

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

[WY-036-97-1060-00]

Environmental Statements; Notice of Intent: Lander Resource Area, WY; Capture Plan for Gathering Wild Horses

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of schedule change.

SUMMARY: The Lander Resource Area will extend the gather period for Wild Horses originally described on page 31619 of the **Federal Register**, Vol. 62, No. 111, Tuesday, June 10, 1997. Due to scheduling conflicts, the planned gathering period will now be from July 15, 1997, through December 31, 1997.

DATES: July 15, 1997, through December 31, 1997.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Jack Kelly, (307) 332-8400.

Jack Kelly,
Area Manager.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

[AZA 30005]

Notice of Proposed Withdrawal and Opportunity for Public Meeting; Arizona

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The United States Department of Agriculture, Forest Service, has filed an application to withdraw 387.50 acres of National Forest System land to protect an area of Arizona Hedgehog Cactus. This notice closes the land for up to 2 years from location and entry under the United States mining laws. The lands will remain open to all other uses which may be made of National Forest System lands.

DATES: Comments and requests for a meeting should be received on or before October 23, 1997.

ADDRESSES: Comments and meeting requests should be sent to the Arizona State Director, BLM, Arizona State Office, 222 N. Central Ave., Phoenix, Arizona 85004.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Cliff Yardley, BLM, Arizona State Office, 602-417-9437.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On November 22, 1996, the United States

Department of Agriculture filed an application to withdraw the following described National Forest System lands from location and entry under the United States mining laws, subject to valid existing rights:

Gila and Salt River Meridian

Tonto National Forest

T. 1 S., R. 13 E.,

Sec. 12, $N\frac{1}{2}NE\frac{1}{4}NE\frac{1}{4}SE\frac{1}{4}NE\frac{1}{4}$,
 $SE\frac{1}{4}NE\frac{1}{4}SE\frac{1}{4}NE\frac{1}{4}$, $E\frac{1}{2}SE\frac{1}{4}SE\frac{1}{4}NE\frac{1}{4}$,
 $E\frac{1}{2}E\frac{1}{2}NE\frac{1}{4}SE\frac{1}{4}$, and
 $NE\frac{1}{4}NE\frac{1}{4}SE\frac{1}{4}SE\frac{1}{4}$;

Sec. 13, $S\frac{1}{2}N\frac{1}{2}NE\frac{1}{4}NE\frac{1}{4}$, $S\frac{1}{2}NE\frac{1}{4}NE\frac{1}{4}$,
 $N\frac{1}{2}SE\frac{1}{4}NE\frac{1}{4}$, $N\frac{1}{2}S\frac{1}{2}SE\frac{1}{4}NE\frac{1}{4}$,
 $S\frac{1}{2}SE\frac{1}{4}SE\frac{1}{4}NE\frac{1}{4}$, and
 $SE\frac{1}{4}SW\frac{1}{4}SE\frac{1}{4}NE\frac{1}{4}$.

T. 1 S., R. 14 E.,

Sec. 7, $S\frac{1}{2}N\frac{1}{2}N\frac{1}{2}$ of lot 2, $S\frac{1}{2}N\frac{1}{2}$ of lot
2, $S\frac{1}{2}$ of lot 2, lot 3, $SW\frac{1}{4}SE\frac{1}{4}NW\frac{1}{4}$,
 $S\frac{1}{2}NW\frac{1}{4}SE\frac{1}{4}NW\frac{1}{4}$, $W\frac{1}{2}E\frac{1}{2}SW\frac{1}{4}$,
 $S\frac{1}{2}N\frac{1}{2}NW\frac{1}{4}SE\frac{1}{4}NW\frac{1}{4}$, lot 5,
 $E\frac{1}{2}W\frac{1}{2}SW\frac{1}{4}SW\frac{1}{4}$, and $E\frac{1}{2}SW\frac{1}{4}SW\frac{1}{4}$,
except MS 4036B;

Sec. 18, lots 1 and 2, and $E\frac{1}{2}NW\frac{1}{4}$, except
a portion of MS 2337.

The area described contains 387.50 acres in
Gila and Pinal Counties.

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 Arizona State Director of the Bureau of Land Management.

Notice is hereby given that an opportunity for a public meeting is afforded in connection with the proposed withdrawal. All interested persons who desire a public meeting for the purpose of being heard on the proposed withdrawal must submit a written request to the Arizona State Director within 90 days from the date of publication of this notice. Upon determination by the authorized officer that a public meeting will be held, a notice of time and place will be published in the **Federal Register** at least 30 days before the scheduled date of the meeting.

