

The Proposed Action calls for construction of a safe, high-quality, all-weather, two-lane vehicular road system on the island of Babeldaob. This roadway has been configured as a loop system with a northern spur to serve as a direct transportation and communication link between the 10 states on Babeldaob Island. Additionally, the road would provide access through, or be near known areas having potential for agriculture, forestry, mining and quarrying, industry and tourism, and water resource and port development. It would also provide a land-based transportation corridor to and from the proposed site of the Republic of Palau's new capital in Melekeok State.

The selection of a Proposed Action in this revised DEIS does not constitute a final decision. The Final EIS, as modified by all previous comments, will be used by the Department of the Interior in reaching a final decision and developing a final array of measures to avoid, reduce, or mitigate adverse impacts. The Record of Decision will be approved at least 30 days after publication of the Final EIS to allow for public review and comment.

Copies of the revised DEIS are also available for inspection at the following locations: Republic of Palau Ministry of Resources and Development, Palau Environmental Quality Protection Board, and the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Palau Compact Road Field Office, on the third floor of the WCTC Building in Koror.

Dated: February 12, 1998.

**Willie R. Taylor,**

*Director, Office of Environmental Police and Compliance, Department of the Interior.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Geological Survey

#### Technology Transfer Act of 1986

**AGENCY:** U.S. Geological Survey, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice of proposed Cooperative Research and Development Agreement (CRADA) negotiations.

**SUMMARY:** The United States Geological Survey (USGS) is planning to enter into a Cooperative Research and Development Agreement (CRADA) with Sedona GeoServices, Inc., Limerick, Pennsylvania. The purpose of the CRADA is to jointly research and develop new algorithms and advanced methods of automatic contour

vectorization. Any other organization interested in pursuing the possibility of a CRADA for similar kinds of activities should contact the USGS.

**ADDRESSES:** Inquiries may be addressed to the Acting Chief of Research, U.S. Geological Survey, National Mapping Division, 500 National Center, 12201 Sunrise Valley Drive, Reston, Virginia 20192; Telephone (703) 648-4643, facsimile (703) 648-4706; Internet "ebrunson@usgs.gov".

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Ernest B. Brunson, address above.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This notice is to meet the USGS requirement stipulated in the Survey Manual.

Dated: February 3, 1998.

**Richard E. Witmer,**

*Chief, National Mapping Division.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Bureau of Indian Affairs

#### Proclamation of Certain Lands as Part of the Reservation of the Pueblo of Acoma (Los Cerritos Tracts); Correction

**AGENCY:** Bureau of Indian Affairs, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice of reservation proclamation; correction.

**SUMMARY:** This notice corrects **Federal Register** Notice, 53 FR 37357-37358, "Proclamation of Certain Lands as Part of the Reservation of the Pueblo of Acoma," published on September 1, 1988. Parcels A, C, and E are corrected.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Larry E. Scrivner, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Division of Real Estate Services, MS-4510/MIB/Code 220, 1849 C Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20240, telephone (202) 208-7737.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** On September 1, 1988, by proclamation issued pursuant to the Act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat. 986; 25 U.S.C. 467), land was proclaimed to be an addition to and made a part of the reservation of the Pueblo of Acoma Indian Reservation for the exclusive use of Indians on that reservation who are entitled to reside at the reservation by enrollment or tribal membership. A notice of reservation proclamation was published in the **Federal Register** on September 26, 1988 (53 FR 37357-37358). The following descriptions correct Parcels A, C, and E of said notice:

### Cibola County, New Mexico

#### Parcel A

A tract of land situated in Section 22, T. 10 N., R. 7 W., N.M.P.M., within the Cubero Land Grant, Cibola County, New Mexico, more particularly described as follows:

From the point of beginning, being the northeast corner of said tract, the northeast corner of Section 22, a marked stone, bears N. 39°26'53" E. and is 898.76 feet distant; then from said point of beginning, S. 4°10'04" E. and 2,345.20 feet along the westerly right-of-way of Road #32 of Acomita; then N. 88°15'15" W. and 208.69 feet; then S. 4°25'33" E. and 205.78 feet; then S. 88°03'59" E. and 207.83 feet to a point on said westerly right-of-way; then S. 4°10'04" E. and 267.96 feet along said right of way; then along a curve of radius 1,481.49 feet and to the left, an arc distance of 357.66 feet, along said right-of-way; then S. 18°00'00" E. and 19.72 feet along said right-of-way; then along a curve of radius 1,360.58 feet and to the right, an arc distance of 484.64 feet along said right-of-way; then S. 2°24'32" W. and 276.69 feet along said right-of-way and to a point on the northerly right-of-way of Interstate 40; then S. 85°49'34" W. and 505.09 feet along said northerly right-of-way of I-40; then N. 20°14'18" E. and 99.53 feet; then N. 76°34'51" W. and 602.94 feet; then N. 0°26'22" E. and 429.94 feet; then N. 76°28'46" W. and 1,912.87 feet; then N. 0°33'10" E. and 2,723.09 feet to a point on the southerly right-of-way of U.S. Highway 66; then N. 86°53'51" E. and 2,556.47 feet to the point and place of beginning, and containing an area of 203.6223 acres more or less.

#### Parcel C

A tract of land situated within the northeast quarter of Section 27, T. 10 N., R. 7 W., N.M.P.M., Cibola County, New Mexico, and being more particularly described as follows:

From the point of beginning, being the southwest corner of said tract, the one mile post on the North boundary of the Acoma Pueblo Grant bears N. 84°41'41" W., and is 1,258.48 feet distant. Then from the above said point of beginning, N. 00°10'19" E., 635.28 feet; then S. 89°55'29" E., 439.48 feet; then along the westerly right-of-way line of Road #32 to Acomita, along a curve of radius 2,823.99 feet an arc length of 702.18 feet; then N. 84°41'41" W. a distance of 185.37 feet to the point and place of beginning, and containing an area of 4.6909 acres, more or less.

#### Parcel E

A tract of land situated in the Southeast quarter of Section 22 and the Southwest quarter of Section 23, T. 10 N., R. 7 W., N.M.P.M., within the Cubero Land Grant, Cibola County, New Mexico, and being more particularly described as follows:

From the point of beginning, the Northwest corner of Section 23, a marked stone, bears