

a.m. to 5 p.m., Wednesday, August 18, 1999, and 8:30 a.m. to 12 p.m., Thursday, August 19, 1999.

**ADDRESSES:** The field trip will begin at the Ramada Inn Governor House Hotel, 621 S. Capitol Way, Olympia, Washington. The meeting will be held at the John A. Cherberg Building, Washington State Capitol Campus, Senate Hearing Room 4, 14th Avenue and Water Street, Olympia, Washington.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Sharon Gross, Executive Secretary, Aquatic Nuisance Species Task Force at 703-358-2308 or by e-mail at: sharon\_gross@fws.gov.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Pursuant to section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (5 U.S.C. App. I), this notice announces a field trip and meeting of the Aquatic Nuisance Species Task Force. The Task Force was established by the Nonindigenous Aquatic Nuisance Prevention and Control Act of 1990.

The field trip will consist of a visit to a local shellfish processing plant with a briefing about the impacts of invasive species and what the industry in general is doing to assist in prevention. The field trip will also include a visit to a docket ship with a presentation on ballast water. Topics to be covered during the meeting Wednesday include briefings about regional nonindigenous species problems and initiatives, presentation to the Task Force of a proposal for mitten crab control and management in California, an update on green crab control activities, a presentation of a Cooperative management and Prevention Program for *Caulerpa taxifolia*, an update on the implementation of the Invasive Species Executive Order and discussion of several other activities. Topics to be covered during the meeting on Thursday include updates from the Task Force's regional panels, a discussion of the Coast Guard's ballast water management program, and upcoming ballast water management workshops.

Minutes of the meeting will be maintained by the Executive Secretary, Aquatic Nuisance Species Task Force, Suite 851, 4401 North Fairfax Drive, Arlington, Virginia 22203-1622, and will be available for public inspection during regular business hours, Monday through Friday.

Dated: July 27, 1999.

**Rowan Gould,**

*Co-Chair, Aquatic Nuisance Species Task Force, Acting Assistant Director—Fisheries.*  
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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Bureau of Land Management

[AZ-040-99-1020-00]

#### Gila Box Riparian National Conservation Area Advisory Committee Meeting

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

**ACTION:** Gila Box Riparian National Conservation Area Advisory Committee Meeting.

**SUMMARY:** The purpose of this notice is to announce the next meeting of the Gila Box Riparian National Conservation Area Advisory Committee Meeting. The purpose of the Advisory Committee is to provide informed advice to the Safford Field Office Manager on management of public lands in the Gila Box Riparian National Conservation Area. The committee meets as needed, generally between two and four times a year.

The meeting will take place at the Bureau of Land Management, Safford Field Office on August 27, 1999, commencing at 1:00 p.m. The topics that will be discussed; include review of the draft implementation plan and schedule, proposed management of new Eagle Creek parcel of land just acquired within the NCA boundary, and status of Safford Land Exchange EIS as it affect the NCA. A public comment period will be provided from 3:30 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

**DATES:** Meeting will be held on August 27, 1999 starting at 1:00 p.m.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Jon Collins, Gila Box Project Coordinator, Safford Field Office, 711 14th Ave., Safford AZ 85546, Telephone (520) 348-4400.

Dated: July 22, 1999.

**Vernon L. Saline,**

*Acting Safford Field Manager.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Bureau of Land Management

[NV-930-1430-05; N-63019 and N-63020]

#### Notice of Realty Action: Lease/Conveyance for Recreation and Public Purposes

**AGENCY:** Bureau of Land Management.

**ACTION:** Recreation and public purpose lease/conveyance correction.

**SUMMARY:** On March 18, 1999 a Notice of Realty Action was published in the **Federal Register** on page 13441 for BLM serial numbers N-63021 and N-63022. The serial numbers should have been, N-63019 and N-63020. All of the other information in the NORA was correct.

Dated: July 2, 1999.

