

Issuance of a Permit for Incidental Take of Threatened and Endangered Species

AGENCY: Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: On November 17, 1995, a notice was published in the Federal Register (60 FR 57722) that an application had been filed with the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (Service) by Plum Creek Timber Company, L.P., of Seattle, Washington, for a permit to incidentally take the threatened northern spotted owl (*Strix occidentalis caurina*), marbled murrelet (*Brachyramphus marmoratus*), and grizzly bear (*Ursus arctos*=*U.a. horribilis*), and the endangered gray wolf (*Canis lupus*), pursuant to section 10(a)(1)(B) of the Endangered Species Act (Act) of 1973, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1532 et seq.). This is in the course of the otherwise legal activities of forest management and related incidental land use activities in portions of King and Kittitas Counties, Washington, pursuant to the Habitat Conservation Plan, its Implementation Agreement, and the incidental take permit.

Notice is hereby given that on June 27, 1996, as authorized by the Act, the Service issued incidental take permit PRT-808398 to Plum Creek Timber Company, L.P., subject to certain conditions set forth therein. The permit was granted only after it was determined that it was applied for in good faith, that by granting the permit it will not lead to the jeopardy of the species, and that it will be consistent with the purposes and policies set forth in the Act.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Supervisor, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Western Washington Office, 3704 Griffin Lane SE, Suite 102, Olympia, Washington 98501-2192, telephone (360-753-9440).

Dated: July 12, 1996.

Don Weathers,

Acting Regional Director, Region 1, Portland, Oregon.

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Bureau of Land Management

[CO-078-95-1610-00]

Glenwood Springs Resource Management Plan Amendment

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of Intent to amend the Glenwood Springs Resource Management Plan as it relates to travel management decisions for the Castle Peak area, Eagle County, Colorado.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to section 102 of the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 and section 202 of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976, the Bureau of Land Management, Grand Junction District, Glenwood Springs Resource Area, will prepare a Travel Management Plan and Environmental Assessment on the proposed amendment to the Glenwood Springs Resource Management Plan as it relates to the Castle Peak Travel Management Planning Area. The decisions to be reviewed and analyzed for plan amendment include Transportation Management, Recreation Resource Management, and Off Highway Vehicle Management. The Castle Peak Travel Management Planning Area includes public lands east and south of the Colorado River, west of Highway 131, and north of the Eagle River in Eagle County, Colorado. The Planning Area boundary is the same as Colorado Division of Wildlife's Game Management Unit 35. A Travel Management Plan and Environmental Assessment on the proposed RMP amendment will be prepared to analyze proposed travel management actions, possible alternatives and impacts for the public lands within the Castle Peak Travel Management Planning Area.

DATES: Interested persons may submit comments on or before August 22, 1996 regarding this proposal to amend certain decisions in the Resource Management Plan as they relate to travel management in the Castle Peak area.

ADDRESSES: Michael S. Mottice, Area Manager, Glenwood Springs Resource Area, P.O. Box 1009, 50629 Highway 6 & 24, Glenwood Springs, Colorado 81602.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Additional information concerning this proposal is available for review at the above address.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In response to increased recreational demands and problems related to public use and access in the Castle Peak Area, a Plan Amendment and Environmental Assessment are needed to implement new decisions and measures specifically related to travel management. Since the existing Off-Highway Vehicle (OHV) designations were put in place in 1984, reports from the public identifying travel impacts and their related effects on vegetation, wildlife habitat, hunting,

wilderness suitability, soils, livestock grazing and law enforcement have been received. Three open house public meetings were held in mid-April, 1996 in Gypsum, Eagle and McCoy, Colorado to gather public input regarding the issues, concerns, and need for a Travel Management Plan in the Castle Peak area. Comments received during these scoping sessions revealed that changes in the existing travel management decisions are needed.

A resource area-wide evaluation of existing OHV designations and travel management use, completed by the BLM in 1994, identified resource damage and use conflicts. With forecasts of reduced budgets, completing a resource area-wide RMP amendment for travel management is not feasible. Consequently, travel management problems will be resolved on a landscape basis, focusing on well-defined geographic areas with relatively high use, in areas that provide a variety of activities, and on sites with identified resource damage and use conflicts. Based on this public criteria and the public comments received in recent public meetings, the Castle Peak Planning Area is selected as the initial geographic area to resolve travel management issues. The goal of the Travel Management Plan and RMP amendment is to protect the land and resource values while continuing to provide a variety of motorized and non-motorized recreational opportunities.

Proposed changes to travel management decisions in the Castle Peak Planning Area involve (1) developing an updated transportation plan for the area, which encompasses roads, motorized trails, non-motorized trails, maintenance schedules and access points, (2) updating OHV designations, and (3) updating recreation management objectives.

