

Location: Jones Mill Road
 Landholding Agency: COE
 Property Number: 319011496
 Status: Underutilized
 Reason: Floodway.
 Tracts 245, 257, and 256
 J. Perry Priest Dam and Reservoir
 Cook Recreation Area
 Nashville Co: Davidson TN 37214–
 Location: 2.2 miles south of Interstate 40 near
 Saunders Ferry Pike
 Landholding Agency: COE
 Property Number: 319011497
 Status: Underutilized
 Reason: Floodway.
 Tracts 107, 109 and 110
 Cordell Hull Lake and Dam Project
 Two Prong
 Carthage Co: Smith TN 37030–
 Location: US Highway 85
 Landholding Agency: COE
 Property Number: 319011498
 Status: Unutilized
 Reason: Floodway.
 Tracts 2919 and 2929
 Cordell Hull Lake and Dam Project
 Sugar Creek
 Gainesboro Co: Jackson TN 38562–
 Location: Sugar Creek Road
 Landholding Agency: COE
 Property Number: 319011500
 Status: Unutilized
 Reason: Floodway.
 Tracts 1218 and 1204
 Cordell Hull Lake and Dam Project
 Granville—Alvin Yourk Road
 Granville Co: Jackson TN 38564–
 Landholding Agency: COE
 Property Number: 319011501
 Status: Unutilized
 Reason: Floodway.
 Tract 2100
 Cordell Hull Lake and Dam Project
 Galbreaths Branch
 Gainesboro Co: Jackson TN 38562–
 Location: TN Highway 53
 Landholding Agency: COE
 Property Number: 319011502
 Status: Unutilized
 Reason: Floodway.
 Tract 104 et. al.
 Cordell Hull Lake and Dam Project
 Horseshoe Bend Launching Area
 Carthage Co: Smith TN 37030–
 Location: Highway 70 N
 Landholding Agency: COE
 Property Number: 319011504
 Status: Underutilized
 Reason: Floodway.
 Tracts 510, 511, 513 and 514
 J. Percy Priest Dam and Reservoir Project
 Lebanon Co: Wilson TN 37087–
 Location: Vivrett Creek Launching Area,
 Alvin Sperry Road
 Landholding Agency: COE
 Property Number: 319120007
 Status: Underutilized
 Reason: Floodway.
 Tract A–142, Old Hickory Beach
 Old Hickory Blvd.
 Old Hickory Co: Davison TN 37138–
 Landholding Agency: COE
 Property Number: 319130008
 Status: Underutilized

Reason: Floodway.
 Texas
 Tracts 104, 105–1, 105–2 & 118
 Joe Pool Lake Co: Dallas TX
 Landholding Agency: COE
 Property Number: 319010397
 Status: Underutilized
 Reason: Floodway.
 Part of Tract 201–3
 Joe Pool Lake Co: Dallas TX
 Landholding Agency: COE
 Property Number: 319010398
 Status: Underutilized
 Reason: Floodway.
 Part of Tract 323
 Joe Pool Lake Co: Dallas TX
 Landholding Agency: COE
 Property Number: 319010399
 Status: Underutilized
 Reason: Floodway.
 Tract 702–3
 Granger Lake
 Route 1, Box 172
 Granger Co: Williamson TX 76530–9801
 Landholding Agency: COE
 Property Number: 319010401
 Status: Unutilized
 Reason: Floodway.
 Tract 706
 Granger Lake
 Route 1, Box 172
 Granger Co: Williamson TX 76530–9801
 Landholding Agency: COE
 Property Number: 319010402
 Status: Unutilized
 Reason: Floodway.
 Tract J–936
 Portion of Whitney Lake Proj.
 Bosque Co: Bosque TX
 Location: Off F. M. Highway 56 within the
 community of Kopperl.
 Landholding Agency: GSA
 Property Number: 319110032
 Status: Excess
 Reason: Other.
 Comment: No public access.
 GSA Number: 7–D–TX–0505M.
 Eagle Pass Auxiliary Airfield
 10 mi. NW of Eagle Pass Co: Maverick TX
 78853–
 Landholding Agency: GSA
 Property Number: 549520001
 Status: Excess
 Reason: Within airport runway clear zone.
 West Virginia
 Ohio River
 Pike Island Locks and Dam
 Buffalo Creek
 Wellsburg Co: Brooke WV
 Landholding Agency: COE
 Property Number: 319011529
 Status: Unutilized
 Reason: Floodway.
 Morgantown Lock and Dam
 Box 3 RD #2
 Morgantown Co: Monongahelia WV 26505–
 Landholding Agency: COE
 Property Number: 319011530
 Status: Unutilized
 Reason: Floodway.
 London Lock and Dam
 Route 60 East
 Rural Co: Kanawha WV 25126–

