



# Decommissioning 101

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# SAM.gov Modernization Strategic Themes



- Reducing barriers for doing business with the federal government
- Increasing data-driven decision making within the federal awards
- Increasing accountability in the award process
- Standardizing and optimizing core federal award processes
- Enforcing federal award data standards

# KEY STAKEHOLDERS



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## The IAE Systems

- 3.7 million users
- \$1.1+ trillion in federal awards annually
- 17.6+ million transactions (FY16)
- 500+ million page views monthly
- 1.8+ million entity records

## FPDS

- 90 agency contract writing systems systems used by 70 agencies
- 100,000+ visits per month
- 45,000+ reports run per month

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## SAM

- 600,000+ registered entities
- 59,000+ entities created or renewed each month
- 5+ million searches per month
- 146,000+ active exclusions

## Federal Service Desk

- 33,260+ contacts per month (FY17 average)

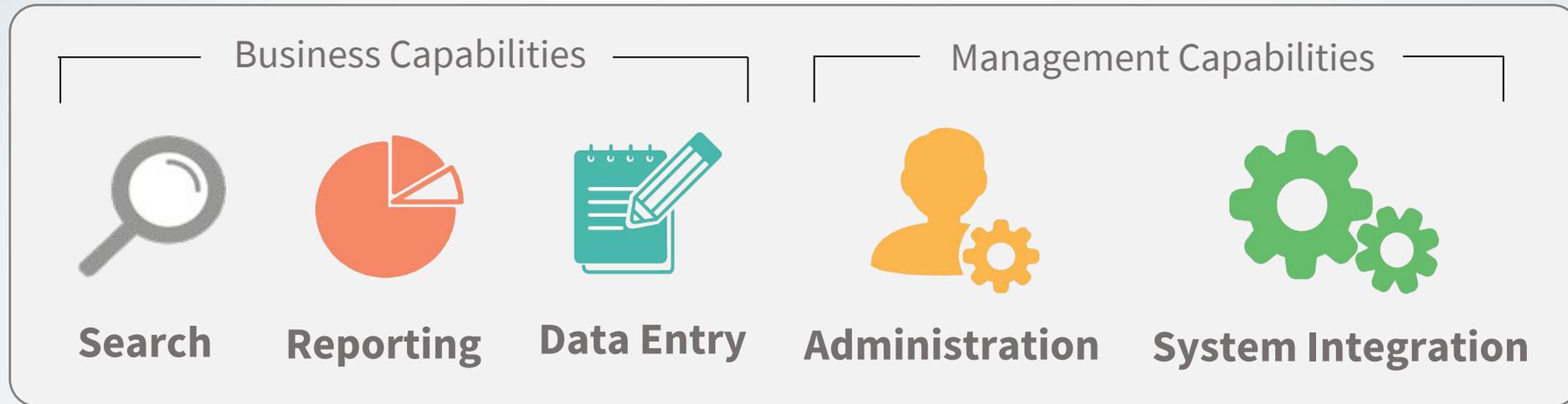
# User Outreach & Engagement

- Quarterly industry days since Dec 2013
- Online community since Dec 2013
- Quarterly newsletter since Summer 2014
- Focus groups with 900+ federal and industry users
- Alpha testing with 500+ federal users since Dec 2016
- Beta testing started Fall 2017
- Direct feedback from the app



# Modernization Structure

One website for people who make, receive, and manage federal awards



Across all these data sets



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# beta.SAM.gov Functionality

- A single web application that requires a single user account
- A single, more accurate search across all of our award data sets
- A single, role-driven workspace to track all of **YOUR** award data
- A single reports center for accessing federal award analytics

Assistance Listings  
Contract Opportunities  
Contract Data  
Entity Registrations  
Entity Exclusions  
Wage Determinations  
Federal Hierarchy  
Sub Award Reports  
Past Performance



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# BETA.SAM.GOV

beta.SAM.gov launched in Q4 FY17  
and will coexist with SAM.gov

Current operational systems will  
run in parallel to the beta site and  
**will remain the authoritative  
sources** until they are  
decommissioned

beta.SAM.gov to eventually become  
SAM.gov



Q4 FY2017		DATA SETS		Q1-Q2 FY18	Q3-Q4 FY18	Q1-Q2 FY19	Q3-Q4 FY19	Q1-Q2 FY20	Q3-Q4 FY20		
 <p><b>Launch!</b> All publicly available data from SAM, CFDA, FBO, FPDS, WDOL, and FH can be searched and viewed on beta.SAM.gov</p> <p><b>SEARCH</b></p> <p><b>REPORTING</b></p> <p><b>DATA ENTRY</b></p> <p><b>ADMINISTRATION</b></p> <p><b>SYSTEM INTERFACES</b></p>		ASSISTANCE LISTINGS		<b>ENHANCEMENTS</b> →							
		CONTRACT OPPORTUNITIES			<b>ENHANCEMENTS</b> →						
		CONTRACT DATA					<b>ENHANCEMENTS</b> →				
		ENTITY INFORMATION				<b>ENHANCEMENTS</b> →					
		WAGE DETERMINATIONS			<b>ENHANCEMENTS</b> →						
		PAST PERFORMANCE									
		SUB AWARD DATA					<b>ENHANCEMENTS</b> →				