Mark T. Morse,

District Manager

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[UT-943-1420-00-269Z]

Filing of Plat of Survey

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: These plats of survey of the following described land have been filed in the Utah State Office, Salt Lake City, Utah:

Group	Township	Range	Meridian	Approved	Type
0771	01 S.	04 W.	USM	96/04/18	Dep. Resurvey.
0777	28 S.	03 E.	SLM	96/04/18	Dep. Resurvey.
0778	21 S.	01 W.	SLM	96/05/22	Dep. Resurvey.
0786	18 S.	01 W. 1/2	SLM	96/05/22	Dep. Resurvey.
0786	18 S.	02 W.	SLM	96/05/22	Dep. Resurvey.
0792	29 S.	03 E.	SLM	96/04/18	Dep. Resurvey.
0804	11 N.	08 E.	SLM	96/05/22	Dep. Resurvey.
0807	33 S.	23 E.	SLM	96/05/22	Dep. Resurvey.
0813	43 S.	10 W.	SLM	96/04/18	Dep. Resurvey.
0819	26 S.	01 W.	SLM	96/05/22	Dep. Resurvey.
0827	01 S.	07 W.	SLM	96/04/18	Dep. Resurvey.
0828	23 S.	08 E. 1/2 ...	SLM	96/05/22	Dep. Resurvey.
0828	23 S.	09 E.	SLM	96/05/22	Dep. Resurvey.
0241-A	03 S.	03 W.	SLM	96/01/31	Supplemental.
241-B	03 S.	03 W.	SLM	96/01/31	Supplemental.
241-C	04 S.	03 W.	SLM	96/01/31	Supplemental.
241-D	04 S.	03 W.	SLM	96/01/31	Supplemental.
242-A	06 S.	03 W.	SLM	96/01/31	Supplemental.
242-B	06 S.	03 W.	SLM	96/01/31	Supplemental.
242-C	06 S.	03 W.	SLM	96/01/31	Supplemental.
243	42 S.	16 W.	SLM	96/01/31	Supplemental.
7385	23 S.	09 E.	SLM	96/05/22	Mineral Survey.
7389	29 S.	14 W.	SLM	96/03/28	Mineral Survey.

Donald A. Buhler,
Chief, Branch of Cadastral Survey.
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National Park Service

Lake Mead National Recreation Area Operation of a Marina at Willow Beach

SUMMARY: The National Park Service will shortly be seeking offers to operate a marina at Willow Beach Site within Lake Mead National Recreation Area. This will be a 125 slip marina with modest food and store operations along with related services. There is no existing operator. This opportunity is fully competitive. There is an existing facility that is government-owned. An initial capital investment of approximately \$300,000 will be required.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Interested parties should contact Ms. Teresa Jackson, Office of Concession Program Management, Pacific Great Basin System Support Office, at (415) 744-3981 to be placed on a mailing list to receive a letter announcing the availability of the Prospectus. At that time, the cost for each Prospectus will be \$30.00.

Dated: July 12, 1996.
 Stanley T. Albright,
Field Director, Pacific West Area.
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Subsistence Resource Commission Meeting

SUMMARY: The Superintendent of Denali National Park and the Chairperson of the Subsistence Resource Commission for Denali National Park announce a forthcoming meeting of the Denali National Park Subsistence Resource Commission.

The following agenda items will be discussed:

- (1) Call to order by Chair
- (2) Roll call and confirmation of quorum
- (3) Superintendent's welcome and introductions
- (4) Approval of minutes of last meeting
- (5) Additions and corrections to agenda
- (6) Federal Subsistence Management Program update:
 - a. Federal Subsistence Board actions.
- (7) Old business:
 - a. Agency reports
 - b. Subsistence Issue Paper report
- (8) New business:
 - a. SRC Chairperson Workshop
- (9) Public and other agency comments
- (10) Set time and place of next meeting
- (11) Adjournment

DATES: The meeting will be held Friday, August 9, 1996. The meeting will begin at 9 a.m. and conclude around 6 p.m.

LOCATION: The meeting will be held at the Community Center, Healy, Alaska.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Steve Martin, Superintendent, Denali National Park and Preserve, P.O. Box 9, Denali Park, Alaska 99755. Phone (907) 683-2294.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Subsistence Resource Commissions are authorized under Title VIII, Section 808,

of the Alaska National Interest Lands Conservation Act, Pub. L. 96-487, and operate in accordance with the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committees Act.

Ralph H. Tingey,
Acting Field Director.
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Bureau of Reclamation

Resource Management Plan and Draft Environment Impact Statement for Elephant Butte and Caballo Reservoirs, New Mexico

AGENCY: Bureau of Reclamation, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of scoping meeting and intent to prepare a draft environment impact statement.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (NEPA), as amended, the Bureau of Reclamation (Reclamation) proposes through a private consultant to prepare a draft environment impact statement (DEIS) in conjunction with the Resource Management Plan (RMP) for Elephant Butte and Caballo Reservoirs, New Mexico. Reclamation through its' consultant, will conduct a scoping meeting to inform the public of significant issues identified to date, and to identify additional issues that should be analyzed in the DEIS.

DATES: The meeting will be held on August 28, 1996, An "Open House" will