

**Anne R. Schuyler,**

*General Counsel.*

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## NATIONAL FOUNDATION ON THE ARTS AND THE HUMANITIES

### Institute of Museum and Library Services

#### Notice of Proposed Information Collection Requests: 2022-2024 IMLS Grant Application Forms

**AGENCY:** Institute of Museum and Library Services, National Foundation on the Arts and the Humanities.

**ACTION:** Notice, request for comments, collection of information.

**SUMMARY:** The Institute of Museum and Library Services (IMLS), as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, conducts a pre-clearance consultation program to provide the general public and Federal agencies with an opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing collections of information in accordance with the Paperwork

Reduction Act. This pre-clearance consultation program helps to ensure that requested data can be provided in the desired format, reporting burden (time and financial resources) is minimized, collection instruments are clearly understood, and the impact of collection requirements on respondents can be properly assessed. The purpose of this notice is to solicit comments concerning the three-year approval of the forms necessary to submit an application to any IMLS grant program. A copy of the proposed information collection request can be obtained by contacting the individual listed below in the **ADDRESSES** section of this notice.

**DATES:** Written comments must be submitted to the office listed in the addressee section below on or before December 4, 2020.

**ADDRESSES:** Send comments to Connie Bodner, Ph.D., Director of Grants Policy and Management, Office of Grants Policy and Management, Institute of Museum and Library Services, 955 L'Enfant Plaza North SW, Suite 4000, Washington, DC 20024-2135. Dr. Bodner can be reached by telephone at 202-653-4636, by email at [cbodner@imls.gov](mailto:cbodner@imls.gov), or by teletype (TTY/TDD) for persons with hearing difficulty at 202-653-4614. Office hours are from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m., E.T., Monday through Friday, except Federal holidays.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Connie Bodner, Ph.D., Director of Grants Policy and Management, Office of Grants Policy and Management, Institute of Museum and Library Services, 955 L'Enfant Plaza North SW, Suite 4000, Washington, DC 20024-2135. Dr. Bodner can be reached by telephone at 202-653-4636, by email at [cbodner@imls.gov](mailto:cbodner@imls.gov), or by teletype (TTY/TDD) for persons with hearing difficulty at 202-653-4614. Office hours are from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m., E.T., Monday through Friday, except Federal holidays.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** IMLS is particularly interested in public comments that help the agency to:

- Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility;
- Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;
- Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and
- 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 submissions of responses.

## I. Background

The Institute of Museum and Library Services is the primary source of Federal support for the Nation's libraries and museums. We advance, support, and empower America's museums, libraries, and related organizations through grant making, research, and policy development. Our vision is a nation where museums and libraries work together to transform the lives of individuals and communities. To learn more, visit [www.imls.gov](http://www.imls.gov).

## II. Current Actions

The purpose of this collection is to administer the IMLS processes of grants and cooperative agreements, IMLS uses standardized application forms, guidelines and reporting forms for eligible libraries, museums, and other organizations to apply for its funding. These forms submitted for public review in this Notice are the IMLS Museum Program Information Form, the IMLS Library-Discretionary Program Information Form, the IMLS Combination Program Information Form, and the IMLS Supplementary Form. This collection of information from these forms is part of the IMLS grant application process.

*Agency:* Institute of Museum and Library Services.

*Title:* Grant Application Forms.

*OMB Number:* 3137-0092.

*Frequency:* TBD.

*Affected Public:* Library and Museum grant applicants.

*Number of Respondents:* TBD.

*Estimated Average Burden per Response:* TBD.

*Estimated Total Annual Burden:* TBD.

*Total Annualized capital/startup costs:* n/a.

*Total Annual Costs:* TBD.

*Public Comments Invited:* Comments submitted in response to this notice will be summarized and/or included in the request for OMB's clearance of this information collection.

Dated: October 2, 2020.

