



June 4, 2026

The Honorable Russell Vought  
Director, Office of Management and Budget  
The White House Washington, DC 20500

Re: Request for 60-Day Extension of Comment Period — Regulation for Federal Financial Assistance  
(Docket OMB-2026-0034)

Dear Director Vought:

The American Lung Association requests a 60-day extension of the public comment period on the proposed Regulation for Federal Financial Assistance to allow for adequate consideration of the extensive implications of the proposed rule.

The proposed rule is extraordinarily broad and complex, affecting 42 federal departments, agencies and commissions. Its implications will be similarly complex, including for scientific research, the nonprofit sector, local governments, businesses and other entities. Additional time is required for these sectors to adequately analyze and comment on specifics of the proposed rule. Given the scope, 45 days does not allow for the level of thorough analysis and thoughtful feedback this proposed rule merits.

We request that you extend the comment period deadline 60 days to September 11, 2026. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Harold Wimmer".

Harold Wimmer  
President and CEO  
American Lung Association