

*Date:* February 11, 2005.

*Time:* 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

*Agenda:* To review and evaluate grant applications.

*Place:* Catamaran Resort Hotel, 3999 Mission Boulevard, San Diego, CA 92109.

*Contact Person:* Behrouz Shabestari, Ph.D., Scientific Review Administrator, Center for Scientific Review, National Institutes of Health, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 5106, MSC 7854, Bethesda, MD 20892, (301) 435-2409, [shabestb@csr.nih.gov](mailto:shabestb@csr.nih.gov).

*Name of Committee:* Center for Scientific Review Special Emphasis Panel, ZRG1 SBIB F 02M: Member Conflict: Biomedical Imaging and Imaging Technology.

*Date:* February 11, 2005.

*Time:* 3 p.m. to 6 p.m.

*Agenda:* To review and evaluate grant applications.

*Place:* Catamaran Resort Hotel, 3999 Mission Boulevard, San Diego, CA 92109.

*Contact Person:* Robert J. Nordstrom, Ph.D., Scientific Review Administrator, Center for Scientific Review, National Institutes of Health, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 5118, MSC 7854, Bethesda, MD 20892, (301) 435-1175, [nordstrr@csr.nih.gov](mailto:nordstrr@csr.nih.gov).

(Catalogue of Federal Domestic Assistance Program Nos. 93.306, Comparative Medicine; 93.333, Clinical Research, 93.306, 93.333, 93.337, 93.393-93.396, 93.837-93.844, 93.846-93.878, 93.892, 93.893, National Institutes of Health, HHS.)

Dated: January 11, 2005.

**LaVerne Y. Stringfield,**

*Director, Office of Federal Advisory Committee Policy.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

### National Institutes of Health

#### Clinical Center; Notice of Closed Meeting

Pursuant to section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended (5 U.S.C. Appendix 2), notice is hereby given of a meeting of The Board of Scientific Counselors of the Warren Grant Magnuson Clinical Center.

The meeting will be closed to the public as indicated below in accordance with the provisions set forth in section 552b(c)(6), title 5 U.S.C., as amended for the review, discussion, and evaluation of individual intramural programs and projects conducted by the Clinical Center, including consideration of

personnel qualifications and performance, and the competence of individual investigators, the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy.

*Name of Committee:* The Board of Scientific Counselors of the Warren Grant Magnuson Clinical Center.

*Date:* February 7-8, 2005.

*Time:* 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

*Agenda:* To review and evaluate personal qualifications and performance, and competence of individual investigators.

*Place:* National Institutes of Health, Building 10, 10 Center Drive, CRC, 4-2551, Bethesda, MD 20892.

*Contact Person:* David K. Henderson, MD, Deputy Director for Clinical Care, Office of the Director, Clinical Center, National Institutes of Health, Building 10, Room 6-1480, Bethesda, MD 20892; 301/402-0244.

This notice is being published less than 15 days prior to the meeting due to the timing limitations imposed by the review and funding cycle.

Dated: January 11, 2005.

**LaVerne Y. Stringfield,**

*Director, Office of Federal Advisory Committee Policy.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

### Federal Emergency Management Agency

#### Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comment Request

**AGENCY:** Federal Emergency Management Agency, Emergency Preparedness and Response Directorate, U.S. Department of Homeland Security.

**ACTION:** Notice and request for comments.

**SUMMARY:** The Federal Emergency Management Agency, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on a proposed new information collection. In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)), this notice seeks comments concerning a study of the effectiveness of the

National Flood Insurance Program's (NFIP) FloodSmart, a multimedia marketing campaign, aimed at measuring homeowners' awareness, attitudes, and purchasing of flood insurance.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** FEMA administers the NFIP created by Congress in 1968 (Pub. L. 90-488 as amended) in response to mounting losses due to floods. Unlike federal disaster assistance, the NFIP does not rely upon appropriated tax dollars to pay claims and operating expenses, but rather it self-supports through premiums collected from flood insurance policies. Communities choosing to participate in the NFIP adopt and enforce floodplain management ordinances to reduce future flood losses in exchange for federally-backed flood insurance made available to property owners in those communities. Based on the correlation between public awareness and purchasing of flood insurance, the NFIP, through the FloodSmart campaign, educates the public on the risks posed by floods and the availability of flood insurance to property owners in participating communities.

#### Collection of Information

*Title:* Flood Awareness, Attitude and Usage Study.

*Type of Information Collection:* New collection.

