Dated: May 30, 1996.

Walter Rewinski,

Deputy State Director, Resources Planning,

Use and Protection.

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[NV-930-1990-01; Nev-066123]

Realty Action; Termination of Recreation and Public Purposes (R&PP) Classification; Nevada

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management,

Interior.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This notice terminates R&PP Classification Nev-066123. The associated R&PP lease has expired and the land is now within the Toiyabe National Forest. The termination of this classification is for record-clearing purposes.

EFFECTIVE DATE: June 5, 1996.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Carmen Donelson, BLM Nevada State Office, P.O. Box 12000, Reno, Nevada 89520, 702–785–6532.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On March 17, 1966, R&PP Lease Nev-066123 was issued to the Washoe County School District. The lease expired on March 16, 1986, without the land ever being developed. Subsequent to the expiration of the lease, the land was transferred to the Forest Service pursuant to Public Law 100–550. The classification was never terminated.

Pursuant to the R&PP Act of June 14, 1926, as amended (43 U.S.C. 869 et seq.), the regulation contained in 43 CFR 2091.7–1, and the authority delegated by Appendix 1 of the Bureau of Land Management Manual 1203, R&PP Classification Nev-066123 is hereby terminated in its entirety for the following described land:

Mount Diablo Meridian

T. 18 N., R. 19 E.,

Sec. 24, $W^{1/2}SE^{1/4}$ and $SE^{1/4}SE^{1/4}$.

The area described contains 120 acres in Washoe County. The land is within the Toiyabe National Forest and subject to such forms of disposition as may by law be made of National Forest System lands.

Dated: May 31, 1996.

William K. Stowers,

Lands Team Lead.

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[NV-050-96-1220-00]

Temporary Occupancy and Camping Closure on Certain Public Lands Managed by the Bureau of Land Management, Las Vegas District

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Department of Interior.

ACTION: Temporary occupancy and camping closure on selected public lands in Clark County, Nevada.

SUMMARY: The District Manager of the Las Vegas District announces a temporary occupancy and camping closure on selected public lands under its administration.

The increase in population and growth in employment in the Las Vegas area has attracted many short term and transient residents and workers. Many of these individuals set up residence on public lands under the guise of 'camping''. The existing 14 day stay limit has not been effective in correcting this situation. This problem is particularly prone to occur on public lands along State Highway 160. Trash accumulations and human refuse are impacting public lands. This action is being taken to help ensure public safety, prevent unnecessary environmental degradation and prevent long-term occupancy of public lands.

EFFECTIVE DATE: The closure will be effective June 19, 1996. It will remain in effect until final action is taken to establish closures, restrictions, and/or supplementary rules to implement the Resource Management Plan currently under consideration for the Stateline Resource Area, Las Vegas District. **CLOSURE AREA:** Public lands within one mile of State Highway 160, from State Highway 160's intersection with Interstate 15 westward to the boundary of the Red Rock Canyon National Conservation Area (RRCNCA); and within one mile of State Highway 159 from its junction with State Highway 160 west to the RRCNCA boundary. These lands all fall within Township 22 South, Ranges 59, 60, and 61 E, Mount Diablo Meridian.

Exceptions to the closure are:
Camping locations which may be
designated by the Las Vegas District
Manager for overnight use. Such
designations may be by the posting of
appropriate signs, by publication in the
Federal Register, or be made available
to the public by such other means as
deemed most appropriate by the
authorized officer.

Closure Restrictions: Unless otherwise authorized, within the closure area no person shall:

a. Camp or engage in camping.

- b. Park, stop, or stand personal property, whether attended or unattended, continuously for more than 4 hours.
- c. Park any vehicle in violation of posted restrictions, or in such a manner as to obstruct or impede normal or emergency traffic movement, create a safety hazard, or endanger any person, property, or natural feature. Vehicles so parked are subject to citation, and to removal and impoundment at the owner's expense.
- d. Take, drive, or operate any vehicle through, around, or beyond a restrictive sign, barricade, fence, or traffic control barrier or device.
- e. Fail to follow orders or directions of an authorized officer relating to this closure order.
- f. Obstruct, resist, or attempt to elude a law enforcement officer, or fail to follow their orders or directions, relating to this closure order.

Definitions

"Camp" or "camping" means the erecting of a tent or shelter, preparing a sleeping bag or other bedding material for use, or the parking of a vehicle, motor vehicle, motor home, or trailer for the apparent purpose of sleeping or overnight occupancy.

"Personal property" includes bicycles, vehicles whether propelled by living or non-living power sources, motor vehicles, trailers, tents, campers, pets, and livestock.

Maps depicting the area affected by this closure order are available for public inspection at the Las Vegas District Office, Bureau of Land Management.

This closure order is issued under the authority of 43 CFR 8364.1. Violation of any of the terms, conditions, or restrictions contained within this closure order may subject the violator to citation or arrest, with the penalty of fine or imprisonment as specified by law.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Dave Wolf, Recreation Manager; or Randolph August, District Ranger; at the Bureau of Land Management, Las Vegas District Office, 4765 W. Vegas Drive, Las Vegas, NV 89108, telephone (702) 647– 5000.

Dated: May 21, 1996.

Michael F. Dwyer,

District Manager.

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[CO-050-1610-00]

Notice of Availability; Royal Gorge Resource Area Approved Resource Management Plan and Record of Decision

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of availability.

SUMMARY: The Canon City District provides announces the availability of the approved Resource Management Plan (RMP) and Record of Decision (ROD) for the Royal Gorge Resource Area. This RMP/ROD supersedes the existing management framework plans and other related documents for managing BLM-administered public lands located in southeastern Colorado. The approved RMP contains decisions for managing 653,000 acres of Federal surface estate and 2,566,000 acres of Federal subsurface mineral estate within Baca, Bent, Chaffee, Crowley, Custer, El Paso, Fremont, Huerfano, Kiowa, Lake, Las Animas, Otero, Park, Prowers, Pueblo and Teller Counties.

