

with local, State, and Federal regulations, but possibly in a less organized, more piece-meal fashion. Consistent standards may not be followed, and open space linkages may be more difficult to plan, assemble, and maintain. In many cases, however, participation in the voluntary HCP is likely to benefit landowners in terms of time and money relative to obtaining individual permits under the Act, resulting in a strong incentive for owners of parcels supporting listed species to participate in the Subarea HCP. Given the large amount of public land dedicated as biological open space in Poway, the relatively low level of habitat impacts expected on private lands, and the strength of existing local, State, and Federal environmental protection regulations, adverse effects on listed species of changing the

Subarea HCP to optional participation for private property owners are expected to be minimal.

Dated: April 22, 1996.  
Thomas J. Dwyer,  
*Deputy Regional Director, Region 1, Portland, Oregon.*  
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#### Bureau of Indian Affairs

##### Request for Public Comment on Indian Education Topics

**AGENCY:** Bureau of Indian Affairs, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice of Tribal Consultation on Indian Education Topics and Comment Period.

**SUMMARY:** Notice is hereby given that the Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA) will conduct tribal consultation meetings to obtain comments concerning potential issues in Indian education programs. In addition to issues which may be raised by tribes and tribal organizations, the BIA has identified the following issues to be addressed at these meetings: School Attendance Boundaries, Element 10 Formula, National Performance Review Project and School Reform Initiative.

**DATES:** The dates and locations of the tribal consultation meetings are listed below. All meetings will begin at 9:00 a.m. and continue until 3:00 p.m., local time.

Date	Location	BIA contact and telephone number
May 1, 1996	UTEC, Bismarck, North Dakota .....	Cherie Farlee, (605) 964-8722.
May 2, 1996	Rode Way Inn, Green Bay, Wisconsin .....	Terry Portra, (612) 373-1090.
May 2, 1996	Southern Pueblos Agency, Albuquerque, New Mexico .....	Benjamin Atencio, (505) 766-3034.
May 2, 1996	Holiday Inn, Gallup, New Mexico .....	Andrew Tah, (520) 283-2218.
May 7, 1996	Tribal Council, Cherokee, North Carolina .....	LaVonna Weller, (703) 235-3233.
May 9, 1996	Marriott, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma .....	Judy Littleman, (405) 945-6051.
May 10, 1996	Area Office, Billings, Montana .....	Larry Parker, (406) 247-7953.
May 13, 1996	Area Office, Anchorage, Alaska .....	Robert Pringle, (907) 271-4115.
May 14, 1996	Holiday Inn, Phoenix, Arizona .....	Angelita Felix, (520) 262-3557.
May 15, 1996	Area Office, Sacramento, California .....	Fayette Babby, (916) 979-2560.
May 21, 1996	Red Lion, Pendelton, Oregon .....	John Reimer, (503) 872-2743.

All comments must be received by the close of business June 15, 1996. Written comments must be mailed to the Office of Indian Education Programs, MS-3512-MIB, OIE-32, 1849 C Street, NW, Washington, D.C. 20240, Attn: Mr. Goodwin K. Cobb III, or hand delivered to Room 3512 at the same address. Telefax responses may be transmitted to Mr. Cobb at (202) 273-0030.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Goodwin K. Cobb III or Dr. Jim Martin at the above address or call (202) 208-3550.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** These tribal consultation meetings are a follow-up to similar meetings conducted by the BIA since 1990. The purpose of the tribal consultation, as required by 25 U.S.C. 2011(b), is to provide Indian tribes, school boards, parents, Indian organizations and other interested parties with an opportunity to comment on potential issues raised during previous consultation meetings or being considered by the BIA regarding Indian education programs. A consultation booklet is being distributed to federally recognized Indian tribes, BIA Area and Agency Offices and BIA-funded schools. The booklets will also be available from

local contact persons prior to and at each meeting.

Dated: April 17, 1996.  
Ada E. Deer,  
*Assistant Secretary—Indian Affairs.*  
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#### Bureau of Land Management

[MT-924-1430-01; MTM 83069]

##### Opening of Land in a Proposed Withdrawal; Montana

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

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The temporary 2-year segregation of a proposed withdrawal of 1,800.10 acres of National Forest System land for the Cave Mountain Research Natural Area expires on June 15, 1996, and the land will be open to mining. It has been and remains open to surface entry and mineral leasing.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** June 15, 1996.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Sandra Ward, BLM Montana State

Office, P.O. Box 36800, Billings, Montana 59107, 406-255-2949.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** A Notice of proposed withdrawal was published in the Federal Register, 59 FR 30951, June 16, 1994, which segregated the land described therein for up to 2 years from location and entry under the mining laws, subject to valid existing rights, but not from other forms of disposition which may by law be made of National Forest System land. The 2-year segregation expires June 15, 1996. The withdrawal application will continue to be processed, unless it is canceled or denied. The land is described as follows:

Principal Meridian, Montana

T. 10 S., R. 1 W.,

Sec. 31, lots 3 and 4, E $\frac{1}{2}$ , and E $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ ;

Sec. 32, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ , W $\frac{1}{2}$ , NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ , and

W $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ .

T. 11 S., R. 1 W.,

Sec. 5, W $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$  and NW $\frac{1}{4}$ ;

Sec. 6, N $\frac{1}{2}$  and N $\frac{1}{2}$ S $\frac{1}{2}$ .

The area described contains 1,800.10 acres in Madison County.

