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Dear Administrator Engels,

The Washington Association for Community Health submits the attached comment letter in response to Information Collection Request Title: Shortage Designation Management System, OMB No. 0906-0029-Extension. The Washington Association for Community Health appreciates the opportunity to comment on the necessity and utility of the proposed information collection in creating designations for Health Professional Service Areas (HPSAs), Medically Underserved Areas (MUAs), and Medically Underserved Population (MUPs). We look forward to collaborating with HRSA on this matter further.

Thank you.

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