

Attachment A – Notice of Availability

United States Department of the Interior, Bureau of Land Management

Notice of Availability of the Draft Resource Management Plan (RMP) Amendment and Draft Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) for the Roan Plateau planning area, including the former Naval Oil Shale Reserves (NOSRs) 1 & 3; Glenwood Springs and White River Field Offices in Garfield and Rio Blanco Counties, Colorado.

SUMMARY: The Draft RMPA/EIS for the Roan Plateau planning area, which includes the former Naval Oil Shale Reserves 1 and 3, is available for 90 days for public review and comment. BLM has prepared the document in accordance with the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) of 1969, the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976 (FLPMA), and regulatory requirements

The Roan Plateau planning area contains about 73,602 acres of federal lands managed by the BLM, including both surface and subsurface (mineral) estates. The planning area totals about 127,000 acres. Although the planning area boundary includes private lands, BLM's decisions will apply only to the land managed by BLM.

The five alternatives analyzed in the Draft RMPA/EIS present differing management approaches for the physical, biological, visual, recreational, cultural, and other resources within the planning area. These include differing degrees and combinations of special resource management designations, travel restrictions, mitigation or other protective measures, and leasing for oil and gas development. As required by BLM's planning regulations, BLM has selected a "preferred alternative" (Alternative 3). However, the alternative ultimately adopted by BLM may comprise components contained in any of the alternatives presented in the Draft RMPA/EIS and/or other components within the range of actions analyzed. The public is therefore encouraged to comment on the components of any or all of the alternatives. Comments should focus on specific management actions being considered and the adequacy of analysis. BLM will publish responses to the comments as part of the Proposed RMPA/Final EIS.

DOCUMENT REVIEW AND AVAILABILITY: The Draft RMPA/EIS may be reviewed (1) at the BLM Glenwood Springs Field Office, 50629 Highway 6 and 24, Glenwood Springs, CO 81601, (2) at the BLM White River Field Office, 73544 Highway 64, Meeker, CO 81641 or (3) by visiting one of the Garfield County, Colorado, public libraries. BLM offices are open from 7:45 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. except weekends and holidays. A copy of the document may be obtained in electronic, CD, or hard copy form by one of the following: (1) downloading from the project website (www.roanplateau.ene.com); (2) requesting a copy via the project website; (3) writing to ROAN RMPA REQUEST, BLM, Glenwood Springs Field Office at the address above; or (4) calling the BLM at 970-947-2800.

PUBLIC COMMENTS: BLM will accept only written comments on the Draft RMPA/EIS. The comment period shall extend for 90 days following publication of its availability by the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) in the Federal Register. This period is expected to end on approximately February 28, 2005. The exact closing date of

the comment period and other information will be posted on the project website cited above and will be available at BLM's Glenwood Springs Field Office. Comments may be submitted on the project website or sent in writing via the U.S. Postal Service or private delivery service to BLM at the address above. Additional information on how to comment and public participation in the planning process is presented on the website and on the inside front cover of the document.

PUBLIC MEETINGS: Informational public meetings will be held as follows: December 13, 2004 – Battlement Mesa Activity Center, 0398 Arroyo Drive, Parachute, CO 81635; December 15, 2004 – Garfield County Fairgrounds (“New Hall”), 1001 Railroad Avenue, Rifle, CO 81650,; December 16, 2004 – Glenwood Springs Community Center, 100 Wulfsohn Road, Glenwood Springs, CO 81601. All three meetings are scheduled to begin at 6:30 p.m. and end at 8:30 p.m.

FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For further information or to have your name added to the mailing list, visit the project website cited above. For other questions, contact: Greg Goodenow – Planning and Environmental Coordinator, Steve Bennett – Associate Field Manager, or Jamie Connell – Field Manager at the Glenwood Springs Field Office (970-947-2800) or by e-mail (colorado_roanplateau@co.blm.gov).

BLM WELCOMES AND APPRECIATES PUBLIC PARTICIPATION.

DATE: November 19, 2004

Dated: November 15, 2004.

