

minutes total for an estimated rating of two tools each.

Total Estimated Number of

Respondents: A maximum of 11,000 respondents are expected.

Total Estimated Annualized Burden

Hours: 1,833 hours.

Total Estimated Annualized Cost

Burden: \$0.

Description:

The U.S. Department of Labor's (DOL) Employment and Training Administration (ETA), in conjunction with the White House and IdeaScale, is launching the Jobs for America's Job Seekers Challenge. Using an online platform designed by IdeaScale, the Challenge will allow toolmakers and developers to present their free online job tools to workforce development experts and jobseekers for discussion, rating, and voting. The tools that receive the most votes will be shared broadly with the workforce investment system and jobseekers, and listed on government Web sites like <http://www.CareerOneStop.org>, <http://www.Workforce3One.org>, and <http://www.DOLETA.gov>. This is not an opportunity to apply for government funding and ETA will not make any funds available to any party pursuant to this announcement.

The Challenge will consist of three phases. Phase 1 will run from November 30, 2009 to December 18, 2009. In this phase, toolmakers and developers will submit information on their free online job search and job matching tools. These tools must be free to the job seeker, but can be licensed by the workforce system at the State or local level provided the companies offer a short-term demo or other platform that allows the tools to be reviewed free of charge. Submissions will be accepted from businesses, nonprofits organizations, entrepreneurs, and State and local workforce agencies. The tools will be organized into one or more of the following categories:

- General job boards, listing sites, and aggregators
- Niche job boards
- Career advancement tools
- Web based career exploration sites
- Web 2.0/social media sites specializing in job searches or job postings
- Other job tools

Phase 2 will run from January 4 to January 15, 2010. During this phase, workforce development experts and job seekers will review and vote on the submitted job search and matching tools. Reviewers will be encouraged to consider a tool's usability based on how effective the tool is in providing accurate results, how efficient it is in completing job search and matching

tasks in a reasonable amount of time, and the level of satisfaction the user felt.

Phase 3 will begin on January 18, 2010. In this final phase, DOL, ETA, and the White House will communicate the top tools in each category with the entire workforce development community and job seekers through a variety of mediums, including:

(1) Posting an announcement of the top ranking tools on key Web sites including:

- a. DOL.gov
- b. Doleta.gov
- c. White House OSTP blog
- d. Workforce3one.org
- e. Other sites

(2) Highlighting free tools on ETA's <http://www.CareerOneStop.org> portal, which already houses a variety of tools for the workforce system;

(3) Hosting Webinars featuring the top ranking tools on Workforce3one.org;

(4) Utilizing other communication outlets such as national associations and Intergovernmental organizations like the National Association of State Workforce Agencies, the National Association of Workforce Boards, the National Governor's Association, the National Association of Counties, and the Association of Community Colleges.

As a result of the Challenge, the workforce development system will quickly boost its capacity to meet the job information needs of the significantly increased number of customers requiring service in the current economic recovery effort.

Why Are We Requesting Emergency Processing?

In today's tight employment market that has experienced a 10.2 percent unemployment rate that is the highest in 26 years, the publicly funded workforce investment system has a major responsibility to maximize unemployed workers' opportunities for rapid reemployment by quickly connecting them to the full scope of available jobs. We know the workforce system is working hard to connect workforce system customers to the best job search resources available. However, as a result of technological innovations, new job search tools have been launched and new tools are emerging daily that help job seekers find jobs and target their search to the most relevant employment opportunities.

Expedited or Emergency approval of this data collection will enable the Department of Labor (DOL), Employment and Training Administration (ETA), and the White House to respond aggressively to the record unemployment rates. Failure to start the Challenge and do the collection

by November 30, 2009 would waste federal Recovery Act and State resources. Many States and local areas are individually searching for job matching and job search solutions to meet the significantly increased number of job seekers in need of assistance in One Stop Career Centers nationwide as a result of the historic downturn in the nation's economy.

Darrin A. King,

Departmental Clearance Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

Request for Certification of Compliance—Rural Industrialization Loan and Grant Program

AGENCY: Employment and Training Administration, Labor.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Employment and Training Administration is issuing this notice to announce the receipt of a "Certification of Non-Relocation and Market and Capacity Information Report" (Form 4279-2) for the following:

Applicant/Location: Custom Poultry Processing, LLC/West Union, Iowa.