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# Current Status of Transition



- You can search and view assistance listings on beta.SAM.gov today but CFDA.gov remains the authoritative source
- CFDA.gov transition to beta.SAM.gov is planned for the end of Q3FY18
- Implementing a standard federal hierarchy
- You can search and view wage determinations on beta.SAM.gov today
- WDOL.gov transition beta.SAM.gov is planned for the end of Q3FY18
- Subscriptions will not be migrating
- Additional communications regarding how to re-subscribe on beta.SAM.gov will be published

# Current Status of the Transition



- You can search and view opportunities on beta.SAM.gov today
- Additional filters are in development and will be on beta.SAM.gov soon
- FBO.gov will be transitioning to beta.SAM.gov in early FY2019



- You can search and view entity registration and exclusion data on beta.SAM.gov today
- Entity registration and renewal should continue to be completed on SAM.gov
- In FY19 we will begin migrating SAM data entry features to beta.SAM.gov
- Once SAM.gov has migrated, beta.SAM.gov will become SAM.gov
- You will not need to re-register your entity but a new beta.SAM.gov user account will be required

# Current Status of the Transition



- You can search and view contract data on beta.SAM.gov today
- In FY19 we will be migrating FPDS to beta.SAM.gov
- A new reports module and Award API are being built



- The legacy CPARS and FAPIIS sites should continue to be utilized until further notice
- Eventually past performance information will be integrated into the new entity profile and data entry workspace on SAM.gov



- The legacy FSRS and eSRS should continue to be used until further notice
- Eventually, required entity reporting will be migrated to SAM.gov and integrated into the new entity profile and data entry workspace on SAM.gov

# How to be ready for transition

- No changes right now but everyone will need to create a new account on beta.SAM.gov, you can do so today if you want to prepare
- Become familiar with beta.SAM.gov searches
- Ensure you keep your legacy system password up to date in preparation for transition
- When we move legacy SAM, you will need to know your legacy username and password in order to transfer your legacy roles and permissions
  - Role management and permissions for industry are still under development
- CFDA.gov and WDOL.gov will be the first systems to transition



# How to be ready when CFDA is turned off

- Create a beta.SAM.gov account
  - In the future, an account will provide you with the ability to create custom searches that you can save
- Monitor the CFDA.gov site for announcements regarding the transition

# How to be ready when WDOL is turned off

- Create a beta.SAM.gov account
  - In the future, an account will provide you with the ability to create custom searches that you can save and follow WDs that you are interested in
- Document the WD number of your subscriptions, so you can re-subscribe in beta.SAM.gov. Existing WDOL subscriptions will not migrate to beta.SAM.gov



# Transition Process

While each legacy system has its own specific challenges and needs related to transitioning and eventual decommissioning, all systems will follow the same overall approach and receive the same communications from the Outreach team to support the transition.

- User Testing
- GSA Leadership approval to proceed with transition and decommissioning
- IAE Governance concurrence on decommissioning
- Users notified to reset their legacy passwords
- User data freeze & ingestion into Beta.SAM.gov for role migration before transition
- System Data freeze and ingestion into Beta.SAM.gov
- Final GSA Leadership approval
- DNS Redirect (User sent to Beta.SAM.gov)



# Home Page

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All Domains ▾ I'm looking for... ➕ Search

In the future, Beta.SAM.gov will be the official U.S. government website for people who make, receive, and manage federal awards.



Welcome to beta.SAM.gov

### SAM is FREE

Gain access to data in a variety of formats. Perform searches, download extracts.

- 100% Free to Use
- Free to Search
- Free to Run Reports
- Free to Register

### Award Domains

Different types of award data, or "domains", make up the heart of SAM. If you are coming from one of our legacy websites, click on the related link below to learn how to use those same features here.