Paul Schmidt,

Assistant Director—Migratory Birds and State Programs.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Indian Affairs

Notice of Intent To Prepare an Environmental Impact Statement for the Lower Lake Rancheria Casino-Hotel Project, Oakland, CA

AGENCY: Bureau of Indian Affairs, Interior.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This notice advises the public that the Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA) as lead agency, with the Lower Lake Rancheria Koi Nation as a cooperating agency, intends to gather information necessary for preparing an Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) for a proposed casino and hotel project to be located in Oakland, California. The purpose of the proposed action is to help provide a land base for, and address the socio-economic needs of the Lower Lake Rancheria Koi Nation. This notice also announces a public scoping meeting to identify potential issues, concerns and alternatives to be considered in the EIS.

DATES: Written comments on the scope and implementation of this proposal must arrive by December 29, 2004. The public scoping meeting, to be co-hosted by the BIA and the Lower Lake Rancheria Koi Nation, will be held Wednesday, December 15, 2004, from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m., or until the last public comment is received.

ADDRESSES: You may mail or hand carry written comments to Clay Gregory, Regional Director, Pacific Regional Office, Bureau of Indian Affairs, 2800 Cottage Way, Sacramento, California 95825. The public scoping meeting will be at the East Oakland Senior Center, 9255 Edes Avenue, Oakland, CA 94603. **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** John Rydzik, (916) 978–6042.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Lower Lake Rancheria Koi Nation is presently a landless federally-recognized tribe, governed by a tribal council elected pursuant to its constitution. The Lower Lake Rancheria Koi Nation is eligible to acquire land to be placed in trust.

The land proposed to be placed in trust, a 35.45-acre paved land parcel, is located within the incorporated City of Oakland in Alameda County, California. The project parcel is located southeast

of San Leandro Bay, across the “Airport Channel” from Oakland International Airport, at the corner of Swan Way and Pardee Drive.

The tribe and developers are currently conducting a marketing study to assist in determining the overall size of the proposed facility. At this time, the casino can be expected to be approximately 200,000 square feet in size, which would be constructed during Phase I. Phase II would include the construction and operation of a 300 room hotel on the project site. The casino footprint would consist of a combination of uses, including the main gaming hall, food and beverage facilities, banking and administration facilities, and possibly an event center. The conceptual design of the facility is expected to be completed prior to the public scoping meeting announced in this notice.

Areas of environmental concern to be addressed in the EIS include land use, geology and soils, water resources, agricultural resources, biological resources, cultural resources, mineral resources, paleontological resources, traffic and transportation, noise, air quality, public health/environmental hazards, public services and utilities, hazardous waste and materials, socio-economics, environmental justice, and visual resources/aesthetics. In addition to the proposed action, a reasonable range of alternatives, including a no-action alternative, will be analyzed in the EIS. The range of issues and alternatives may be expanded based on comments received during the scoping process.

Public Comment Availability

Comments, including names and addresses of respondents, will be available for public review at the BIA address shown in the **ADDRESSES** section, during business hours, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, except holidays. Individual respondents may request confidentiality. If you wish us to withhold your name and/or address from public review or from disclosure under the Freedom of Information Act, you must state this prominently at the beginning of your written comment. Such requests will be honored to the extent allowed by the law. We will not, however, consider anonymous comments. All submissions from organizations or businesses, and from individuals identifying themselves as representatives or officials of organizations or businesses, will be made available for public inspection in their entirety.

Authority

This notice is published in accordance with section 1503.1 of the Council of Environmental Quality Regulations (40 CFR parts 1500 through 1508) implementing the procedural requirements of the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969, as amended (42 U.S.C. 4371 *et seq.*), Department of the Interior Manual (516 DM 1–6), and is in the exercise of authority delegated to the Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary—Indian Affairs by 209 DM 8.1.

Dated: November 16, 2004.

