ATTACHMENT 1

EZ GUIDE TO THE ADVANCED PROCUREMENT PLAN (APP) IN THE BUDGET PLANNING SYSTEM (BPS)

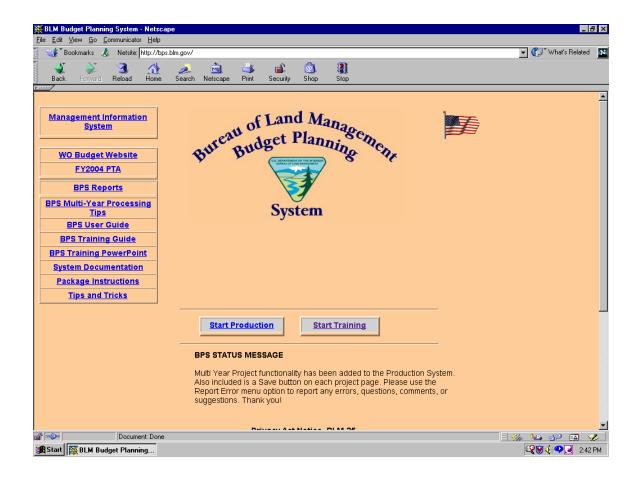


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1. OVERVIEW OF THE ADVANCED PROCUREMENT PLAN IN THE BUDGET PLANNING SYSTEM

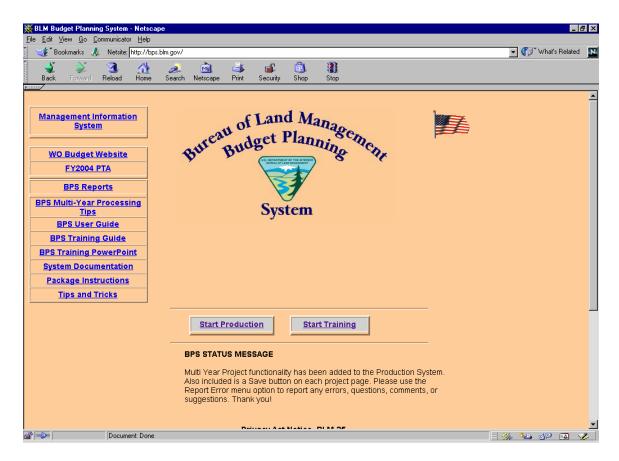
Entry of Advanced Procurement Plan (APP) data into the Budget Planning System (BPS) will accomplish a goal of the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) to develop an automated process by which advanced procurement plans can be maintained through all phases of the budget cycle. This process is being designed to meet the following criteria:

- Provide timely and accurate information;
- Minimize opportunities for errors;
- Eliminate redundant data entry; and
- Develop a procurement strategy.

As a user of the APP system in the BPS, you will enter the same information you have entered previously into the Department of the Interior (DOI) web site. Data from our APP in BPS will be uploaded to the DOI program for public distribution.

2. LOGGING INTO THE BPS

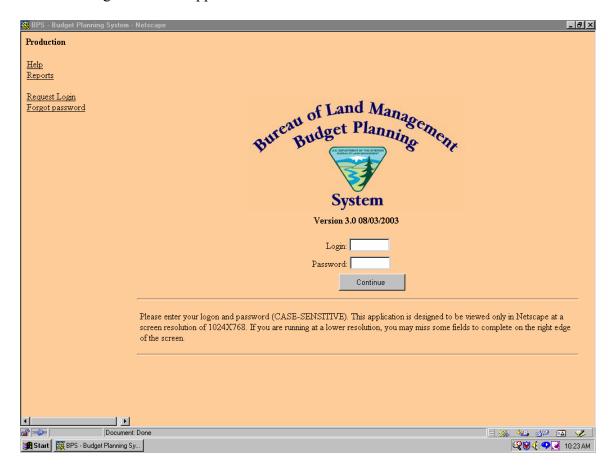
Upon entering the BPS system at http://bps.blm.gov/, the following screen will appear:



Complete instructions for obtaining a password and entering the BPS can be obtained by clicking on the "BPS User Guide" link located in the left menu portion of this screen.

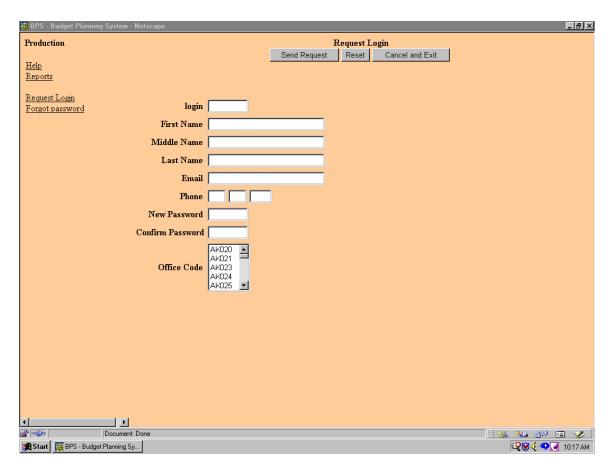
To obtain a password, click on either "Start Production" or "Start Training."

