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Dated: September 4, 2002.

**Jean Rivers-Council,**  
*Acting State Director, Nevada.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Bureau of Land Management

[COC-3292]

#### Public Land Order No. 7538; Transfer of Jurisdiction to the Department of Agriculture, Forest Service; Colorado

**AGENCY:** Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

**ACTION:** Public Land Order.

**SUMMARY:** This order transfers administrative jurisdiction of 837.12 acres of lands within the boundary of the San Isabel National Forest to the Department of Agriculture, Forest Service for management as National Forest System lands.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** September 12, 2002.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Doris E. Chelius, BLM Colorado State Office, 2850 Youngfield Street, Lakewood, Colorado 80215-7076, 303-239-3706.

#### Order

By virtue of the authority vested in the Secretary of the Interior by Section 204 of the Federal Land and Policy Management Act of 1976, 43 U.S.C 1714 (1994) it is ordered as follows:

Subject to valid existing rights, the administrative jurisdiction of the following described lands, which are within the boundary of the San Isabel National Forest, are hereby transferred to the Department of Agriculture, Forest Service to be managed as National Forest System lands:

#### New Mexico Principal Meridian

T. 50 N., R. 6 E.,  
Sec. 16, lot 12.  
T. 51 N., R. 8 E.,  
Sec. 36, NE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>.  
T. 50 N., R. 9 E.,  
Sec. 36.

The areas described aggregate 837.12 acres in Chaffee and Gunnison Counties.

Dated: August 28, 2002.

**Rebecca W. Watson,**  
*Assistant Secretary—Land and Minerals Management.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Bureau of Land Management

[UTU 1837 et al.]

#### Public Land Order No. 7537; Revocation of Forest Service Withdrawals; Utah

**AGENCY:** Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

**ACTION:** Public Land Order.

**SUMMARY:** This order revokes 7 Public Land Orders, 25 Secretarial Orders, and 2 Executive Orders in their entirety. The lands were withdrawn for Forest Service administrative sites, ranger stations, campgrounds, recreation areas, plant nurseries, a city watershed, roads, and a conservation center. The lands are no longer needed for the purposes for which they were withdrawn and the Forest Service has requested the revocations. There are approximately 13,822 acres involved in the revocations. The lands will be opened to mining and to such forms of disposition as may by law be made of National Forest System lands unless closed by overlapping withdrawals or other segregations of record.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** October 15, 2002.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Rhonda Flynn, BLM Utah State Office, 324 South State Street, Salt Lake City, Utah 84111-2303, 801-539-4132. A copy of the orders being revoked is available from this location.

#### Order

By virtue of the authority vested in the Secretary of the Interior by Section 204 of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976, 43 U.S.C. 1714 (1994), it is ordered as follows:

1. The following Public Land Orders, Secretarial Orders, and Executive Orders are hereby each revoked in their entirety:

(a) Public Land Order Nos. 1084, 1715, 2400, 3928, 4102, 4115, and 4245.

(b) Secretarial Orders dated August 23, 1906, October 26, 1906, November 17, 1906, December 13, 1906, January 9, 1907, January 23, 1907, August 15, 1907, August 16, 1907, August 29, 1907, September 5, 1907, October 29, 1907, November 18, 1907, January 7, 1908, January 14, 1908, April 4, 1908, April 28, 1908, April 30, 1908, May 13, 1908, June 5, 1908, July 10, 1908, August 12, 1908, August 22, 1908, October 6, 1908, and two dated October 30, 1908.

(c) Executive Order dated June 6, 1906 and Executive Order No. 3852.

2. At 10 a.m. on October 15, 2002, the lands shall be opened to such forms of disposition as may by law be made of

National Forest System lands, including location and entry under the United States mining laws, subject to valid existing rights, the provisions of existing withdrawals, other segregations of record, and the requirements of applicable law. Appropriation of lands described in this order under the general mining laws prior to the date and time of restoration is unauthorized. Any such attempted appropriation, including attempted adverse possession under 30 U.S.C. 38 (1994), shall vest no rights against the United States. Acts required to establish a location and to initiate a right of possession are governed by State law where not in conflict with Federal law. The Bureau of Land Management will not intervene in disputes between rival locators over possessory rights since Congress has provided for such determinations in local courts.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Forest Service has determined that the withdrawals are no longer needed and has requested the revocations. The lands are located in several national forests throughout Utah.

Dated: August 28, 2002.