Location: 20 miles east of Charleston, W.
 Virginia
 Landholding Agency: COE
 Property Number: 319011690
 Status: Unutilized
 Reason: Other.
 Comment: .03 acres; very narrow strip of land
 located too close to busy highway.
 Tract 1118—Matewan Project
 Matewan Co: Mingo WV 25678–
 Landholding Agency: GSA
 Property Number: 549540003
 Status: Excess
 Reason: Floodway.
 GSA Number: 4–D–WV–0524.
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Central Utah Project Completion Act; Notice of Intent To Negotiate a Contract Among the Central Utah Water Conservancy District, East Juab County Water Conservancy District, and Department of the Interior for Irrigation Water From the Bonneville Unit of the Central Utah Project, Utah

AGENCY: Office of the Assistant
 Secretary—Water and Science,
 Department of the Interior.

ACTION: Notice of intent to negotiate a
 contract among the Central Utah Water
 Conservancy District (CUWCD), East
 Juab County Water Conservancy District
 (EJCWCD), and Department of the
 Interior (DOI) for Irrigation Water from
 the Bonneville Unit of the Central Utah
 Project.

SUMMARY: Public Law 102–575 Section
 202(a)(1)(C) stipulates that: “Amounts
 authorized to carry out subparagraph
 (A) may not be obligated or expended,
 and may not be borrowed against, until
 binding contracts for the purchase for
 the purpose of agricultural irrigation of
 at least 90 percent of the irrigation water
 to be delivered from the features of the
 Central Utah Project described in
 subparagraph (A) have been executed.”
 Subparagraph (A) relates to construction
 of the Spanish Fork Canyon/Nephi
 Irrigation System of the Bonneville Unit,
 Central Utah Project. A negotiated
 contract among CUWCD, EJCWCD, and
 DOI will meet the requirements of
 Section 202(a)(1)(C).

DATES: Dates for public negotiation
 sessions will be announced in local
 newspapers.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION: Additional
 information on matters related to this
 Federal Register notice can be obtained
 at the address and telephone number set
 forth below:

Mr. Reed Murray, Program Coordinator,
 CUP Completion Act Office,

Department of the Interior, 302 East
1860 South, Provo UT 84606-6154,
Telephone: (801) 379-1237, Internet:
rmurray@uc.usbr.gov

Dated: February 26, 1996.

Ronald Johnston,

*CUP Program Director, Department of the
Interior.*

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Fish and Wildlife Service

Endangered and Threatened Species Permit Application

AGENCY: Fish and Wildlife Service,
Interior.

ACTION: Notice of receipt of application.

The following applicant has applied for a permit to conduct certain activities with endangered species. This notice is provided pursuant to section 10(c) of the Endangered Species Act of 1973, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1531, *et seq.*).

PRT-811679

Applicant: Arthur H. Clarke, Ecosearch, Inc.,
Portland, Texas.

The applicant requests a permit to take (capture, handle and release) Higgins' eye pearly mussel (*Lampsilis higginsii*) in the East Branch of the Mississippi River at Prairie du Chien, Crawford County, Wisconsin, for enhancement of the species in the wild through scientific study of impacts to populations.

Written data or comments should be submitted to the Regional Director, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Division of Endangered Species, 1 Federal Drive, Fort Snelling, Minnesota 55111-4056, and must be received within 30 days of the date of this publication.

