

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**Bureau of Land Management, Eastern States**

[ES-930-07-1430-00-241A; ALES 48103]

Notice of Recordable Disclaimer of Interest

Notice is hereby given that the United States of America, pursuant to the provisions of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976, 43 U.S.C. 1745, intends to disclaim and release all interest to the owner of record for the following property, to wit:

St. Stephen Meridian, Alabama

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Any person wishing to submit a protest or comments on the above disclaimer should do so in writing within 90 days of the publication date of this notice. If no protest(s) is received, the disclaimer will be effective shortly after the 90 day period.

The purpose of this notice is to afford any person or persons having a protest to the above action an opportunity to submit such protest to the Bureau of Land Management, 7450 Boston Boulevard, Springfield, Virginia 22153, telephone (703) 440-1700 on or before expiration of the 90-day period.

For Further Information Contact:
Nadine Watson at (703) 440-1553.

Dated: June 16, 1997.

Carson W. Culp, Jr.,

State Director.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**Bureau of Land Management**

[AZ-020-97-2200]

Notice of Intent To Prepare an Environmental Impact Statement for a Proposed Land Exchange Near Kingman, Arizona, and Notice of Scoping Meetings

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Correction to **Federal Register** Notice of Intent: June 11, 1997 (Volume 62, Number 112, Page 31839-31840), Add Meeting Times.

SUMMARY: The Bureau of Land Management is considering a proposal to exchange land pursuant to Section 206 of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976 (43 U.S.C. 1716), as amended. An environmental impact statement will be prepared in

accordance with Section 102(2)(C) of the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 to analyze the impacts associated with the proposed exchange.

DATES: Public scoping meetings to identify public concerns will be held on the following dates:

Monday, June 30, in Wikieup, Arizona, at the Owens School, 14109 East Chicken Springs Road, Wikieup, Arizona 85360.

Tuesday, July 1, in Kingman, Arizona, at the BLM office located at 2475 Beverly Avenue, Kingman, Arizona 86401.

Wednesday, July 2, in Yucca, Arizona, at the Brooks Realty Office, 12470 South Yucca Frontage Road, Yucca, Arizona 86348.

All meetings will start at 6 p.m. and end at 8 p.m.

Comments relating to the identification of issues and alternatives will be accepted for up to 45 days following the publication of this notice.

ADDRESSES: Send comments to Bureau of Land Management, Kingman Field Office, 2475 Beverly Avenue, Kingman, Arizona 86401.

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT: Don McClure, Project Manager, (520) 757-3161.

Dated: June 18, 1997.

Denise P. Meridith,

State Director, Arizona.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**Bureau of Land Management**

[OR-020-1610-00: G-7-0210 (RMP #OR-95-01)]

Resource Management Plans

ACTION: Revised Notice of Intent, Southeastern Oregon Resource Management Plan and Revision to the Donner und Blitzen Wild and Scenic River Management Plan.

SUMMARY: In accordance with 43 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) 1610.2 and 1610.3 and 43 CFR 8351, notice is given that the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) in the State of Oregon, Burns District, Andrews Resource Area, intends to develop and analyze revised management direction for the Donner und Blitzen Wild and Scenic River Plan as a subcomponent of the ongoing Southeastern Oregon Resource Management Plan/Environmental Impact Statement (SEORMP/EIS). The purpose of the revised River Plan is to address issues raised in recent litigation

concerning the adequacy of the current River Plan, which was developed and approved in May 1993. The original Notice of Intent to prepare the RMP was published in the **Federal Register** on August 24, 1995, on Volume 60, No. 164.

DATES: Publication of this Notice of Intent in the Federal Register starts a 30-day comment period (initiated on the date of this publication) necessary to meet public notification requirements for both the Revised Notice of Intent, to incorporate the required elements of the River Plan, and limited expansion of the scope of the related Environmental Impact Statement (EIS).

ADDRESSES:

Bureau of Land Management, Burns District Office, Andrews Resource Area, HC 74-12533 Hwy 20 West, Hines, OR 97738.

Bureau of Land Management, Vale District Office, Southeastern Oregon Resource Management Planning Team, 100 Oregon Street, Vale, OR 97918.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Miles Brown, Andrews Resource Area Manager, (541) 573-4425 or Gary Cooper, RMP Team Leader, (541) 523-1256.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Burns and Vale Districts have been preparing the draft SEORMP/EIS since 1995. It is intended to fully supersede the existing land use plans for the Burns District's Andrews Resource Area and the Vale District's Malheur and Jordan Resource Areas. The planning area includes all BLM-managed public land in the south half of Harney County and all of Malheur County, in extreme southeastern Oregon. The Donner und Blitzen River system is located on the west and southwest slopes of Steens Mountain, in south-central Harney County and drains northward into Malheur Lake. The draft SEORMP/EIS is tentatively scheduled to be published and distributed in the fall of 1997. Land use and resource allocation decisions will be comprehensive, overlap and support numerous existing special area designations and management plans, including the Donner und Blitzen Wild and Scenic River Management Plan. In *ONDA et al. v. Green et al.*, 953F. Supp. 1133 (D. OR 1997) BLM is enjoined from authorizing, approving or allowing certain activities on public land within the river corridor until it prepares an EIS and approves revisions to the River Plan that address these activities. These activities include domestic livestock grazing, construction or improvement of parking lots and roads for motorized vehicles, and construction or

