

form, as well as any other information that speaks to the nominee's qualifications.

Resource Advisory Councils will forward advice on public land planning and management issues to the BLM.

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

Renee Snyder, 2550 N. State Street,
Ukiah, California 95482

Ron Fellows, 3801 Pegasus Avenue,
Bakersfield, California 93308

Linda Hansen, 2950 Riverside Drive,
Susanville, California 96130

DATES: All nominations must be received by the appropriate BLM Office on or before May 20, 1996.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Tony Staed, Bureau of Land Management, 2800 Cottage Way, Room 2845, Sacramento, CA 95825, 916-979-2835.

Dated: March 29, 1996.

Tony Staed,

Deputy State Director, External Affairs

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Call for Nominations on Resource Advisory Councils

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The purpose of this notice is to solicit nominations from the public for each of three Bureau of Land Management (BLM) Resource Advisory Councils currently assisting BLM in Idaho. The three councils of the Upper Snake River, Lower Snake River, and Upper Columbia-Salmon Clearwater, established and authorized in 1995 by the Secretary of the Interior, provide advice and recommendations to BLM on management of the public lands. Public notice begins with the publication date of this notice. Public nominations will be considered for 45 days.

The Federal Land Policy and Management Act (FLPMA) 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 members appointed to the council must be balanced and representative of the various interests concerned with the management of the public lands. These include three categories:

- Category One—holders of federal grazing permits, representatives of energy and mining development, timber industry, off-road vehicle use and developed recreation;
- Category 2—representatives of environmental and resource conservation organizations, archaeological and historic interests, and wild horse and burro groups;
- Category 3—representatives of State and local government, Native American tribes, academicians involved in natural sciences, and the public-at-large.

The Upper Snake River Council has two openings in Category One; two openings in Category 2; and one opening in Category 3. The Lower Snake River Council has one opening in Category One; three openings in Category 2; and two openings in Category 3. The Upper Columbia-Salmon/Clearwater Council has two openings in Category One; one opening in Category 2; and two openings in Category 3.

Individuals may nominate themselves or others. Nominees must be residents of the State or States in which the council has jurisdiction. Nominees will be evaluated based on their education, training, and experience of the issues and knowledge of the geographical area of the Council. Nominees should 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. Resource Advisory Councils will forward advice on public land planning and management issues to the BLM.

The nomination period will also be announced through press releases issued by the BLM Idaho offices. Nominations for Resource Advisory Councils should be sent to Jack Sept, External Affairs Manager, 3380 Americana Terrace, Boise, ID 83706.

DATES: All nominations should be received by Jack Sept, Idaho BLM External Affairs Manager, on or before May 20, 1996.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Kim Buxton, Idaho External Affairs, 3380 Americana Terrace, Boise, ID 83706, 208/384-3012.

Jack W. Sept,

External Affairs Manager.

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Arizona; Notice of Change of Mailing Address and Telephone Number

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Yuma District Office, Arizona.

SUMMARY: The Bureau of Land Management, Yuma District Office, including Fire Dispatch, wareyard, and Yuma Resource Area will have a new mailing address effective May 1, 1996. The address will change from 3150 Winsor Avenue, Yuma, Arizona 85365 to 2555 East Gila Ridge Road, Yuma, Arizona 85365. The telephone number for both entities will change from (520) 726-6300 to (520) 371-3200.

DATES: Effective May 1, 1996.

ADDRESSES: New addresses will be Bureau of Land Management, Yuma District Office, 2555 East Gila Ridge Road, Yuma, Arizona 85365 and Bureau of Land Management, Yuma Resource Area Office, 2555 East Gila Ridge Road, Yuma, Arizona 85365.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Assistant District Manager for Administration Maureen A. Merrell, (520) 371-3200.

Dated: March 25, 1996.

Judith I. Reed,

District Manager.

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Notice of Availability

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Bureau of Land Management (BLM), Tulsa District, announces the availability of the Proposed Texas Resource Management Plan (RMP)/Final Environmental Impact Statement (FEIS) for public review. This document proposes a comprehensive plan for managing Federal oil and gas resources within the State of Texas.

DATES: All comments must be received or post-marked no later than April 30, 1996, to be considered in preparation of the Record of Decision. Any person who participated in the planning process and