**Rex Wells,**

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Minerals Management Service

#### Environmental Documents Prepared for Proposed Oil and Gas Operations on the Gulf of Mexico Outer Continental Shelf (OCS)

**AGENCY:** Minerals Management Service, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice of the availability of environmental documents prepared for OCS mineral proposals on the Gulf of Mexico OCS.

**SUMMARY:** The Minerals Management Service (MMS), in accordance with Federal Regulations (40 CFR 1501.4 and 1506.6) that implement the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA), announces the availability of NEPA-related Site-Specific Environmental Assessments (SEA's) and Findings of No Significant Impact (FONSI's) prepared by the MMS for the following oil and gas activities proposed on the Gulf of Mexico OCS. This listing includes all proposals for which the FONSI's were prepared by the Gulf of Mexico OCS Region in the period subsequent to publication of the preceding notice.

Activity/operator	Location	Date
Shell Deepwater Production, Inc.; Equilon Pipeline Company, L.L.C.; and Tejas Offshore Gathering, L.L.C.; Pipeline Activity, SEA Nos. G-15988, G-14711, and G-14283.	West Delta Area, Block 143, Leases, OCS-G 15988, 14711, and 14283, 19 miles offshore, south of Plaquemines Parish, LA.	06/30/99
Dauphin Island Gathering, Partners, Pipeline Activity, SEA No. G-21022.	Viosca Knoll Area, Blocks 823, 779, and 735; Main Pass Area, South and East Addition, Blocks 281, 282 261, 260, 248, and 225; Lease OCS-G 21022, 56 miles offshore Alabama.	05/18/99

