

The Applicant has also applied for a Special Recreation Permit.

DATES: Interested parties may submit comments for a period of 45 days from the publication of this Notice to the Field Manager, Anchorage Field Office, 6881 Abbott Loop Road, Anchorage, Alaska 99507-2599. In the absence of a timely objection, this proposal shall become the final decision of the Department of the Interior.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Callie Webber, Anchorage Field Office, Bureau of Land Management, 6881 Abbott Loop Road, Anchorage, Alaska, 99507-2599; (907) 267-1272 or (800) 478-1263.

Dated: June 29, 2000.

Nick Douglas,
Field Manager.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Reclamation

[FES00-28]

Contra Costa Water District's Multi-Purpose Pipeline Project, Contra Costa County, CA

AGENCY: Bureau of Reclamation, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of availability of the Final Environmental Impact Report/Final Environmental Impact Statement (FEIR/FEIS).

SUMMARY: Pursuant to the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) of 1969 (as amended) and the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), the Bureau of Reclamation (Reclamation) and Contra Costa Water District (CCWD or District) prepared a joint FEIR/FEIS for CCWD's Multi-Purpose Pipeline (MPP) Project. The MPP Project would increase the reliability and capacity of the District's raw water delivery system. The MPP Project is being designed not only to remedy immediate canal capacity constraints but also to help meet long-term (year 2020) water demands for raw water, improve firefighting flows following an emergency or natural disaster such as an earthquake, provide an emergency water supply to municipal customers from either the east side or west side of the service area, provide alternate water conveyance capacity to facilitate temporary canal shut-downs and maintenance during low demand periods, increase operational flexibility by providing the capability of delivering water from the west side of the system

or the east side of system, and minimize cost and environmental impacts to existing and new customers.

DATES: Reclamation will not make a decision on the proposed action until 30 days after this notice of release of the FEIR/FEIS. After August 10, 2000, the end of the 30-day waiting period, Reclamation will complete a Record of Decision (ROD). The ROD will state the action that will be implemented and will discuss all factors leading to the decision.

ADDRESSES: Copies of the FEIR/FEIS may be requested from Dr. Gregory Gartrell, Director of Planning, CCWD, 2300 Stanwell Drive, Concord CA 94524; telephone: (925) 688-8100 or Ms. Rossana Riggs, Administrative Secretary, CCWD, 2300 Stanwell Drive, Concord CA 94524; telephone: (925) 688-8147.

Copies of the FEIR/FEIS are available for public inspection and review. These locations are listed in the **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION** section.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Dr. Gregory Gartrell, CCWD, telephone: (925) 688-8100; or Mr. Robert B. Eckart, Environmental Specialist, Bureau of Reclamation, 2800 Cottage Way, Sacramento CA 95825; telephone: (916) 978-5051.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The proposed action is to implement a Multi-Purpose Pipeline Project to increase the capacity and reliability of the District's raw water delivery system. The District currently transports raw (untreated) water through the Contra Costa Canal, which is owned by Reclamation and, under contract, is operated and maintained by the District. The canal is the District's only raw water conveyance facility; it is vulnerable to damage in an earthquake or other emergency, which could result in extended water shortages. In addition, the canal does not have adequate conveyance capacity to deliver water to meet existing plus projected future demands within the District's service area. The District proposes to increase the capacity and reliability of the raw water delivery system through the construction of the MPP, a Raw Water Pipeline, and ancillary facilities in northern Contra Costa County. The 20-mile MPP would carry treated water from the Randall-Bold Water Treatment Plant in Oakley to the District's Treated Water Service Area. With a capacity of 25 million gallons per day, the MPP would free up capacity in the canal that is currently used to meet customer demands in the Treated Water Service Area. The proposed 4-mile-long Raw Water Pipeline would be constructed to

bypass an existing bottleneck along the canal.

CCWD was formed in 1936 under the authority of the State Water Code. CCWD obtains raw water primarily from Reclamation's Contra Costa Canal, an element of the Central Valley Project. CCWD's raw water comes primarily from Rock Slough and Old River, east of Oakley, the source of which is the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta. The water is pumped the first 7 miles of the Contra Costa Canal and then flows by gravity approximately 20 miles to Mallard Reservoir and Martinez Reservoir. Mallard Reservoir, north of the City of Concord, provides raw water storage for the adjacent Bollman Water Treatment Plant, which supplies potable water to the Treated Water Service Area. Martinez Reservoir provides flow regulation for the Contra Costa Canal.

The FEIR/FEIS (consisting of the DEIR/DEIS and the Response to Comments Document) evaluates in detail two alternatives, one of which is the proposed action, two subalternatives, and a No-Action Alternative. The FEIR/FEIS considers the environmental effects of these alternatives in all topical areas required under NEPA and CEQA. CCWD and Reclamation have identified the Canal Alignment as the preferred alternative. The MPP Project EIR/EIS focuses on the impacts of pipeline construction and operation, including impacts on land use, traffic, recreation facilities, threatened and endangered species, surface water, and ground water.

Notice of the draft environmental impact report/draft environmental impact statement (DEIR/DEIS) was published in the **Federal Register** on September 10, 1998 (64 FR 3974). A public hearing was held on September 22, 1998. The written comment period closed on November 25, 1998. The Response to Comments Document contains responses to all comments received and changes made to the text of the DEIR/DEIS as a result of those comments.

