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FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Should you have any additional questions or concerns, contact Sherry Foot, Special Programs Coordinator, Bureau of Land Management, at (801) 539-4195.

Dated: October 5, 1998.

G. William Lamb,

State Director.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

[WY-989-1050-00-P]

Filing of Plats of Survey; Wyoming

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The plats of survey of the following described lands are scheduled to be officially filed in the Wyoming State Office, Cheyenne, Wyoming, thirty (30) calendar days from the date of this publication.

Sixth Principal Meridian, Wyoming

T. 44 N., R. 75 W., accepted September 28, 1998

T. 45 N., R. 76 W., accepted September 28, 1998

T. 50 N., R. 66 W., accepted September 28, 1998

T. 50 N., R. 67 W., accepted September 28, 1998

T. 45 N., R. 74 W., accepted September 28, 1998

T. 46 N., R. 74 W., accepted September 28, 1998

T. 46 N., R. 75 W., accepted September 28, 1998

T. 47 N., R. 74 W., accepted September 28, 1998

T. 48 N., R. 74 W., accepted September 28, 1998

T. 52 N., R. 71 W., accepted September 28, 1998

T. 53 N., R. 71 W., accepted September 28, 1998

T. 52 N., R. 72 W., accepted September 28, 1998

T. 40 N., R. 81 W., accepted September 28, 1998

Sixth Principal Meridian, Nebraska

T. 9 N., R. 13 W., accepted September 28, 1998

T. 9 N., R. 14 W., accepted September 28, 1998

T. 8 N., R. 15 W., accepted September 28, 1998

T. 9 N., R. 15 W., accepted September 28, 1998

T. 8 N., R. 16 W., accepted September 28, 1998

T. 12 N., R. 12 W., accepted September 28, 1998

T. 24 N., R. 10 E., accepted September 28, 1998

If protests against a survey, as shown on any of the above plats, are received prior to the official filing, the filing will be stayed pending consideration of the protest(s) and/or appeal(s). A plat will not be officially filed until after disposition of protest(s) and/or appeal(s).

These plats will be placed in the open files of the Wyoming State Office, Bureau of Land Management, 5353 Yellowstone Road, Cheyenne, Wyoming, and will be available to the public as a matter of information only. Copies of the plats will be made available upon request and prepayment of the reproduction fee of \$1.10 per copy.

A person or party who wishes to protest a survey must file with the State Director, Bureau of Land Management, Cheyenne, Wyoming, a notice of protest prior to thirty (30) calendar days from the date of this publication. If the protest notice did not include a statement of reasons for the protest, the protestant shall file such a statement with the State Director within thirty (30) calendar days after the notice of protest was filed.

The above-listed plats represent dependent resurveys, subdivision of sections.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Bureau of Land Management, P.O. Box 1828, 5353 Yellowstone Road, Cheyenne, Wyoming 82003.

Dated: September 30, 1998.

John P. Lee,

Chief Cadastral Survey Group.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

National Park Service

Notice of Intent to Repatriate Cultural Items from Oregon in the Possession of the Museum of Indian Arts and Culture, Laboratory of Anthropology, Museum of New Mexico, Santa Fe, NM

AGENCY: National Park Service, DOI.

ACTION: Notice.

Notice is hereby given under the Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act, 43 CFR 10.10 (a)(3), of the intent to repatriate cultural items from Oregon in the possession of the Museum of Indian Arts and Culture, Laboratory of Anthropology, Museum of New Mexico, Santa Fe, NM which meet

the definition of "unassociated funerary object" under Section 2 of the Act.

The cultural items are 96 glass trade beads.

Before 1937, these cultural items were removed from a Native American grave near Oregon City, OR by person(s) unknown. In 1937, these cultural items were donated to the Laboratory of Anthropology by an unknown donor. In 1947, the Laboratory of Anthropology became part of the Museum of New Mexico. The human remains from this burial were not donated to the Museum, and their disposition is unknown.

Based on the type and condition of these cultural items, the burial from which they were removed has been dated to first half of the nineteenth century. During the nineteenth century, the area surrounding Oregon City, OR was inhabited by the Santiam Calapooia, the Tualatin Calapooia, the Clowewlla of the Tumwater, and the Northern Molalla, or Clackamas Chinook. In 1855, these communities were confederated and relocated to Grand Ronde, OR, and are now identified as the Confederated Tribes of the Grand Ronde Community of Oregon.

Based on the above-mentioned information, officials of the Museum of Indian Arts and Culture/Laboratory of Anthropology, Museum of New Mexico have determined that, pursuant to 43 CFR 10.2 (d)(2)(ii), these cultural items are reasonably believed to have been placed with or near individual human remains at the time of death or later as part of the death rite or ceremony and are believed, by a preponderance of the evidence, to have been removed from a specific burial site of an Native American individual. Officials of the Museum of Indian Arts and Culture/Laboratory of Anthropology, Museum of New Mexico have also determined that, pursuant to 43 CFR 10.2 (e), there is a relationship of shared group identity which can be reasonably traced between these items and the Confederated Tribes of the Grand Ronde Community of Oregon.

This notice has been sent to officials of the Confederated Tribes of the Grand Ronde Community of Oregon. Representatives of any other Indian tribe that believes itself to be culturally affiliated with these objects should contact Patricia House, Director, Museum of Indian Arts and Cultures/Laboratory of Anthropology, Museum of New Mexico, P.O. Box 2087, Santa Fe, NM 87504-2087; telephone: (505) 827-6344 before November 12, 1998. Repatriation of these objects to the Confederated Tribes of the Grand Ronde Community of Oregon may begin after