Activity/operator	Location	Date
Equilon Pipeline Company, L.L.C., Pipeline Activity, SEA No. G-21047.	Main Pass Area, South and East Addition, Block 283, Lease OCS-G 21047, 41 miles from the nearest coastline.	07/20/99
Mobile Exploration & Producing U.S. Inc., Pipeline Activity, SEA Nos. P-12047, P-12062, and P-12063.	Mobile Area, Blocks 822 to 823, Leases OCS-G 5056 and 5057, 3 to 5 miles south of Dauphine, Island, Mobile County, Alabama.	04/14/99
OEDC Exploration & Production, L.P.'s and Chevron, U.S.A., Development Activity/Pipeline Activity, SEA Nos. S-4906, P-12209, P-12210, P-12111, P-12112, P-12113, P-12163, G-21035, and G-21036.	Destin Dome Area, Blocks 1 and 2, Leases OCS-G 6397 and 6398, 18 miles from the nearest shoreline.	06/25/99
Murphy Exploration & Production Company, Exploration Activity, SEA No. N-6343.	Mobile Area, Blocks 98 and 999, Leases OCS-G 18126 and 19888, 15 miles south of Baldwin County, Alabama.	05/24/99
Shell Deepwater Development Inc., Exploration Activity, SEA No. S-4912.	Alaminos Canyon Area, Block 660, Lease OCS-G 8580, 175 miles south of Galveston County, Texas.	05/21/99
PennzEnergy Exploration, and Production, L.L.C., Development Activity, SEA No. S-4694UA.	High Island Area, Blocks A-351 and A-368, Leases OCS-G 2429 and 2433, 120 miles from the Texas shoreline.	06/07/99
EEX Corporation, Structure Removal Operations, SEA Nos. ES/SR 99-001A, 99-072, and 99-073.	West Cameron Area, Block 406 and Vermilion Area, Blocks 37 and 266; Leases OCS-G 11789, 15162, and 8672; 65 miles south of Cameron Parish, Louisiana.	05/21/99
Murphy Exploration & Production Co. Structure Removal Operations, SEA No. ES/SR 99-004A.	South Pelto Area, Block 20, Lease OCS 0074, 10 miles South of Terrebonne Parish, Louisiana.	06/07/99
Texaco Exploration & Production, Inc., SEA Nos. ES/SR 99-024A and 99-025A.	Eugene Island Area, Blocks 313, Lease OCS-G 2608, 74 miles south of St. Mary Parish, Louisiana.	06/30/99
Forest Oil Corporation, Structure Removal Operations, SEA No. ES/R 99-029.	Eugene Island Area, Block 342, Lease OCS-G 2319, 69 miles south of St. Mary Parish, Louisiana.	05/12/99
Samedan Oil Corporation, Structure Removal Operations, SEA No. ES/SR 99-036.	West Delta Area, Block 18, Lease OCS-G 5669, 12 miles southwest of Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana.	04/16/99
Seneca Resources Corporation, Structure Removal Operations, SEA No. ES/SR 99-037.	West Cameron Area, Block 552, Lease OCS-G 13850, 96 miles south of Cameron Parish, Louisiana.	04/21/99
Seneca Resources Corporations, Structure Removal Operations, SEA Nos. ES/SR 99-037A and 99-075A.	West Cameron Area, Block 552 and Brazos Area, Block 504, Leases OCS-G 13850 and 3469, 29 miles south of Matagorda County, Texas, and 96 miles south of Cameron Parish, Louisiana.	06/18/99
Chevron U.S.A., Structure Removal Operations, SEA No. ES/SR 99-038.	West Delta Area, Block 20, Lease OCS-G 7789, 8 miles south of Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana.	05/03/99
Louisiana Land and Exploration Company, Structure Removal Operations, SEA Nos. ES/SR 99-039, 99-041, and 99-043.	Ship Shoal Area, Block 128; Vermilion Area, Block 120; and Eugene Island Area, Block 110; Leases OCS-G 8707, 13883, and 10722; 27-31 miles offshore the Louisiana coast.	05/04/99
Louisiana Land and Exploration Company, Structure Removal Operations, SEA Nos. 99-040 and 99-042.	Galveston Area, Block 313 and Matagorda Island Area, Block 639, Leases OCS-G 11313 and 4545, 14 to 23 miles offshore the Texas coast.	05/04/99
Burlington Resources Offshore Inc., Structure Removal Operations, SEA Nos. 99-044, through 99-047.	Brazos Area, Blocks 412, 413, and 400; West Cameron Area, Block 54; Leases OCS-G 5003, 9014, 9013, and 14304; 13 miles south of Matagorda, Texas and 9 miles south of Cameron Parish, Louisiana.	04/30/99
Walter Oil and Gas Corporation, Structure Removal Operations, SEA No. ES/SR 99-048.	Vermilion Area, Block 95, Lease OCS-G 5408, 25 miles south of Vermilion Parish, Louisiana.	05/12/99
Murphy Exploration & Production, Structure Removal Operations, SEA Nos. ES/SR 99-049 through 99-058.	Ship Shoal Area, Blocks 90, 93, 113, 114, 118, 119, and 136; South Pelto Area, Blocks 12 and 20; Leases OCS-G 5540 and 3790, OCS 063, 067, 064, 068, 069, 072, and 074; 9 to 19 miles south of Taerrebonne Parish, Louisiana.	05/11/99
Murphy Exploration & Production Company, Structure Removal Operations, SEA Nos. ES/SR 99-059 and 99-060.	Eugene Island Area, Blocks 24 and 26, Leases OCS-G 2893 and 3147, 9 miles south of St. Mary Parish, Louisiana.	05/06/99
Cockrell Oil Corporation, Structure Removal Operations, SEA No. ES/SR 99-061.	East Cameron Area, Block 199, Lease OCS-G 9457, 54 miles south of Cameron Parish, Louisiana.	04/30/99
Chevron U.S.A., Structure Removal Operations, SEA No. ES/SR 99-062.	South Timbalier Area, Block 35, Lease OCS-G 3336, 9 miles south of Terrebonne Parish, Louisiana.	05/11/99
Walter Oil & Gas Corporation, Structure Removal Operations, SEA No. ES/SR 99-063.	South Marsh Island Area, Block 36 Lease OCS-G 7699, 44 miles southwest of Terrebonne Parish, Louisiana.	05/13/99
Walter Oil & Gas Corporation, Structure Removal Operations, SEA No. ES/SR 99-064.	High Island Area, Block A-22, Lease OCS-G 6180, 36 miles south of Jefferson County, Texas.	05/13/99
CNG Producing Company, Structure Removal Operations, SEA Nos. ES/SR 99-065 through 99-067.	High Island Area, Blocks A-462, A-477, and A-570, Lease OCS-G 3478, 6226, and 2390, 99 miles southeast of Galveston, Texas.	06/01/99
OEDC Exploration & Production, L.P., Structure Removal Operations, SEA No. ES/SR 99-068.	Viosca Knoll Area, Block 117, Lease OCS-G 6872, 24 miles South of Dauphin Island, Alabama.	05/20/99
Texaco Exploration and Production Inc., Structure Removal Operations, SEA No. ES/SR 99-069.	High Island Area, Block 111, Lease OCS-G 2354, 19 miles south of Jefferson County, Texas.	05/19/99
Marathon Oil Company, Structure Removal Operations, SEA No. ES/SR 99-070.	West Cameron Area, Block 80, Lease OCS-G 16113, 11 miles south of Cameron Parish, Louisiana.	05/18/99
CNG Producing Company, Structure Removal Operations, SEA No. ES/SR 99-071.	Vermilion Area, Block 313, Lease OCS-G 1172, 82 miles south of Vermilion Parish, Louisiana.	06/04/99
Snyder Oil Corporation, Structure Removal Operations, SEA No. ES/SR 99-074.	Vermilion Area, Block 282, Lease OCS-G 2084, 80 miles south of Vermilion Parish, Louisiana.	06/04/99

