

297.76 acres withdrawn for the Bannack National Historic District. The lands are no longer needed for these purposes, and the revocations are needed to transfer the lands to the State of Montana under the Recreation and Public Purposes Act. This action will open the oil shale lands to surface entry and nonmetalliferous mining and the Bannack lands to mining, unless closed by overlapping withdrawals or temporary segregations of record. The oil shale lands have been and will remain open to metalliferous mining. All the lands have been and will remain open to mineral leasing.

EFFECTIVE DATE: December 30, 1996.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Sandra Ward, BLM Montana State Office, P.O. Box 36800, Billings, Montana 59107, 406-255-2949.

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 No. 5237, dated April 15, 1930, which withdrew public lands for the Bureau of Land Management's oil shale reserve, is hereby revoked insofar as it affects the following described lands:

Principal Meridian, Montana

T. 8 S., R. 11 W.,

Sec. 6, lots 1 to 9, inclusive, S $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, and SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$.

T. 8 S., R. 12 W.,

Sec. 1, lot 6;
Sec. 12, E $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$.

The areas described contain 524.61 acres in Beaverhead County.

2. Public Land Order No. 5739, which withdrew public lands for the Bannack National Historic District, is hereby revoked in its entirety:

T. 8 S., R. 11 W.,

Sec. 5, lot 8;
Sec. 6, lots 6 to 9, inclusive, and lot 11;
Sec. 7, lot 1, east 660 feet of lot 4, lots 6 and 8, north 660 feet of lot 10, lots 14, 16, and 17, and NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;
Sec. 8, lot 5.

The areas described contain 297.76 acres in Beaverhead County.

The total areas described aggregate 822.37 acres in Beaverhead County.

3. At 9 a.m. on December 30, 1996, the lands described in paragraph 1 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 9 a.m. on December 30, 1996, shall be considered as simultaneously filed at that time.

Those received thereafter shall be considered in the order of filing.

4. At 9 a.m. on December 30, 1996, the lands described in paragraph 1 will be opened to nonmetalliferous mining and the lands described in paragraph 2 will be opened to mining 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 lands described in this order under the general mining laws prior to the date and time of restoration is unauthorized. Any such attempted appropriation, including attempting 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: November 4, 1996.

Bob Armstrong,

Assistant Secretary of the Interior.

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Notice of Realty Action

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management.

ACTION: Notice of realty action; Recreation and Public Purposes (R&PP) Act classification; Idaho.

SUMMARY: The following public lands in Madison County, Idaho have been examined and found suitable for classification for lease to Madison County under the provisions of the Recreation and Public Purposes Act, as amended (43 U.S.C. 869 *et seq.*) Madison County needs the land for an addition to their Twin Bridges Park.

T. 4 N., R. 40 E., Boise Meridian
Sec. 16, lot 22 (portion)

A lease of these lands (about 3.5 acres) is consistent with current BLM land use planning and would be in the public interest.

The lease, when issued, would be subject to the following terms, conditions, and reservations:

1. Provisions of the Recreation and Public Purposes Act and to all applicable regulations.

2. A right-of-way for ditches and canals constructed by the authority of the United States (Act of August 30, 1890).

3. A reservation of all minerals to the United States, together with the right to prospect for, mine, and remove the minerals.

Detailed information concerning this action is available for review at the Bureau of Land Management, 1405 Hollipark Drive, Idaho Falls, Idaho, 83401.

Upon publication of this notice in the Federal Register the lands will be segregated from all forms of appropriation under the public land laws and general mining laws, excluding lease or conveyance under the R & PP Act and leasing under the mineral leasing laws. For a period of 45 days from the date of publication of this notice in the Federal Register interested persons may submit comments regarding the proposed lease or land classification to the Area Manager at the address listed above.

Any adverse comments will be reviewed by the District Manager, Idaho Falls District Office. In the absence of any adverse comments, the classification will become effective 60 days from the Federal Register publication date.

Dated: November 13, 1996.

Joe Kraayenbrink,

Area, Manager, Medicine Lodge Resource Area.

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Moab Area Recreation Use Restrictions and Authorization of New Special Recreation Permits

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Department of Interior.

ACTION: Notice of Moab area special recreation restrictions and rules addressing camping, off-highway vehicle use, motorized boating and policy for authorization of new Special Recreation Permits.

SUMMARY: This notice places restrictions on recreation and vehicle use of the Sand Flats Recreation Area, Ken's Lake, Mill Creek, Little Canyon, and Seven Mile Canyon areas and on motorized boating use on the Colorado River from the Westwater Ranger Station and Cisco Landing. It also establishes supplemental policy for issuance of new special recreation permits authorized by the Moab Field Office. Actions are implemented under the authority of 43 CFR 8341, 8364, 8365 and 8372.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Russell von Koch, Moab District Office,