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Dated: September 30, 2004.

Donald A. Simpson,
Acting State Director.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

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Notice of Meetings of the Pinedale Anticline Working Group's Reclamation Task Group

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of public meetings.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Federal Land Policy and Management Act (1976) and the Federal Advisory Committee Act (1972), the U.S. Department of the Interior, Bureau of Land Management (BLM) Pinedale Anticline Working Group (PAWG) Reclamation Task Group (subcommittee) will meet in Pinedale,

Wyoming, for business meetings. The meetings are open to the public.

DATES: The PAWG Reclamation Task Group will meet October 27, November 10, December 8, and December 15, 2004, beginning at 6 p.m. and continuing until finished, as late as 10 p.m. They will meet November 17, 2004, beginning at 5:30 p.m. and continuing until finished, as late as 9:30 p.m.

ADDRESSES: All meetings of the PAWG Reclamation Task Group will be held in the Lovatt Meeting Room of the Sublette County Public Library at 155 S. Tyler Avenue, Pinedale, WY.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Dessa Dale, BLM/ReclamationTG Liaison, Bureau of Land Management, Pinedale Field Office, 432 E. Mill St., PO Box 768, Pinedale, WY 82941; (307) 367-5321.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Pinedale Anticline Working Group (PAWG) was authorized and established with release of the Record of Decision (ROD) for the Pinedale Anticline Oil and Gas Exploration and Development Project on July 27, 2000. The PAWG advises the BLM on the development and implementation of monitoring plans and adaptive management decisions as development of the Pinedale Anticline Natural Gas Field (PAPA) proceeds for the life of the field. After the ROD was issued, Interior determined that a Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA) charter was required for this group. The charter was signed by Secretary of the Interior, Gale Norton, on August 15, 2002, and renewed on August 13, 2004. An announcement of committee initiation and call for nominations was published in the **Federal Register** on February 21, 2003, (68 FR 8522). PAWG members were appointed by Secretary Norton on May 4, 2004.

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February, 2005; and selecting Task Group leadership and a proceedings recorder. Subsequent meeting agendas will include developing the monitoring plan and identifying who will do the monitoring and how those costs will be paid. Public comments will be heard just prior to adjournment at each meeting.

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Notice of Meetings of the Pinedale Anticline Working Group's Wildlife Task Group

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of public meetings.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Federal Land Policy and Management Act (1976) and the Federal Advisory Committee Act (1972), the U.S. Department of the Interior, Bureau of Land Management (BLM) Pinedale Anticline Working Group (PAWG) Wildlife Task Group (subcommittee) will meet in Pinedale, Wyoming, for business meetings. The meetings are open to the public.

DATES: The PAWG Wildlife Task Group will meet October 28, November 9, and December 9, 2004, from 1 p.m. until 4 p.m.

ADDRESSES: The October 28, 2004, meeting of the PAWG Wildlife Task Group will be held in the large conference room of the Bureau of Land Management Office, 432 E. Mill St., Pinedale, WY. The November 9, 2004, meeting will be held in the meeting room of the Pinedale Volunteer Fire Department, 130 S. Fremont Ave., Pinedale, WY; and the December 9, 2004, meeting will be held in the Lovatt Meeting Room of the Sublette County Public Library at 155 S. Tyler Avenue, Pinedale, WY.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Steve Belinda, BLM/WildlifeTG Liaison, Bureau of Land Management, Pinedale Field Office, 432 E. Mill St., PO Box 768, Pinedale, WY 82941; 307-367-5323.

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