Principal Product/Purpose: The loan, guarantee, or grant application is to enable a new business venture to acquire and alter an existing building for poultry processing and also purchase and install poultry processing equipment. The NAICS industry code for this enterprise is: 311615 Poultry Processing.

DATES: All interested parties may submit comments in writing no later than December 2, 2009. Copies of adverse comments received will be forwarded to the applicant noted above.

ADDRESSES: Address all comments concerning this notice to Anthony D. Dais, U.S. Department of Labor, Employment and Training Administration, 200 Constitution Avenue, NW., Room S-4231, Washington, DC 20210; or e-mail Dais.Anthony@dol.gov; or transmit via fax (202) 693-3015 (this is not a toll-free number).

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Anthony D. Dais, at telephone number (202) 693-2784 (this is not a toll-free number).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Section 188 of the Consolidated Farm and Rural

Development Act of 1972, as established under 29 CFR Part 75, authorizes the United States Department of Agriculture to make or guarantee loans or grants to finance industrial and business activities in rural areas. The Secretary of Labor must review the application for financial assistance for the purpose of certifying to the Secretary of Agriculture that the assistance is not calculated, or likely, to result in: (a) A transfer of any employment or business activity from one area to another by the loan applicant's business operation; or, (b) An increase in the production of goods, materials, services, or facilities in an area where there is not sufficient demand to employ the efficient capacity of existing competitive enterprises unless the financial assistance will not have an adverse impact on existing competitive enterprises in the area. The Employment and Training Administration within the Department of Labor is responsible for the review and certification process. Comments should address the two bases for certification and, if possible, provide data to assist in the analysis of these issues.

Signed at Washington, DC, this 10th of November 2009.

Jane Oates,

Assistant Secretary for Employment and Training.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

Request for Certification of Compliance—Rural Industrialization Loan and Grant Program

AGENCY: Employment and Training Administration, Labor.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Employment and Training Administration is issuing this notice to announce the receipt of a "Certification of Non-Relocation and Market and Capacity Information Report" (Form 4279-2) for the following:

Applicant/Location: Dave's Place, LLC/Keokuk, Iowa.

Principal Product/Purpose: The loan, guarantee, or grant application is to enable a new business venture to renovate and convert a former nursing care facility into one that provides intermediate care and rehabilitation for persons with mental illness. The NAICS industry code for this enterprise is:

623220 Residential Mental Health and Substance Abuse Facilities.

DATES: All interested parties may submit comments in writing no later than December 2, 2009. Copies of adverse comments received will be forwarded to the applicant noted above.

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Assistant Secretary for Employment and Training.

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NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION

[Notice (09-097)]

NASA Advisory Council; Science Committee; Planetary Science Subcommittee; Meeting.

AGENCY: National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: The National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA) announces a meeting of the Planetary Science Subcommittee of the NASA Advisory Council (NAC). This Subcommittee reports to the Science Committee of the NAC. The Meeting will be held for the purpose of soliciting from the scientific community and other person's scientific and technical information relevant to program planning.

DATES: Thursday, December 3, 2009, 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., and Friday, December 4, 2009, 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. MST.

ADDRESSES: University of Colorado, Laboratory for Atmospheric and Space Physics, Conference Room A200, 1234 Innovation Drive, Boulder, CO 80303.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ms. Marian Norris, Science Mission Directorate, NASA Headquarters, Washington, DC 20546, (202) 358-4452, fax (202) 358-4118, or mnorris@nasa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The meeting will be open to the public up to the capacity of the room. The agenda for the meeting includes the following topics:

- Planetary Science Division Update
- Mars Exploration Program Update
- Analysis Group Reports
- Review and Assessment of Current Process for Adding Co-Investigators and Interdisciplinary Scientists to Long-Duration Missions
- Status and Future of the Planetary Data System

It is imperative that the meeting be held on these dates to accommodate the scheduling priorities of the key participants. Attendees will be requested to sign a register.

Dated: November 12, 2009.

P. Diane Rausch,

Advisory Committee Management Officer, National Aeronautics and Space Administration and Space Administration.

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