

equivalent contract water rights in Jordanelle Reservoir.

(21) Sanpete County Water Conservancy District, Narrows Project, Utah: Application for a Small Reclamation Project Act loan and grant to construct a dam, reservoir and pipeline to annually supply approximately 5,000 acre-feet of water through a transmountain diversion from upper Gooseberry Creek in the Price River drainage (Colorado River Basin) to the San Pitch—Sevier River (Great Basin).

(22) Dodds Ditch Water Users, Central Utah Project, Utah. Contracts for exchange of water rights and sale of project water; water rights in Ashley Creek for 30 acre-feet of project water from Steinaker Reservoir.

(23) Highland Conservation District, Provo River Project, Utah. Water transfer agreement between the District and Highland City involving change of use from irrigation to municipal and industrial.

Great Plains Region: Bureau of Reclamation, P.O. Box 36900, Federal Building, 316 North 26th Street, Billings, Montana 59107-6900, telephone 406-657-6413.

1. New Contract Actions:

(27) Enders Dam, Frenchman-Cambridge Division, Frenchman Unit, Nebraska: Repayment contract for proposed Safety of Dams modifications to Enders Dam for repair of seeping drainage features. Estimated cost of the repairs is \$632,000.

(28) Belle Fourche Irrigation District, Belle Fourche Unit, P-SMBP, South Dakota: D&MC contract for rehabilitation work on water control structures, lining additional canals, and rehabilitation of bridges and laterals. Public Law 103-434, enacted October 31, 1994, authorized an additional \$10.5 million in Federal funds and \$4 million in non-Federal cost share for completion of the minor construction.

1. Contract Actions Discontinued:

(9) Chinook Water Users Association, Milk River Project, Montana: SRPA contract for loan of up to \$6,000,000 for improvements to the Association's water conveyance system.

(14) Hidalgo County Irrigation District No. 6, Texas: SRPA contract for a 20-year loan for up to \$5,712,900 to rehabilitate the District's irrigation facilities pending appropriation of funds.

(16) Thirty Mile Canal Company, Nebraska: SRPA contract for a loan of \$2,264,000 to reline the main canal, replace open laterals with buried pipe, and replace bridges pending appropriation of funds.

2. Contract Actions Modified:

(12) Canadian River Municipal Water Authority, Canadian River Project, Texas: Determination of no authority for credit for transferred lands.

(13) Lakeview Irrigation District, Shoshone Project, Wyoming: New long-term water service contract for up to 3,200 acre-feet of firm water supply annually and up to 11,800 acre-feet of interim water from Buffalo Bill Reservoir. Pursuant to Section 9(e) of the Reclamation Project Act of 1939 (Public Law 260).

(17) Belle Fourche Irrigation District, Belle Fourche Unit, P-SMBP, South Dakota. Amendment to Contract No. 5-07-60-WR170. The amendment will initiate the repayment period for the rehabilitation and betterment work to begin June 30, 1996. The Amendment will also provide an additional \$10.5 million for additional rehabilitation and betterment work.

(18) North Platte Project, Kendrick Project, and Glendo Project, P-SMBP, Wyoming and Nebraska contractors: Repayment contracts under the Safety of Dams Project for the modification of Pathfinder, Lake Alice, Seminoe, and Glendo Dams.

(21) Mountain Park Master Conservancy District, Mountain Park Project, Oklahoma: Pursuant to Title IV of Public Law 103-434, amend the District's contract to reallocate the project costs to reflect the environmental activities authorized by Title IV and provide for a discounted prepayment of all or a portion of the reimbursable costs allocated for its M&I water supply.

(25) Angostura Irrigation District, Angostura Unit, P-SMBP: The District's current contract for water services expired on January 1, 1995. The current contract also provided for the District to operate and maintain the dam and reservoir. The proposed contract would provide a continued water supply for the District and the District's continued operation and maintenance of the facility.

