

**ACTION:** Cancellation of Notice of Intent to Prepare an Environmental Impact Statement.

**SUMMARY:** As announced in **Federal Register** Vol. 59, No. 92, page 25116, May 13, 1994, the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (Service) advised the public that the Service intended to gather information necessary to prepare an Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) "U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service Habitat Protection in Selected Areas of the Middle-Upper Pacific Coast." This notice announces the Service has decided to cancel the environmental analysis process. The May 13, 1994 Notice of Intent is hereby rescinded.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Carey Smith, Pacific Coast Joint Venture Coordinator, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, 9317 N.E. Highway 99, Suite D, Vancouver, Washington, 98665, Telephone: 360-696-7630.

Dated: April 23, 1997.

**Thomas J. Dwyer,**

*Acting Regional Director, Region 1, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Bureau of Land Management

[CO-050-1220-00]

#### Emergency Closure of Public Lands

**AGENCY:** Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

**ACTION:** Closure order.

**SUMMARY:** Notice is hereby given that effective May 2, 1997 certain public lands along Fremont County Road 3 (Temple Canyon Road) are closed to recreational target shooting, for the purpose of enhancing public safety. For this closure order, shooting is defined as the discharge of any weapon for the purpose of recreational target shooting. Bow & arrows, pellet guns and BB guns are included in this definition.

Recreational shooters may use other public lands where public safety is not at risk or that have not been closed to shooting. No person shall violate any federal, state or local laws pertaining to use, possession or discharge of firearms while on any BLM administered public lands. This closure affects approximately 75 acres of public lands located 3 miles southwest of Canon City, Colorado.

**DATES:** Effective May 2, 1997 and will remain in effect unless revised, revoked or amended.

**ADDRESSES:** Bureau of Land Management (BLM), Canon City District Office, 3710 East Main Street, Canon City Colorado 81212; Telephone (719) 269-8500 TDD (719) (269-8597).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Jack H. Hagan, District Law Enforcement Ranger, Canon City District at the above address or by calling 719-268-8500.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** BLM administers approximately 6400 acres in the Temple Canyon area near Fremont County Road 3. This area has become increasingly popular for mountain biking, and hiking due to its close proximity to Canon City. An environmental awareness hiking/biking trail will soon be opened in this area and will include private and BLM lands in the area of this closure. Additionally, there are private lands with residential structures and livestock operations adjacent to these public lands. This closure is necessary to protect public health and safety on public lands as well as persons and property found on adjacent private lands. The closure order reflects these concerns. Those exempted from this closure order include Law Enforcement Officers in the commission of their official duties as protectors of the public.

The public lands affected by this closure are located at:

#### 6th Principal Meridian

T.19S., R.70W., Section 7, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$   
T.19S., R.71W., Section 12, S $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$   
T.19S., R.71W., Section 13, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$   
and the N $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$

A copy of this **Federal Register** notice and map showing the closed area is posted in the Canon City District Office.

Authority for this action is found in 43 CFR 8364.1 and the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976. Violations of this order is punishable by fines and/or imprisonment as defined in 18 U.S.C. 3571.

**Donnie R. Sparks,**

*District Manager.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Bureau of Land Management

[NV-930-1430-01; N-57154]

#### Opening of Lands; Nevada

**AGENCY:** Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

**ACTION:** Opening Order.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** May 8, 1997.

**SUMMARY:** A parcel of land which was segregated for exchange, N-57154, is no longer under consideration for

exchange. This order terminates the exchange segregation and opens the land generally described as:

#### Mount Diablo Meridian

T. 12 N., R. 21 E., sec. 30, lots 7 to 16, inclusive,

E $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ ,  
E $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ , and  
E $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ .

Containing 35.05 acres in Carson Valley.

The land described above is now open to the public land laws and the mining laws.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Jo Ann Hufnagle, Realty Specialist at BLM Carson City District Office, 1535 Hot Springs Road, Carson City, NV 89706, (702) 885-6000.

