

**DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT**

[Docket No. FR-4809-N-43]

**Federal Property Suitable as Facilities To Assist the Homeless**

**AGENCY:** Office of the Assistant Secretary for Community Planning and Development, HUD.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** This Notice identifies unutilized, underutilized, excess, and surplus Federal property reviewed by HUD for suitability for possible use to assist the homeless.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** October 24, 2003.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Mark Johnston, Department of Housing and Urban Development, Room 7262, 451 Seventh Street SW., Washington, DC 20410; telephone (202) 708-1234; TTY number for the hearing- and speech-impaired (202) 708-2565, (these telephone numbers are not toll-free), or call the toll-free Title V information line at 1-800-927-7588.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** In accordance with the December 12, 1988 court order in *National Coalition for the Homeless v. Veterans Administration*, No. 88-2503-OG (D.D.C.), HUD publishes a Notice, on a weekly basis, identifying unutilized, underutilized, excess and surplus Federal buildings and real property that HUD has reviewed for suitability for use to assist the homeless. Today's Notice is for the purpose of announcing that no additional properties have been determined suitable or unsuitable this week.

Dated: October 16, 2003.

**John D. Garrity,**

*Director, Office of Special Needs Assistance Programs.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**

**Office of the Secretary**

**Blackstone River Valley National Heritage Corridor Commission: Notice of Meeting**

Notice is hereby given in accordance with Section 552b of Title 5, United States Code, that a meeting of the John H. Chafee Blackstone River Valley National Heritage Corridor Commission will be held on Thursday, December 4, 2003.

The Commission was established pursuant to Pub. L. 99-647. The purpose of the Commission is to assist federal, state and local authorities in the development and implementation of an integrated resource management plan for those lands and waters within the Corridor.

The meeting will convene on December 04, 2003 at 9 a.m. at Brigham Hill Community Farm located at 37 Wheeler Road, North Grafton, MA for the following reasons:

1. Approval of Minutes.
2. Chairman's Report.
3. Executive Director's Report.
4. Financial Budget.
5. Public Input.

It is anticipated that about twenty-five people will be able to attend the session in addition to the Commission members.

Interested persons may make oral or written presentations to the Commission or file written statements. Such requests should be made prior to the meeting to: Michael Creasey, Executive Director, John H. Chafee, Blackstone River Valley National Heritage Corridor Commission, One Depot Square, Woonsocket, RI 02895, Tel: (401) 762-0250.

Further information concerning this meeting may be obtained from Michael Creasey, Executive Director of the Commission at the aforementioned address.

**Elizabeth McConnell,**

*Chief of Administration BRVNHCC.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**

**Fish and Wildlife Service**

**Issuance of Permits**

**AGENCY:** Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice of issuance of permits for endangered species and marine mammals.

**SUMMARY:** The following permits were issued.

**ADDRESSES:** Documents and other information submitted with these applications are available for review, subject to the requirements of the Privacy Act and Freedom of Information Act, by any party who submits a written request for a copy of such documents to: U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Division of Management Authority, 4401 North Fairfax Drive, Room 700, Arlington, Virginia 22203; fax 703/358-2281.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Division of Management Authority, telephone 703/358-2104.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Notice is hereby given that on the dates below, as authorized by the provisions of the Endangered Species Act of 1973, *as amended* (16 U.S.C. 1531, *et seq.*), the Marine Mammal Protection Act of 1972, *as amended* (16 U.S.C. 1361 *et seq.*), the Fish and Wildlife Service issued the requested permits subject to certain conditions set forth therein. For each permit for an endangered species, the Service found that (1) the application was filed in good faith, (2) the granted permit would not operate to the disadvantage of the endangered species, and (3) the granted permit would be consistent with the purposes and policy set forth in Section 2 of the Endangered Species Act of 1973, as amended.

Permit no.	Applicant	Receipt of application Federal Register notice	Permit issuance date
<b>Endangered Species</b>			
005821, 073403, and 073404 .....	Ferdinand Fercos and Anton Fercos Hantig.	68 FR 44807; July 30, 2003 .....	September 29, 2003.
<b>Marine Mammals</b>			
072865 .....	Donald Graham .....	68 FR 40291; July 7, 2003 .....	September 24, 2003.
072820 .....	Joe P. Murphy .....	68 FR 41167; July 10, 2003 .....	September 30, 2003.
073125 .....	Christopher K. Fannin .....	68 FR 39961; July 3, 2003 .....	September 30, 2003.

Dated: October 10, 2003.

**Monica Farris,**

Senior Permit Biologist, Branch of Permits,  
Division of Management Authority.

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**DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**

**Fish and Wildlife Service**

**Receipt of Applications for Permit**

**AGENCY:** Fish and Wildlife Service,  
Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice of receipt of applications  
for permit.

**SUMMARY:** The public is invited to  
comment on the following applications  
to conduct certain activities with  
endangered species.

