

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: To request a copy of the information collection request, explanatory information and related form, contact Rebecca A. Mullin at (703) 358-2287, or electronically to rmullin@fws.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The collection of information described will be submitted to OMB for approval under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (Pub. L. 104-13). We will not conduct or sponsor any information collection until approved by OMB and a final regulation is published, and a person is not required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a current valid OMB control number. The proposed information collection will be used to administer a program to reduce Mid-continent light goose populations. Specifically, the information will facilitate our assessment of impacts alternative regulatory strategies may have on Mid-continent light goose and other migratory bird populations.

We have calculated burden estimates, where appropriate, to reflect current reporting levels or adjustments. We will request a 3-year term of approval for this information collection activity.

Comments are invited from you on: (1) whether the collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the function of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility; (2) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of burden, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used; (3) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate, automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information collection technology. Comments and suggestions on the requirement should be sent directly to the Information Collection Clearance Officer, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, ms 224—ARLSQ, 1849 C Street NW., Washington, DC 20204 or electronically to mullinR@fws.gov.

This notice provides the public with 60 days in which to comment on the following information collection activity:

Title: Regulatory Strategy for control of Mid-continent light geese.

Summary: The information collected will be required to authorize State wildlife management agencies responsible for migratory bird management to take Mid-continent light

geese within the conditions that we provide. The proposed information collection will be used to administer a program to reduce Mid-continent light goose populations. Specifically, the information will facilitate our assessment of impacts alternative regulatory strategies may have on Mid-continent light goose and other migratory bird populations.

Bureau Form Number: None.

Frequency of Collection: Once annually.

Description of Respondents: State governments.

Total Annual Responses: 13.

Total Annual Burden Hours: 390.

Dated: August 5, 1998.

Daniel M. Ashe,

Assistant Director for Refuges and Wildlife.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Fish and Wildlife Service

Aquatic Nuisance Species Task Force Meeting

AGENCY: Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: This notice announces a meeting of the Aquatic Nuisance Species Task Force's Recreational Activities Committee. The meeting is open to the public. Meeting topics are identified in the **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION**.

DATES: The Recreational Activities Committee will meet from 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday, August 18, 1998, and 8:15 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. on Wednesday, August 19, 1998.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held in the Whipple Federal Building, 1 Federal Drive, Room 600, Ft. Snelling, Minnesota.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Patricia Carter, Chair, Recreational Activities Committee at 404-679-7108, or Bob Peoples, Executive Secretary, Aquatic Nuisance Species Task Force at 703-358-2025.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Pursuant to section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, this notice announces a public meeting of the Recreation Activities Committee of the Aquatic Nuisance Species Task Force. The Task Force was established by the Nonindigenous Aquatic Nuisance Prevention and Control Act of 1990.

Topics to be covered during the meeting include brief overviews of the

nonindigenous species interests and activities of Committee members, review of concerns and issues about the draft recreational activities guidelines raised by Task Force review, development of a strategy for disseminating the guidelines when approved, development of a proposal for implementing the education/outreach strategy, and addressing the exotic bait issue.

Minutes of the meeting will be maintained by the Chair, Recreational Activities Committee, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Region 4, 1875 Century Boulevard, Atlanta, Georgia 30345, and Executive Secretary, Aquatic Nuisance Species Task Force, Suite 851, 4401 North Fairfax Drive, Arlington, Virginia 22203-1622. They will be available for public inspection at these locations during regular business hours, Monday through Friday, within 30 days following the meeting.

Dated: August 6, 1998.

Hannibal Bolton,

Acting Co-Chair, Aquatic Nuisance Species Task Force, Acting Assistant Director—Fisheries.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

[AK-962-1410-00-P; AA-6678-A]

Notice for Publication; Alaska Native Claims Selection

In accordance with Departmental regulation 43 CFR 2650.7(d), notice is hereby given that a decision to issue conveyance under the provisions of Sec. 14(a) of the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act of December 18, 1971, 43 U.S.C. 1601, 1613(a), will be issued to Levelock Natives, Limited for 174.58 acres. The land involved is in the vicinity of Levelock, Alaska, and is described as Tract B, U.S. Survey No. 4877, Alaska, located within T. 12 S., R. 45 W., Seward Meridian.

A notice of the decision will be published once a week, for four (4) consecutive weeks, in the *Bristol Bay Times*. Copies of the decision may be obtained by contacting the Alaska State Office of the Bureau of Land Management, 222 West Seventh Avenue, #13, Anchorage, Alaska 99513-7599 ((907) 271-5960).

Any party claiming a property interest which is adversely affected by the decision, an agency of the Federal government or regional corporation, shall have until September 10, 1998, to file an appeal. However, parties

receiving service by certified mail shall have 30 days from the date of receipt to file an appeal. Appeals must be filed in the Bureau of Land Management at the address identified above, where the requirements for filing an appeal may be obtained. Parties who do not file an appeal in accordance with the requirements of 43 CFR Part 4, Subpart E, shall be deemed to have waived their rights.

Katherine L. Flippen,

Land Law Examiner, ANCSA Team, Branch of 962 Adjudication.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

[NV-055-98-7122-00-8829]

Nevada Temporary Closure of Certain Public Lands Managed by the Bureau of Land Management, Las Vegas Field Office

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Department of Interior.