Michael D. Olsen,

Acting Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary—Indian Affairs.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

[CO–140–1610–DS–009C]

Notice of Availability of the Draft Resource Management Plan (RMP) Amendment and Draft Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) for the Roan Plateau Planning Area, Including the Former Naval Oil Shale Reserves (NOSR) 1 & 3; Glenwood Springs and White River Field Offices in Garfield and Rio Blanco Counties, CO

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management (BLM), Interior.

ACTION: Notice of availability.

SUMMARY: The Draft RMP Amendment/Draft EIS for the Roan Plateau planning area, which includes the former Naval Oil Shale Reserves 1 and 3, is available for 90 days for public review and comment. BLM has prepared the document, and is announcing this comment period, in accordance with the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) of 1969, the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976 (FLPMA), and regulatory requirements

DATES: The BLM will accept written comments on the Draft RMP Amendment/Draft EIS for 90 days following the publication of its availability by the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) in the **Federal Register**. BLM will announce future public meetings and any other public involvement activities at least 15 days in advance through public notices in local newspapers (Glenwood Springs and Rifle, Colorado), through local media news releases, on the project Web site at <http://www.roanplateau.ene.com>, and/or through mailings.

ADDRESSES: Copies of the Roan Plateau Draft RMP Amendment/Draft EIS and additional information can be obtained, and/or downloaded, by the public via the Internet at: <http://www.roanplateau.ene.com>. The public can also obtain a copy of the Draft by writing to: Roan RMPA Request, Bureau of Land Management, Glenwood Springs Field Office, P.O. Box 1009, Glenwood Springs, Colorado 81602.

Submit written comments to: Roan Plateau Comments—Attention Greg Goodenow, at the address shown above. Comments also may be submitted electronically at <http://www.roanplateau.ene.com>; click on the comment tab and follow the directions. Comments from organizations or businesses will be made available to the public in their entirety. Individuals, by contrast, may request confidentiality with respect to their name, address, and phone number. If individuals wish to have their name or street address withheld from public review, or from disclosure under the Freedom of Information Act, the first line of their comment must start with the words "CONFIDENTIALITY REQUESTED" in uppercase letters in order for BLM to comply with your request. Such requests will be honored to the extent allowed by law. Comment contents will not be kept confidential. Comments (including names and addresses of respondents except as previously noted) will be available for public review at the BLM Glenwood Springs Field Office, 50629 Highways 6 & 24, Glenwood Springs, Colorado, during normal working hours (7:45 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., except weekends and holidays).

The public may view the Draft RMP Amendment/Draft EIS and associated documents such as maps, planning criteria, and supporting background information at several locations:

- The project Web site at <http://www.roanplateau.ene.com>. Documents may be downloaded in PDF format from this site. The public can also request a copy of the document by visiting this Web site (the BLM can mail an individual or group a CD, for example).
- The BLM Glenwood Springs Field Office (50629 Highways 6 & 24, Glenwood Springs, Colorado) or the White River Field Office (73544 Highway 64, Meeker, Colorado, 81641) during normal working hours (7:45 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., except weekends and holidays).
- The Garfield County (Colorado) Public Libraries. Locations are provided on the project Web site.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For further information, to comment, and/or

to have your name added to the mailing list, visit the Web site shown above. For other questions, you may also contact: Greg Goodenow—Planning and Environmental Coordinator, Steve Bennett—Associate Field Manager, or Jamie Connell—Field Manager at the Glenwood Springs Field Office, Bureau of Land Management, P.O. Box 1009 Glenwood Springs, Colorado 81602. The Glenwood Springs Field Office telephone number is (970) 947-2800. All three can be reached via e-mail at colorado_roanplateau@co.blm.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Roan Plateau planning area analyzed in the Draft RMP Amendment/Draft EIS contains about 73,602 acres of Federal land managed by the BLM (both surface and subsurface estate). The planning area totals about 127,000 acres. Although the planning area boundary includes private lands, the BLM's decisions will only apply to the approximately 73,602 acres of land (surface and subsurface estate) that BLM manages.