The application will be processed in accordance with the regulations set forth in 43 CFR part 2300.

For a period of 2 years from the date of publication of this notice in the **Federal Register**, the lands will be segregated as specified above unless the application is denied or canceled or the withdrawal is approved prior to that date.

Dated: July 18, 1997.

Michael A. Ferguson,

Deputy State Director, Resources Division.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

[NM-018-1430-01; NMMN 98057]

Notice of Proposed Withdrawal and Opportunity for Public Meeting; New Mexico

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Bureau of Land Management proposes to withdraw 3,632.31 acres of Federal lands, 1,148.19 acres of federally reserved minerals and 640 acres of non-Federal lands, if acquired, in Taos County to protect the cultural, wildlife and scenic values of the Copper Hill area. This notice closes the Federal land to surface entry and mining and the federally owned minerals to mining, but not to mineral leasing for up to 2 years. The non-Federal land would also be closed to surface entry and mining if acquired by the United States during the 2-year period.

DATE: Comments and requests for a public meeting must be received by October 23, 1997.

ADDRESSES: Comments and meeting requests should be sent to the Albuquerque District Manager, BLM, 435 Montano Road N.E., Albuquerque, New Mexico 87107.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Hal Knox, BLM, Taos Resource Area Office, (505) 758-8851.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On July 16, 1997, a petition was approved allowing the Bureau of Land Management to file an application to withdraw the following described public land and non-public land from settlement, sale, location, or entry under the general land laws, including the mining laws, subject to valid existing rights:

New Mexico Principal Meridian

Federal Lands

T. 23 N., R. 10 E.,

Sec. 12, $E\frac{1}{2}E\frac{1}{2}SE\frac{1}{4}SE\frac{1}{4}$;Sec. 13, $E\frac{1}{2}E\frac{1}{2}E\frac{1}{2}E\frac{1}{2}$;Sec. 24, $E\frac{1}{2}E\frac{1}{2}E\frac{1}{2}E\frac{1}{2}$;Sec. 25, $E\frac{1}{2}NE\frac{1}{4}NE\frac{1}{4}NE\frac{1}{4}$ and
 $NE\frac{1}{4}SE\frac{1}{4}NE\frac{1}{4}NE\frac{1}{4}$.

T. 23 N., R. 11 E.,

Sec. 7, $E\frac{1}{2}NE\frac{1}{4}NE\frac{1}{4}SE\frac{1}{4}$, $S\frac{1}{2}N\frac{1}{2}N\frac{1}{2}S\frac{1}{2}$,
 $S\frac{1}{2}N\frac{1}{2}S\frac{1}{2}$, and $S\frac{1}{2}S\frac{1}{2}$;

Sec. 8, $S\frac{1}{2}$;Sec. 9, $S\frac{1}{2}S\frac{1}{2}S\frac{1}{2}N\frac{1}{2}$ and $S\frac{1}{2}$;Sec. 15, lots 7, 8, and $SW\frac{1}{4}$;

Sec. 18, lot 1, $N\frac{1}{2}$, $SW\frac{1}{4}$, $N\frac{1}{2}SE\frac{1}{4}$, and
 $SW\frac{1}{4}SE\frac{1}{4}$;

Sec. 19, lot 1, $NW\frac{1}{4}NE\frac{1}{4}$, $S\frac{1}{2}NE\frac{1}{4}$, $NW\frac{1}{4}$,
and $S\frac{1}{2}$;

Sec. 20, lots 1, 2, 3, inclusive, $NE\frac{1}{4}$,
 $N\frac{1}{2}S\frac{1}{2}$, and $N\frac{1}{2}S\frac{1}{2}S\frac{1}{2}$;

Sec. 21, S $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$;
 Sec. 22, lots 5 thru 8, inclusive, and W $\frac{1}{2}$;
 Sec. 28, N $\frac{1}{2}$ N $\frac{1}{2}$ N $\frac{1}{2}$;
 Sec. 30, N $\frac{1}{2}$ N $\frac{1}{2}$ N $\frac{1}{2}$.

The area described contains 3,632.31 acres in Taos County.

Federal Minerals

T. 23 N., R. 11 E.,
 Sec. 17, lots 1 and 2, N $\frac{1}{2}$, N $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, and SE $\frac{1}{4}$;
 Sec. 21, N $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, W $\frac{1}{2}$, and SE $\frac{1}{4}$.

The areas described aggregate 1,148.19 acres in Taos County.