*OMB Number:* 1660-NEW7.

*Abstract:* The Flood Awareness, Attitude and Usage Survey is the evaluative tool of the NFIP's FloodSmart marketing campaign. The study assesses the overall impact of the campaign elements (i.e. advertising recall, media exposure, etc.) on property owners' perceptions and flood insurance. Data findings are combined with additional program data to measure the sale and retention of flood insurance policies in meeting the program's goal of a 5 percent net growth annually. Findings will be used primarily to plan for the subsequent 2005 campaign, and will be combined with additional program metrics for further performance evaluation.

*Affected Public:* Individuals or households.

*Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours:* 264 hours.

## ANNUAL BURDEN HOURS

Project/activity (survey, form(s), focus group, etc.)	Number of respondents (A)	Frequency of responses (B)	Burden hours per respondent (C)	Annual responses (A × B)	Total annual burden hours (A × B × C)
Internet Panel Survey .....	800	1	0.33	800	264
Total .....	800	1	0.33	800	264

*Estimated Cost:* \$4.50 per response for a total of \$3,604 for all respondents combined.

## ANNUAL COST TO RESPONDENTS

Program	Burden hours	Median hour rate <sup>1</sup> (\$)	Average cost per response <sup>2</sup> (\$)	Annualized cost all respondents (\$)
Internet Panel Survey .....	264	13.65	4.50	3,604.00
Grand total .....	264	13.65	4.50	3,604.00

<sup>1</sup> Median hour for all occupations per Bureau of Labor Statistics, 2003.

<sup>2</sup> Based on 20 minutes (.33 hour) estimated response time.

*Comments:* Written comments are solicited to (a) Evaluate whether the proposed data collection is necessary for the proper performance of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) 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; (c) enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) 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 responses. Comments should be received within 60 days of the date of this notice.

**ADDRESSES:** Interested persons should submit written comments to Muriel B. Anderson, Chief, Records Management Section, Information Resources Management Branch, Information Technology Services Division, Federal Emergency Management Agency, Emergency Preparedness and Response Directorate, Department of Homeland Security, 500 C Street, SW., Room 316, Washington, DC 20472.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Contact Carolyn Goss, Program Analyst, Risk Management Marketing Section at (202) 646-3468 for additional information. You may contact Ms. Anderson for copies of the proposed collection of information at facsimile

number (202) 646-3347 or e-mail address: [FEMA-Information-Collections@dhs.gov](mailto:FEMA-Information-Collections@dhs.gov).

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**Edward W. Kernan,**

*Branch Chief, Information Resources Management Branch, Information Technology Services Division.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

### Cooperating Technical Partners Program

**AGENCY:** Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA).

**ACTION:** Notice of Cooperating Technical Partners Flood Hazard Mapping Program.

**SUMMARY:** FEMA gives notice of the requirements for the Cooperating Technical Partners Program for Fiscal Year (FY) 2005.

**DATES:** FEMA has an estimated \$50 million available nationwide for funding partner projects in FY 2005.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** The FEMA Regional Cooperating Technical Partner (CTP) Coordinators for your region. We list names, addresses, and telephone numbers for the Regional CTP Coordinators at the end of this Notice.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

*Background.* FEMA administers the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP) and, under the authority of

section 1360 of the National Flood Insurance Act of 1968 (42 U.S.C. 4101) establishes and updates flood-risk zone data in floodplain areas. In the identification of floodprone areas, we may consult with, receive information from and enter into agreements or other arrangements with the head of any State, regional, or local agency in order to identify these floodprone areas.

We are implementing the Cooperating Technical Partners (CTP) program as part of our Flood Map Modernization Program. The plan document for our Map Modernization Program and progress reports concerning the Program are available at [http://www.fema.gov/fhm/dl\\_mpmmod.shtm](http://www.fema.gov/fhm/dl_mpmmod.shtm). The program formally recognizes and encourages the contributions that our Flood Hazard Mapping Partners (State agencies, regional agencies, tribal governments, and communities) make in developing timely and accurate flood hazard information. We strongly encourage partner contributions to flood hazard data development, which are a key part of the program.

Establishing formal partnerships with State, regional, and local organizations to produce NFIP maps is beneficial for the following reasons:

- The data used for local permitting and planning will also be the basis for the NFIP map, facilitating more efficient floodplain management;
- The CTP program provides the opportunity to interject a tailored, local focus into a national program; thus, where unique conditions may exist, we