Most of the planning area is in western Garfield County, Colorado; a small portion is in southern Rio Blanco County, Colorado. The planning area lies north of Interstate 70 between the towns of Rifle and Parachute and consists of three visually, geologically, and ecologically distinct areas: (1) Xeric (dry) semi-desert habitats at lower elevations, (2) relatively mesic (moist) montane and subalpine habitats at higher elevations, and (3) a band of high and most unbroken cliffs separating these areas. Lands within the planning area drain westward to Parachute Creek, eastward to Government Creek, or southward to the Colorado River. Parachute Creek and Government Creek are also tributaries of the Colorado River.

The Roan Plateau RMP Amendment will amend two existing Resource Management Plans:

- The Glenwood Springs Resource Management Plan approved January 1984; revised 1988; amended November 1991, November 1996, August 1997, March 1999, November 1999, and September 2002.
- The White River Resource Area RMP, approved July 1997.

Once approved, the Record of Decision (ROD) for the Roan Plateau RMP Amendment will replace all existing management plans for the BLM lands within the planning area.

The Federal Land Management and Policy Act of 1976 (FLPMA) is the principal law that guides planning and management for BLM-administered lands. Public Law 105-85, the National

Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 1998, Section 3404 (the transfer act), dated, November 18, 1997, transferred the administrative and management responsibility for about 56,000 acres of land from Department of Energy to BLM. These lands were referred to as Naval Oil Shale Reserves 1 and 3. Public Law 105-85 directed BLM to enter into leases with one or more private entities for the purpose of exploration, development and production of petroleum. In addition, the act stipulates that the transferred lands be managed in accordance with the Federal Land Policy and Management Act (FLPMA) and other laws applicable to public lands.

The alternatives present differing management approaches for the various natural, biological, and cultural resources within the planning area. As required by the BLM's planning regulations (43 CFR 1610.4-7), the BLM has selected a "preferred alternative", alternative 3, in the Draft RMP Amendment. Commenters should note that the preferred alternative and/or the components of the preferred alternative may be changed between the Draft RMP Amendment/Draft EIS and Proposed RMP Amendment/Final EIS to respond to public and cooperating agency comments, and any other pertinent information provided to BLM.

The alternative ultimately adopted by BLM may be comprised from components contained in any of the alternatives presented in the Draft RMP Amendment/Draft EIS, and/or components within the range of actions analyzed. Commenters are therefore encouraged to comment on components of any or all of the alternatives, rather than on any one alternative as a whole (e.g., the preferred alternative). Comments should focus on specific management actions being considered and the adequacy of analysis. The BLM will publish responses to the comments as part of the Proposed RMP Amendment/Final EIS.

The Draft RMP Amendment/Draft EIS evaluates the Continuation of Current Management (No Action) in Alternative I, and four other alternative management approaches in Alternatives II through V. Specific issues include management of: oil and gas resources, fish and wildlife habitat, rare plant habitat, ecological richness, visual resources, travel and transportation, livestock grazing, wilderness characteristics, forest resources, recreation, use authorizations such as rights-of-way, other land uses, and the economic effects of management of the various resources.

Three areas (totaling 21,382 acres) found to contain wilderness character by BLM, are being considered for management to maintain their wilderness characteristics within the range of alternatives. The Draft RMP/Draft EIS will include an analysis of alternative management prescriptions for these three areas. On April 11, 2003, a settlement agreement was reached between the Department of the Interior and the State of Utah, Utah School and Institutional Trust Lands Administration, and Utah Association of Counties. Consistent with that settlement and subsequent policies issued by BLM, the Draft RMP Amendment/Draft EIS will not consider the designation of new Wilderness Study Areas (WSAs), or the classification or management of BLM lands as if they are or may become WSAs. However, alternatives for the protection and management of wilderness characteristics will be considered.

The BLM is considering three types of administrative designations for federal lands in the planning area:

- One Special Recreation Management Area (SRMA).
- Various configurations of four areas as Areas of Critical Environmental Concern (ACECs) to protect important ecological or other values.
- Two configurations of a watershed management area.

