

Ruddick, Project Manager, Arizona State Office, Bureau of Land Management, 222 North Central Avenue, Phoenix, Arizona 85004.

Dated: April 25, 2002.

Carl Rountree,

Associate State Director.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

[WY-920-09-1320-EL, WYW155708]

Coal Lease Exploration License, WY

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of invitation for coal exploration license

SUMMARY: Pursuant to section 2(b) of the Mineral Leasing Act of 1920, as amended by section 4 of the Federal Coal Leasing Amendments Act of 1976, 90 Stat. 1083, 30 U.S.A. 201 (b), and to the regulations adopted as 43 CFR 3410, all interested parties are hereby invited to participate with Jacobs Ranch Coal Company on a pro rata cost sharing basis in its program for the exploration of coal deposits owned by the United States of America in the following-described lands in Campbell County, WY:

T. 44 N., R. 70 W., 6th P.M., Wyoming

Sec. 18: Lots 17, 18;
Sec. 19: Lots 5-20;
Sec. 20: Lots 1-16;
Sec. 21: Lots 1-16;
Sec. 22: Lots 1-3, 5-10, 12-15;

T. 44 N., R. 71 W., 6th P.M., Wyoming

Sec. 13: Lots 15, 16;
Sec. 23: Lots 1-16;
Sec. 24: Lots 1-16.
Containing 3962.58 acres, more or less.

All of the coal in the above-described land consists of unleased Federal coal within the Powder River Basin Known Coal Leasing Area. The purpose of the exploration program is to obtain coal quality data.

ADDRESSES: The proposed exploration program is fully described and will be conducted pursuant to an exploration plan to be approved by the Bureau of Land Management. Copies of the exploration plan are available for review during normal business hours in the following offices (serialized under number WYW155708): Bureau of Land Management, Wyoming State Office, 5353 Yellowstone Road, P.O. Box 1828, Cheyenne, WY 82003; and, Bureau of Land Management, Casper Field Office,

2987 Prospector Drive, Casper, WY 82604.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This notice of invitation will be published in *The News-Record* of Gillette, WY, once each week for two consecutive weeks beginning the week of June 10, 2002, and in the **Federal Register**. Any party electing to participate in this exploration program must send written notice to both the Bureau of Land Management and Jacobs Ranch Coal Company no later than thirty days after publication of this invitation in the **Federal Register**. The written notice should be sent to the following addresses: Jacobs Ranch Coal Company, Attn: Darryl Maunder, Caller Box 3013, Gillette, WY 82717-3013, and the Bureau of Land Management, Wyoming State Office, Branch of Solid Minerals, Attn: Julie Weaver, P.O. Box 1828, Cheyenne, WY 82003.

The foregoing is published in the **Federal Register** pursuant to 43 CFR 3410.2-1(c)(1).

Dated: April 26, 2002.

Phillip C. Perlewitz,

Chief, Branch of Solid Minerals.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

[WY-920-09-1320-EL, WYW155709]

Coal Lease Exploration License, WY

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of invitation for coal exploration license

SUMMARY: Pursuant to section 2(b) of the Mineral Leasing Act of 1920, as amended by section 4 of the Federal Coal Leasing Amendments Act of 1976, 90 Stat. 1083, 30 U.S.A. 201 (b), and to the regulations adopted as 43 CFR 3410, all interested parties are hereby invited to participate with Powder River Coal Company on a pro rata cost sharing basis in its program for the exploration of coal deposits owned by the United States of America in the following-described lands in Campbell County, WY:

T. 42 N., R. 70 W., 6th P.M., Wyoming

Sec. 28: Lots 1-16.

Containing 661.57 acres, more or less.

All of the coal in the above-described land consists of unleased Federal coal within the Powder River Basin Known Coal Leasing Area. The purpose of the exploration program is to delineate the location of a coal split.

ADDRESSES: The proposed exploration program is fully described and will be conducted pursuant to an exploration plan to be approved by the Bureau of Land Management. Copies of the exploration plan are available for review during normal business hours in the following offices (serialized under number WYW155709): Bureau of Land Management, Wyoming State Office, 5353 Yellowstone Road, P.O. Box 1828, Cheyenne, WY 82003; and, Bureau of Land Management, Casper Field Office, 2987 Prospector Drive, Casper, WY 82604.

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The foregoing is published in the **Federal Register** pursuant to 43 CFR 3410.2-1(c)(1).

Dated: April 26, 2002.

Phillip C. Perlewitz,

Chief, Branch of Solid Minerals.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

[UT-923-1320-EL-25-2W]

Notice of Availability of Record of Decision.

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of availability of Record of Decision, Flat Canyon Coal Tract.

SUMMARY: U.S. Department of Interior, Bureau of Land (BLM), Utah State Office, P.O. Box 45155, Salt Lake City, Utah 84145-0155. Notice is hereby given that the BLM has completed a Record of Decision (ROD) and has decided to offer a Federal coal lease tract known as "The Flat Canyon Coal Tract" through a competitive process.

