

U.S.C. App. I), this notice announces a meeting of the Klamath Fishery Management Council, established under the authority of the Klamath River Basin Fishery Resources Restoration Act (16 U.S.C. 460ss *et seq.*). The Klamath Fishery Management Council makes recommendations to agencies that regulate harvest of anadromous fish in the Klamath River Basin. The objective of this meeting is to develop management options for the 1998 Klamath fall chinook salmon season, to be presented to the Pacific Fisheries Management Council. The meeting is open to the public.

**DATES:** The Klamath Fishery Management Council will meet from 2:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. on Sunday, April 5.

**PLACE:** The meeting will be held at the Doubletree Hotel Jantzen Beach, 909 N. Hayden Island Drive, Portland, Oregon.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Dr. Ronald A. Iverson, Project Leader, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, P.O. Box 1006 (1215 South Main), Yreka, California 96097-1006, telephone (530) 842-5763.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** For background information on the Klamath Council, please refer to the notice of their initial meeting that appeared in the **Federal Register** on July 8, 1987 (52 FR 25639).

Dated: March 10, 1998.

**Don Weathers,**

*Acting Regional Director.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Fish and Wildlife Service

#### **Notice of Gas Pipeline Right-of-Way Permit Application Crossing a Stevens County, Minnesota Waterfowl Production Area, for Review and Comment**

**AGENCY:** Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** This Notice advises the public that Alliance Pipeline of Mankato, Minnesota has applied for the installation of a 36-inch diameter natural gas pipeline right-of-way across U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Tract 94, Stevens County, Minnesota Waterfowl Production Area.

**DATES:** Written comments should be received on or before April 16, 1998 to receive consideration by the Service.

**ADDRESSES:** Comments should be addressed to: Regional Director; U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Bishop Henry Whipple Federal Building; 1 Federal Drive; Fort Snelling, Minnesota 55111-4056; Attention: Ms. Karen Siegfried, Realty Specialist, Division of Realty.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Karen Siegfried, Realty Specialist, at the above Fort Snelling Regional Office address (612/713-5410).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The purpose of this Notice is to inform the public that the Service will be proceeding with the processing of this application, the compatibility determination and the approval processing which includes the preparation of the terms and conditions of the permit. The proposed natural gas pipeline crossing the Stevens County, Minnesota waterfowl production area is part of a larger project to deliver western Canadian natural gas to several existing pipelines in the Joliet, Illinois region. The route of the pipeline covers 50 feet in width of parcel 5 of the record plat, "Stevens County Wildlife Area No. 19" in the S $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 17, Township 125 North, Range 43 West, Fifth Principal Meridian. See attached maps for location of proposed pipeline.

Right-of-way applications for pipelines are to be filed in accordance with Section 28 of the Mineral Leasing Act of 1920 (30 U.S.C.), as amended by the Act of November 16, 1973 (37 Stat. 576, Pub. L. 93-153).

Dated: January 23, 1998.

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