Several stream segments have been found to be eligible for further study to determine their suitability for designation as Wild and Scenic Rivers. Under all alternatives these stream segments would be managed to protect pertinent values until such time as a suitability study and further planning is completed.

Oil and gas leasing is being considered throughout the approximately 73,600 acres of public lands within the planning area, along with potential lease terms and conditions.

Jamie E. Connell,

Manager, Glenwood Springs Field Office.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

[UT 020-1430-ES]

Notice of Intent To Amend the Randolph Management Framework Plan

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of intent.

SUMMARY: This notice is to advise the public that the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) is proposing to amend the Randolph Management Framework Plan (MFP) affecting public lands located in the Rich County, Utah. This proposed amendment is being conducted in conjunction with a Coordinated Resource Management Plan effort with the county and will address a variety of issues related to rangeland health, wildlife, and livestock management. The amendment will also evaluate the potential for wind energy development in the county. Several preliminary issues have been identified including, but not limited to, rangeland health and riparian management, wildlife habitat for sagebrush obligate species and fisheries, and visual resource management.

DATES: The comment period for the proposed plan amendment will commence with publication of this notice. Comments must be submitted on or before January 25, 2005. Notice of Public Meetings will be published in local newspapers.

ADDRESSES: If you wish to participate in this planning effort, identify issues of concern, or provide ideas that could assist the BLM and its partners with alternative management strategies for analysis purposes, or request additional information, you may do so by any of several methods. You may mail, hand deliver, or fax your written comments to: Curtis Warrick, Bureau of Land Management, Renewable Resources Advisor, Salt Lake Field Office, 2370 South 2300 West, Salt Lake City, UT 84119, Fax: 801-977-4397. Upon request, comments, including names and street addresses of respondents, will be available for public review at the Salt Lake Field Office during regular business hours 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, except holidays.

Individual respondents may request confidentiality. If you wish to withhold your name or street address from public review or from disclosure under the Freedom of Information Act, you must state this prominently at the beginning of your written comment. Such requests will be honored to the extent allowed by law. We will not, however, consider anonymous comments. All submissions from organizations or businesses, and from individuals identifying themselves as representatives or officials of organizations or businesses, will be made available for public inspection in their entirety. The current MFP as well as all other documents relevant to this planning process are available for public review at the Salt Lake Field Office,

2370 South 2300 West, Salt Lake City, UT 84119 Monday through Friday (excluding legal holidays), from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Curtis Warrick, Salt Lake Field Office, 2370 South 2300 West, Salt Lake City, UT 84119. Existing planning documents and information are available at the above address or telephone (801) 977-4332.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The proposed amendment to the MFP and associated environmental assessment (EA) would update the Randolph MFP which was completed in 1980. It is anticipated that this process will include both resource management planning and implementation level decisions. This MFP amendment would address the following planning level decisions: Identification of goals, objectives, and or desired future conditions for sagebrush steppe ecosystems and riparian resources, potential vegetation enhancement strategies, and address the potential/criteria for potential wind energy development in Rich County. The EA would also address the following implementation level decisions: Development of pro-active grazing strategies to fulfill permitting requirements on 18 grazing allotments and a wildlife/livestock cooperative management area in order to enhance riparian and sagebrush steppe ecosystems. This MFP amendment is being conducted concurrently with the Rich County Coordinated Resource Management Plan (CRMP); an addendum to the Rich County Comprehensive Plan. Throughout this process, BLM will work collaboratively with Rich County and a broad base of CRMP partners including but not limited to: the Wasatch-Cache National Forest, Utah Wild Project, Audubon Society, Utah State University, Cooperative Extension Service, Trout Unlimited, ranching community members, and Utah State Department of Wildlife Resources.

Dated: October 27, 2004.

Sally Wisely,

State Director.