The potential impacts of this decision were analyzed in a Final Environmental Impact Statement on the Pines Tract Project, which was released on January 03, 2002 by the United States Forest Service, Manti-La Sal National Forest. The lease area is located in the Manti-LaSal National Forest in Sanpete County, Utah, approximately 10 miles South West of Scofield, Utah. According to 43 CFR 3400.3-1 BLM may issue a Federal Coal lease with the consent of the National Forest with appropriate terms and conditions on the lease. BLM will issue the lease in accordance with the consent decision by the Manti-La Sal National Forest. A copy of the BLM ROD can be obtained at the BLM Utah State Office, and at the BLM Price Field Office, 125 South 600 West, Price, Utah 84501.

Dated: April 16, 2002.

Roy Turner,

Acting State Director.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

[CA-067-02-1610-JP-064B]

Extension of the Scoping Phase Public Comment Period for an Amendment to the California Desert Conservation Area Plan

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Extend the Scoping Phase Public Comment Period from May 17, 2002 to May 31, 2002 for an Amendment to the California Desert Conservation Area (CDCA) Plan and Environmental Assessment (EA) in the Western Colorado section of Imperial County, CA. The Notice of Intent with the original end of the public comment period was published in the **Federal Register** on March 15, 2002 (Volume 67, Number 57, Pages 13648-13649).

DATES: The time period for accepting written comments on the scope of the proposed plan amendment has been extended from May 17, 2002 to May 31, 2002.

ADDRESSES: Comments should be sent to Greg Thomsen, Field Manager, Bureau of Land Management, El Centro Field Office, 1661 South 4th Street, El Centro, CA 92243-4561. Comments, including names and addresses of respondents, will be available for public review at the El Centro Field Office during normal working hours (7:45 AM to 4:30 PM, except holidays), and may be published

as part of the EA or other related documents. Individuals may request confidentiality. If you wish to withhold your name or address from public review or from disclosure under the Freedom of Information Act, you must state this promptly at the beginning of your comment. Such requests will be honored to the extent allowed by law. All submissions from organizations or businesses will be made available for public inspection in their entirety.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Arnold F. Schoeck, Lead Outdoor Recreation Planner, at the above address, telephone number (760) 337-4441, or e-mail at

Arnold_Schoeck.ca.blm.gov.

Dated: May 2, 2002.

Greg Thomsen,

Field Manager.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

[NV-030-00-1020-24]

Sierra Front-Northwestern Great Basin Resource Advisory Council; Notice of Meeting Location and Time

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of meeting location and time for the Sierra Front-Northwestern Great Basin Resource Advisory Council (Nevada).

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Federal Land Policy and Management Act and the Federal Advisory Committee Act of 1972 (FACA), the U.S. Department of the Interior, Bureau of Land Management (BLM) Sierra Front-Northwestern Great Basin Resource Advisory Council (RAC), Nevada, will be held as indicated below. Topics for discussion will include manager's reports of field office activities; RAC subcommittee report on the planning effort for the Black Rock-High Rock Emigrant Trail National Conservation Area; RAC review and recommendations on BLM land acquisition proposals under Round III of the Southern Nevada Public Lands Management Act; RAC review and recommendations on the Walker River Basin EIS; and other topics the council may raise.

DATE & TIME: The RAC will meet on Thursday, July 25, 2002, from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., and Friday, July 26, 2002, from 8 a.m. to 12 p.m., at the Bridgeport Ranch, Barns & Terrace Facility, 68

Twin Lakes Road off U.S. Highway 395, Bridgeport, California. All meetings will be outdoors under a tent pavilion and are open to the public. A general public comment period will be held on Thursday, July 25, 2002, at 11 a.m. A field trip to the upper portions of the Walker River Basin may be scheduled for the afternoon of Thursday, July 25, 2002, starting from the Bridgeport meeting location; details will be listed in the agenda no later than July 5, 2002.

A detailed agenda will be available on the internet by July 5, 2002, at www.nv.blm.gov/rac; hard copies can also be mailed or sent via FAX. Individuals who need special assistance such as sign language interpretation or other reasonable accommodations, or who wish a hard copy of the agenda, should contact Mark Struble, Carson City Field Office, 5665 Morgan Mill Road, Carson City, NV 89701, telephone (775) 885-6107 no later than July 17, 2002.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Mark Struble, Public Affairs Officer, BLM Carson City Field Office, 5665 Morgan Mill Road, Carson City, NV 89701. Telephone (775) 885-6107.

Dated: April 12, 2002.

John O. Singlaub,

Field Manager, Carson City Field Office.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

[OR-030-1020-PG; G 02-0217]

Meeting Notice for the Southeast Oregon Resource Advisory Council

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management (BLM), Vale District, Interior.

SUMMARY: The Southeast Oregon Resource Advisory Council (SEORAC) will meet at the Community Center, Christmas Valley, OR 97641 from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Pacific Time (PT), on Monday, July 22, 2002, and conduct a field tour to discuss Off Road Vehicle (OHV) issues, on Tuesday, July 23, 2002. Contact the BLM office listed below for exact time as the tour date approaches.

The meeting topics to be discussed by the Council will include a discussion of issues within southeast Oregon related to Steens Mountain Resource Advisory Council, North Lake Recreation Plan, Burns Steens/Andrews Resource Management Plan, Birch Creek, Fire Interface, OHV and Rangeland Assessment. Federal officials' updates, and other matters as may reasonably come before the Council. The entire