The following screen will appear:



Click on "Request Login" and a registration form will appear on the screen.

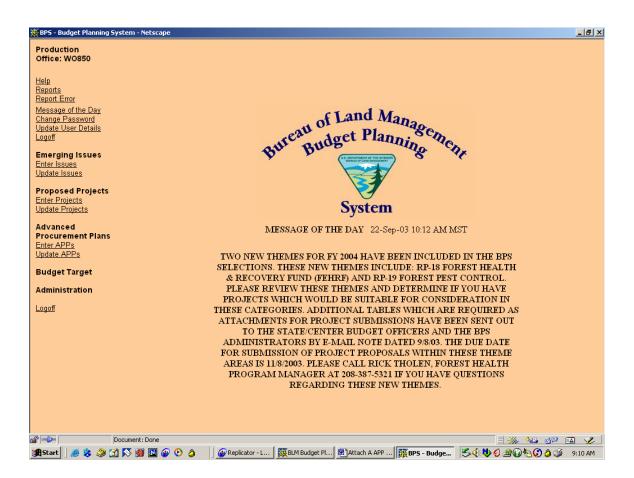
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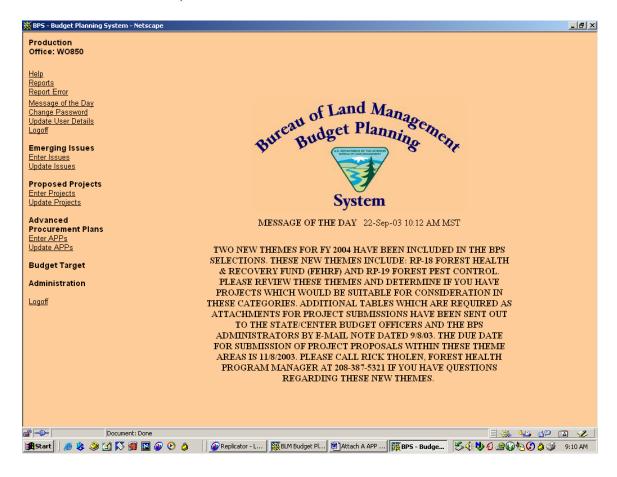
Complete the registration form and click on "Send Request" at the top of the screen.

3. ENTERING OR UPDATING THE APP FORM

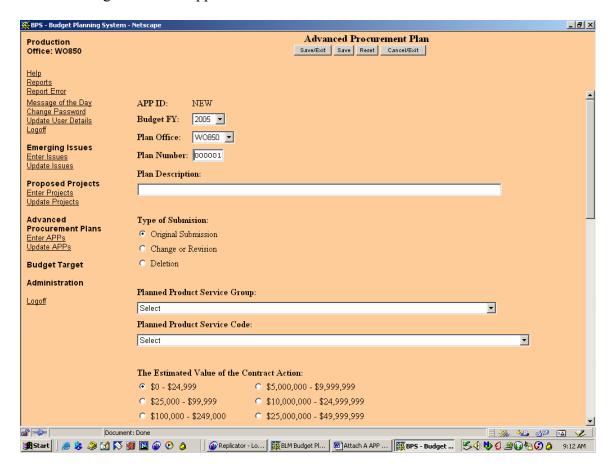
Once you have logged into the system, you will be at the following page, referred to in the BPS User Guide as the "BPS Main Menu Page." The APP information is here on the left menu under "Advanced Procurement Plans." There are two options in this location. The two options are "Enter APPs" and "Update APPs." Both "Assoc. APPs to Projects" and "Assoc. Projects to APPs" are under construction at this time. The other option for transferring APPs to DOI will be accomplished by systems administrators only.



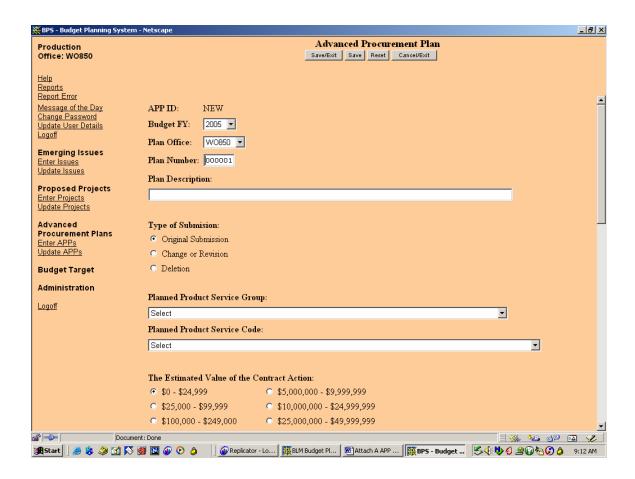
To create an APP record, click on "Enter APPs" on the left menu.