**DATES:** Written data, comments or  
requests must be received by November  
24, 2003.

**ADDRESSES:** Documents and other  
information submitted with these  
applications are available for review,  
subject to the requirements of the  
Privacy Act and Freedom of Information  
Act, by any party who submits a written  
request for a copy of such documents  
within 30 days of the date of publication  
of this notice to: U.S. Fish and Wildlife  
Service, Division of Management  
Authority, 4401 North Fairfax Drive,  
Room 700, Arlington, Virginia 22203;  
fax 703/358-2281.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**  
Division of Management Authority,  
telephone 703/358-2104.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

**Endangered Species**

The public is invited to comment on  
the following applications for a permit  
to conduct certain activities with  
endangered species. This notice is  
provided pursuant to Section 10(c) of  
the Endangered Species Act of 1973, *as  
amended* (16 U.S.C. 1531, *et seq.*).  
Written data, comments, or requests for  
copies of these complete applications  
should be submitted to the Director  
(address above).

*Applicant:* James W. Bailey,  
Greenwood, South Carolina, PRT-  
077730.

The applicant requests a permit to  
import the sport-hunted trophy of one  
male bontebok (*Damaliscus pygargus  
dorcas*) culled from a captive herd  
maintained under the management  
program of the Republic of South Africa,  
for the purpose of enhancement of the  
survival of the species.

*Applicant:* John W. Miller,  
Collierville, TN, PRT-078155.

The applicant requests a permit to  
import the sport-hunted trophy of one  
male bontebok (*Damaliscus pygargus  
dorcas*) culled from a captive herd  
maintained under the management  
program of the Republic of South Africa,  
for the purpose of enhancement of the  
survival of the species.

*Applicant:* Dr. Duane Rumbaugh,  
Decatur, GA, PRT-077372.

The applicant requests a permit to  
export the carcass of one captive born  
female pygmy chimpanzee (*Pan  
paniscus*) to the Primate Research  
Institute of Kyoto University, Japan, for  
the purpose of scientific research.

*Applicant:* George Carden Circus  
International, Springfield, MO, PRT-  
016016.

The applicant requests a permit to  
export one Asian elephant (*Elephas  
maximus*) born in captivity to  
worldwide locations for the purpose of  
enhancement of the species through  
conservation education. This  
notification covers activities to be  
conducted by the applicant over a three-  
year period and the import of any  
potential progeny born while overseas.

Dated: October 10, 2003.

**Monica Farris,**

Senior Permit Biologist, Branch of Permits,  
Division of Management Authority.

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**DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**

**Bureau of Land Management**

[ID-070-1150-PG]

**Notice of Public Meeting, Upper Snake  
River Resource Advisory Council  
Meeting**

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

**ACTION:** Notice of public meeting.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with the  
Federal Land Policy and Management  
Act (FLPMA) and the Federal Advisory  
Committee Act of 1972 (FACA), the U.S.  
Department of the Interior, Bureau of  
Land Management (BLM) Upper Snake  
River Resource Advisory Council (RAC),  
will meet as indicated below.

**DATES:** The meeting will be held  
November 19 and 20, 2003 at the BLM  
Pocatello Field Office, 4350 Cliffs Drive,  
in Idaho Falls, Idaho. The meeting will  
start November 19 at 10 a.m., with the  
public comment period beginning at  
approximately 1 p.m. The meeting will  
adjourn on November 20 at or before 5  
p.m.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The 15-  
member Council advises the Secretary

of the Interior, through the Bureau of  
Land Management, on a variety of  
planning and management issues  
associated with public land  
management in the BLM Upper Snake  
River District (USRD), which covers  
south-central and southeast Idaho. At  
this meeting, topics we plan to discuss  
include:

Orientation for new members of the  
RAC.

Election of new RAC Officers for the  
2003-2004 term.

The RAC's work plan for the coming  
year.

Updates on major planning projects in  
the USRD, including coordination of  
subgroups.

Updates on the Director's Sustaining  
Working Landscapes Initiative, and  
the RAC's feedback to the BLM State  
Director.

An update on the Idaho BLM's proposed  
organizational refinements.

Brief overviews on other BLM programs:  
Wild Horse and Burros, and  
Abandoned Mine Lands.

Other items of interest raised by the  
Council.

All meetings are open to the public.  
The public may present written  
comments to the Council. Each formal  
Council meeting will also have time  
allocated for hearing public comments.  
Depending on the number of persons  
wishing to comment and time available,  
the time for individual oral comments  
may be limited. Individuals who plan to  
attend and need special assistance, such  
as sign language interpretation, tour  
transportation or other reasonable  
accommodations, should contact the  
BLM as provided below.

The meetings for 2004 will also be set  
at this meeting, and the dates and times  
will be announced in a future **Federal  
Register** Notice and through local  
media.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

David Howell, RAC Coordinator, Upper  
Snake River District, 1405 Hollipark Dr.,  
Idaho Falls, ID 83401. Telephone (208)  
524-7559.

Dated: October 20, 2003.

**David O. Howell,**

Public Affairs Specialist.

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