DATES: The effective date of the RMP/ROD was May 13, 1996.

ADDRESSES: Copies of the RMP/ROD are available upon request by writing to the Bureau of Land Management, Royal Gorge Resource Area, 3170 East Main Street, Canon City, CO 81212 or by calling (719) 269–8500.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Levi Deike, Area Manager or Pete Zwaneveld, Land-Use Planner at the above address and phone number.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Royal Gorge RMP/ROD is essentially the same as the Royal Gorge Proposed Resource Management Plan and Final **Environmental Impact Statement** (PRMP). No changes to the proposed decisions have been made. Some clarifying language, however, has been included as a result of four protests that were received on the PRMP. Approval of the plan resulted in the designation of nine Areas of Critical Environmental Concern (ACEC). The following lists the ACECs, the acreage designated, and the area's significant resources: (1) Arkansas Canyonlands—23,921 acres—botanical, cultural, recreational, visual and wildlife resources; (2) Beaver Creek-12,081 acres—recreational, visual and wildlife resources; (3) Browns Canyon— 11,697 acres—cultural, recreational, visual and wildlife resources; (4) Cucharas Canyon-1,866 acrescultural, riparian and visual resources; (5) Droney Gulch—705 acres—sensitive plants; (6) Garden Park-2,728 acrescultural, paleontological, riparian and wildlife resources and sensitive plants;

(7) Grape Creek—15,978 acres—riparian, recreational, visual and wildlife resources; (8) Mosquito Pass—4,036 acres—visual resources and sensitive plants; and (9) Phantom Canyon—6,096 acres—cultural, recreational, riparian, visual and wildlife resources.

Special management will be provided to minimize surface disturbing activities (e.g., motorized vehicle limitations, mineral development restrictions, etc.) that would adversely affect the significant values within these nine areas. Integrated Activity Plans will be prepared to detail these protective measures.

Kenneth L. Smith,

Acting District Manager.

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Proposed Withdrawal and Opportunity for Public Meeting; Washington

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Bureau of Land Management proposes to withdraw 160 acres of public lands and 80 acres of non-Federal lands, to protect the natural and recreational values on seven waterfront tracts, one inland tract, and two islands in the San Juan Archipelago. This notice closes the lands for up to 2 years from surface entry and mining. The public lands have been and will remain open to mineral leasing. Upon acquisition, the non-Federal lands will be opened to the mineral leasing laws.

DATES: Comments and requests for a public meeting must be received by September 3, 1996.

ADDRESSES: Comments and meetings requests should be sent to the Oregon/Washington State Director, BLM, P.O. Box 2965, Portland, Oregon 97208–2965.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:
Betty McCarthy, BLM Oregon/

Washington State Office, 503–952–6155. SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On April 30, 1996, a petition was approved allowing the Bureau of Land Management to file an application to withdraw the following described public lands and non-Federal lands from settlement, sale, location, or entry under the general land laws, including the United States mining laws (30 U.S.C. Ch. 2 (1988)) but not from leasing

under the mineral leasing laws, subject to valid existing rights:

Willamette Meridian

Federal Lands

T. 34 N., R.1 W., (Tract H),

Sec. 17, those portions of the south 200 feet of the N¹/2SE¹/4 and SW¹/4SE¹/4 and SE¹/4SE¹/4 as more particularly identified and described in the official records of the Bureau of Land Management, Oregon/Washington State Office and the Wenatchee Area Office, Wenatchee, Washington.

T. 34 N., R. 1 W., (Tract J),

Sec. 21, those portions of lot 2 and the SW¹/4NW¹/4, TOGETHER with tidelands of the second class abutting thereon as more particularly identified and described in the official records of the Bureau of Land Management, Oregon/Washington State Office and the Wenatchee Area Office, Wenatchee, Washington.

- T. 34 N., R.1 W., (Cape St. Mary, Tract L) Sec. 15, lot 1.
- T. 35 N., R.1 W., (Lopez Pass, Tract M) Sec. 33, lot 1.
- T. 36 N., R. 2 E., (Eliza Island, Tract N) Sec. 5, unsurveyed portion of Eliza Island.
- T. 36 N., R. 2 E., (Carter Point, Tract O) Sec. 6, unsurveyed portion of Lummi Island.
- T. 37 N., R. 1 E., (Lummi Rocks, Tract P) Sec. 27, unsurveyed Lummi Rocks in the NW¹/₄ and SW¹/₄NE¹/₄.
- T. 37 N., R. 2 E., (Chuckanut Rock, Tract Q) Sec. 24, unsurveyed Chuckanut Rock.

The areas described aggregate approximately 160 acres of Federal lands in San Juan and Whatcom Counties, Washington.

Non-Federal Land

Tract I

T. 34 N., R.1 W., Sec. 21, lot 1 and NW¹/₄NW¹/₄.

Tract K

T. 34 N., R. 1 W.,

Sec. 21, that portion of lot 2 as more particularly identified and described in the official records of the Bureau of Land Management, Oregon/Washington State Office and the Wenatchee Area Office, Wenatchee, Washington.

The areas described aggregate approximately 80 acres of non-Federal lands in San Juan County, Washington.

The purpose of the proposed withdrawal is to protect the unique natural and recreational values and improvements as to ten tracts of public and non-Federal lands located in the San Juan Islands.

For a period of 90 days from the date of publication of this notice, all persons who wish to submit comments, suggestions, or objections in connection with the proposed withdrawal may present their views in writing to the State Director at the address indicated above.