DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Fish and Wildlife Service


AGENCY: Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

ACTION: Notice; correction.

SUMMARY: The Fish and Wildlife Service published a document in the Federal Register of March 27, 2000, concerning a request for comments on the scope and content of the Restoration and Management Plan for Bair Island and EIS/EIR. This document contained an incorrect date for the comment period.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:
Clyde Morris, Refuge Manager, Don Edwards San Francisco Bay National Wildlife Refuge, Newark, California, telephone (510) 792–0222.

Correction
In the Federal Register of March 27, 2000, in FR Doc. 00–7168, on page 16217, in the second column, correct the “Dates” caption to read:

DATES: A public scoping meeting will be held on April 27, 2000, from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m., see addresses for location. Written comments related to the scope and content of the Restoration and Management Plan and EIS/EIR should be received by the Service at the Newark address below by May 12, 2000.


Toni Deery,
Manager, California/Nevada Operations Region, California.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

[CO–000–00–2810–PG]

Northwest Colorado Resource Advisory Council Meeting

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: The next meeting of the Northwest Colorado Resource Advisory Council will be held on Friday, May 19, 2000, at the Bureau of Land Management in Grand Junction, Colorado.

DATES: Friday, May 19, 2000.

ADDRESSES: Bureau of Land Management, 2815 H Road, Grand Junction, Colorado 81506.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, CONTACT:
Lynn Barclay, Bureau of Land Management (BLM), 455 Emerson Street, Craig, Colorado 81625; Telephone (970) 826–5096.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Northwest Resource Advisory Council will meet on Friday, May 19, 2000, at the Bureau of Land Management, 2815 H Road, Grand Junction, Colorado. The meeting will start at 9 a.m. and includes discussion of mission of Wildlife and Land Exchange subcommittees, subcommittee assignments, working with United States Forest Service, and defining meeting procedures and processes.

The meeting is open to the public. Interested persons may make oral statements at the meetings or submit written statements at the meeting. Per-person time limits for oral statements may be set to allow all interested persons an opportunity to speak. Summary minutes of council meetings are maintained at the Bureau of Land Management Offices in Grand Junction and Craig, Colorado. They are available for public inspection and reproduction during regular business hours within thirty (30) days following the meeting.


Mary E. Trautner,
Acting Little Snake Field Office Manager.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Minerals Management Service

Outer Continental Shelf, Western Gulf of Mexico, Oil and Gas Lease Sale 177

AGENCY: Minerals Management Service, Interior.

ACTION: Availability of the proposed notice of sale.

Gulf of Mexico Outer Continental Shelf (OCS) Notice of Availability of the Proposed Notice of Sale for proposed Oil and Gas Lease Sale 177 in the Western Gulf of Mexico. This Notice of Availability is published pursuant to 30 CFR 256.29(c), as a matter of information to the public.

With regard to oil and gas leasing on the OCS, the Secretary of the Interior, pursuant to section 19 of the OCS Lands Act, provides the affected States the opportunity to review the proposed Notice. The proposed Notice sets forth the proposed terms and conditions, of the sale, including minimum bids, royalty rates, and rentals.

The proposed Notice of Sale for Sale 177 and a “Proposed Sale Notice Package” containing information essential to potential bidders may be obtained from the Public Information Unit, Gulf of Mexico Region, Minerals Management Service, 1201 Elmwood Park Boulevard, New Orleans, Louisiana 70123–2394. Telephone: (504) 736–2519.

The final Notice of Sale will be published in the Federal Register at least 30 days prior to the date of bid opening. Bid opening is currently scheduled for August 23, 2000.


Thomas R. Kitsos,
Acting Director, Minerals Management Service.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

National Park Service

National Register of Historic Places; Notification of Pending Nominations

Nominations for the following properties being considered for listing in the National Register were received by the National Park Service before April 1, 2000. Pursuant to section 60.13 of 36 CFR part 60, written comments concerning the significance of these properties under the National Register criteria for evaluation may be forwarded to the National Register, National Park Service, 1849 C St. NW, NC400, Washington, DC 20240. Written comments should be submitted by April 24, 2000.

Beth M. Boland,
Acting Keeper of the National Register.

