

Cheyenne Regulatory Office, 2232 Dell Range Blvd., Suite 210, Cheyenne, WY 82009, telephone 307-772-2300.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The GVID proposes to construct a 150-foot-high zoned-earth embankment dam in an unnamed drainage south of Roach Gulch, a tributary of the Greybull River, in Park County, Wyoming. This dam would impound 33,470 acre-feet of water, inundating about 700 acres of public lands. The GVID's purpose and need for the proposal is primarily to provide early and late season water for irrigated crops and to allow better overall regulation of their system. The DEIS also studied an alternative location in Blackstone Gulch, another tributary of the Greybull River, as well as the "No Action" Alternative, under which no dam would be built.

The FEIS is not a decision document. The FEIS supplements the DEIS, providing additional information, changes, and corrections to the DEIS, as well as responses to comments received on the DEIS. The FEIS does not reiterate those sections of the DEIS which were not changed; therefore, the reader must have a copy of the DEIS to use the FEIS. The BLM's Preferred Alternative remains Alternative B, Proposed Action, as modified by the mitigation described in Chapter 5 of the DEIS. The COE does not identify a Preferred Alternative at this time.

Before GVID may construct the project, it must obtain Federal, State, county, and local permits. Because the reservoir would inundate public land administered by the BLM, GVID must obtain a Right-of-Way Grant from the Federal Government. A permit under Section 404 of the Clean Water Act to conduct operations in a Water of the United States, issued by COE, would also be required. As part of the process for granting the permits, these agencies must consider GVID's proposal under NEPA. The agencies will accept public comment on the FEIS for 30 days from the date of publication of EPA's Notice of Filing. At this time, comments will be most helpful if they focus on any remaining technical or factual errors in the final analysis, and factors the agencies should consider in reaching a decision. The BLM's and the COE's decisions will be documented in Records of Decision which could be issued anytime after the 30-day public comment period.

Comments, including names and street addresses of respondents will be available for public review at the Worland District Office, 101 South 23rd Street, Worland, WY, during regular business hours (7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.)

Monday through Friday, except holidays. Individual respondents may request confidentiality. If you wish to withhold your name or address from public review or from disclosure under the Freedom of Information Act, you must state this prominently at the beginning of your comments. Such requests will be honored to the extent allowed by law. All submissions from organizations or businesses, and from individuals identifying themselves as representatives or officials of organizations or businesses, will be made available for public inspection in their entirety.

Dated: September 18, 1997.

Alan R. Pierson,

State Director.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

[CA-930-5410-00-B092; CACA 38603]

Conveyance of Mineral Interests in California

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of segregation.

SUMMARY: The private land described in this notice, aggregating 441.32 acres, is segregated and made unavailable for filings under the general mining laws and the mineral leasing laws to determine its suitability for conveyance of the reserved mineral interest pursuant to section 209 of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of October 21, 1976. The mineral interests will be conveyed in whole or in part upon favorable mineral examination. The purpose is to allow consolidation of surface and subsurface of minerals ownership where there are no known mineral values or in those instances where the reservation interferes with or precludes appropriate nonmineral development and such development is a more beneficial use of the land than the mineral development.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Kathy Gary, California State Office, 2135 Butano Drive, Sacramento, California 95825, (916) 978-4677.

Mount Diablo Meridian

T. 4 S., R. 16 E.,

Sec. 25, Lot 3;

Sec. 25, S $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, SW $\frac{1}{4}$, N $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$.

T. 4 S. R. 16 E.,

Sec. 26, Lot 3.

County—Mariposa.

Minerals Reservation—All coal and other minerals.

Upon publication of this Notice of Segregation in the **Federal Register** as provided in 43 CFR 2720.1-1(b), the mineral interests owned by the United States in the private lands covered by the application shall be segregated to the extent that they will not be subject to appropriation under the mining and mineral leasing laws. The segregative effect of the application shall terminate by publication of an opening order in the **Federal Register** specifying the date and time of opening; upon issuance of a patent or other document of conveyance to such mineral interest; or two years from the date of publication of this notice, whichever occurs first.

Dated: September 22, 1997.

David McInay,

Chief, Branch of Lands.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

[AZ-950-5700-77; AZA 30313]

Notice of Proposed Withdrawal and Opportunity for Public Meeting; Arizona

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The United States Department of Agriculture, Forest Service, has filed an application to withdraw 2,916.31 acres of National Forest System land to protect the Arnett Creek/Picketpost Mountain Special Interest Area. This notice closes the land for up to 2 years from location and entry under the United States mining laws. The land will remain open to all other uses which may be made of National Forest System land.

DATES: Comments and requests for a meeting should be received on or before December 29, 1997.

ADDRESSES: Comments and meeting requests should be sent to the Forest Supervisor, Tonto National Forest, 2324 E. McDowell Road, Phoenix, Arizona 85006.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Jim Young, Tonto National Forest, 602-225-5200, or Stu Herkenhoff, Globe Ranger District, 520-402-6200.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On July 11, 1997, the Forest Service filed an application to withdraw the following described National Forest System land from location and entry under the