Non-Federal Lands

T. 23 N., R. 11 E.,
 Sec. 16, all.

The area described contains 640 acres in Taos County.

The purpose of the proposed withdrawal is to protect the cultural, wildlife and scenic values of the Copper Hill area. 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 Albuquerque District Manager of the Bureau of Land Management.

Notice is hereby given that an opportunity for a public meeting is afforded in connection with the proposed withdrawal. All interested persons who desire a public meeting for the purpose of being heard on the proposed withdrawal must submit a written request to the Albuquerque District Manager within 90 days from the date of publication of this notice. Upon determination by the authorized officer that a public meeting will be held, a notice of the time and place will be published in the **Federal Register** at least 30 days before the scheduled date of the meeting.

The application will be processed in accordance with the regulations set forth in 43 CFR 2300.

For a period of 2 years from the date of publication of this notice in the **Federal Register**, the land will be segregated as specified above unless the application is denied or cancelled or the withdrawal is approved prior to that date. The temporary uses which may be permitted during this segregative period are licenses, permits, cooperative agreements, or discretionary land use authorizations of a temporary nature but only with the approval of an authorized officer of the Bureau of Land Management.

Dated: July 21, 1997.

Michael R. Ford,
District Manager.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

[OR-125-1430-01; OR 46140]

Termination of Recreation and Public Purposes Classification; Oregon

AGENCY: Department of the Interior, Bureau of Land Management.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This notice terminates R&PP Classification OR 46140. The termination of this classification is for record-clearing purposes. The subject lands will remain segregated under the general mining laws, due to an overlapping protective withdrawal, but will be open to mineral leasing and to surface entry except to the agricultural land laws.

EFFECTIVE DATE: Termination of the classification is effective July 25, 1997.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Linda Petterson, Bureau of Land Management, Coos Bay District Office, 1300 Airport Lane, North Bend, OR 97459, (541) 756-0100.

Protection District filed an application with BLM for an emergency operations and community center pursuant to the R&PP Act. On April 22, 1991, the lands requested were classified suitable for lease under the act. The center was not constructed and the applicant withdrew the application by letter dated June 4, 1997. 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 OR 46140 is hereby terminated in its entirety for the following described land:

Willamette Meridian, Oregon

T. 26 S., R. 14 W.,
 Sec. 3 portion of SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$
 Containing .30 acres, more or less.

Dated: July 18, 1997.

Lillie Hikida,

Acting District Manager, Coos Bay District.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

National Park Service

60-Day Notice of Intention To Request Clearance of Information Collection—Opportunity for Public Comment

AGENCY: Department of the Interior, National Park Service, Land and Water Conservation Fund State Assistance and

Urban Park and Recreation Recovery Programs.

ACTION: Notice and request for comments.

SUMMARY: Under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (Pub. L. 104-13, 44 U.S.C. 3507) and 5 CFR 1320, Reporting and Recordkeeping Requirements, the National Park Service invites public comments on eight proposed information collection requests (ICR) for the Land and Water Conservation Fund (LWCF) and Urban Park and Recreation Recovery (UPARR) grant programs. Comments are invited on the following:

1. LWCF Description and Notification (DNF) Form. The DNF is necessary to provide data input into the NPS automated project information system which provides timely data on projects funded over the life of the LWCF program.

2. LWCF Program Performance Report. As required by OMB Circular A-102, grantees must submit performance reports which describe the status of the work required under the project scope.

3. LWCF Project Agreement and Amendment Form. The Project Agreement and Amendment forms set forth the obligations assumed by the State through its acceptance of Federal assistance under the LWCF Act and any special terms and conditions.

4. LWCF On-Site Inspection Report. The On-Site Inspection Reports are used to insure compliance by grantees with applicable Federal laws and program guidelines, and to insure the continued viability of the funded site.

5. LWCF Conversion of Use Provisions. To convert assisted sites to other than public outdoor recreation, LWCF project sponsors must provide relevant information necessary to comply with section 6(f)(3) of the LWCF Act of 1965.

6. UPARR Project Performance Report. As required by OMB Circular A-102, grant recipients must submit performance reports which describe the status of the work required under the project scope.

7. UPARR Conversion of Use Provisions. To convert assisted sites to other than public outdoor recreation, UPARR project sponsors must provide relevant information necessary to comply with section 1010 of the UPARR Act of 1978.

8. UPARR Project Agreement and Amendment Form. The Project Agreement and Amendment forms set forth the obligations assumed by grant recipients through their acceptance of Federal assistance under the UPARR