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Seneca Resources Corporation, Structure Removal Operations, SEA No. ES/SR 99-075.	Brazos Area, Block 504, Lease OCS-G 3469, 29 miles southwest of Matagorda, Texas.	06/04/99
Newfield Exploration Company, Structure Removal Operations, SEA No. ES/SR 99-076.	East Cameron Area, Block 89, Lease OCS-G 0935, 22 miles south of Cameron Parish, Louisiana.	06/04/99
EEX Corporation, Structure Removal Operations, SEA No. ES/SR 99-077.	East Cameron Area, Block 234, Lease OCS-G 11841, 80 miles south of Cameron Parish, Louisiana.	06/04/99
Ocean Energy, Inc., Structure Removal Operations, SEA Nos. ES/SR 99-078 and 99-079.	Galveston Area, Blocks 357 and 349, Leases OCS-G 12505 and 7251, 26 miles southeast of Galveston, Texas.	06/07/99
Unocal Corporation, Structure Removal Operations, SEA No. ES/SR 99-080.	Matagorda Island Area, Block 670, Lease OCS-G 6048, 22 miles southeast of Calhoun County, Texas.	06/09/99
Unocal Corporation, Structure Removal Operations, SEA Nos. ES/SR 99-083 through 99-087.	Vermilion Area, Blocks 40 and 42, Leases OCS-G 2869 and 0208, 11 miles south of Vermilion Parish, Louisiana.	07/02/99
Santa Fe Snyder Corporation, Structure Removal Operations, SEA No. ES/SR 99-088.	Main Pass Area, Block 202, Lease OCS-G 5714, 30 miles offshore the Louisiana Coast.	07/02/99
Hall Houston Oil Company, Structure Removal Operations, SEA Nos. ES/SR 99-100 and 99-101.	Eugene Island and Ship Shoal Areas, Blocks 28 and 184 respectively, Leases OCS-G 5479 and 12947 respectively, 11 to 29 miles offshore the Louisiana coast.	07/12/99

