whether there are specific terms that need further definition.

4. Instructions

OGE has received comments requesting that OGE clarify the instructions and make them consistent with the statutory and regulatory reporting exclusions, and exceptions in the Public Financial Disclosure Guide (the ''guide''), specifically as it relates to the use of ''description'' in each part, permitted asset valuation, retention or disposition of employer-awarded equity, sharing in profits, and carried interests (*e.g.,* vested or unvested stock options, restricted stock, future sale of a company's profits). OGE is interested in views on specific text suggestions in the forms and seeks comments on whether the instructions to any part of the form should include additional reporting concepts and/or key terms. OGE is considering expanding the current instructions for each part of the report and providing helpful hyperlinks to the guide.

5. Examples

OGE is considering adding a list of examples to the OGE Form 278e applicable to each section, similar to the OGE Form 450 examples. OGE is interested in views on whether there are specific topic areas for which an example would be particularly useful.

Potential Areas for Comment on the OGE Form 450

1. Definitions and Examples

The last page of the OGE Form 450 includes examples for each Part. OGE seeks comments on whether any of these examples should be revised or removed, what new examples would be of value for the typical filer, and whether any new definitions should be added to the instructions.

2. Asset Ownership Identification

OGE has received comments requesting the addition of a column reflecting asset ownership. OGE is considering adding this column to the report and seeks comment on whether inclusion of this optional information in the form would provide any added benefit or clarity.

3. Asset Valuation Threshold Identification

OGE has received comments requesting the addition of a column reflecting asset valuation threshold identification. OGE is considering adding a question with a ''Yes'' or ''No'' response to whether an asset is above the relevant regulatory *de minimis* level to ease time spent by agency reviewers reaching back to filers. OGE seeks comments on whether inclusion of this optional information in the form would provide any added benefit or clarity.

4. Redesign of the Form

OGE has received comments and suggestions requesting that OGE include more and/or clarify certain definitions and examples that appear on the hard-copy PDF and Excel versions. OGE is considering re-designing the form by removing the instructions, examples, and definitions from the top of each Part, and instead creating new instructions, definitions, and examples pages at the beginning of the form, similar to how the current OGE Form 278e is structured. OGE is also considering providing hyper-links to a new user-friendly HTML version of the OGE Form 450 Reviewers Guide to make preparation and review of the form easier for the filers and agency reviewers.

(a) Addition of an EIF Column

OGE has received comments and requests to provide EIF information on the form, which would clarify whether an asset itself is an EIF or holds underlying assets that are EIFs. OGE seeks comments on whether inclusion of an optional EIF column/field would provide any added benefit or clarity.

Registration: Individuals wishing to attend the public meeting must register at *https://events.gcc.teams.microsoft.com/event/6e6ab2cf-348e-4d4d-bc92-316cb46fdbad@c0abca44-0182-40a9-8010-01ec94254f77?source=copyLinkLegacyShareLinkDialog.*

Meeting information will be provided at the time of registration.

Written Comments: You may submit comments in writing to OGE by use of the following methods:

Email: Forms@OGE.gov. Include ''OGE PRA Form 278e and OGE Form 450 Review'' in the subject line. *Mail:* Office of Government Ethics, 250 E Street SW, Suite 750, Washington, DC 20024–3249, Attention: ''OGE PRA Form 278e and OGE Form 450 Review.''

Instructions: Comments may be posted on OGE's website, *https://www.oge.gov*. Sensitive personal information, such as account numbers or Social Security numbers, should not be included. Comments generally will not be edited to remove any identifying or contact information.

Authority: Ethics in Government Act (EIGA), 5 U.S.C. 13122.

Approved: November 3, 2026.

Keith Sonderling,

Acting Director, U.S. Office of Government Ethics.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Administration for Children and Families

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Announcement of the Intent To Award a Single-Source Cooperative Agreement to the Welcoming Initiative for Newcomers in San Diego, California

AGENCY: Refugee Program Bureau, Office of Refugee Resettlement (ORR), Administration for Children and Families (ACF), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS).

ACTION: Notice of issuance of a single-source cooperative agreement.

SUMMARY: The ACF, ORR announces the intent to award a single-source cooperative agreement in the amount of up to $3,500,000 to the Welcoming Initiative for Newcomers (WIN) in San Diego, California, for the next phase of the State Capacity and Readiness Initiative. Building on the nationwide baseline assessment and related readiness products completed under WIN's prior cooperative agreement, the proposed project will support an updated assessment of state capacity, support development of training and technical assistance resources, support for pilot implementation and learning, and engagement with states not participating in the pilots. The project will also identify service and capacity gaps and provide recommendations concerning additional grants, contracts, technical assistance, or other resources ORR may need to support a state-centered refugee resettlement model.

DATES: The proposed period of performance is November 1, 2026, through October 31, 2027.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Miro Marinovich, Office of Refugee Resettlement, Administration for Children and Families, 330 C Street SW, Washington, DC 20201. Telephone: (202) 729–3638; Email: *RBfrontoffice@acf.hhs.gov.*

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: ORR intends to undertake the next phase of the State Capacity and Readiness Initiative to support implementation of a state-centered refugee resettlement

model. Under a prior cooperative agreement, WIN conducted a nationwide baseline assessment of state readiness and capacity and developed related assessment and planning products. The proposed award will build on that foundational work by moving the initiative from baseline assessment to implementation support, pilot learning, and state and local capacity building.