ILLINOIS

Adams County
Quincy Northwest Historic District, Roughly bounded by Broadway, N. Secod, Locust, and N. Twelfth Sts., Quincy, 00000414

Champaign County
Library—University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, (University of Illinois Buildings designed by Charles A. Platt MPS) 1408 W. Gregory Dr., Urbana, 00000413

Kane County
Spring—Douglas Historic District, Roughly Spring St. and Douglas Ave., bet. River Bluff Rd. and Kimball Ave. Elgin, 00000410
Kankakee County
Illinois Central Railroad Depot, 199 S. East Ave., Kankakee, 00000409

Windrose Site, Address Restricted, Bourbonnais, 00000412

Sangamon County
Fisher Building—Latham Block, 111, 113, and 115 N. Sixth St., Springfield, 00000411

MASSACHUSETTS
Hampshire County
Goodwin Memorial African Methodist Episcopal Zion Church, Woodside Ave., Amherst, 00000416

Suffolk County
Harvard Avenue Historic District, Roughly bounded by Linden St., Commonwealth Ave., Harvard Ave., and Park Vale Ave., Boston, 00000415

NEW YORK
Saratoga County
Arrowhead Casino Prehistoric Site, (Saratoga Lake-Fish Creek Archeological Sites MPS) Address Restricted, Saratoga Springs, 00000418

NORTH CAROLINA
Davidson County
First Reformed Church, 22 E. Center S., Lexington, 00000417

OHIO
Cuyahoga County
Falls River Rd., Falls Rd., Chagrin Falls, 00000421
Henn, Albert W., Mansion, 23131 Lake Shore Blvd., Euclid, 00000422

Morrow County
Benedict, Reuben, House, 1463 Cty. Rd. 24, Marengo, 00000419

Tuscarawas County
Lanning, T. & Co. Department Store, 226–228 Grant St., Dennison, 00000420

PUERTO RICO
Horrigueros Municipality
Torrens Bridge, (Spanish-American War in Puerto Rico MPS) PR 319., Horrigueros, 00000423

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
National Park Service

Notice of Availability of Draft Director’s Order #47 Concerning Soundscape Preservation and Noise Management


SUMMARY: The National Park Service (NPS) is updating its current system of internal instructions. When these documents contain new policy or procedural requirements that may affect parties outside the NPS, this information is being made available for public review and comment. Draft Director’s Order #47 establishes comprehensive operational policies and requirements to guide NPS soundscape preservation and noise management.

DATES: Written comments will be accepted until May 8, 2000.

ADDRESSES: Draft Director’s Order #47 is available on the Internet at http://www.nps.gov/refdesk/DOrders/index.htm. Requests for copies and written comments should be sent to Wes Henry, National Park Service, Ranger Activities Division, 1849 C Street, NW., Room 7418, Washington, D.C. 20240.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Bill Schmidt at 202/501–9269.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The NPS is revising its operational policies and procedures to facilitate, to the fullest extent practicable, the protection, maintenance, or restoration of the natural soundscapes associated with units of the national park system. Natural sounds are vital to the natural function of many parks, and may provide valuable indicators of the health of various ecosystems. The natural sound environment is recognized as one of the resources found in parks, and is highly valued by most park visitors. Increasingly, even those parks that appear as they did in historical context no longer sound the way they once did. Natural sounds are slowly and inexorably being masked or obscured by a wide variety of human activities. Soundscape preservation and noise management is one dimension of the complex problem the NPS faces in preserving park resources unimpaired while providing appropriate enjoyment for current and future generations.


Maureen Finnerty, Associate Director, Park Operations and Education.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
National Park Service

Notice of Availability of Director’s Orders 87, the Guidance for All Non-National Park Service Federal-Aid Roads and Highways in Units of the National Park Service

AGENCY: National Park Service, Interior.

ACTION: Public notice.

SUMMARY: The National Park Service (NPS) has available for public review, the proposed guidance document for all non-NPS Federal-Aid roads and highways in units of the NPS. This information was developed to provide guidance to managers in all units of the National Park System who deal with requests from State and other Department of Transportation (DOT) agencies for NPS land to be used for non-NPS Federal-Aid roads and highways. At the end of the review period, this material will appear as a Director’s Order for Non-NPS Federal-Aid Roads in Parks distributed to all NPS units. The Director’s Order will provide policy guidance to park managers concerning all aspects of requests for land for these purposes, from the initial contact and decisions, through 4(f) determinations, statutory requirements and NPS policy, ultimately resulting in official notification of denial or consent for the request for a deed of easement for highway purposes. The guidance document is a concise treatment of the entire subject of non-NPS Federal-Aid roads in parks including but not limited to requests for new roads and widening of existing roads.

Copies of the proposed guidance document will be made available upon request by writing: National Park Service, Ranger Activity Division, 1849 C St. NW, Suite 7408, Washington, DC 20240, or by calling 202–208–4874. The draft document is also available on the NPS website the following URL: www.nps.gov/refdesk/DOrders/index.htm.

DATES: Public comments will be accepted on or before June 6, 2000.

ADDRESSES: Comments should be addressed to: Dick Young, Special Park Uses Program Manager, C/O Colonial NHP, P. O. Box 210, Yorktown, VA 23690.


Chris Andress, Chief, Ranger Activities Division.

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INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

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Sunshine Act Meeting


TIME AND DATE: April 20, 2000 at 11:00 a.m.