

extraordinary circumstances within the DHS Environmental Planning and Historic Preservation Decision Support System or alternate system approved by DHS.

When applying NRCS CEs, DHS will evaluate the proposed action to ensure evaluation of NRCS “Conservation Practice Standards” listed at 23 CFR 771.117 paragraphs (b). Consistent with the DHS NEPA Instruction Manual, DHS will document each application of NRCS CEs and their consistency with NRCS Conservation Practice Standards in the DHS Environmental Planning and Historic Preservation Decision Support System or alternate system approved by DHS.

DHS’s list of extraordinary circumstances is comparable to those of NRCS, RD, and USFS, found at 7 CFR Subtitle A Part 1b.3(f); NTIA found at Guidance on NTIA National Environmental Policy Act Compliance, Appendix C; IHS found at 58 FR 569; FHWA “unusual circumstances” found at 23 CFR 771.117 paragraphs (b); DA, DON, and USACE found at Department of War National Environmental Policy Act Implementing Procedures, Part 1.4; and TVA, found at 18 CFR, Subpart C Section 1318.201.

DHS’s list of extraordinary circumstances is comparable to those of the FirstNet Authority, found at First Responder Network Authority Procedures for Implementing the National Environmental Policy Act, Appendix C. However, FirstNet Authority extraordinary circumstance 11, which provides EA requirements for new antennae structures is not explicitly covered under in DHS extraordinary circumstances. The proposed adopted FirstNet Authority CE does not cover antennae construction and will not be used for such activities.

Therefore, only the DHS NEPA Instruction Manual and the extraordinary circumstances contained therein would be reviewed as to whether the proposed action has the potential to result in significant effects for actions DHS is intending to apply a NRCS, RD, USFS, FirstNet Authority, NTIA, IHS, FHWA, DA, DON, USACE, or TVA CE. If DHS determines that a CE is not appropriate to support a decision on a particular proposed action due to extraordinary circumstances, DHS would prepare an EA or EIS. Consistent with the DHS NEPA Instruction Manual, the DHS Environmental Planning and Historic Preservation Decision Support System, or alternate system approved by DHS, will be utilized for application of all CE requiring preparation of REC.

IV. Consultation With Agencies and Determination of Appropriateness

In May of 2026, DHS consulted with NRCS, RD, USFS, FirstNet Authority, NTIA, DOE, IHS, FHWA, DOW, DA, DON, USACE, and TVA about the appropriateness of the Department’s adoption of their respective categorical exclusions. Those consultations each included a review of each agency’s or bureau’s experience in establishing and applying the categorical exclusions, as well as DHS’s intended uses for the categorical exclusions. Based on those consultations and reviews, DHS has determined that the types of activities DHS proposes to authorize are substantially similar to the activities for which NRCS, RD, USFS, FirstNet Authority, NTIA, DOE, IHS, FHWA, DA, DON, USACE, and TVA have applied their respective categorical exclusions. Accordingly, the impacts of the DHS actions would be substantially similar to the impacts of each establishing agency’s actions, which are not significant, absent the existence of extraordinary circumstances. Therefore, DHS has determined that DHS’s proposed use of the CEs, as described within this notice is appropriate.

V. Notice to the Public and Documentation of Adoption

This notice serves to identify to the public and document DHS’s adoption of NRCS, RD, USFS, FirstNet Authority, NTIA, DOE, IHS, FHWA, DA, DON, USACE, and TVA categorical exclusions and identifies the types of actions to which DHS contemplates applying the actions at this time. Upon issuance of this notice, the adopted of NRCS, RD, USFS, FirstNet Authority, NTIA, DOE, IHS, FHWA, DA, DON, USACE, and TVA categorical exclusions will be available to DHS and accessible on [DHS.gov](https://www.dhs.gov/ocrso/eed/epb/nepa) at <https://www.dhs.gov/ocrso/eed/epb/nepa>.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

National Park Service

[NPS–WASO–PCE–COR–NTS–NPS0042802; PPWOPCADT0, PPMPSPD1T.Y00000; OMB Control Number 1024–0283]

Agency Information Collection Activities; Submission to the Office of Management and Budget for Review and Approval; Application for Designation as National Recreation Trail or National Water Trail

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, we) are proposing to reinstate a previously approved collection without change.

