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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

National Park Service

Notice of Availability, Environmental Assessment of Impacts Associated With Access to a Mining Claim Outside Joshua Tree National Park

INTRODUCTION: Notice is hereby given in accordance with section 9.17 (a) of Title 36 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 9, Subpart A, that the National Park Service has received from the "First Class Miners Club" a proposed Plan of Operations for access through the park to mining claims outside the park.

SUMMARY: The group proposes 100 personal vehicle trips per year on park surfaced and unsurfaced roads.

The National Park Service has conducted an Environmental Assessment of the potential impacts of the proposed operation on vegetation, wildlife, air, water, cultural and scenery resources.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Copies of the Environmental Assessment, and proposed Plan are available upon request from: Superintendent, Joshua Tree National Park, 74485 National Park Drive, Twentynine Palms, California, 92277.

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Resource Management Specialist.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

National Park Service

Meeting: Committee for the Preservation of the White House

In compliance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act, notice is hereby given of a meeting of the Committee for the Preservation of the White House. The meeting will be held at the Old Executive Office Building, Washington, DC at 9 a.m., Friday, November 6, 1998. It is expected that the agenda will include policies, goals and long range plans. The meeting will be open, but subject to appointment and security clearance requirements.

Clearance information must be received by October 28, 1998.

Inquiries may be made by calling the Committee for the Preservation of the White House between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m., weekdays at (202) 619-6344. Written comments may be sent to the Executive Secretary, Committee for the Preservation of the White House, 1100 Ohio Drive, SW, Washington, DC 20242.

Dated: October 5, 1998.

James I. McDaniel,

Executive Secretary, Committee for the Preservation of the White House.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

National Park Service

Announcement of Subsistence Resource Commission Meeting

SUMMARY: The Superintendent of Wrangell-St. Elias National Park and Preserve and the Chairperson of the Subsistence Resource Commission for Wrangell-St. Elias National Park announce a forthcoming meeting of the Wrangell-St. Elias National Park Subsistence Resource Commission. The following agenda items will be discussed:

- (1) Call to Order (Chairman).
- (2) Roll Call; Confirmation of Quorum.
- (3) Introduction of Commission members and guests.
- (4) Review Agenda
- (5) Superintendent's welcome and review of the Commission purpose.
- (6) Commission membership status.
- (7) Public and other agency comments.
- (8) Review and approval of minutes from April 6-7, 1998 meeting.
- (9) Report on October 1998 Chair Workshop.
- (10) Superintendent's report: Wrangell-St. Elias National Park and Preserve Chief of Resources, Chief Ranger, and Chief of Interpretation positions.
- (11) Wrangell-St. Elias National Park and Preserve staff reports.
 - a. Mentasta Herd update.
 - b. Response to Jack Hession Sierra Club letter.
 - c. Response to Tom Carpenter Cordova letter.
 - d. Status of Malaspina Forelands ATV study project.
- (12) Old business:
 - a. Status of Environmental Assessment/rulemaking to add Northway, Tetlin, Tanacross, and Dot Lake as resident zone communities.

b. Subsistence Hunting Program Recommendation 97-01 (establish minimum residency requirement for resident zone communities).

c. Status report on draft subsistence plan, hunt maps, and subsistence brochure for Wrangell-St. Elias National Park and Preserve.

d. Status report on inclusion of Healy Lake as a resident zone community.

e. Review National Park Service response to Carl Morgan/Western Interior Regional Advisory Council request for customary trade and trapping regulation changes.

f. Status report on Hunting Plan Recommendations 96-1 and 96-2 (requesting a fall subsistence waterfowl season and authorization to take spring/summer migratory birds and eggs in Wrangell-St. Elias National Park response to Eastern Interior inquiry).

(13) New Business:

a. Inclusion of four wheeler's in draft subsistence plan (Chapter 5: access, page).

b. Maintenance of park lands (cleanup of antlers and horns).

c. Federal Subsistence Program update.

(1) Review actions taken by Federal Subsistence Board during Spring 1998 meeting on Federal Subsistence Program 1998-99 proposed regulation changes.

(2) Federal Subsistence Board Task Group request for customary and traditional process.

(3) Review National Park Service response to Dan O'Connor letter (status on individual customary and traditional).

(4) Review 1999-2000 Federal Subsistence Board proposals for Units 5, 6, 11, 12, and 13.

d. Update on federal fish management.

(14) Public and other agency comments.

(15) Subsistence Resource Commission work session to develop proposals and finalize recommendations.

(16) Set time and place of next Subsistence Resource Commission meeting.

(17) Adjourn meeting.

DATES: The meeting will begin at 1 p.m. on Tuesday, November 17, 1998, and conclude at approximately 9 p.m. The meeting will reconvene at 9 a.m. on Wednesday, November 18, 1998, and adjourn at approximately 5 p.m. The meeting will adjourn earlier if the agenda items are completed.

LOCATION: The meeting location is: Gulkana Community Hall, Gulkana, Alaska.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Jonathan B. Jarvis, Superintendent,