Persons interested in reviewing environmental documents for the proposals listed above or obtaining information about EA's and FONSI's prepared for activities on the Gulf of Mexico OCS are encouraged to contact the MMS office in the Gulf of Mexico OCS Region.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Public Information Unit, Information Services Section, Gulf of Mexico OCS Region, Minerals Management Service, 1201 Elmwood Park Boulevard, New Orleans, LA 70123-2394, Telephone (504) 736-2519.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The MMS prepares EA's and FONSI's for proposals which relate to exploration for and the development/production of oil and gas resources on the Gulf of Mexico OCS. The EA's examine the potential environmental effects of activities described in the proposals and present MMS conclusions regarding the significance of those effects. Environmental Assessments are used as a basis of determining whether or not approval of the proposals constitutes major Federal actions that significantly affect the quality of the human environment in the sense of NEPA section 102(2)(C). A FONSI is prepared in those instances where the MMS finds that approval will not result in significant effects on the quality of the human environment. The FONSI briefly presents the basis for that finding and includes a summary or copy of the EA.

This notice constitutes the public notice of availability of environmental documents required under the NEPA Regulations.

Dated: July 26, 1999.

**Chris C. Oynes,**

*Regional Director, Gulf of Mexico OCS Region.*  
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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### National Park Service

#### Availability of Draft Environmental Impact Statement and Public Hearing; Denali National Park and Preserve, Alaska

**AGENCY:** National Park Service, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice of availability of the draft environmental impact statement for access to Spruce Creek; Notice of public hearings for access to inholding, and notice of significant restriction to subsistence use, Denali National Park and Preserve, Alaska.

**SUMMARY:** The National Park Service (NPS) announces the availability of a draft environmental impact statement (EIS) and subsistence evaluation on a request for access to an inholding, Spruce #4, in the Kantishna Hills of Denali National Park and Preserve. The document describes and analyzes the environmental effects of the applicants' proposed access and three other alternatives for access. The no-action alternative also is evaluated. The subsistence evaluation includes a description and analysis of impacts on subsistence uses and needs. This notice announces the dates and locations of public hearings: (1) to solicit comments on the draft EIS; (2) as required by section 810 of the Alaska National Interest Lands Conservation Act (ANILCA) for an action that may significantly restrict subsistence uses, and; (3) as required by ANILCA Title XI regulations at 43 CFR 36.6 (a) (4) and 36.10 (d).

**DATES:** Comments on the draft EIS and subsistence evaluation must be received no later than September 30, 1999. Hearing locations, dates, and times are listed under Supplementary Information below.

**ADDRESSES:** Comments on the draft EIS and subsistence evaluation should be submitted to the Superintendent, Denali National Park and Preserve, Post Office Box 9, Denali Park, Alaska 99755. Comments also can be sent by email to: spruceEIS@nps.gov. Copies of the draft EIS and subsistence evaluation and a 15-page Executive Summary of the draft EIS are available by request from the aforementioned address. The documents also are available on the web at: [www.nps.gov/dena/plans/sprucecreek](http://www.nps.gov/dena/plans/sprucecreek).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Bud Rice, EIS Project Leader, National Park Service, Alaska Support Office, Anchorage, Alaska. Telephone: (907) 257-2466.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Pursuant to section 102(2)(C) of the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (Pub. L. 91-190, as amended), the Alaska National Interest Lands Conservation Act of 1980 (Pub. L. 96-487, as amended), and 43 CFR 36.6 and 36.10 (d), the National Park Service has prepared a draft EIS and subsistence evaluation for requested access to an inholding, Spruce #4, in Denali National Park and Preserve, Alaska. ANILCA requires the Secretary of Interior shall provide adequate and feasible access for economic and other purposes to inholdings surrounded by conservation system units in Alaska, subject to reasonable regulations. The regulations at 43 CFR part 36, "Access into Conservation System Units in Alaska," specify that the NPS shall permit the right-of-way requested by the applicant unless it finds that the route or method of access would cause significant adverse impacts, jeopardize public health and safety, be inconsistent with the management plans for and purposes of the area, or is unnecessary to accomplish the applicant's land use objective. If the NPS makes one of these