DATES: Interested persons are invited to submit comments, which NPS must receive on or before September 25, 2026.

ADDRESSES: Written comments and suggestions on the information collection requirements should be submitted by the date specified above in **DATES** to <http://www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain>. Find this particular information collection by selecting “Currently under Review—Open for Public Comments” or by using the search function. Please provide a copy of your comments to the NPS Information Collection Clearance Officer (ADIR–ICCO), 13461 Sunrise Valley Drive, (MS–263) Herndon, VA 20191 (mail); or phadrea_ponds@nps.gov (email). Please reference Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Control Number “1024–0283” in the subject line of your comments.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Lindsay Brisko, Architect/Project Manager, National Trails System & National Wild and Scenic Rivers System, 12795 W Alameda Parkway, Lakewood, CO 80228; or lindsay_brisko@nps.gov (email). Please reference OMB Control Number 1024–0064 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.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA, 44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*) and 5 CFR 1320.8(d)(1), we

provide the 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 March 13, 2026 (91 FR 12441). We did not receive any comments in response to that Notice.

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 comments 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 the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) to approve this Information Collection Request (ICR). 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 NPS is authorized by section 4 of the National Trails System Act (16 U.S.C. 1243) and Secretarial Order No. 3319 to administer the National Recreation Trail (NRT) program, which establishes National Water Trails (NWT) as a class of National Recreation Trails and directs that such trails collectively be considered in a National Water Trails System.

The NPS uses forms 10–1002: *Application for Designation as National Water Trail* and 10–1003: *Application for Designation as National Recreation Trail* to collect information NPS requires when submitting suitable trails or trail systems and water trails to the Secretary of the Interior for designation. The applications are evaluated for adherence to NRT requirements and criteria. NPS evaluation of an application is based on (1) the sufficiency of information provided on the application form and in supporting documentation, such as photographs, maps, and written landowner consents that accompany the form, and (2) successfully meeting the NRT requirements and criteria. Successful applications are forwarded to the Secretary of the Interior for approval.

Title of Collection: Application for Designation as National Recreation Trail or National Water Trail.

OMB Control Number: 1024–0283.

Form Number: NPS 10–1002:

Application for Designation as National Water Trail and NPS 10–1003:

Application for Designation as National Recreation Trail.

Type of Review: Reinstatement of a previously approved collection.

Description of Respondents: Private individuals; businesses; educational institutions; nonprofit organizations; state, tribal, and local governments; and Federal agency land units.

Total Estimated Number of Annual Respondents: 30.

Estimated Completion Time per Response: Varies by activity, 30 minutes to 8 hours.

Total Estimated Number of Annual Burden Hours: 130 hours.

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

Frequency of Collection: On occasion.

Total Estimated Annual Non hour Burden Cost: None.

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.*).

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INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

[Investigation Nos. 701–TA–802–804 and 731–TA–1799–1803 (Preliminary)]

Linear Hydraulic Cylinders From Canada, China, India, Mexico, and South Korea; Revised Schedule for the Subject Investigations

AGENCY: United States International Trade Commission.

ACTION: Notice.

DATES: August 21, 2026.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Stamen Borisson ((202) 205–3125), Office of Investigations, U.S. International Trade Commission, 500 E Street SW, Washington, DC 20436. Hearing-impaired persons can obtain information on this matter by contacting the Commission's TDD terminal on 202–205–1810. Persons with mobility impairments who will need special assistance in gaining access to the Commission should contact the Office of the Secretary at 202–205–2000. General information concerning the Commission may also be obtained by accessing its internet server (<https://www.usitc.gov>). The public record for this investigation may be viewed on the Commission's electronic docket (EDIS) at <https://edis.usitc.gov>.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On July 29, 2026, the Commission established a schedule for the conduct of the final phase of the subject investigations (91 FR 49442, August 4, 2026). Subsequently, the Department of Commerce (“Commerce”) extended the deadline for its initiation determination to September 8, 2026 (91 FR 53848, August 20, 2026). The Commission, therefore, is revising its schedule to conform with Commerce's new schedule.

The Commission must reach preliminary determinations within 25 days after the date on which the Commission receives notice from Commerce of initiation of the investigations, and the Commission's views must be transmitted to Commerce within five business days thereafter.

For further information concerning this proceeding, see the Commission's