(26) West River Conservancy Sub-District, Shadehill Unit, P-SMBP, South Dakota: Water service contract expired June 10, 1995. The proposed contract would provide irrigation water to the District pursuant to terms acceptable to both the United States and the District.

Dated: September 25, 1995.

Wayne O. Deason,

Assistant Director, Program Analysis.

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Bay-Delta Advisory Council Meeting

AGENCY: Bureau of Reclamation, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: The Bay-Delta Advisory Council (BDAC) will meet to discuss several issues including: review of the CALFED Bay-Delta Program's problem definition, objectives, mission and geographic scope; discussion of causes and actions related to the problems in the Delta; and other program components. The meeting is open to the public. Interested persons may make oral statements to the BDAC or may file written statements for consideration.

DATES: The Bay-Delta Advisory Council will meet from 10:00 am to 4:00 pm on Wednesday, October 18, 1995.

ADDRESSES: The Bay-Delta Advisory Council will meet at the Holiday Inn Oakland/San Francisco Bay Bridge, 1800 Powell Street, Emeryville, CA 94608.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Sharon Gross, CALFED Bay-Delta Program, at (916) 657-2666.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The San Francisco Bay/Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta Estuary is a critically important part of California's natural environment and economy. In recognition of the serious problems facing the region and the complex resource management decisions that must be made, the State of California and the Federal government are working together to stabilize, protect, restore, and enhance the Bay-Delta Estuary. The State and Federal agencies with management and regulatory responsibilities in the Bay-Delta Estuary are working together as CALFED to provide policy direction and oversight for the process.

One area of Bay-Delta management includes the establishment of a joint State-Federal process to develop long-term solutions to problems in the Bay-Delta Estuary related to fish and wildlife, water supply reliability, natural disasters, and water quality. The intent is to develop a comprehensive and balanced plan which addresses all of the resource problems. This effort will be carried out under the policy direction of CALFED. A group of citizen advisors representing California's agricultural, environmental, urban, business, fishing, and other interests who have a stake in finding long term solutions for the problems affecting the Bay-Delta Estuary has been chartered under the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA) as the Bay-Delta Advisory Council (BDAC) to advise CALFED on the program mission, problems to be

addressed, and objectives for the CALFED Bay-Delta Program. BDAC will also provide a forum to help ensure public participation, and will review reports and other materials prepared by CALFED staff.

Minutes of the meeting will be maintained by the CALFED Bay-Delta Program, Suite 1155, 1416 Ninth Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and will be available for public inspection during regular business hours, Monday through Friday within 30 days following the meeting.

Dated: September 22, 1995.

Roger Patterson,

Regional Director, Mid-Pacific Region.

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Fish and Wildlife Service

Availability of Draft Recovery Plan for the Koolau Mountain Plant Cluster for Review and Comment

AGENCY: Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of document availability.

SUMMARY: The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (Service) announces the availability for public review of the Technical/Agency Draft Recovery Plan for the Koolau Mountain Plant Cluster. There are 11 taxa of plants included in this plan. All 11 taxa are known to be extant on the island of Oahu, Hawaii; one species also is found on the islands of Molokai and Maui, Hawaii.

DATES: Comments on the draft recovery plan must be received on or before November 28, 1995.

ADDRESSES: Copies of the draft recovery plan are available for inspection, by appointment, during normal business hours at the following locations: U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Pacific Islands Office, 300 Ala Moana Boulevard, room 6307, P.O. Box 50167, Honolulu, Hawaii 96850 (phone 808/541-2749); U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Regional Office, Ecological Services, 911 N.E. 11th Ave., Eastside Federal Complex, Portland Oregon 97232-4181 (phone 503/231-6131); the Molokai Public Library, 15 Ala Malama Street, Kaunakakai, Hawaii 96748 (phone 808/553-5483); and, the Wailuku Public Library, 251 High Street, Wailuku, Maui (phone 808/244-3945). Requests for copies of the draft recovery plan and written comments and materials regarding this plan should be addressed to Brooks Harper, Field Supervisor, Ecological Services, at the above Honolulu address.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Scott M. Johnston, Fish and Wildlife Biologist, at the above Honolulu address.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