**Kim Miller,**

*Senior Grants Management Specialist,  
Institute of Museum and Library Services.*

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## NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

### Sunshine Act Meeting; National Science Board

The National Science Board's Committee on National Science and Engineering Policy (SEP), pursuant to NSF regulations (45 CFR part 614), the National Science Foundation Act, as amended (42 U.S.C. 1862n-5), and the Government in the Sunshine Act (5 U.S.C. 552b), hereby gives notice of a CHANGE in the scheduling of a teleconference for the transaction of National Science Board business, as follows:

**FEDERAL REGISTER CITATION OF PREVIOUS ANNOUNCEMENT:** 85 FR 60272, which appeared on September 24, 2020.

**PREVIOUSLY ANNOUNCED TIME AND DATE OF THE MEETING:** Tuesday, September 29, 2020 at 4:30-5:00 p.m. EDT.

**CHANGES IN THE MEETING:** The new date and time for the meeting are October 14, 2020 from 1:30-2:00 p.m. EDT. Other information about the meeting remains unchanged.

**CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION:** Point of contact for this meeting is: Chris Blair, [cblair@nsf.gov](mailto:cblair@nsf.gov), 703-292-7000. To listen to this teleconference, members of the public must send an email to [nationalsciencebrd@nsf.gov](mailto:nationalsciencebrd@nsf.gov) at least 24 hours prior to the teleconference. The National Science Board Office will send requesters a toll-free dial-in number. Meeting information and updates (time, place, subject matter or status of meeting) may be found at <http://www.nsf.gov/nsb/meetings/notices.jsp#sunshine>. Please refer to the National Science Board website [www.nsf.gov/nsb](http://www.nsf.gov/nsb) for additional information.

**Chris Blair,**

*Executive Assistant to the National Science Board Office.*

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## NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

### Request for Information

**AGENCY:** National Science Foundation.

**ACTION:** Request for Information.

**SUMMARY:** The Foundations for Evidence-Based Policymaking Act of 2018 requires federal agencies to develop evidence-building plans to identify and address questions relevant to Agency policies, programs, regulations, management, and operations. Through this Request for Information (RFI), the National Science Foundation (NSF), seeks to expand

ongoing efforts to identify priority questions that can guide evidence-building activities by soliciting input from the public.

**DATES:** Please send comments on or before December 31, 2020. Comments received after that date will be considered to the extent practicable. Send comments to the address below.

**ADDRESSES:** Submit comments to Suzanne H. Plimpton, Reports Clearance Officer, [splimpto@nsf.gov](mailto:splimpto@nsf.gov). Individuals who use a telecommunications device for the deaf (TDD) may call the Federal Information Relay Service (FIRS) at 1.800.877.8339, 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, 365 days a year (including Federal holidays).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Foundations for Evidence-Based Policymaking Act of 2018 (Evidence Act, Pub. L. 115-435) requires federal agencies to develop evidence-building plans to identify and address questions relevant to Agency policies, programs, regulations, management, and operations.

*Invitation to Comment:* NSF invites comments from the public to inform the development of NSF's evidence-building plan. NSF invites suggestions in many forms, as questions to be answered, hypotheses to be tested, or problems to be investigated. NSF will analyze information collected from this RFI to continue developing its evidence-building plan.

### 1.0 Background

NSF was created "to promote the progress of science; to advance the national health, prosperity, and welfare; to secure the national defense . . ." (1950, as amended). NSF seeks to achieve these goals through an integrated strategy that advances the frontiers of knowledge; cultivates a world-class, broadly inclusive science and engineering workforce; expands the scientific literacy of all citizens; builds the nation's research capability through investments in advanced instrumentation and facilities; and supports excellence in science and engineering research and education. NSF by the numbers provides a brief overview of NSF's work. NSF is committed to evaluating the efficacy and efficiency of its strategy, leveraging research and evaluation to help the Agency achieve its mission.

### 2.0 Request for Information

Through this RFI, NSF is soliciting suggestions from a broad array of stakeholders across public and private sectors that may be familiar with or interested in the work of NSF and wish