

page or less on a separate page. This page must include the title of the project and the names of the primary project contacts and the applicant organization, followed by the summary. The summary should be self-contained and should describe the overall goals and relevance of the project. The summary should also contain a listing of all organizations involved in the project. The Project Summary should immediately follow the Table of Contents.

6. *Project Narrative:* The narrative portion of the Project Proposal is limited to ten Pages of text and should contain the following:

a. *Introduction.* A clear statement of the goals and objectives of the project. The problem should be set in context of the present-day situation. Summarize the body of knowledge which substantiates the need for the proposed project.

b. *Rationale and Significance.* Substantiate the need for the proposed project. Describe the impact of the project on the United States lamb market. Describe the project's specific relationship to the segment of lamb market being addressed.

c. *Objectives and Approach.* Discuss the specific objectives to be accomplished under the project. A detailed description of the approach must include:

(1) techniques or procedures used to carry out the proposed activities and for accomplishing the objectives; and (2) the results expected.

d. *Timetable.* Tentative schedule for conducting the major steps of the project.

e. *Evaluation.* Provide a plan for assessing and evaluating the accomplishments of the stated objectives during the project and describe ways to determine the effectiveness (impact) of the end results upon conclusion of the project. Awardees will be required to submit written project performance reports on a quarterly basis.

f. *Coordination and Management Plan.* Describe how the project will be coordinated among various participants and the nature of the collaborations. Describe plans for management of the project to ensure its proper and efficient administration.

What To Submit

An original and 6 copies must be submitted. Each copy must be stapled in the upper left-hand corner. (DO NOT BIND). All copies of the proposal must be submitted in one package.

Other Federal Statutes and Regulations That Apply

Several other Federal, statutes and regulations apply to proposals considered for review and to cooperative agreements awarded under this program. These include but are not limited to:

- 7 CFR part 1.1—USDA implementation of the Freedom of Information Act.
- 7 CFR part 15, subpart A—USDA implementation of title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended.
- 7 CFR part 3015—USDA Uniform Federal Assistance Regulations.
- 7 CFR part 3016—Uniform Administrative Requirements for Grants and Cooperative Agreement to State and Local Governments.
- 7 CFR part 3019—Uniform Administrative Requirements for Grant Agreements With Institutions of Higher Education, Hospitals, and Other Nonprofit Organizations.
- 7 CFR part 3051—Audits of Institutions of Higher Education and Other Nonprofit Institutions.

Public Burden in This Notice

Form SF-424, "Application for Federal Assistance"

This form is used by applicants as a required face sheet for applications for Federal assistance.

Form SF-424A, "Budget Information-Non Construction Programs"

This form must be completed by applicants to show the project's budget breakdown, both as to expense categories and the division between Federal and non-Federal sources.

Form SF-424B, "Assurances-Non Construction Programs"

This form must be completed by the applicant to give the Federal government certain assurances that the applicant has the legal authority to apply for Federal assistance and the financial capability to pay the non-Federal share of project costs. The applicant also gives assurance it will comply with various legal and regulatory requirements as described in the form.

Reporting Requirements

Awardees will be required to submit written project performance reports on a quarterly basis and a final report at the completion of the project. The project performance report and final report shall include, but need not be limited to: (1) A comparison of timeline, tasks and objectives outlined in the proposal as compared to the actual accomplishments; (2) If report varies

from the stated objectives or they were not met, the reasons why established objectives were not met; (3) Problems, delays, or adverse conditions which will materially affect attainment of planned project objectives; (4) Objectives established for the next reporting period; and (5) Status of compliance with any special conditions on the use of awarded funds.

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Kathleen A. Merrigan,
Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service.

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Forest Service

Columbia River Gorge National Scenic Area, Oregon and Washington States; Statutory Amendments Regarding Appraisal Standards and Procedures

AGENCY: Forest Service, USDA.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: As required by the Appropriations Act for Fiscal Year 2001 for the Department of the Interior and Related Agencies, the Forest Service gives notice of the statutory amendments made to the Columbia River Gorge National Scenic Area of November 17, 1986.

Among other things, the Act authorized the Forest Service to acquire lands within the designated boundaries of the Columbia River Gorge National Scenic Area. To facilitate those acquisitions, Congress has recently amended the Act as part of the Fiscal Year 2001 appropriations act for the Forest Service (Public Law 106-291). These amendments provide special direction for the valuation of some lands being acquired by the Forest Service within Special Management Areas of the Scenic area. Generally, persons owning land within a Special Management Area as of September 1, 2000, who offer to sell their land to the federal government prior to April 1, 2001, will have their land appraised without regard to the effect of certain zoning and land use restrictions enacted pursuant to the Columbia River Gorge National Scenic Area Act. After April 1, 2001, land will be appraised considering all zoning and land use restrictions. In addition to the publication of this notice in the **Federal Register**, notice of these amendments is also being given via publication in newspapers of general circulation in the area and by direct mail to known landowners in the area.