ACTION: Temporary Closure of Selected Public Lands in Clark County, Nevada, during the Operation of the 1998 SCORE INTERNATIONAL "LAS VEGAS PRIMM 300" Desert Race.

SUMMARY: The Field Office Manager of the Las Vegas Field Office announces the temporary closure of selected public lands under its administration.

This action is being taken to help ensure public safety, prevent unnecessary environmental degradation during the official permitted running of the 1998 SCORE INTERNATIONAL "LAS VEGAS PRIMM 300" Desert Race and to comply with provisions of the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service's Biological Opinion for Speed Based Off-Highway Vehicle Events (1-5-95-F-237).

DATES: From 6:00 p.m. September 11, 1998 through 9:00 p.m. April 12, 1998 Pacific Standard Time.

Closure Area: As described below, an area within T. 23 S. to T. 27 S.R. 59 E. to R. 61 E.

1. The closure is a triangular shaped area bound by Interstate I-15 (between Sloan and State line) on the west; the crest of the McCullough Mountains on the east; and the California/Nevada State line on the south.

Exceptions to the closure are: State Route 163, Old Las Vegas Blvd.

2. The entire area encompassed by the designated course and all areas outside the designated course as listed in the legal description above are closed to all

vehicles except Law Enforcement, Emergency Vehicles, and Official Race Vehicles. Access routes leading to the course are closed to vehicles.

3. No vehicle stopping or parking.

4. Spectators are required to remain within designated spectator area only.

5. The following regulations will be in effect for the duration of the closure, unless otherwise authorized no person shall:

a. Camp in any area outside of the designated spectator areas.

b. Enter any portion of the race course or any wash located within the race course.

c. Spectate or otherwise be located outside of the designated spectator area.

d. Cut or collect firewood of any kind, including dead and down wood or other vegetative material.

e. Possess and or consume any alcoholic beverage unless the person has reached the age of 21 years.

f. Discharge, or use firearms, other weapons or fireworks.

g. Park, stop, or stand any vehicle outside of the designated spectator areas.

h. Operate any vehicle including an off-highway vehicle (OHV), which is not legally registered for street and highway operation, including operation of such a vehicle in spectator viewing areas, along the race course, and in designated pit areas.

i. Park any vehicle in violation of posted restrictions, or in such a manner as to obstruct or impede normal or emergency traffic movement or the parking of other vehicles, create a safety hazard, or endanger any person, property or feature. Vehicles so parked are subject to citation, removal and impoundment at owners expense.

j. Take a vehicle through, around or beyond a restrictive sign, recognizable barricade, fence or traffic control barrier or device.

k. Fail to keep their site free of trash and litter during the period of occupancy, or fail to remove all personal equipment, trash, and litter upon departure.

l. Violate quiet hours by causing an unreasonable noise as determined by the authorized officer between the hours of 10:00 p.m. and 6:00 a.m. Pacific Standard Time.

m. Allow any pet or other animal in their care to be unrestrained at any time.

n. Fail to follow orders or directions of an authorized officer.

o. Obstruct, resist, or attempt to elude a Law Enforcement Officer or fail to follow their orders or direction.

Signs and maps directing the public to designated spectator areas will be provided by the Bureau of Land Management and the Event sponsor.

The above restriction do not apply to emergency vehicles and vehicles owned by the United States, the State of Nevada or Clark County. Vehicles under permit for operation by event participants must follow the race permit stipulations.

Operators of permitted vehicles shall maintain a maximum speed limit of 35 mph on all BLM roads and ways.

Authority for closure of public lands is found in 43 CFR 8340 subpart 8341; 43 CFR 8360, subpart 8364.1 and 43 CFR 8372. Persons who violate this closure order are subject to fines and or arrest as prescribed by law.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Dave Wolf Recreation Manager or Ron Crayton or Ken Burger BLM Rangers, BLM Las Vegas Field Office 4765 Vegas Dr. Las Vegas, Nevada 89108, (702) 647-5000.

Dated: August 7, 1998.

Michael F. Dwyer,

Las Vegas Field Office Manager.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

[UT-045-00-7122-00; 9560]

Publication of Closure and Restriction Order for the Red Cliffs Desert Reserve

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

The public land in the following described lands will be affected:

Salt Lake Meridian

T. 41 S., R. 13 W.,

Sec.(s) 17 thru 19; (all)

Sec.(s) 20; 21; 22; 27; 28; (all)

Sec. 29, N $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, N $\frac{1}{2}$ S $\frac{1}{2}$ N $\frac{1}{2}$, N $\frac{1}{2}$ S $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, S $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, N $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, N $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;

Sec. 30, N $\frac{1}{2}$ N $\frac{1}{2}$, embracing that portion of land north of the Virgin River, S $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$

T. 41 S., R. 14 W.,

Sec. 13, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, S $\frac{1}{2}$ S $\frac{1}{2}$, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;

Sec.(s) 15 thru 22; (all)

Sec. 23, W $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, embracing that portion of land west of I-15 corridor;

Sec. 24; (all)

Sec. 25, Lots 1 thru 10, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, E $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, E $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, E $\frac{1}{2}$ W $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, W $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;

Sec. 26, Lot 4, embracing that portion of land west of I-15 corridor;

Sec. 27, embracing that portion of land west of I-15 corridor;

Sec.(s) 28 thru 31; (all)

Sec. 32, embracing that portion of land north and west of I-15 corridor;