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Alternatives Considered

Remediation alternatives for the disposal of surface contamination include on-site disposal of the mill tailings at their current location in Moab, Utah; and three off-site disposal alternatives in Utah: Klondike Flats, near Moab; Crescent Junction, near the town of Crescent Junction and about 20 miles east of the town of Green River; and the White Mesa Mill within a few miles of the towns of Blanding and White Mesa and the Ute Mountain Ute Indian Reservation. The draft EIS considers three modes of transporting the mill tailings to the off-site alternatives: truck, rail, and slurry pipeline. In addition, the draft EIS evaluates active ground water remediation to eliminate the potential ongoing impacts to aquatic species in the Colorado River resulting from the discharge of contaminated ground water into the river.

In accordance with NEPA requirements, the draft EIS also analyzes, for comparative purposes, a No Action alternative. Under the No Action alternative, DOE would cease the active management that DOE currently provides of the mill tailings currently stored on-site. Discharge of contaminated ground water into the Colorado River would continue under the No Action alternative.

DOE has not yet identified a preferred alternative. DOE will consider the analyses provided in the EIS as well as comments on the document in determining its preferred alternative, which will be identified in the final EIS.

Distribution and Availability of the Draft EIS

Copies of the draft EIS were distributed to Members of Congress, Federal, State, and Indian tribal governments, local officials, persons, agencies, and organizations who have expressed an interest in the EIS process. Copies of the draft EIS may also be requested as indicated previously in the **ADDRESSES** and **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT** sections of this notice. The draft EIS is available electronically on the Internet at <http://www.gj.em.doe.gov/maob/>, and is also available on the DOE NEPA Web site at <http://www.eh.doe.gov/nepa/>. Copies of the draft EIS have been placed in the Grand County Public Library, Blanding Branch Library, and the White Mesa Ute Administrative Building, and in the DOE Public Reading Room in Grand Junction, Colorado. Copies may also be requested by contacting DOE toll free at 1-800-637-4575.

Addresses of Public Reading Rooms and Libraries:

Grand County Library, 25 South 100 East, Moab, Utah, (435) 259-5421. Library hours: 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday through Friday, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday, Closed Sunday.

Blanding Branch Library, 25 West 300 South, Blanding, Utah, (435) 678-2335. Library hours: Noon to 7 p.m. Monday through Thursday, 2 to 6 p.m. Friday, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday.

White Mesa Ute Administrative Building (off U.S. Highway 191), White Mesa, Utah, (435) 678-3397.

Reading Room hours: 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday, Closed weekends.

The DOE Freedom of Information Act Office and Reading Room, Room 1E-190, 1000 Independence Ave, SW., Washington, DC 20585, (202) 586-3142.

Public Hearings: DOE will conduct four public hearings on the draft EIS (see **DATES** above).

Issued in Washington, DC, on November 30, 2004.

Dr. Inés Triay,

Deputy Chief Operating Officer.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[ER-FRL-6658-2]

Environmental Impact Statements; Notice of Availability

Responsible Agency: Office of Federal Activities, General Information (202) 260-5073 or (202) 260-5075.

Weekly receipt of Environmental Impact Statements Filed November 22, 2004 Through November 26, 2004 Pursuant to 40 CFR 1506.9.

EIS No. 040543, Final EIS, FHW, MI, MI-59 Livingston County Widening Project between I-96 and US 23, Recommended Alternative was Selected, Right-of-Way Preservation Center Corridor, Funding, NPDES and U.S. Army COE Section 404 Permits Issuance, Livingston County, MI, Wait Period Ends: January 3, 2005, Contact: Abdelmoez Abdalla (517) 702-1820.

EIS No. 040544, Draft Supplement, FHW, UT, Legacy Parkway Project, Construction from I-215 at 2100 North in Salt Lake City to I-15 and US 89 near Farmington, Updated Information, Funding and U.S. Army COE Section 404 Permit, Salt Lake and Davis Counties, UT, Comment Period Ends: February 1, 2005,

Contact: Gregory Punske (801) 963-0182.

EIS No. 040545, Draft EIS, AFS, PA, Martin Run Project, To Implement Management Direction as Outlined in Allegheny National Forest Plan, Bradford Ranger District, Allegheny National Forest, Warren and McKean Counties, PA, Comment Period Ends: January 18, 2005, Contact: Heather Luczak (814) 362-4613.