Documents and other information submitted with this application are available for review by any party who submits a written request for a copy of such documents to the following office within 30 days of the date of publication of this notice: U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Division of Endangered Species, 1 Federal Drive, Fort Snelling, Minnesota 55111-4056. Telephone: (612/725-3536 x250); FAX: (612/725-3526).

Dated: February 29, 1996.

John A. Blankenship,

*Assistant Regional Director, Ecological
Services, Region 3, Fish and Wildlife Service,
Fort Snelling, Minnesota.*

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Bureau of Indian Affairs

Draft Environmental Impact Statement (DEIS) for the Proposed El Rancho Electric Substation, Santa Fe County, New Mexico

AGENCY: Bureau of Indian Affairs,
Interior.

ACTION: Notice of availability of DEIS
and public comment dates.

SUMMARY: The Draft Environmental Impact Statement (DEIS) is for the proposed approval by the Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA) of a one acre easement on Indian trust land of the Pueblo of San Ildefonso for the Jemez Mountains Electric Cooperative, Inc. (Cooperative). The parcel is located in the community of El Rancho, Santa Fe County, New Mexico. The Cooperative intends to construct, operate and maintain a 69/kV electric distribution substation and related facilities on the land.

In a related action, the Rural Utilities Service (RUS, Department of Agriculture, is considering the approval of the advance of loan funds for construction of the facilities. The BIA is serving as the lead agency. The RUS is participating as a cooperating agency.

This notice is published pursuant to Sec. 1503.1 of the Council on Environmental Quality Regulations (40 CFR, Parts 1500 through 1508) implementing the procedural requirements of the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969, as amended (42 U.S.C. 4321 *et seq.*), the Department of Interior Manual (516 DM 1-6), and the environmental policies and procedures of the RUS; and is in the exercise of authority delegated to the Assistant Secretary—Indian Affairs by 209 DM 8.

DATES: Written comments must arrive by May 7, 1996, at the address given below. We will consider all comments received during this period in preparing the Final EIS.

ADDRESSES: Send written comments to Mr. Charles Tippeconnic, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Albuquerque Area Office, Branch of Natural Resources, P.O. Box 26567, Albuquerque, New Mexico 87125-6567.

If you would like a copy of this DEIS, please write Mr. Tippeconnic at the above address, or call (505) 766-3374. We have sent copies of the DEIS to all agencies and individuals who previously asked for them.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mr. Charles Tippeconnic at the above address, or at (505) 766-3374.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Proposed Action would permit the

Cooperative to construct a new 69/12.47 kV electric distribution substation and related facilities on 1.0 acre of land. Equipment within the substation would include terminal and switching equipment for the 69 kV transmission line, a 69-12.47 kV, 10,000 kVA power transformer, one regulator bank, four electronic vacuum reclosers, a control house and supports for the bus work and low voltage terminations. The proposed project would also include the construction of a 69 kV transmission line and four underground distribution tie lines.

The action is needed in order to meet the increasing demand for electrical power in the El Rancho service area. Service is now being supplied by a temporary substation, located approximately one and one half miles from the proposed project site. That substation is constantly operating at 100% of its 1500 kVA capacity, which is no longer sufficient to deliver reliable electric power. Moreover, a higher capacity substation is needed in the El Rancho area to serve as a backup source of power for a wider region.

The No Action alternative would deny approval of the easement. This would not necessarily prohibit the Cooperative from upgrading its service, but would certainly result in higher consumer costs. The proposed substation site is optimal for the distribution of power within its load area. The operating costs increase with distance from this central point. Other alternatives to the proposed action include upgrading the existing substation, or constructing a new substation at one of five alternate locations.

The significant issues identified and analyzed in the DEIS include cultural resources, aesthetic qualities, and existing and future land use.

Dated: February 21, 1996.

Ada E. Deer,

Assistant Secretary—Indian Affairs.

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Bureau of Land Management

[NV-010-1990-01]

Notice of Availability for the Bootstrap Project Draft Environmental Impact Statement and Notice of Comment Period and Public Meeting

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management,
Interior.

ACTION: Notice.