Dated: April 25, 1997.

**Daniel L. Jaquet,**

*Acting Assistant District Manager, Carson City District.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Bureau of Land Management

[CA-1430-01; CACA 7003 et al.]

#### Public Land Order No. 7258; Partial Revocation of Secretarial Orders Dated April 20, 1936, July 29, 1936, and July 7, 1936, and Bureau of Land Management Orders Dated February 27, 1952, and October 21, 1995; California

**AGENCY:** Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

**ACTION:** Public land order.

**SUMMARY:** This order partially revokes three Secretarial orders and two Bureau of Land Management orders insofar as they affect 1,002.74 acres of public lands withdrawn for the Bureau of Reclamation's Central Valley Project. Of the 1,002.74 acres being revoked, 906.62 acres will be opened to surface entry and mining unless closed by overlapping withdrawals or temporary segregations of record. The remaining 96.12 acres have been and will remain closed to surface entry and mining because they are included in overlapping withdrawals. The lands have been and will remain open to mineral leasing.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** June 9, 1997.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Duane Marti, BLM California State Office (CA-931.4), 2135 Butano Drive, Sacramento, California 95825, 916-979-2858.

By virtue of the authority vested in the Secretary of the Interior by Section 204 of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976, 43 U.S.C. 1714 (1988), it is ordered as follows:

1. The Secretarial Orders dated April 20, 1936, July 29, 1936, and July 7, 1936, and Bureau of Land Management Orders dated February 27, 1952, and October 21, 1955, which withdrew public lands for the Bureau of Reclamation's Central Valley Project, are hereby revoked insofar as they affect the following described lands:

**Mount Diablo Meridian**

- T. 32 N., R. 5 W.,  
 Sec. 4, N $\frac{1}{2}$ S $\frac{1}{2}$  of lot 20, and lot 32;  
 Sec. 7, lots 24 through 39, inclusive;  
 Sec. 8, lots 5, 6, and 21;  
 Sec. 17, lots 2, 8, 9, 15, 16, 21, and 22;  
 Sec. 20, lot 1.  
 T. 33 N., R. 5 W.,  
 Sec. 21, lot 1;  
 Sec. 31, lots 1, 7, 9, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ , SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ , and  
 N $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ ;  
 Sec. 32, W $\frac{1}{2}$  of lot 19, and lots 10, 16, and  
 21.

The areas described aggregate 1,002.74 acres in Shasta County.

2. The following described lands are included in overlapping withdrawals and thus remain withdrawn from settlement, sale, location, or entry under the general land laws, including the mining laws:

**Mount Diablo Meridian**

- T. 32 N., R. 5 W.,  
 Sec. 4, N $\frac{1}{2}$ S $\frac{1}{2}$  of lot 20.  
 T. 33 N., R. 5 W.,  
 Sec. 21, lot 1;  
 Sec. 32, lots 16 and 21.

The areas described aggregate 96.12 acres in Shasta County.

3. At 10 a.m. on June 9, 1997, the lands described in paragraph 1, except for those described in paragraph 2, will be opened to the operation of the public land laws generally, subject to valid existing rights, the provisions of existing withdrawals, other segregations of record, and the requirements of applicable law. All valid applications received at or prior to 10 a.m. on June 9, 1997, shall be considered as simultaneously filed at that time. Those received thereafter shall be considered in the order of filing.

4. At 10 a.m. on June 9, 1997, the lands described in paragraph 1, except for those described in paragraph 2, will be open to location and entry under the United States mining laws, subject to valid existing rights, the provisions of existing withdrawals, other segregations of record, and the requirements of applicable law. Appropriation of any of the lands described in this order under the general mining laws prior to the date

and time of restoration is unauthorized. Any such attempted appropriation, including attempted adverse possession under 30 U.S.C. 38 (1988), shall vest no rights against the United States. Acts required to establish a location and to initiate a right of possession are governed by State law where not in conflict with Federal law. The Bureau of Land Management will not intervene in disputes between rival locators over possessory rights since Congress has provided for such determinations in local courts.