**Rebecca W. Watson,**  
*Assistant Secretary—Land and Minerals Management.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Bureau of Land Management

[MT-070-02-1430-ES; MTM 90728]

#### Notice of Realty Action; Recreation and Public Purposes (R&PP) Act Classification; Montana

**AGENCY:** Bureau of Land Management, Interior

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The following described lands in Broadwater County, Montana have been examined and found suitable for classification for conveyance to Broadwater County under the provisions of the Recreation and Public Purposes Act, as amended (43 U.S.C. 869 et seq.). Broadwater County proposes to use the lands for expansion of an existing shooting range on county land.

#### Principal Meridian, Montana

T. 7 N., R. 1 E.,  
Sec. 21: E<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>  
Sec. 28: N<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>NE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>  
Containing 400 acres.

The lands are not needed for Federal purposes. The patent is consistent with the Headwaters Resource Management Plan and would be in the public interest.

The patent, 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. A limited reverter provision wherein the lands will revert back to the United States if they are not substantially developed on or before 5 years after issuance of patent. However, under no circumstances will any portion of the lands that have been used for any purpose that may result in the disposal, placement, or release of any hazardous substance revert to the United States.

Detailed information concerning this action is available for review at the office of the Bureau of Land Management, Butte Field Office, 160 North Parkmont, Butte, Montana.

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 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 this notice, interested parties may submit comments regarding the proposed conveyance or classification of the lands to the Field Manager, Butte Field Office, 106 North Parkmont, Butte, Montana 59701.

**Classification Comments:** Interested parties may submit comments involving the suitability of the land for a shooting range. 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 a shooting range.

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: September 3, 2002.

**Steve Hartmann,**

*Acting Field Manager.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Bureau of Land Management

[NM-070-1430-EU; NMNM-108570]

#### Notice of Realty Action: Notice of Direct Land Sale of Public Land, New Mexico

**AGENCY:** Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The following described lands have been determined suitable for disposal by direct sale under Section 203 of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act (FLPMA) of 1976 (43 U.S.C. 1713):

#### New Mexico Principal Meridian, New Mexico

T. 29 N., R. 11 W.,

Sec. 3: Lot 1.

Containing 0.52 acres of public land.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** Comments must be received by October 28, 2002.

**ADDRESSES:** Interested parties may submit comments regarding the proposed direct sale to the Bureau of Land Management, Farmington Field Manager, 1235 La Plata Highway, Farmington, NM 87401.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Mary Jo Albin, Bureau of Land Management, Farmington Field Office, 1235 La Plata Highway, Farmington, NM 87401, 505-599-6332.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The public lands have been found suitable for disposal for direct sale and will be sold to Charles and Joan Eavenson pursuant to Section 203 of FLPMA, at no less than fair market value.

The sale will be for the purpose of resolving an unauthorized use of public lands due to an error made in a private survey prior to the Eavensons purchase of the land. The error was discovered when the New Mexico State Highway and Transportation Department (Highway) had a survey done to upgrade Highway 550 to four lanes. The Bureau

of Land Management did a cadastral survey to verify the unauthorized use of public land. The Eavensons have constructed a commercial building, set up a mobile home and landscaped the yard surrounding the mobile home, and built a pole barn on the property. The disposal is deemed necessary to allow the Eavensons the legal use of the property and avoid having to remove the improvements. The disposal is consistent with the Bureau's planning efforts, State and local government programs, and applicable regulations. The land has been examined and is suitable for disposal by direct sale pursuant to Section 203 of the FLPMA of 1976 (43 U.S.C. 1713). The direct sale will be subject to:

1. A reservation to the United States of a right-of-way for ditches or canals constructed by the authority of the United States in accordance with the Act of August 30, 1890 (43 U.S.C. 945).

2. All minerals shall be reserved to the United States, together with the right to mine and to remove the minerals, under applicable laws and regulations to be established by the Secretary of the Interior. A more detailed description of this reservation, which will be incorporated in the document of conveyance.

Publication of this notice in the **Federal Register** will segregate the public land from settlement, location and entry under the public land laws including the mining laws but not from sale. All comments received within the allowed time, will be reviewed by the Field Office Manager, who may sustain, vacate, or modify this realty action. In the absence of any adverse comments, this realty action becomes the final determination of the Department of the Interior.

Dated: August 20, 2002.

**Joel E. Farrell,**

*Assistant Field Manager for Resources.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Minerals Management Service

#### Royalty Policy Committee of the Minerals Management Advisory Board; Notice and Agenda for Meeting

**AGENCY:** Minerals Management Service (MMS), Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice of meeting.

**SUMMARY:** The Royalty Policy Committee of the Minerals Management Advisory Board will meet at the