Locations for Inspecting/Reviewing the FEIR/FEIS

Bureau of Reclamation, Office of Policy, Room 7456, 1849 C Street, NW, Washington DC 20240; telephone: (202) 208-4662

- Bureau of Reclamation, Denver Office Library, Building 67, Room 167, at the Denver Federal Center, 6th and Kipling in Denver CO 80225; telephone: (303) 445-2072.

- Bureau of Reclamation, Public Affairs Office, 2800 Cottage Way in Sacramento CA 95825-1898; telephone: (916) 978-5100.

- Contra Costa Water District, Public Reading Room at 1331 Concord Ave in Concord CA 94524; telephone: (925) 688-8312.

- Antioch Branch Library at 501 W. 18th Street in Antioch CA 94509.
- Bay Point Branch Library at 205 Pacifica Avenue in Pittsburg CA 94565.
- Pittsburg Branch Library at 80 Power Avenue in Pittsburg CA 94565.
- Oakley Branch Library at 118 East Ruby in Oakley CA 94561.
- Concord Branch Library at 2900 Salvio in Concord CA 94519.
- Contra Costa County Public Library at 1750 Oak Park Boulevard in Pleasant Hill CA 94523.

Dated: June 28, 2000.

Kirk C. Rodgers,

Deputy Regional Director.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

United States Parole Commission

Sunshine Act Meeting

Public Announcement

Pursuant to the Government in the Sunshine Act (Public Law 94-409) [5 U.S.C. Section 552b].

AGENCY HOLDING MEETING: Department of Justice, United States Parole Commission.

TIME AND DATE: 10:00 a.m., Wednesday, July 12, 2000.

PLACE: 300 Indiana Avenue, NW., Main Floor, Washington, DC 20001.

STATUS: Open.

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED: The following matters have been placed on the agenda for the open Parole Commission meeting:

1. Approval of minutes of previous Commission meeting.
2. Reports from the Chairman, Commissioners, Legal, Chief of Staff, Case Operations, and Administrative Sections.
3. Discussion of proposed changes to the Interim Rules and Proposed Rules for District of Columbia Code offenders and Approval of the Proposed Rules as Final Rules.

AGENCY CONTACT: Sam Robertson, Case Operations, United States Parole Commission, (301) 492-5962.

Dated: July 5, 2000.

Michael A. Stover,

General Counsel, U.S. Parole Commission.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

United States Parole Commission

Sunshine Act Meeting

Public Announcement

Pursuant to the Government in the Sunshine Act (Public Law 94-409) [5 U.S.C. Section 552b].

AGENCY HOLDING MEETING: Department of Justice, United States Parole Commission.

DATE AND TIME: 3 p.m., Wednesday, July 12, 2000.

PLACE: U.S. Parole Commission, 5550 Friendship Boulevard, 4th Floor, Chevy Chase, Maryland 20815.

STATUS: Closed—Meeting.

MATTERS CONSIDERED: The following matter will be considered during the closed portion of the Commission's Business Meeting:

Appeals to the Commission involving approximately two cases decided by the National Commissioners pursuant to a reference under 28 CFR 2.27. These cases were originally heard by an examiner panel wherein inmates of Federal prisons have applied for parole or are contesting revocation of parole or mandatory release.

AGENCY CONTACT: Sam Robertson, Case Operations, United States Parole Commission. (301) 492-5962.

Dated: July 5, 2000.

Michael A. Stover,

General Counsel, U.S. Parole Commission.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

[TA-W-37,190 and NAFTA-3621]

Tempset, Inc., St. Louis, Missouri; Dismissal of Application for Reconsideration

Pursuant to 29 CFR 90.18(C) an application for administrative reconsideration was filed with the Director of the Division of Trade Adjustment Assistance for workers at Tempset, Inc., St. Louis, Missouri. The application contained no new substantial information which would bear importantly on the Department's determination. Therefore, dismissal of the application was issued.

TA-W-37,190 and NAFTA-3621; Tempset, Inc., St. Louis, Missouri (June 19, 2000)

Signed at Washington, DC this 19th day of June, 2000.

Grant D. Beale,

Program Manager, Division of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

Investigations Regarding Certifications of Eligibility To Apply for Worker Adjustment Assistance

Petitions have been filed with the Secretary of Labor under Section 221(a) of the Trade Act of 1974 ("the Act") and are identified in the Appendix to this notice. Upon receipt of these petitions, the Director of the Division of Trade Adjustment Assistance, Employment and Training Administration, has instituted investigations pursuant to Section 221(a) of the Act.

The purpose of each of the investigations is to determine whether the workers are eligible to apply for adjustment assistance under Title II, Chapter 2, of the Act. The investigations will further relate, as appropriate, to the determination of the date on which total or partial separations began or threatened to begin and the subdivision of the firm involved.

The petitioners or any other persons showing a substantial interest in the subject matter of the investigations may request a public hearing, provided such request is filed in writing with the Director, Division of Trade Adjustment Assistance, at the address shown below, not later than July 20, 2000.

Interested persons are invited to submit written comments regarding the subject matter of the investigations to the Director, Division of Trade Adjustment Assistance, at the address shown below, not later than July 20, 2000.

The petitions filed in this case are available for inspection at the Office of the Director, Division of Trade Adjustment Assistance, Employment and Training Administration, U.S. Department of Labor, 200 Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20210.

Signed at Washington, DC, this 26th day of June, 2000.

Edward A. Tomchick,

Director, Division of Trade Adjustment Assistance.