Dated: April 25, 1997.

**Bob Armstrong,**

*Assistant Secretary of the Interior.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**

**Bureau of Land Management**

[OR-958-0777-63; GP6-0277; OR-19676 (WA)]

**Public Land Order No. 7255;  
 Revocation of Geological Survey Order  
 Dated May 19, 1950; Washington**

**AGENCY:** Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

**ACTION:** Public land order.

**SUMMARY:** This order revokes in its entirety a Geological Survey order which withdrew 573.31 acres of National Forest System lands for the Bureau of Land Management's Powersite Classification No. 408. The lands are no longer needed for the purpose for which they were withdrawn. This action will open 180.75 acres of lands to surface entry, which have been and will remain open to mining and mineral leasing. Of the lands being revoked, 312.56 acres are within other overlapping withdrawals and will remain closed to surface entry and mining, but will remain open to mineral leasing, and 80 acres have been conveyed out of Federal ownership.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** June 9, 1997.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Betty McCarthy, BLM Oregon/Washington State Office, P.O. Box 2965, Portland, Oregon 97208-2965, 503-952-6155.

By virtue of the authority vested in the Secretary of the Interior by Section 204 of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976, 43 U.S.C. 1714 (1988), it is ordered as follows:

1. The Geological Survey Order dated May 19, 1950, which established Powersite Classification No. 408, is hereby revoked in its entirety:

**Willamette Meridian**

*Colville National Forest*

- T. 36 N., R. 43 E.,  
 Sec. 15, lots 5 and 8.  
 T. 37 N., R. 43 E.,  
 Sec. 33, lots 4, 5, and 8.  
 T. 38 N., R. 43 E.,  
 Sec. 32, lots 1, 2, and 3.  
 T. 35 N., R. 44 E.,  
 Sec. 7, lot 4;  
 Sec. 19, lots 1, 2, 6, and 7;  
 Sec. 20, lot 3.

*Kaniksu National Forest*

- T. 34 N., R. 44 E.,  
 Sec. 5, lots 1, 7, and 8;  
 Sec. 7, W.  $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ .

The areas described aggregate 573.31 acres in Pend Oreille County.

2. At 8:30 a.m., on June 9, 1997, the following described lands will be opened to such forms of disposition as may by law be made of National Forest System lands, subject to valid existing rights, the provisions of existing withdrawals, other segregations of record, and the requirements of applicable law:

**Willamette Meridian**

*Colville National Forest*

- T. 38 N., R. 43 E.,  
 Sec. 32, those portions of lots 1, 2, and 3 lying outside the boundary of Power Project No. 2042.  
 T. 35 N., R. 44 E.,  
 Sec. 7, that portion of lot 4 lying outside the boundary of Power Project No. 2042;  
 Sec. 20, that portion of lot 3 lying outside the boundary of Power Project No. 2042.

*Kaniksu National Forest*

- T. 34 N., R. 44 E.,  
 Sec. 5, lots 1, 7, and 8.

The areas described aggregate approximately 180.75 acres in Pend Oreille County.

3. The following described land has been conveyed out of Federal ownership and will not be opened to the operation of the public land laws, including the mining and mineral leasing laws:

- T. 34 N., R., 44 E.,  
 Sec. 7, W $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ .

The area described contains 80 acres in Pend Oreille County.

4. The lands described in paragraph 1, except as provided in paragraphs 2 and 3, are within the overlapping withdrawals for a Forest Service recreation area or Power Project No. 2042, and will remain closed to operation of the public land laws, including the mining laws.

Dated: April 24, 1997.

**Bob Armstrong,**

*Assistant Secretary of the Interior.*

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