At 9 a.m., on June 15, 1996, the land will be opened to location and entry under the United States mining laws, subject to valid existing rights, the

provisions of existing withdrawals, other segregations of record, and the requirements of applicable law. Appropriation of any lands described in this order under the general mining laws prior to the date and time of restoration is unauthorized. Any such attempted appropriation, including attempting adverse possession under 30 U.S.C. 38 (1988), shall vest no rights against the United States. Acts required to establish a location and to initiate a right of possession are governed by State law where not in conflict with Federal law. The Bureau of Land Management will not intervene in disputes between rival locators over possessory rights, since Congress has provided for such determinations in local courts.

Dated: April 18, 1996.

Thomas P. Lonnie,  
Deputy State Director, Division of Resources.  
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### Notice of Realty Action: Non-Competitive Sale of Public Lands

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The following described public land in Clark County, Nevada, has been examined and found suitable for sale utilizing non-competitive procedures, at not less than the fair market value. Authority for the sale is Sections 203 and 209 of Public Law 94-579, the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976 (43 U.S.C. 1719) and Public Law 101-67, the Apex Project, Nevada Land Transfer and Authorization Act of 1989.

Mount Diablo Meridian, Nevada

T. 19 S., R. 63 E.

Sec. 8: S $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ ,  
S $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ 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 $\frac{1}{4}$ , those portions lying  
southerly of U.S. Highway 15.

Sec. 9: S $\frac{1}{2}$ S $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ ,  
W $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ , those portions lying  
westerly of State Highway 604.

The parcels of land, situated in Clark County, NV, are being offered as a non-competitive sale to Clark County as part of the Apex Heavy Industrial Use Park.

The land is not required for any Federal purposes. The sale is consistent with current Bureau planning for this area and would be in the public interest.

The patent, when issued, will contain the following reservations to the United States:

1. A right-of-way for ditches and canals constructed by the authority of the United States, Act of August 30, 1890 (43 U.S.C. 945).

2. All minerals.  
and will be subject to:

1. A right-of-way thereon to Williams Telecommunications Group-West., Inc., for a fiber-optics line, grant number N-43923 (090 STAT 2776; 43 U.S.C. 1761).

2. A right-of-way thereon to Nevada Department of Transportation for a Federal Aid Highway, grant number CC-018337 (042 STAT 0216).

3. A right-of-way thereon to Nevada Department of Transportation for a Federal Aid Highway, grant number Nev-057852 [072 STAT 0916; 23 U.S.C. 317(A)]. Upon publication of this notice in the Federal Register, the above described land will be segregated from all forms of appropriation under the public land laws, including the general mining laws, except for sales and disposals under the mineral disposal laws. This segregation will terminate upon issuance of a patent or 270 days from the date of publication, whichever occurs first. For a period of 45 days from the date of publication of this notice in the Federal Register, interested parties may submit comments to the District Manager, Las Vegas District, 4765 West Vegas Drive, Las Vegas, NV 89108. Any adverse comments will be reviewed by the State Director who may sustain, vacate or modify this realty action. In the absence of any adverse comments, this realty action will become the final determination of the Department of the Interior. The Bureau of Land Management may accept or reject any or all offers, or withdraw any land or interest in the land from sale, if, in the opinion of the authorized officer, consummation of the sale would not be fully consistent with Public Law 94-579, or other applicable laws. The land will not be offered for sale until at least 60 days after the date of publication of this notice in the Federal Register.

Dated: April 11, 1996.

Michael F. Dwyer,  
District Manager.

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### Partial Cancellation of Proposed Withdrawal; Nevada

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

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** This notice terminates the segregative effect of a proposed withdrawal insofar as it affects 10 acres of public land requested by the Department of the Army, Corps of Engineers for flood control facilities in

Clark County, Nevada. This action will open the 10 acres to surface entry and mining, subject to valid existing rights, the provision of existing withdrawals, other segregation of record, and the requirements of applicable law.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** May 28, 1996.

**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 in the Federal Register, 59 FR 60998, November 29, 1994, which segregated the lands described therein from settlement, sale, location, or entry under the general land laws, including the mining laws, subject to valid existing rights. The Corps of Engineers has determined that certain lands will not be needed in connection with the flood control facilities and has cancelled its application for those lands. The lands are described as follows:

Mount Diablo Meridian

T. 21 S., R. 60 E.,

Sec. 25, E $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{2}$  and  
W $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ .

The lands described aggregate 10 acres in Clark County.

1. At 9 a.m. on May 28, 1996, the lands will be opened to the operation of the public land laws generally, subject to valid existing rights, the provision of existing withdrawals, other segregation of record, and the requirements of applicable law. All valid applications received at or prior to 9 a.m. on May 28, 1996, shall be considered as simultaneously filed at that time. Those received thereafter shall be considered in the order of filing.

2. At 9 a.m. on May 28, 1996, the lands will be opened to location and entry under the United States mining laws, subject to valid existing rights, the provision of existing withdrawals, other segregation of record, and the requirements of applicable law. Appropriation of any of the lands described in this order under the general mining laws prior to the date and time of restoration is unauthorized. Any such attempted appropriation, including attempted adverse possession under 30 U.S.C. 38 (1988), shall vest no rights against the United States. Acts required to establish a location and to initiate a right of possession are governed by State law where not in conflict with Federal law. The Bureau of Land Management will not intervene in disputes between rival locators over possessory rights since Congress has provided for such determinations in local courts.