

demonstrated a commitment to collaborative resource decision making. All nominations must be accompanied by letters of reference from represented interests or organizations, a completed background information nomination form, as well as any other information that speaks to the nominee's qualifications. Background information forms are available at BLM offices in Montana, North Dakota and South Dakota.

The nomination period will also be announced through press releases issued by the BLM Montana/Dakota offices. Nominations for Resource Advisory Councils should be sent to the appropriate BLM offices listed below:

Jim Owings, Butte District Manager,
P.O. Box 3388, Butte, Montana
59702-3388

Dave Mari, Lewistown District Manager,
Airport Road, Lewistown, Montana
59457

Glenn Carpenter, Miles City District
Manager, P.O. Box 940, Miles City,
Montana 59301-0940

Doug Burger, Dakotas District Manager,
2933 Third Avenue West, Dickinson,
North Dakota 58601-2619

DATES: All nominations must be received by the appropriate BLM Office on or before May 30, 1996.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Jody Weil, BLM Montana State Office, P.O. Box 36800, Billings, Montana, 59107-6800, 406-255-2912.

Larry E. Hamilton,
State Director.

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Call For Nominations To Resource Advisory Councils in Oregon and Washington

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The purpose of this notice is to solicit public nominations for each of three Bureau of Land Management (BLM) Resource Advisory Councils currently assisting the BLM and Forest Service in Oregon and Washington. The three councils: Eastern Washington, John Day-Snake, and Southeastern Oregon, established and authorized in 1995 by the Secretary of the Interior, provide advice and recommendations to the BLM and Forest Service on management of public lands. Public nominations will be received and considered for 45 days beginning with the publication date of this notice.

The Councils, which were established in August, are made up of 15 members who were randomly given 1-3 year terms to ensure that the entire council would not change at the same time. We are currently calling for nominations to fill the positions that expire in August. The terms for the vacancies listed below will be for three years.

The three councils, which cover eastern Washington and eastern Oregon, have identified many different issues that they would like to work on with the BLM and the Forest Service. To date, the Councils have been working on such issues as standards for rangeland health and guidelines for grazing management, the Interior Columbia Basin Ecosystem Management Project, and the Southeastern Oregon Resource Management Plan.

These councils are authorized under the Federal Land Policy and Management Act (FLPMA) which directs the Secretary of the Interior to involve the public in planning and issues related to management of lands administered by BLM. Section 309 of FLPMA directs the Secretary to select 10 to 15 member citizen-based advisory councils that are established and authorized consistent with the requirements of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA). As required by the FACA, Resource Advisory Council membership must be balanced and representative of the various interests concerned with the management of public lands. These include three categories:

Category One: holders of federal grazing permits, representatives of energy and mining development, timber industry, transportation or rights-of-way, off-road vehicle use and developed recreation.

Category Two: representatives of environmental and resource conservation organizations, dispersed recreation, archeological and historic interests, and wild horse and burro groups.

Category Three: representatives of State and local government, Native American tribes, academicians involved in natural sciences, employees of State agencies responsible for the management of natural resources, land, or water, and the public at large.

The Eastern Washington Council has five openings. Three of the openings are in Category One: energy and mineral, transportation and rights of way, and commercial recreation. Two of the openings are in Category Two: national/regional environmental, and archeological and historic interests.

The John Day-Snake Council has six openings. Three of the openings are in

Category One: energy and mineral, commercial timber, and transportation and rights of way. One of the openings is in Category Two under national/regional conservation. Two of the openings are in Category Three: academician and public at large.

The Southeastern Oregon Council has six openings (one was created by a resignation). Two of the openings are in Category One: energy and minerals and commercial recreation. Three of the openings are in Category Two: dispersed recreation, wild horse and burro, and national/regional conservation. Under Category Three there is one opening for a state employee.

Individuals may nominate themselves or others. Existing council members, whose terms will expire in August, may be renominated. Nominees must be residents of the State in which the council has jurisdiction. The Eastern Washington Council covers eastern Washington (with the exception of the area south of the Snake River drainages). The John Day-Snake Council covers central and northeastern Oregon and the Snake River drainages in southeast Washington. The Southeastern Oregon Council covers southeastern Oregon.

Nominees will be evaluated based on their experience working with the interest area they choose to represent and their knowledge of the geographic area covered by the Council. Nominees must also have demonstrated a commitment to collaborative resource decision making. All nominations must be accompanied by letters of reference from represented interests or organizations, a completed background information nomination form, as well as any other information that speaks to the nominee's qualifications. The BLM Oregon/Washington State Director, the Forest Service Regional Forester, and the Washington and Oregon Governor's Offices will forward the nominations to the Secretary of Interior, who will make the appointments to the Councils.

This nomination period will also be announced through press releases issued by the BLM Oregon/Washington State Office. Nominations for Resource Advisory Councils should be sent to: Elaine Zielinski, Bureau of Land Management, Oregon/Washington State Director, P.O. Box 2965, Portland, OR, 97208.

DATES: All nominations must be received by the BLM Oregon/Washington State Office on or before May 30, 1996.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Brenda Lincoln Wojtanik, OR 912, Bureau of Land Management, Oregon/Washington State Office, P.O. Box 2965,

Portland, Oregon, 97208, (Telephone 503-952-6437).

