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To: Lohmann, Jessica - ASP

Subject: FW: work in concern with grant programs at us dept education instead of throwing money from many many

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public comment on federal register

i am against all use of taxpayer dollars in this program. first of all it is discriminatory and only applies to a small numbeer of specially picked out people to get these grants adnd jobs.it appears to e targeted to minoroty or black organizations and appears to discriminate against white people which is against the constitution for equality. secondly, the cost involved in this program show no accountability. the fact is the educaiton dept gives out grants toyouth and this dept. there is no correlation between these two depts, one oro the other of thedepts should handle youth, not both departments becaues neither knows what the other is diong and each one keeps asking for more more more tax dollrs, we need to coordinate, this is just like shared services between towns, these federal agencies do not sharing o fservicees they all just look to gouge the american taxpayers for more than the taxpayers can pay and this is bringing about the huge financial debacle that exists in the usa today, we need correlation and consideration and consultation to make sure we know how many programs we have like this with youth, who is doing them and then we need correlation, we cannot keep spending all this money in this totally discriminatory fashion for ever, this commetn is for the pubcil recod, please receipt, jean poublice jean public1@gmail.com

On Tue, Mar 6, 2018 at 12:11 PM, Jean Public < <u>ieanpublic1@yahoo.com</u>> wrote:

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
Agency Information Collection Activities; Submission for OMB Review and Approval: Comment Request: Youth CareerConnect (YCC) Grant

Program, Extension of Previously Approved Collection

AGENCY: Office of the Assistant Secretary for Policy, Chief Evaluation Office, Department of Labor.

ACTION: Notice of information collection; request for comment.

SUMMARY: The Department of Labor (DOL), as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, conducts a preclearance consultation program to provide the general public and federal agencies with an opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing collections of information in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA95). This program helps to ensure that requested data can be provided in the desired format, reporting burden (time and financial resources) is minimized, collection instruments are clearly understood, and the impact of collection requirements on respondents are properly assessed.

Currently, DOL is soliciting comments concerning the continued collection of data about Youth Career Connect (YCC) [SGA/DFA PY-13-01] grant program. A copy of the proposed Information Collection Request (ICR) can be obtained by contacting the office listed below in the addressee section of this notice.

DATES: Written comments must be submitted to the office listed in the addressee's section below on or before May 7, 2018.

ADDRESSES: You may submit comments by either one of the following methods:

Email: chiefEvaluationOffice@dol.gov; Mail or Courier: Jessica Lohmann, Chief Evaluation Office, OASP, U.S. Department of Labor, Room S-2312, 200 Constitution Avenue NW. Washington, DC 20210.

Instructions: Please submit one copy of your comments by only one method. All submissions received must include the agency name and OMB Control Number identified above for this information collection. Comments, including any personal information provided, become a matter of public record. They will also be summarized and/or included in the request for OMB approval of the information collection request.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Jessica Lohmann by email at ChiefEvaluationOffice@dol.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Background: The information collection activities described in this notice will provide participant and grantee data on the YCC program. In spring 2014, the Employment and Training Administration (ETA) in DOL awarded 24 grantees to implement the YCC program, which is designed to provide high school students skill-developing and work-based learning opportunities through partnerships with colleges and employers for jobs in high-demand occupations. DOL requests data collection from YCC grantees for tracking grant progress and oversight of program performance reporting. This reporting structure features standardized individual data collection on program participants in both quarterly performance and narrative formats. The information collection for YCC grantee performance reporting also includes an online Participant Tracking System (PTS) that collects participant-level data.

This document requests approval for an extension of previously approved information collection (OMB Control No. 1291-0002) to continue

to meet the reporting and recordkeeping requirements of the YCC grant program. This information collection maintains a reporting and record-keeping system for a minimum level of information collection that is necessary to comply with Equal Opportunity requirements, to hold YCC grantees appropriately accountable for the Federal funds they receive, allowing the Department to fulfill its oversight and management responsibilities.

II. Desired Focus of Comments: Currently, DOL is soliciting comments concerning the above data collection for grantee reporting on the YCC program. DOL is particularly interested in comments that do the following:

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. 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. Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected. 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--for example, permitting electronic submission of responses. III. Current Actions: At this time, DOL is requesting clearance for grantee reporting on participant-level data and quarterly reports. Type of Review: Extension of previously approved collection. OMB Control Number: 1291-0002 (ICR Reference No: 201412-1291-001). Affected Public: YCC Grantees and program participants. Estimated Burden Hours ------------ Number of Average burden Annual Type of instrument Total number Annual number responses per hour per estimated of respondents of respondents respondent response burden hours ----------- Participant-level Data 9,900 3,300 1 2.67 8,811 Collection for Participant Tracking System (PTS)....... [[Page 9548]] Quarterly Narrative Progress 24 8 4 10 320 Reports..... Quarterly Performance Reports... 24 8 4 4 128 ------------ Comments submitted in response to this request will be summarized and/or included in the request for Office of Management and Budget approval of the information collection request; they will also become a matter of public record. Dated: February 27, 2018. Molly Irwin, Chief Evaluation Officer, U.S. Department of Labor. [FR Doc. 2018-04545 Filed 3-5-18; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 4510-HX-P