

areas previously nominated is available from the Tonopah Field Station through the contacts listed above.

All ACEC nominations and comments on the ACEC Plan Amendment process, including names and street addresses of respondents, will be available for public review at the above address during regular business hours (7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.), Monday through Friday, except holidays, and may be published as part of the environmental assessment document that will address the impacts of designating selected ACECs. Individual respondents may request confidentiality. If you wish to withhold your name or street address from public review or from disclosure under the Freedom of Information Act, you must state this prominently at the beginning of your written comment. 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: January 30, 1998.

Ron Huntsinger,

Tonopah Field Station Manager.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

[AK-910-0777-74]

Notice of Alaska Resource Advisory Council Meeting

SUMMARY: The Alaska Resource Advisory Council will conduct an open meeting Tuesday, March 3, 1998, from 9 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. and Wednesday, March 4, 1998, from 8:30 a.m. until 4 p.m. The council will review BLM land management issues and take public comment on those issues. The meeting will be held at the BLM Northern District Office, 1150 University Avenue, Fairbanks, AK.

Public comments will be taken from 2-3 p.m. Tuesday, March 3. Written comments may be submitted at the meeting or mailed to the address below prior to the meeting.

ADDRESS: Inquiries about the meeting should be sent to External Affairs, Bureau of Land Management, 222 W. 7th Avenue, #13, Anchorage, AK 99513-7599.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Teresa McPherson, (907) 271-5555.

Dated: February 4, 1998.

Sally Wisely,

Associate State Director.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

[UT-040-08-1430-00; UTU-75154]

Notice of Realty Action; Recreation and Public Purpose Conveyance

SUMMARY: The following described public land in Garfield County, Utah has been examined and found suitable for lease or conveyance under the provisions of the Recreation and Public Purposes (R&PP) Act (43 U.S.C. 869 *et seq.*). The land to be leased or conveyed and the proposed patentee is:

Patentee: Boulder Town, Utah

Location: Salt Lake Meridian, Utah T. 33S., R.4E., sec. 25 & 26, Tract 37, containing 7.5 acres.

This land is hereby segregated from all forms of appropriation under the public land laws, including the mining laws.

The town of Boulder, Utah proposes to use this land to construct a community recreation and visitor center. The land is not needed for Federal purposes. Conveyance or lease is consistent with current BLM land use planning and would be in the public interest. The patent when issued will be subject to the following terms, conditions and reservations:

1. All minerals, including oil and gas, shall be reserved to the United States, together with the right to prospect for, mine and remove the same.

2. A right-of-way will be reserved for ditches and canals constructed by the authority of the United States (Act of August 30, 1890, 26 Stat. 391; 43 U.S.C. 945).

3. The conveyance will be subject to all valid rights and reservations of record.

4. The town of Boulder assumes all liability for and shall defend, indemnify, and save harmless the United States and its officers, agents, representatives, and employees (hereinafter referred to as the United States), from all claims, loss, damage, actions, causes of action, expense, and liability resulting from, brought for, or on account of, any personal injury, threat of personal injury, or property damage received or sustained by any person or persons (including the patentee's employees) or property growing out of, occurring, or the release of hazardous substances from the above

listed land, regardless of whether such claims shall be attributable to: (1) the concurrent, contributory, or partial fault, failure, or negligence of the United States, or (2) the sole fault, failure, or negligence of the United States.

5. Title may revert to the United States upon a finding, after notice and opportunity for a hearing, that the patentee has not substantially developed the lands in accordance with the approved plan of development on or before the date five years after the date of conveyance.

DATES: Interested persons may submit comments regarding the proposed lease or conveyance of the land to the Area Manager, Escalante Resource Area Office, P. O. Box 225, Escalante, Utah 84726. Comments will be accepted until March 30, 1998. Any Adverse comments will be reviewed by the State Director who may vacate or modify this realty action and issue a final determination. In the absence of any adverse comments, this notice will become the final determination of the Department of the Interior on April 13, 1998.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Detailed information concerning this action is available for review at the Escalante Resource Area office by contacting Darrell "Butch" Olsen, P. O. Box 225, Escalante, Utah 84726, or telephone (801) 826-4291.

Dated: January 16, 1998.

Gregg Christensen,

Area Manager.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Minerals Management Service

Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comment Request

AGENCY: Minerals Management Service (MMS), Interior.

ACTION: Notice of extension of a currently approved information collection.

SUMMARY: As part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, MMS invites the public and other Federal agencies to comment on a proposal to extend the currently approved collection of information discussed below. The Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA) provides that an agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid