

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**Bureau of Land Management****[OR-030-01-1020-PE: GP1-010138]****Notice of meeting of John Day/Snake Resource Advisory Council****AGENCY:** Vale District, Bureau of Land Management, Interior.**ACTION:** Meeting of John Day/Snake Resource Advisory Council (RAC): La Grande, Oregon May 8-9, 2001.

SUMMARY: On May 8, 2001 at 11:00 a.m. there will be a meeting of the John Day/Snake RAC at Mr. Sandman Motel, 2410 E. R Avenue, La Grande, Oregon. The meeting is open to the public. Public comments will be received at 1:00 p.m. on May 8, 2001. The following topics will be discussed by the council: Program of work review; Charter review; Counties Payment Act (1608 Act); Hells Canyon Subgroup update; RAC membership update; Blue Mountain Subgroup update; ICBEMP Subgroup update; OHV Subgroup update; Noxious Weeds Subgroup update; Field trip to Blue Mountain Demo Area; A 15 minute round table for general issues.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Roy L. Masinton, Bureau of Land Management, Vale District Office, 100 Oregon Street, Vale, Oregon 97918, Telephone (541) 473-3144

Roy L. Masinton,*Acting District Manager.*

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BILLING CODE 4310-33-M**DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR****Bureau of Land Management****[CA-320-1820-XQ]****Resource Advisory Council meeting****AGENCY:** Bureau of Land Management, Northwest California Resource Advisory Council, Fortuna, California.**ACTION:** Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to the authorities in the Federal Advisory Committees Act (Pub. L. 92-463) and the Federal Land Policy and Management Act (Pub. L. 94-579), the U. S. Bureau of Land Management's Northwest California Resource Advisory Council will meet Wednesday and Thursday, April 18 and 19, 2001, in Fortuna, California, for a field tour and business meeting. The meeting and tour are open to the public, but anyone attending must provide their own transportation and lunch.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On Wednesday, April 18, the council

members will convene at 10 a.m. at the Best Western Country Inn, 2025 River Walk Drive, Fortuna, and depart immediately for a tour of lands included in the proposed Lost Coast Headlands Project. On Wednesday, the council will convene at 8 a.m. in the Coho Room of the River Lodge Conference Center, 1800 River Walk Drive, Fortuna. Agenda items include a discussion of the land use planning status for the BLM's Arcata, Redding and Ukiah field offices, and program status reports from the field offices. Time will be set aside for public comments. Depending on the number of persons wishing to speak, a time limit may be established.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Contact Lynda J. Roush, BLM Arcata Field Manager, at (707) 825-2300.

Joseph J. Fontana,*Public Affairs Officer.*

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BILLING CODE 4310-40-P**DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR****Bureau of Land Management****[NM-020-1430-ES, NMNM 99153, NMNM 80711]****Notice of Realty Action; Recreation and Public Purposes (R&PP) Act Classification; New Mexico****AGENCY:** Bureau of Land Management, DOI.**ACTION:** Notice.

SUMMARY: The following public lands in Rio Arriba County, New Mexico have been examined and found suitable for classification for lease or conveyance to The American Legion Griego y Tafoya Post 62 and the Spanish Seventh Day Adventist Church, both non-profit organizations, under the provisions of the Recreation and Public Purposes Act, as amended (43 U.S.C. 869 *et seq.*). The American Legion Post 62 proposes to use the lands for a placement of a facility for the purpose of a meeting location and the Spanish Seventh Day Adventist Church proposes to use the lands for a cemetery site.

American Legion Griego y Tafoya Post 62

New Mexico Principal Meridian

T. 23 N., R. 10 E.,

Sec. 28, lot 140.

Containing approximately 0.38 acres.

Spanish Seventh Day Adventist Church

New Mexico Principal Meridian

T. 23 N., R. 10 E.,

Sec. 34: lot 4.

Containing approximately 0.59 acres.

The lands are not needed for Federal Purposes. Lease or conveyance is consistent with current BLM land use planning and would be in the public interest.

The lease/conveyance, when issued, will be subject to the following terms, conditions and reservations:

1. Provisions of the Recreation and Public Purposes Act and to all applicable regulations of the secretary of the Interior.

2. A right-of-way for ditches and canals constructed by the authority of the United States.

3. All minerals shall be reserved to the United States, together with the right to prospect for, mine, and remove the minerals.

4. Those rights for a cable transmission system granted to Mark Twain Cablevision Limited Partnership by Permit No. NM-65192 (American Legion lot).

5. Those rights for domestic water system granted to Dixon Mutual Domestic Water Consumers Association by Permit No. NM-51413 (American Legion lot).

Detailed information concerning this action is available for review at the office of the Bureau of Land Management, Taos Resource Area, 226 Cruz Alta, Taos, NM 87571.

Upon publication of this notice in the **Federal Register**, the lands will be segregated from all other forms of appropriation under the public land laws, including the general mining laws, except for lease or conveyance under the Recreation and Public Purposes Act and leasing under the mineral leasing laws. For a period of 45 days from the date of publication of this notice in the **Federal Register**, interested persons may submit comments regarding the proposed lease/conveyance or classification of the lands to the Field Office Manager, BLM Taos Office, 226 Cruz Alta Road, Taos, New Mexico 87571.

Classification Comments

Interested parties may submit comments involving the suitability of the land for a meeting facility for the American Legion Griego y Tafoya Post 62 or the Spanish Seventh Day Adventist Church cemetery site. Comments on the classification are restricted to whether the land is physically suited for the proposal, whether the use will maximize the future use or uses of the land, whether the use is consistent with local planning and zoning, or if the use is consistent with State and Federal programs.

Application Comments

Interested parties may submit comments regarding the specific use proposed in the application and plan of development, whether the BLM followed proper administrative procedures in reaching the decision, or any other factor not directly related to the suitability of the land for the proposed use.

Any adverse comments will be reviewed by the State Director. In the absence of any adverse comments, the classification will become effective 60 days from the date of publication of this notice in the **Federal Register**.

Dated: March 16, 2001.

Ron Huntsinger,

Field Office Manager.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE**Civil Division****Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comments Requested**

ACTION: Notice of Information Collection Under Review; Extension of a currently approved form SF 95, Claim for Damage, Injury, or Death.

The Department of Justice, Civil Division, Torts Branch, has submitted the following information collection request for review and clearance in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995. This proposed information collection is published to obtain comments from the public and affected agencies. Comments are encouraged and will be accepted for "sixty days" until May 29, 2001.

If you have additional comments, suggestions, or need a copy of the proposed information collection instrument with instructions or additional information, please contact Jeffrey Axelrad, 202-616-4400, Director, Torts Branch, Civil Division, U.S. Department of Justice, P.O. Box 888, Benjamin Franklin Station, Washington, D.C. 20044.

Written comments and suggestions from the public and affected agencies concerning the proposed collection of information should address one or more of the following four points:

(1) Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the function of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility;

(2) Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;

(3) Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and

(4) Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses.

Overview of this information:

(1) *Type of information collection:* Extension of a currently approved collection

(2) *The title of the form/collection:* Claim for Damage, Injury, or Death

(3) *The agency form number, if any, and the applicable component of the Department sponsoring the collection:* SF95, Civil Division, United States Department of Justice,

(4) *Affected public who will be asked or required to respond, as well as a brief abstract:*

Primary: Individuals or households. *Other:* Business or other for-profit; not-for-profit institutions; and State, Local or Tribal Government.

(5) *An estimate of the total number of respondents and the amount of time estimated for an average respondent to respond/rely:* It is estimated that 300,000 respondents will complete this form. A respondent will take an estimate of 6 hours to complete each form.

(6) An estimate of the total public burden (in hours) associated with the collection: It is estimated that the total public burden associated with this collection is 1.8 million annual burden hours.

If additional information is required contact: Mr. Robert B. Briggs, Clearance Officer, United States Department of Justice, Information Management and Security Staff, Justice Management Division, Suite 1220, National Place, 1331 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20530.

Dated: March 22, 2001.

Robert B. Briggs,

*Department Deputy Clearance Officer,
Department of Justice.*

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NATIONAL FOUNDATION ON THE ARTS AND THE HUMANITIES**Proposed Collection: Comment Request****National Endowment for the Arts**

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The National Endowment for the Arts, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, conducts a preclearance consultation program to provide the general public and Federal agencies with an opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing collections of information in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA95) [44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(A)]. This program helps ensure that requested data can be provided in the desired format, reporting burden (time and financial resources) is minimized, collected instruments are clearly understood, and the impact of collection requirements on respondents can be properly assessed. Currently, the National Endowment for the Arts, on behalf of the Federal Council on the Arts and the Humanities, is soliciting comments concerning renewal of the Application for Indemnification. A copy of this collection request can be obtained by contacting the office listed below in the address section of this notice.

DATES: Written comments must be submitted to the office listed in the address section below on or before June 4, 2001. The National Endowment for the Arts its particularly interested in comments which:

- Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility;
- Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;
- Enhance the quality, utility and clarity of the information to be collected; and
- Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting the electronic submissions of responses.

ADDRESSES: Alice Whelihan, National Endowment for the Arts, 1100