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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

The Department of Agriculture has submitted the following information collection requirement(s) to OMB for review and approval under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Public Law 104–13. Comments are requested regarding: whether the collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility; the accuracy of the agency's estimate of burden including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used; ways to enhance the quality, utility and clarity of the information to be collected; and ways to 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 Comments regarding these information collections are best assured of having their full effect if received by December 28, 2026. Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be submitted within 30 days of the publication of this notice on the following website *www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain.* Find this particular information collection by selecting ''Currently under 30-day Review—Open for Public Comments'' or by using the search function.

An agency may not conduct or sponsor a collection of information unless the collection of information displays a currently valid OMB control number and the agency informs potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information that such persons are not required to respond to the collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number.

Agricultural Marketing Service

Title: National Bioengineered Food Disclosure Standard.

OMB Control Number: 0581–0315.

Summary of Collection: The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) administers the Agricultural Marketing Act of 1946 (Title II of the Act of August 14, 1946). Public Law 114–216 amended the Agricultural Marketing Act of 1946, directing the Secretary of Agriculture to establish the National Bioengineered Food Disclosure Standard (7 CFR 66) for disclosing certain foods that are bioengineered or contain bioengineered ingredients. The final rule (National Bioengineered Food Disclosure Standard [7 CFR 66]) fulfils USDA's need to establish requirements and procedures to carry out the new standard. Public Law 114–216 also addressed Federal preemption of State and local genetic engineering labeling requirements and specifies that certification of food under USDA's National Organic Program (7 CFR 205) were considered sufficient to make claims about the absence of bioengineering in the food. AMS gathered industry input and conducted rulemaking on the National Bioengineered Food Disclosure Standards.

Need and Use of the Information: The audit process involves access to records at the entity's place of business. AMS would examine the records during normal business hours to verify compliance with the standard's disclosure requirements. Under § 66.304(c), if an entity fails to provide AMS access to records, AMS would determine that the entity did not comply and would make the determination public. Companies would know the requirements through a list that AMS will maintain containing bioengineered crops and foods that may be produced in other countries. As set forth in § 66.300, recordkeeping applies to records for food on the list of bioengineered foods. As set forth in § 66.302(a)(3), records would have to be maintained for at least two years after the food's distribution for retail sale.

Description of Respondents: Business or other for-profit; Not for-profit institutions.

Number of Respondents: 155,098.

Frequency of Responses: Recordkeeping; Annually.

Total Burden Hours: 353,952.

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Farm Service Agency

[Docket ID FSA–2026–0562]

Information Collection Request; Increasing Land, Capital, and Market Access Program

AGENCY: Farm Service Agency, United States Department of Agriculture.

ACTION: Notice; request for comments.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the Farm Service Agency (FSA) is requesting comments from all interested individuals and organizations on an information collection request associated with the Increasing Land, Capital, and Market Access grant and cooperative agreement activity. The purpose of the Increasing Land, Capital, and Market Access Program is to fund projects that support a diverse set of farmers, ranchers, and forest landowners (producers) on the edge financially; moving them from surviving to thriving as they address core barriers to attain land, capital, and market access.

DATES: We will consider comments that we receive by January 26, 2027.

ADDRESSES: We invite you to submit comments on this notice. You may submit comments, identified by Docket ID: FSA–2026–0562 in the Federal eRulemaking Portal: Go to *https://www.regulations.gov*. Follow the online instructions for submitting comments.

You may also send comments to the Desk Officer for Agriculture, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, Washington, DC 20503. Copies of the information collection may be requested by contacting the FSA Increasing Land Access Team below. Additional information on the program is available at Increasing Land, Capital, and Market Access Program (*usda.gov*).

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: FSA Increasing Land Access Team; email: *Land.Access@usda.gov*. Persons with disabilities who require alternative means for communication should contact the USDA's TARGET Center at (202) 720–2600 (voice).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Description of Information Collection

Title: Increasing Land, Capital, and Market Access Program.

OMB Control Number: 0560–0318.

Type of Request: Revision of a currently approved information collection.

Abstract: The purpose of the Increasing Land, Capital, and Market Access (ILA) Program is to fund projects that support a diverse set of farmers, ranchers, and forest landowners (producers) on the edge financially; moving them from surviving to thriving as they address core barriers to attain land, capital, and market access. The Increasing Land, Capital, and Market Access Program funds cooperative agreements and grants for projects that are designed to align with and respond to land, capital, and market access needs of the underserved farmers, ranchers, and forest landowners while concurrently providing wraparound technical assistance to ensure that program participants have the information, training, and customized support they require. FSA requests a revision to the ICR to continue collection of quarterly progress reports and the final progress reports from ILA recipients in accordance with 2 CFR 200.329 and the conditions outlined in executed ILA award agreements.

Selected grant and cooperative agreement recipients are required to submit quarterly reports of project activities (progress report) every 90 days to the assigned National Program Leader and a final reporting requirement (final progress report) within 120 days after the period of performance ends, detailing as applicable:

1. Outreach to be conducted including number and type of events, dates, locations, activities, and producers anticipated and impacted;

2. Budget information including requested funding amount, allocation of requested funds, amount of funds provided for assistance directly benefitting underserved producers, and number of producers benefitted by use of funds;

3. Data identifying outcomes, improvements, and impact on underserved producers' business and financial conditions;

4. Anticipated outcomes including the estimated number of underserved producers who will have increased access to land, capital, and markets (including new markets);

5. How many underserved producers will be able to retain land or acquire new land; and

6. How many underserved producers are seeking and participating in USDA Farm Service Agency farm programs and farm loan programs, Natural Resources Conservation Service programs, Risk Management Agency Federal crop insurance, Rural Development loans, or grant programs or any other programs and services administered by USDA.

For the following estimated total annual burden on respondents, the formula used to calculate the total burden hours is the estimated average time per response, in hours, multiplied by the estimated total annual responses.

Estimate of Annual Burden: Public reporting burden for the collection of information is estimated to average 2,500 hours.

Respondents: Increasing Land, Capital, and Market Access Program Awardees: Not-for-profit institutions, State government, County government, Special District Govt, Public/State Institution of Higher Education, Federally Recognized Indian/Native American Governments.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 50.

Estimated Number of Responses per Respondent: 5.

Estimated Total Annual Number of Responses: 250.

Estimated Average Time per Response: 10 hours.

Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours: 2,500 hours.

We are requesting comments on all aspects of this information collection to help us:

(1) 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;

(2) Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;

(3) Evaluate the quality, utility, and clarity of the information technology; and

(4) Minimize the burden of the information collection on those who respond through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

All comments received in response to this notice, including names and addresses where provided, will be made a matter of public record. Comments will be summarized and included in the request for OMB approval of the information collection.

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