maintenance of any facility or project to divert or impound water. Those elements of the approved plan which were not challenged or found inadequate will remain in full force and effect. Issues expected to be analyzed in detail include, but are not limited to, riparian vegetation objectives; protection and enhancement of native plants, including Special Status species plants; appropriate levels, timing, intensity, and locations of livestock grazing within the river corridor, if any; improving existing roads and constructing small parking areas (to the National Historic Register listed Riddle Brothers Ranch) located within the river corridor; timing and use levels of irrigation (if any) of meadows; locations and design for any livestock fences designed to exclude livestock from the river corridor or make pasture systems within and residual pastures outside the corridor to form functional portions of livestock grazing allotments; potential reclassification of one river segment to more accurately reflect the actual level of development and use at the time of river designation; and other issues as identified by interest groups and individuals.

The final decisions for the Donner und Blitzen River considered through this analysis will be in full conformance with the new SEORMP as well as the intent of the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act. The environmental analysis and public and interagency review processes anticipated for this analysis will fully comply with the BLM's regulations for land use planning, including Wild and Scenic River Plan amendments, public involvement, and coordination with other Federal agencies, State, local governments, and Indian tribes, (43 CFR 1610.2, 1610.3 and 1610.5-5).

Any approved decisions which amend the Donner und Blitzen River Plan will be incorporated into the Plan and become part of the permanent planning record. Any refinements or clarifications of management direction and additional information, monitoring or evaluation reports will be incorporated into the applicable plans and documented through published plan maintenance reports, as provided under 43 CFR 1610.5-4. Copies of previous RMP planning project notices, newsletters, and existing land use and river plans are available in the Burns and Vale District Offices and available for inspection during normal working hours.

Disciplines to be represented on the interdisciplinary team preparing the SEORMP and revised River Plan and EIS include, but are not limited to, archaeology, anthropology, economics,

lands and minerals, recreation, wilderness, wildlife biology, fisheries, hydrology, botanical, soils, geology, range management, and wild horse herd management.

Copies of this announcement or equivalent information are being distributed to those individuals already on the Wild and Scenic River and SEORMP/EIS mailing lists. To be added to these lists, individuals should contact the RMP Team Leader. The BLM is inviting comments to be considered in the preparation of the expanded EIS for the revisions to the Donner und Blitzen River Plan. Comments may be addressed to Miles Brown, Andrews Resource Area Manager, at the Burns District Office. Comments should be postmarked by July 23, 1997. No public meetings have been exclusively scheduled for this proposal at this time; however, meetings may be arranged through the Andrews Resource Area Manager or RMP Team Leader. A series of open houses or public meetings will be held during the 90-day comment period on the draft plans and EIS, in the fall of 1997. Any public meetings will be announced at least 15 days in advance. The purpose of this scoping is to offer the public, tribes, partner agencies, and counties additional time to provide supplemental issues or information to the EIS process. Pursuant to 7 CFR, Part 1, Sub-part B, Section 1.27, all written submissions in response to this notice shall be made available for public inspection including the submitter's name, unless the submitter specifically requests confidentially. Anonymous comments will not be accepted. All written submissions from business entities and organizations, submitted on official letterhead, in response to this notice shall be made available for public inspection in their entirety.

Detailed information concerning the proposed SEORMP and revised River Plan, including the draft EIS, will be available at a later date at BLM offices in Burns, Vale, and Portland, Oregon, and at scheduled public meetings. In Burns and Ontario, Oregon, this information will also be available at the Harney and Malheur public libraries.

Dated: June 17, 1997.

Michael T. Green,

Burns District Manager.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

[NV-930-1430-01; N-57186]

Cancellation of Proposed Withdrawal; Nevada

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Bureau of Land Management has canceled its withdrawal application for a proposed National Wild Horse and Burro Center in Washoe County, Nevada. The application was filed on July 27, 1993. The Bureau of Land Management is no longer pursuing the establishment of this facility.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Dennis J. Samuelson, BLM Nevada State Office, P.O. Box 12000, Reno, Nevada 89520, 702-785-6532.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: A Notice of Proposed Withdrawal was published as FR Doc. 93-17770 in the **Federal Register**, 58 FR 40154-40155, July 27, 1993, for the Bureau of Land Management to withdraw 8,344.22 acres of public land for a proposed National Wild Horse and Burro Center. Partial Cancellation of Withdrawal Application was published as FR Doc. 93-31888 in the **Federal Register**, 58 FR 69407, December 30, 1993, as to 7,704.22 acres. There were 640 acres remaining in the application. Establishment of the proposed facility is no longer being pursued and the withdrawal application has been canceled.

The segregative effect associated with the remaining 640 acres terminated in accordance with the notice published as FR Doc. 93-17770 in the **Federal Register**, 58 FR 40154-40155, July 27, 1993.

Dated: June 10, 1997.

William K. Stowers,

Lands Team Lead.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

National Park Service

National Register of Historic Places; Notification of Pending Nominations

Nominations for the following properties being considered for listing in the National Register were received by the National Park Service before June 14, 1997. Pursuant to section 60.13 of 36 CFR Part 60 written comments concerning the significance of these