ADDRESSES: For a copy of the Columbia River Gorge National Scenic Area Act and amendments, write the National Scenic Area Headquarters, Forest Service, USDA, 902 Wasco Avenue, Suite 200, Hood River, Oregon 97031.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Pam Campbell, Lands Staff Officer, National Scenic Area Headquarters, telephone: 541-386-2333.

Dated: November 28, 2000.

Nancy Graybeal,

Deputy Regional Forester.

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Forest Service

Boundary Establishment for McKenzie National Wild and Scenic River, Willamette National Forest, Lane and Linn Counties, OR

AGENCY: Forest Service, USDA.

ACTION: Notice of availability.

SUMMARY: The USDA Forest Service, Washington Office, is transmitting the final boundary of the McKenzie National Wild and Scenic River to Congress.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Randy Dunbar, Willamette National Forest, 211 East 6th Avenue, Eugene, Oregon 97440, phone 541-465-6541.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The McKenzie Wild and Scenic River boundary is available for review at the following offices: USDA Forest Service, Recreation, Yates Building, 14th and Independence Avenues SW., Washington, DC 20024; Pacific Northwest Regional Office, 333 SW. First Avenue, Portland, Oregon 97204; and, Willamette National Forest, 211 East 6th Avenue, Eugene, Oregon 97440.

The Omnibus Oregon Wild and Scenic River Act (Public Act 100-557) of October 28, 1988, designated the McKenzie River, Oregon, as a National Wild and Scenic River, to be administered by the Secretary of Agriculture. The final decision on delineation of a river corridor boundary is based on the McKenzie Wild and Scenic River Decision Notice and Environmental Assessment dated January 9, 1992. Unless changed by Congress, the boundary decision will be implemented ninety days after Congress receives the transmittal.

Dated: November 28, 2000.

Nancy Graybeal,

Deputy Regional Forester.

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Forest Service

Boundary Establishment for North Umpqua National Wild and Scenic River, Umpqua National Forest, Douglas County, OR

AGENCY: Forest Service, USDA.

ACTION: Notice of availability.

SUMMARY: The USDA Forest Service, Washington Office, is transmitting the final boundary of the North Umpqua National Wild and Scenic River to Congress.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Jamie Stone, Umpqua National Forest, 2900 NW. Stewart Parkway, Roseburg, Oregon 97470, phone 541-672-3293.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The North Umpqua Wild and Scenic River boundary is available for review at the following offices: USDA Forest Service, Recreation, Yates Building 14th and Independence Avenues SW., Washington, DC 20024; Pacific Northwest Regional Office, 333 SW. First Avenue, Portland, Oregon 97204; and Umpqua National Forest, 2900 NW. Stewart Parkway, Roseburg, Oregon 97470.

The Omnibus Oregon Wild and Scenic Rivers Act (Public Law 100-577) of October 28, 1988, designated the North Umpqua River, Oregon, as a National Wild and Scenic River, to be administered by the Secretary of Agriculture. The final decision on delineation of a river corridor boundary is based on the North Umpqua Wild and Scenic River Decision Notice and Environmental Assessment dated July 28, 1992. Unless changed by Congress, the boundary decision will be implemented ninety days after Congress receives the transmittal.

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Nancy Graybeal,

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Forest Service

Boundary Establishment for North Fork of the Middle Fork of the Willamette National Wild and Scenic River, Willamette National Forest, Lane County, OR

AGENCY: Forest Service, USDA.

ACTION: Notice of availability.

SUMMARY: The USDA Forest Service, Washington Office, is transmitting the final boundary of the North Fork of the Middle Fork of the Willamette National Wild and Scenic River to Congress.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Randy Dunbar, Willamette National Forest, 211 East 6th Avenue, Eugene, Oregon 97440, phone 541-465-6541.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The North Fork of the Middle Fork of the Willamette Wild and Scenic River boundary is available for review at the following offices: USDA Forest Service, Recreation, Yates Building, 14th and Independence Avenues SW., Washington, DC 20024; Pacific Northwest Regional Office, 333 SW. First Avenue, Portland, Oregon 97204; and, Willamette National Forest, 211 East 6th Avenue, Eugene, Oregon 97440.

The Omnibus Oregon Wild and Service Rivers Act (Public Law 100-557) of October 28, 1998, designated the North Fork of the Middle Fork of the Willamette River, Oregon, as a National Wild and Scenic River, to be administered by the Secretary of Agriculture. The final decision on delineation of a river corridor boundary is based on the North Fork of the Middle Fork of the Willamette Wild and Scenic River Decision Notice and Environmental Assessment dated January 9, 1992. Unless changed by Congress, the boundary decision will be implemented ninety days after Congress receives the transmittal.

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Nancy Graybeal,

Deputy Regional Forester.

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ARCHITECTURAL AND TRANSPORTATION BARRIERS COMPLIANCE BOARD

Public Rights-of-Way Access Advisory Committee; Meeting

AGENCY: Architectural and Transportation Barriers Compliance Board.