

80.68 acres of land withdrawn for the U.S. Coast Guard's lighthouse site. The land is no longer needed for lighthouse purposes. This action will open the land to surface entry and mining. The land is within an incorporated city and will remain closed to mineral leasing.

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 12, 1996.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Mary A. Weaver, Withdrawal Coordinator, BLM Jackson District Office, 411 Briarwood Drive, Suite 404, Jackson, Mississippi 39206-3039, 601-977-5400.

By virtue of the authority vested in the Secretary of the Interior by Section 204 of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976, 43 U.S.C. 1714 (1988), it is ordered as follows:

1. The Executive Order dated October 22, 1854, and Executive Order No. 4254, dated June 12, 1925, which withdrew public lands for use as lighthouse purposes are hereby revoked insofar as they affect the following described land:

Tallahassee Meridian

T. 40 S., R. 43 E.,

Sec. 31, lots 13 and 15 (formerly lots 1 and 8, and part of lot 11).

The area described contains 80.68 acres in Palm Beach County.

2. At 10:00 on July 12, 1996, the land will be opened to the operation of the public land laws generally, subject to valid existing rights, the provisions of existing withdrawals, other segregations of record, and the requirements of applicable law. All valid applications received at or prior to 10:00 a.m. on July 12, 1996, shall be considered as simultaneously filed at that time. Those received thereafter shall be considered in the order of filing.

3. At 10:00 a.m. on July 12, 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 of the land 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.

Dated: May 29, 1996.

Bob Armstrong,

Assistant Secretary of the Interior.

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Public Land Order No. 7201; Transfer of Jurisdiction; New Mexico

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Public Land Order.

SUMMARY: This order transfers jurisdiction of 1,262 acres of public land from the Bureau of Land Management to the Department of the Air Force for use by Holloman Air Force Base. This transfer of jurisdiction is directed by the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 1995 (Public Law 103-337).

EFFECTIVE DATE: June 12, 1996.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Bernie Creager, BLM Las Cruces District Office, 1800 Marquess, Las Cruces, New Mexico 88005, (505) 525-4325.

By virtue of the authority vested in the Secretary of the Interior by Section 2845 of Public Law 103-337, it is ordered as follows:

1. Subject to valid existing rights, jurisdiction of the following described public land is hereby transferred to the Department of the Air Force for use by Holloman Air Force Base:

New Mexico Principal Meridian

T. 17 S., R. 8 E.,

Sec. 21, S $\frac{1}{2}$ N $\frac{1}{2}$, E $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, and NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$;

Sec. 22, W $\frac{1}{2}$, and W $\frac{1}{2}$ E $\frac{1}{2}$;

Sec. 27, All that part lying north of Mexico Highway 70 except for the E $\frac{1}{2}$ E $\frac{1}{2}$;

Sec. 28, NE $\frac{1}{4}$, N $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, and W $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;

Sec. 33, NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, and W $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$.

The area described contains 1,262 acres in Otero County.

2. Future use of the land shall be in accordance with and subject to the provisions of Section 2845 of Public Law 103-337.

Dated: May 29, 1996.

Bob Armstrong,

Assistant Secretary of the Interior.

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Public Land Order No. 7198; Withdrawal of National Forest System Lands To Protect the White Pass Ski Area; Washington

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Public Land Order.

SUMMARY: This order withdraws 1,712.50 acres of National Forest System lands in the Snoqualmie and Gifford Pinchot National Forests from mining for a period of 20 years to protect the recreational and visual resources of the White Pass Ski Area. The lands have been and remain open to such forms of disposition as may by law be made of National Forest System lands and to mineral leasing.

EFFECTIVE DATE: June 12, 1996.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Betty McCarthy, BLM, Oregon/Washington State Office, P.O. Box 2965, Portland, Oregon 97208-2965, 503-952-6155.

By virtue of the authority vested in the Secretary of the Interior by Section 204 of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976, 43 U.S.C. 1714 (1988), it is ordered as follows:

1. Subject to valid existing rights, the following described National Forest System lands are hereby withdrawn from location and entry under the United States mining laws (30 U.S.C. Ch. 2 (1988)), but not from leasing under the mineral leasing laws, to protect the significant recreational and visual resources in the White Pass Ski Area:

Willamette Meridian

Snoqualmie and Gifford Pinchot National Forests

T. 13 N., R. 11 E., unsurveyed,

Sec. 1, that portion of the N $\frac{1}{2}$ lying northerly of the withdrawal for State Highway 12;

Sec. 2, that portion of the N $\frac{1}{2}$ lying outside the William O. Douglas Wilderness Area;

Sec. 10, that portion of the E $\frac{1}{2}$ lying southerly of the withdrawal for State Highway 12;

Sec. 11, S $\frac{1}{2}$ S $\frac{1}{2}$;

Sec. 12, that portion of the S $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ lying outside the Goat Rocks Wilderness Area;

Secs. 14, 15, 22, and 23, those portions lying outside the Goat Rocks Wilderness Area;

T. 14 N., R. 11 E., unsurveyed,

Sec. 35, that portion lying outside the William O. Douglas Wilderness Area;

Sec. 36, those portions of the S $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ and SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ lying outside the William O. Douglas Wilderness Area and outside the three unpatented mining claims known as Cover All Bets, Up The Creek, and Spiral View.