Restoring endangered or threatened animals and plants to the point where they are again secure, self-sustaining members of their ecosystems is a primary goal of the Service's endangered species program. To help guide the recovery effort, the Service is working to prepare recovery plans for most of the listed species native to the United States. Recovery plans describe actions considered necessary for the conservation of the species, establish criteria for the recovery levels for downlisting or delisting them, and estimate time and cost for implementing the recovery measures needed.

The Endangered Species Act, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1531 *et seq.*) (Act), requires the development of recovery plans for listed species unless such a plan would not promote the conservation of a particular species. Section 4(f) of the Act as amended in 1988 requires that public notice and an opportunity for public review and comment be provided during recovery plan development. The Service will consider all information presented during the public comment period prior to approval of each new or revised Recovery Plan. Substantive technical comments will result in changes to the plans. Substantive comments regarding recovery plan implementation may not necessarily result in changes to the recovery plan implementation may not necessarily result in changes to the recovery plans, but will be forwarded to appropriate Federal or other entities so that they can take these comments into account during the course of implementing recovery actions. Individualized responses to comments will not be provided.

The 11 taxa being considered in this recovery plan are: *Chamaesyce deppeana* ('akoko), *Cyanea crispa* (no common name (NCN)), *Cyanea truncata* (haha), *Cyrtandra crenata* (ha'iwale), *Cyrtandra polyantha* (ha'iwale), *Eugenia koolauensis* (nioi), *Hesperomannia arborescens* (NCN), *Lobelia oahuensis* (NCN), *Melicope lydgatei* (alani), *Phlegmariurus nutans* (wawae'iole), *Tetraplasandra gymnocarpa* ('ohe'ohe).

All 11 species covered in this plan are listed as endangered. Ten of the 11 taxa are known to be extant only on the island of Oahu, Hawaii; one species, *Hesperomannia arborescens*, also is found on the islands of Molokai and

Maui. The 11 plant taxa and their habitats have been variously affected and are threatened by one or more of the following: Habitat degradation and/or predation by feral ungulates (goats, pigs, sheep, and cattle); competition for space, light, water, and nutrients by naturalized, alien vegetation; habitat loss from fires; predation by rats; human recreational activities; and military training exercises. Because of the depauperate number of extant individuals and their severely restricted distributions, populations of these taxa are subject to an increased likelihood of extinction from stochastic events.

All 11 of these taxa are known from the Koolau Mountains on the eastern portion of Oahu. The 11 taxa included in this plan grow in lowland and mesic forests, and in dry and wet moisture regimes.

The objective of this plan is to provide a framework for the recovery of these 11 taxa so that their protection by the Endangered Species Act (ESA) is no longer necessary. Immediate actions necessary for the prevention of extinction of these taxa include fencing for exclusion of ungulates, alien plant control, protection from fire, population and plant community monitoring and management, ex situ propagation, and augmentation of populations, as appropriate. Long-term activities necessary for the perpetuation of these taxa in their natural habitats additionally include public education, maintenance of fenced areas, long-term monitoring and management of populations and communities, and re-establishment of populations within the historic ranges of some taxa. Further research regarding current range, reproduction and reproductive status, pollinators, life history, limiting factors, habitat requirements, and minimum viable population sizes is needed to facilitate appropriate management decisions regarding the long-term perpetuation of each of these taxa.

Public Comments Solicited

The Service solicits written comments on the recovery plan described. All comments received by the date specified above will be considered prior to approval of these plans.

Authority: The authority for this action is section 4(f) of the Endangered Species Act, 16 U.S.C. 1533(f).

Dated: September 25, 1995.

Thomas J. Dwyer,

Acting Regional Director, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Pacific Region.

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