EIS No. 040546, Draft EIS, NPS, AZ, Chiricahua National Monument Fire Management Plan (FMP), Implementation, AZ, Comment Period Ends: February 2, 2005, Contact: Alan Whaton (520) 824-3560.

EIS No. 040547, Draft EIS, IBR, CA, Folsom Dam Road Access Restriction Project, Control Access to Folsom Dam, City of Folsom, CA, Comment Period Ends: January 18, 2005, Contact: Robert Schroeder (916) 989-7274.

EIS No. 040549, Draft EIS, BLM, CO, Roan Plateau Resource Management Plan Amendment, Including Former Naval Oil Shale Reserves 1 and 2, Garfield and Rio Blanco Counties, CO, Comment Period Ends: March 4, 2005, Contact: Steve Bennett (970) 947-2800.

EIS No. 040549, Draft EIS, FHW, MD, Intercounty Connector (ICC) from I-270 to US 1, Funding and U.S. Army COE 404 Section Permit, Montgomery and Prince George's Counties, MD, Comment Period Ends: February 1, 2005, Contact: Nelson J. Castellanos (410) 962-4440.

EIS No. 040550, Draft EIS, COE, NY, Hudson River at Athens, New York Navigation Project, Design and Construction of a Spur Navigation Channel, Hudson River, New York City, NY, Comment Period Ends: January 18, 2005, Contact: Bonnie Hulkower (202) 264-5798.

EIS No. 040551, Draft EIS, FHW, WI, WI-23 Highway Project, Transportation Improve between Fond du Lac and Plymouth, Funding, Fond du Lac and Sheboygan Counties, WI, Comment Period Ends: January 21, 2005, Contact: Johnny Gerbitz (608) 829-7500.

EIS No. 40452, Final EIS, CGD, LA, Gulf Landing Deepwater Port License Application for Construct of a Deepwater Port and Associated Anchorage in the Gulf of Mexico, South of Cameron, LA, Wait Period Ends: January 3, 2005, Contact: Mark A. Prescott (202) 267-0225.

Amended Notices

EIS No. 404529, Draft EIS, COE, MA, Cape Wind Energy Project Construct and Operate 130 Wind Turbine

Generators on Horseshoe Shoal in Nantucket Sound, MA, Comment Period Ends: February 24, 2005, Contact: Karen Adams (978) 318-8338.

Revision of FR Notice Published on 11/19/04: CEQ Comment Period Ending 1/18/2005 has been Extended to 2/24/2005.

Dated: November 30, 2004.

Robert W. Hargrove,

Director, NEPA Compliance Division, Office of Federal Activities.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[ER-FRL-6658-3]

Environmental Impact Statements and Regulations; Availability of EPA Comments

Availability of EPA comments prepared pursuant to the Environmental Review Process (ERP), under Section 309 of the Clean Air Act and Section 102(2)(c) of the National Environmental Policy Act, as amended. Requests for copies of EPA comments can be directed to the Office of Federal Activities at (202) 564-7167. An explanation of the ratings assigned to draft environmental impact statements (EISs) was published in FR dated April 2, 2004 (69 FR 17403).

Draft EISs

ERP No. D-AFS-J65426-UT Rating EC2, Wasatch Plateau Grazing Project, Proposal To Continue To Authorize Sheep Grazing by Issuance of a Term Grazing Permits on 31 Sheep Allotments, Manti-La Sal National Forest, Sanpete, Ferron and Price Ranger Districts, Sanpete, Carbon, Utah and Emery Counties, UT.

Summary: EPA expressed environmental concerns about whether the preferred alternative would resolve the existing adverse impacts from grazing to aquatic and terrestrial resources, and suggested enhancements to the analysis of impacts, the adaptive management plan and the range of alternatives.

ERP No. D-COE-K36141-AZ Rating LO, Santa Cruz River Pasoco de las Iglesias Feasibility Study, To Identify, Define and Solve Environmental Degradation, Flooding and Water Resource Problem, City of Tucson, Pima County, AZ.