Under the proposed cooperative agreement, WIN will conduct a nationwide assessment of local resettlement partners and identify the support they will need from states, ORR, training and technical assistance providers, and other entities to deliver services effectively. WIN will also update the assessment of state capacity and readiness to reflect current infrastructure, staffing, partnerships, service-delivery capabilities, and implementation needs.

WIN will collaborate with Switchboard, or another ORR-designated training and technical assistance provider, to inform the development and delivery of training, tools, templates, and other resources that strengthen state readiness and implementation capacity. WIN will support ORR's pilot activities by recommending approaches for information collection and pilot assessment, coordinating regular engagement with participating states and partners, documenting implementation experience, and synthesizing findings and lessons learned. WIN will develop a national data dashboard to support capacity planning.

For states not participating in the pilots, WIN will support ORR and ORR regional staff with meeting coordination, agenda development, briefing materials, and other state-engagement activities. WIN will also identify service gaps, capacity limitations, and unmet implementation needs and provide recommendations concerning additional federal assistance that may be needed to support broader implementation of the state-centered model.

Expected project products will include updated state and local capacity findings, analyses of service and support gaps, pilot-learning summaries, recommendations for training and technical assistance resources, state-engagement materials, and recommendations to inform future ORR program and funding decisions.

ORR will be substantially involved in the project by refining the work plan, identifying priority questions, coordinating engagement with pilot and non-pilot states, reviewing assessment tools and project products, and determining how findings will inform implementation and future federal assistance. This level of federal participation supports use of a cooperative agreement.

ORR proposes to issue the single-source cooperative agreement to WIN because WIN was the recipient of the prior cooperative agreement and developed the baseline assessment, readiness products, analytical approaches, and stakeholder relationships upon which the proposed work will directly build. Through that work, WIN acquired detailed knowledge of the initiative's methodology, findings, implementation context, and state and local capacity needs.

WIN's institutional knowledge and established relationships with state and local refugee-resettlement stakeholders will allow the next phase to begin without requiring ORR and its partners to reconstruct project history, reestablish working relationships, or repeat previously completed engagement and data-gathering activities. Selecting WIN will preserve continuity between the assessment and implementation phases, reduce duplicative start-up activities and information requests, and support timely use of Fiscal Year (FY) 2027 pilot findings in FY 2028 program and resource planning.

The proposed project will strengthen federal, state, and local coordination; provide practical implementation support to states and local resettlement partners; and help ORR target future grants, contracts, and technical assistance toward demonstrated service and capacity needs.

Statutory Authority: Under section 8 U.S.C. 1522(b)(1) of the Refugee Act, ORR is authorized to make grants to and contracts with public or private nonprofit agencies for the initial resettlement of refugees in the United States. This action further advances the intent of 8 U.S.C. 1522(a)(2) by creating mechanisms through which ORR can, to the maximum extent possible, incorporate state recommendations into refugee placement and capacity planning decisions.

Elizabeth A. Leo,

Grants Policy Branch Chief, Office of Grants Policy, Office of Administration.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

National Institutes of Health

Center for Scientific Review; Notice of Closed Meetings

Pursuant to section 1009 of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended, notice is hereby given of the following meetings.

The meetings will be closed to the public in accordance with the provisions set forth in sections 552b(c)(4) and 552b(c)(6), Title 5 U.S.C., as amended. The grant applications and the discussions could disclose confidential trade secrets or commercial property such as patentable material, and personal information concerning individuals associated with the grant applications, the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy.

Name of Committee: Center for Scientific Review Special Emphasis Panel; PAR Panel: Innovation Grants to Nurture Initial Translational Efforts (IGNITE).

Date: December 2, 2026.

Time: 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Agenda: To review and evaluate grant applications.

Address: National Institutes of Health, Rockledge II, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Bethesda, MD 20892.

Meeting Format: Virtual Meeting.

Contact Person: Baskaran Thyagarajan, Ph.D., Scientific Review Officer, Center for Scientific Review, National Institutes of Health, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 800B, Bethesda, MD 20892, (301) 594–0331, *thyagarajanb2@csr.nih.gov*.

Name of Committee: Center for Scientific Review Special Emphasis Panel; RFA Panel: HeartShare 2.0.

Date: December 2, 2026.

Time: 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.

Agenda: To review and evaluate grant applications.

Address: National Institutes of Health, Rockledge II, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Bethesda, MD 20892.

Meeting Format: Virtual Meeting.

Contact Person: Vivian Tang, Ph.D., Scientific Review Officer, Center for Scientific Review, National Institutes of Health, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Bethesda, MD 20892, (301) 594–6208, *tangvw@csr.nih.gov*.

Name of Committee: Center for Scientific Review Special Emphasis Panel; RFA Panel: Limited Competition U01 and U24 Applications for the Adolescent Brain Cognitive Development—Extended (ABCD–E) Study Renewal.

Date: December 2, 2026.

Time: 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Agenda: To review and evaluate grant applications.

Address: National Institutes of Health, Rockledge II, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Bethesda, MD 20892.

Meeting Format: Virtual Meeting.