

Ottawa National Forest, Michigan

Forest Supervisor Decisions:

Ironwood Daily Globe, published in Ironwood, Gogebic County, Michigan and for

Forest Supervisor decisions pertinent to only the Iron River Ranger District, The Reporter, published in Iron River, Iron County, Michigan

District Ranger Decisions:

Bergland District, Bessemer District, Kenton District, Ontonagon District, and Watersmeet District: Ironwood Daily Globe, published in Ironwood, Gogebic County, Michigan

Iron River District, The Reporter, published daily in Iron River, Iron County, Michigan

Shawnee National Forest, Illinois

Forest Supervisor Decisions:

Southern Illinoisian, published daily in Carbondale, Jackson County, Illinois

District Ranger Decisions:

Elizabethtown District, Jonesboro District, Murphysboro District and Vienna District: Southern Illinoisian, published daily in Carbondale, Jackson County, Illinois

Superior National Forest, Minnesota

Forest Supervisor Decisions:

Duluth News-Tribune, published daily in Duluth, St. Louis County, Minnesota

District Ranger Decisions:

Gunflint Ranger District: Cook County News-Herald, published weekly in Grand Marais, Cook County, Minnesota

Kawishiwi Ranger District: Timberjay, published weekly in Tower, St. Louis County, Minnesota

LaCroix Ranger District: Mesabi Daily News, published daily in Virginia, St. Louis County, Minnesota

Laurentian Ranger District: Mesabi Daily News, published daily in Virginia, St. Louis County, Minnesota; and Lake County News-Chronicle, published weekly in Two Harbors, Lake County, Minnesota

Tofte Ranger District: Duluth News-Tribune published daily in Duluth, St. Louis County, Minnesota

Minnesota Inter-Agency Fire Center:

Grand Rapids Herald Review, published bi-weekly in Grand Rapids, Itasca County, Minnesota

Wayne National Forest, Ohio

Forest Supervisor Decisions:

The Athens Messenger, published in Athens, Athens County, Ohio

District Ranger Decisions:

Athens District: Athens Messenger (same for Marietta Unit), published in Athens, Athens County, Ohio
Ironton District: The Ironton Tribune, published in Ironton, Lawrence County, Ohio

White Mountain National Forest, New Hampshire and Maine

Forest Supervisor Decisions:

The Union Leader, published daily in Manchester, County of Hillsborough, New Hampshire

District Ranger Decisions:

Ammonoosuc Ranger District: The Union Leader, published daily in Manchester, County of Hillsborough, New Hampshire

Androscoggin Ranger District: The Union Leader, published daily in Manchester, County of Hillsborough, New Hampshire

Evans Notch Ranger District: The Lewiston Sun, published daily in Lewiston, County of Androscoggin, Maine

Pemigewasset Ranger District: The Union Leader, published daily in Manchester, County of Hillsborough, New Hampshire

Saco Ranger District: The Union Leader, published daily in Manchester, County of Hillsborough, New Hampshire

Midewin National Tallgrass Prairie

Prairie Supervisor Decisions:

The Herald-News, published daily in Joliet, Will County, Illinois

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Micheal Miller,

Acting Regional Forester.

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Natural Resources Conservation Service

Notice of Proposed Change to Section IV of the Field Office Technical Guide (FOTG) of the Natural Resources Conservation Service in Florida

AGENCY: Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) in Florida, U.S. Department of Agriculture.

ACTION: Notice of availability of proposed changes in Section IV of the FOTG or the NRCS in Florida for review and comment.

SUMMARY: It is the intention of NRCS in Florida to issue a revised conservation

practice standard Agrichemical Handling Facility, (Code 203), a revised conservation practice standard Waste Treatment Lagoon, (Code 359); a revised conservation practice standard Waste Utilization, (Code 633); and a new conservation practice Closure of Waste Impoundments, (Code 208) in Section IV of the FOTG.

DATES: Comments will be received on or before June 4, 1997.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Inquire in writing to T. Niles Glasgow, State Conservationist, Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS), PO. Box 141510, Gainesville, Florida 32614-1510. Copies of the practice standards will be made available upon written request.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Section 343 of the Federal Agriculture Improvement and Reform Act of 1996 states that revisions made after enactment of the law to NRCS State technical guides used to carry out highly erodible land and wetland provisions of the law shall be made available for public review and comment. For the next 30 days the NRCS in Florida will receive comments relative to the proposed changes. Following that period a determination will be made by the NRCS in Florida regarding disposition of those comments and a final determination of change will be made.

Dated: April 24, 1997.

Jerry R. Joiner,

State Conservationist, Natural Resources Conservation Service, Gainesville, Florida.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Bureau of the Census

The Census Advisory Committee (CAC) on the African American Population, the CAC on the American Indian and Alaska Native Populations, the CAC on the Asian and Pacific Islander Populations, and the CAC on the Hispanic Population; Public Meeting

Pursuant to the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463 as amended by Pub. L. 94-409, Pub. L. 96-523, and Pub. L. 97-375), we are giving notice of a joint meeting followed by separate and concurrently held (described below) meetings of the CAC on the African American Population, the CAC on the American Indian and Alaska Native Populations, the CAC on the Asian and Pacific Islander

Populations, and the CAC on the Hispanic Population. The joint meeting will convene on May 22–23, 1997 at the Holiday Inn Hotel & Suites, 625 First Street, Alexandria, Virginia 22314.