Eric Hoffman,

Acting State Director, Oregon/Washington.

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[NM-060-06-1020-00] (601)]

Change of Mailing Address

SUMMARY: This notice sets forth the new mailing address of the Bureau of Land Management, Carlsbad Resource Area Office, Carlsbad, New Mexico.

DATES: May 15, 1996.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Howard Parman, Public Affairs Officer, Bureau of Land Management, 1717 West 2nd Street, Roswell, NM 88201, (505) 627-0212.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Department of the Interior's Bureau of Land Management, New Mexico State Office, Roswell District Office, Carlsbad Resource Area Office is changing their mailing address effective May 15, 1996. The new mailing address will be: Bureau of Land Management, Carlsbad Resource Area Headquarters, 620 E. Greene Street, Carlsbad, New Mexico 88220-6292.

Dated: April 5, 1996.

Edwin L. Roberson,

Acting District Manager.

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[NV-943-1430;N-53982]

Notice of Realty Action: Termination of Classification, Nevada

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This notice terminates an existing Recreation and Public Purposes Classification N-53982 in its entirety.

EFFECTIVE DATE: April 15, 1996.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Larry Sip, Bureau of Land Management, Las Vegas District Office, 4765 West Vegas Drive, Las Vegas, NV, 89108 (702) 647-5063.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The lands described below were classified suitable for lease or sale pursuant to the Recreation and Public Purposes Act, as amended (43 U.S.C. 869, 869-1 to 869-4) and were segregated from appropriation under the public land laws and the general mining laws.

Mount Diablo Meridian, Nevada

T. 22 S., R. 60 E.,

Sec. 08: E $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$,
NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, W $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$,

N $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, E $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$,
E $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, W $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$,
W $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$.

Containing 290 acres.

Clark County applied for and received a lease for a community park on the above described land. Clark County has since requested a relinquishment of the lease as they no longer want to establish a park on these parcels. Pursuant to section 7 of the Taylor Grazing Act (48 Stat. 1272) and the authority delegated by Appendix 1 of the Bureau of Land Management Manual 1203, Nevada Supplement, Release 1-178, the aforementioned Recreation and Public Purposes classification is hereby terminated.

Dated: April 4, 1996.

Dave Wolf,

Acting District Manager, Las Vegas, NV.

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[WY-037-1430-01; WYW-49331]

Realty Action; Sale for Recreation & Public Purposes; Wyoming

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of Realty Action, Recreation and Public Purposes application for sale in Albany County.

SUMMARY: The following public lands were classified as suitable for lease and sale under the Recreation and Public Purposes Act as amended, 43 U.S.C. 869 et seq., on April 26, 1962:

Sixth Principal Meridian

T. 14 N., R. 70 W.,

Sec. 28, lot 2, SW $\frac{1}{4}$.

The above land contains 238.29 acres.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Karla Swanson, Area Manager, Great Divide Resource Area, Bureau of Land Management, 812 E. Murray Street, Rawlins, Wyoming 92301, 307-324-4841.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Laramie County Community College (LCCC), currently holds a Recreation and Public Purpose lease on the above described lands. The Bureau of Land Management (BLM), now proposes to convey these lands to LCCC for educational purposes.

The proposed conveyance is consistent with the Great Divide Resource Management Plan and would serve important educational objectives which cannot be achieved prudently or feasibly elsewhere.

The conveyance will contain reservations to the United States for:

1. A right-of-way for ditches or canals pursuant to the Act of August 30, 1890, 43 U.S.C. 945.

2. All minerals.

The conveyance will be subject to the following:

1. A telephone right-of-way granted to Mountain States Telephone and Telegraph.

2. A water pipeline right-of-way granted to the City of Cheyenne.

Upon publication of this notice in the Federal Register, the land will be segregated from all forms of appropriation under the public land laws, including the general mining laws, except for conveyance under the Recreation and Public Purposes Act and leasing under the mineral leasing laws.

For a period of forty-five (45) days from the date of issuance of this notice, interested parties may submit comments to the BLM, District Manager, Rawlins District Office, 1300 N. Third Street, Rawlins, Wyoming 82301. Any adverse comments will be evaluated by the State Director who may sustain, vacate, or modify this realty action. In the absence of any objection, this proposed realty action will become final.

Dated: March 29, 1996.

Karla K. H. Swanson,

Area Manager.

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[ID-933-1430-01; IDI-31739]

Notice of Proposed Withdrawal and Opportunity for Public Meeting; Idaho

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The United States Department of Agriculture, Forest Service has filed an application to withdraw 1,374.13 acres of National Forest System lands for the protection of the Brundage Mountain Ski Area. This notice closes the land for up to two years from location and entry under the United States mining laws. The land will remain open to all other uses which may be made on National Forest System lands.

DATES: Comments and requests for a public meeting must be received on or before July 15, 1996.

ADDRESSES: Comments and meeting requests should be sent to the Idaho State Director, BLM, 3380 Americana Terrace, Boise, Idaho 83706-2500.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Cathie Foster, BLM, Idaho State Office, (208) 384-3163.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On March 18, 1996, the United States Department of Agriculture, Forest Service, filed an application to withdraw the following described National Forest System lands from location and entry under the