- [Assistance Listings \(CFDA\)](#)
- [Contract Opportunities \(FBO\)](#)
- [Contract Data \(FPDS\)](#)
- [Entity Information \(SAM\)](#)
- [Federal Hierarchy](#)
- [Wage Determinations \(WDOL\)](#)

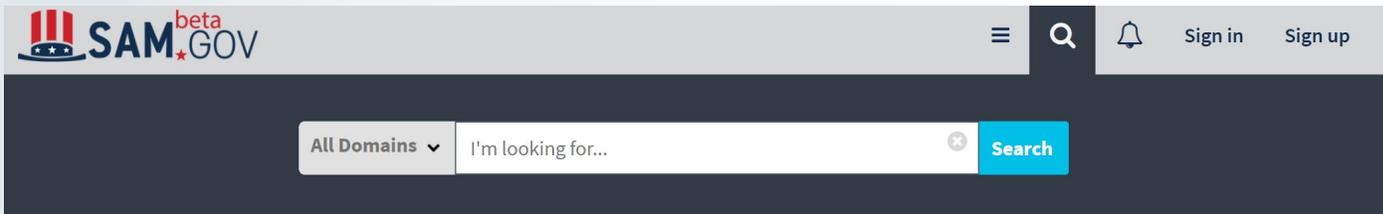


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# How to Search

- Access the search box from anywhere by selecting the search icon in the menu bar
- Choose to search across all domains or a specific domain area such as contract opportunities
- Enter keywords such as company name, solicitation ID, etc. and after searching you will have filters available to further narrow your search



# New Grants.gov Link

The screenshot shows the SAM.gov beta interface. At the top left is the SAM.gov logo with a 'beta' tag. To the right are navigation icons for a menu, search, and notifications, along with 'Sign in' and 'Sign up' buttons. Below the logo is the U.S. Department of the Interior seal. A yellow warning banner states: 'Note: This Assistance Listing was not updated by the issuing agency in 2018. Please contact the issuing agency listed under "Contact Information" for more information.' The main heading is 'African Elephant Conservation Fund'. A sidebar on the left lists navigation options: Assistance Listing, Overview, Authorizations, Financial Information, Criteria for Applying, Applying for Assistance, Compliance Requirements, Contact Information, and History. A 'Provide Feedback' button is also present. The main content area shows details for the assistance listing: Sub-tier (U.S. FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE), CFDA Number (15.620), and Related Federal Assistance (15.645, 15.629, 15.621, 15.619). A red box highlights the link: 'View available opportunities on Grants.gov related to this Assistance Listing'. Below this is an 'Overview' section with the heading 'Objectives' and the start of a description: 'To provide financial assistance to support projects that will enhance sustainable conservation programs to ensure...'

Assistance listings on beta.SAM.gov include a new link that will take you directly to Grants.gov and any open opportunities for a particular listing



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# We need your feedback

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Assistance Listing

- Overview
- Authorizations
- Financial Information
- Criteria for Applying
- Applying for Assistance
- Compliance Requirements
- Contact Information
- History

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🗨️ What you think matters!

**Provide Feedback**

What do you like or dislike about beta.SAM.gov? -

Leave us a comment

What changes or improvements would you suggest? +

May we contact you if we have questions about your feedback? +

[Cancel](#) [Submit](#)

[Form Approved OMB#3090-0297 Exp. Date 07/31/2019](#)

Objectives

To provide financial assistance to support projects that will enhance sustainable conservation programs to ensure effective, long-term conservation of African elephants. The African Elephant Conservation Fund supports projects that promote conservation through: Applied research on elephant populations and their habitat, including surveys and monitoring; Development and execution of elephant conservation management plans; Compliance



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# Key System Interface Changes

- Government Interfacing systems will need to re-register on beta.SAM.gov and connect to new endpoints
- beta.SAM.gov utilizes REST APIs that can be accessed by users externally to conduct transactions throughout the application
- CFDA extracts and FPDS awards APIs will soon be available in beta for your testing. You will need an API key to access the FPDS awards APIs
- We are very interested in your feedback on extracts or APIs
- FBO data will be available via both APIs and bulk export once FBO is rolled out in FY19
  - Both user generated export files and full extract files
- If you are interested in participating in data working groups, please contact [newSAMtesting@gsa.gov](mailto:newSAMtesting@gsa.gov)



# Legacy FPDS update

As a reminder, FPDS will be implementing Non-DoD PIID Structure changes within FPDS to production on 4/1/2018. These changes will include validation rules enforcing FAR-mandated PIID structure:

- First 6 Positions must match the AAC/Contracting Office of the Contract Action
- Positions 7-8 must match the fiscal year for the Contract Action
- Position 9 must match the letter for the type of contract of the Contract Action
- Positions 10-17 must be unique to the contract action.
- The total length of the PIID must be between 13-17 characters in length



# Contact Information

## The Integrated Award Environment

GSA Federal Acquisition Service  
1800 F Street, Washington, DC  
Email: [IAEOutreach@gsa.gov](mailto:IAEOutreach@gsa.gov)

To Get Involved:

<https://interact.gsa.gov/group/integrated-award-environment-iae-industry-community>

For Developers to Stay Involved:

<http://gsa.github.io/openIAE>