Summary: EPA does not object to the project as proposed, but requested additional information regarding

coordination with Tribes and cumulative impacts.

ERP No. D-NRC-G09804-NM Rating LO, National Enrichment Facility (NEF), To Construct, Operate, and Decommission a Gas Centrifuge Uranium Enrichment Facility, License Application, NUREG-1790, near Eunice, Lea County, NM.

Summary: EPA has no objection to the proposed action.

ERP No. D-NRS-L39060-OR Rating LO, Williamson River Delta Restoration Project, To Restore and Maintain the Ecological Functions of the Delta, Williamson River, Klamath County, OR.

Summary: EPA commended NRCS for their efforts to restore ecological function and ecosystem health in the Williamson River Delta. The water quality benefits of the project are consistent with both the Clean Water Act Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL) for the Upper Klamath Lake Basin (May 2002) and the Water Quality Management Plan for implementation of the TMDL. EPA had no objections to the proposed project.

ERP No. D-UAF-G11045-TX Rating LO, Relocation of the C-5 Formal Training Unit from Altus Air Force Base, Oklahoma to Lackland Air Force Base, Bexar County, TX.

Summary: EPA has lack of objection to the selection of the proposed alternative. Mitigation measures have been incorporated in the selected alternative to effectively minimize and/or alleviate adverse environmental impacts.

Final EISs

ERP No. F-AFS-J65408-MT, Fortine Project, To Implement Vegetation Management, Timber Harvest and Fuel Reduction Activities, Kootenai National Forest, Fortine Ranger District, Lincoln County, MT.

Summary: EPA supports the BMPs and road improvements and decommissioning projects that provide overall water quality improvement for 303(d) listed Fortine Creek. However, EPA is concerned about sediment production and transport from proposed timber harvests, and the availability of funds for additional aquatic and riparian enhancement projects.

ERP No. F-COE-K39086-CA, Matilija Dam Ecosystem Restoration Feasibility Study, Restoring Anadromous Fish Populations, Matilija Creek, Ventura River, Ventura County Watershed Protection District, Ventura County, CA.

Summary: The FEIS addressed EPA's concerns regarding downstream ecosystem impacts from sediment mobilization.

Dated: November 30, 2004.

Robert W. Hargrove,

Director, NEPA Compliance Division, Office of Federal Activities.

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

[CC Docket No. 92-237; DA 04-3624]

Conference Call Meeting of the North American Numbering Council

AGENCY: Federal Communications Commission.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: On November 30, 2004, the Commission released a public notice announcing the December 10, 2004 conference call meeting and agenda of the North American Numbering Council (NANC). The intended effect of this action is to make the public aware of the NANC's conference call meeting and agenda. This notice of the December 10, 2004, NANC conference call meeting is being published in the **Federal Register** less than 15 calendar days prior to the meeting due to the NANC's need to discuss a time sensitive issue before the next scheduled meeting. This statement complies with the General Services Administration Management regulations implementing the Federal Advisory Committee Act. See 41 CFR Section 101-6.1015(b)(2).

DATES: Friday, December 10, 2004, 2 p.m. e.s.t.

ADDRESSES: Telecommunications Access Policy Division, Wireline Competition Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, The Portals II, 445 12th Street, SW., Suite 5-A420, Washington, DC 20554. Requests to make an oral statement or provide written comments to the NANC should be sent to Deborah Blue.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Deborah Blue, Special Assistant to the Designated Federal Officer (DFO) at (202) 418-1466 or Deborah.Blue@fcc.gov. The fax number is: (202) 418-2345. The TTY number is: (202) 418-0484.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Released: November 30, 2004.

The North American Numbering Council (NANC) has scheduled a meeting to be held by conference call on Friday, December 10, 2004, from 2 p.m. e.s.t until 3 p.m. e.s.t. The conference bridge number for domestic participants is (800) 377-4562 (toll free). The call in number for international participants is (816) 650-0777 (caller pays). The