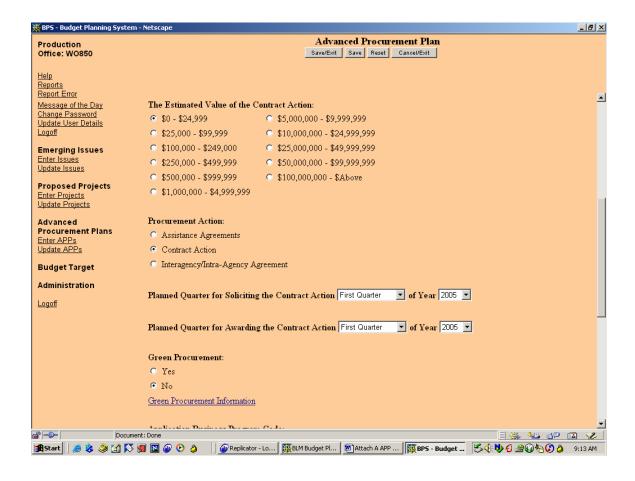
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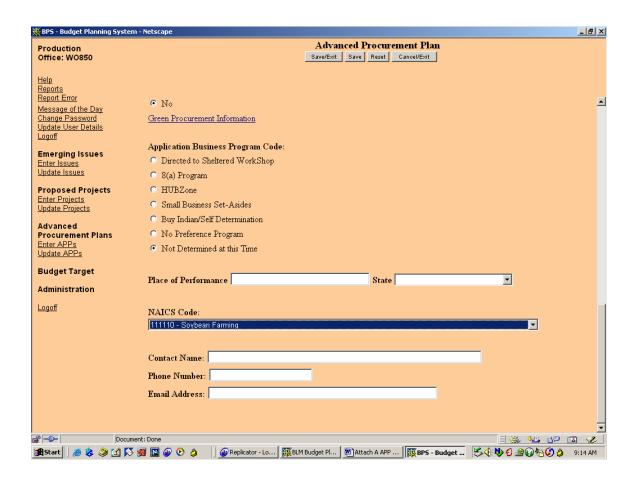
4. COMPLETING THE FIELDS IN THE APP



- 1. Under "Plan Description," describe the products and/or services you plan to acquire under this requirement using 60 characters or less.
- 2. Select "Change or Revision," "Deletion," or "Original Submission" and click on the appropriate button.
- 3. The next field is the "Planned Product Service Group." Look through the pull-down menu and select that product or service that most closely describes your requirement. When you have located the appropriate number, click on it and it will populate that field.
- 4. The next field is the "Planned Product Service Code." Once you have selected the Planned Product Service Group in the field above, the Planned Product Service Code will list specific products or services offered under the Planned Product Service Group you selected above. Select the one that most closely fits your requirement, click on it and the field will fill in automatically.



- 5. Under "The Estimated Value of the Contract Action," enter the total estimated value of the requirement (include all years of the contract, if multi-year).
- 6. Under "Procurement Action," select the type of procurement or assistance vehicle.
- 7. Under "Planned Quarter for Soliciting Contract Action," estimate the quarter and year the requirement will be sent out for solicitation. If you are not sure what to put in this field, your State Procurement Analyst can assist you.
- 8. Under "Planned Quarter for Awarding the Contract Action," state the quarter and year you anticipate the contract will be awarded.
- 9. Under "Green Procurement," select whether or not this requirement can be classified as a "Green Procurement." This would include products and services such as cleaning up mine acid drainage, recycling and waste management, pollution prevention, bio-based products and bio-energy products. Complete information about the program can be obtained by clicking on the link entitled "Green Procurement Information."



- 10. Under "Application Business Program Code," select the applicable Business and Economic Development Program applicable to the project. If you are unsure of which program is applicable, contact your State Procurement Analyst for assistance.
- 11. Under "Place of Performance," enter the place where the work will be performed or where the products will be delivered, and then select the appropriate State from the pull-down menu.
- 12. Under "NAICS Code," look through the pull-down menu and select that product or service that most closely describes your requirement. When you have located the appropriate number, click on it and it will populate that field.
- 13. For "Contact Name," "Phone Number," and "Email Address," enter the name of the proposed Contracting Officer's Representative.

Once the form is completed, go to the top center of the screen and click on "Save/Exit" or "Save."

The information you entered will then be transferred over to the DOI APP by the BLM systems administrator (WO-855).