Each of these Committees is composed of nine members appointed by the Secretary of Commerce. They provide an organized and continuing channel of communication between the communities they represent and the Bureau of the Census on its efforts to reduce the differential in the population totals from Census 2000 and on ways that decennial census data can be disseminated to maximize their usefulness to these communities and other users.

The Committees will draw on past experience with the 1990 census process and procedures, results of evaluations and research studies, and the expertise and insight of their members to provide advice and recommendations during the research and development, design, planning, and implementation phases of Census 2000.

The agenda for the May 22 combined meeting that will begin at 9:00 a.m. and end at 5:00 p.m. is as follows: (1) Introductory Remarks and Census Update; (2) What Are the Results From the Race and Ethnic Targeted Test?; and (3) Decision-Making Process for OMB Directive Number 15.

The agendas for the four committees in their separate and concurrently held meetings are as follows:

The CAC on the African American Population: (1) election of chair-elect; (2) questions regarding multiracial category; (3) review of background materials; (4) review of Committee recommendations and responses; and (5) draft recommendations.

The CAC on the American Indian and Alaska Native Populations: (1) election of chair-elect; (2) Internet node/address update; (3) review of background materials; (4) review of Committee recommendations and responses; (5) geographic programs; (6) update on Hawaiian homelands; and (7) draft recommendations.

The CAC on the Asian and Pacific Islander Populations: (1) election of chair-elect; (2) update on Hawaiian homelands; (3) review of background materials; (4) review of Committee recommendations and responses; (5) questionnaires in languages other than English; and (6) draft recommendations.

The CAC on the Hispanic Population: (1) election of chair-elect; (2) issues from the last meeting; (3) review of background materials; (4) review of Committee recommendations and responses; and (5) draft recommendations.

The agenda for the May 23 combined meeting that will begin at 9:00 a.m. and end at 3:30 p.m. is as follows: (1) How Can the Census Bureau Work With Organizations in Your Community to Promote the Census So That It Goes Beyond Awareness and Encourages Participation?; (2) How Do We Recruit and Maintain the Staff Throughout the Census Process?; (3) A Conversation: Census 2000 Content Submission On Dress Rehearsal Questionnaire; (4) A Conversation: Advisory Committees; (5) Committee Recommendations; and (6) Public Comment.

The agendas for the four committees in their separate and concurrently held meetings are as follows:

The CAC on the African American Population: (1) Committee discussions and (2) recommendations.

The CAC on the American Indian and Alaska Native Populations (AIAN): (1) Committee discussions; (2) video on the AIAN focus groups; and (3) recommendations.

The CAC on the Asian and Pacific Islander Populations (API): (1) Committee discussions; (2) video on the API focus groups; and (3) recommendations.

The CAC on the Hispanic Population: (1) Committee discussions and (2) recommendations.

All meetings are open to the public, and a brief period is set aside on May 23 during the closing session for public comment and questions. Individuals with extensive questions or statements must submit them in writing to the Census Bureau Committee Liaison Officer, Ms. Maxine Anderson-Brown, Room 3039, Federal Building 3, Washington, DC 20233, at least three days before the meeting.

These meetings are physically accessible to people with disabilities. Requests for sign language interpretation or other auxiliary aids should be directed to the Census Bureau Committee Liaison Officer.

Individuals wishing additional information regarding these meetings or who wish to submit written statements may contact the Committee Liaison Officer on (301) 457–2308, TDD (301) 457–2540.

Dated: April 29, 1997.

Martha Farnsworth Riche,

Director, Bureau of the Census.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Bureau of the Census

The Census Advisory Committee on the American Indian and Alaska Native Populations; Public Meeting

Pursuant to the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92–463 as amended by P.L. 94–409, P.L. 96–523, and P.L. 97–375), we are giving notice of a meeting of the Census Advisory Committee on the American Indian and Alaska Native Populations. The meeting will convene on May 21, 1997 at the Bureau of the Census, Francis Amasa Walker Conference Center, Federal Building 3, Suitland, Maryland 20746.

The Committee is composed of nine members appointed by the Secretary of Commerce. The Committee provides an organized and continuing channel of communication between the communities they represent and the Bureau of the Census on its efforts to reduce the differential in the population totals from Census 2000 and on ways that decennial census data can be disseminated to maximize their usefulness to these communities and other users.

The Committee will draw on past experience with the 1990 census process and procedures, results of evaluations and research studies, and the expertise and insight of its members to provide advice and recommendations during the research and development, design, planning, and implementation phases of Census 2000.

The agenda for the meeting on May 21 that will begin at 12:00 noon and adjourn at 4:45 p.m. is as follows: (1) discussion of the enumeration plans for the American Indian and Alaska Native tribal and village populations and (2) development of recommendations.

The meeting is open to the public, and a brief period is set aside on May 21 during the closing session for public comment and questions. Individuals with extensive questions or statements must submit them in writing to the Census Bureau Committee Liaison Officer, Ms. Maxine Anderson-Brown, Room 3039, Federal Building 3, Washington, DC 20233, at least three days before the meeting.

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