

time period was more representative of normal source operation.

On December 22, 2004, the Administrator issued an order denying the petition. The order explains the reasons for the Administrator's decision that the petition does not demonstrate that the permits are not in compliance with the Act.

Dated: January 26, 2005.

**Richard E. Greene,**

*Regional Administrator, Region 6.*

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## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[ER-FRL-6660-1]

### Environmental Impact Statements and Regulations; Availability of EPA Comments

Availability of EPA comments prepared pursuant to the Environmental Review Process (ERP), under section 309 of the Clean Air Act and section 102(2)(c) of the National Environmental Policy Act, as amended. Requests for copies of EPA comments can be directed to the Office of Federal Activities at (202) 564-7167. An explanation of the ratings assigned to draft environmental impact statements (EISs) was published in the **Federal Register** dated April 2, 2004 (69 FR 17403).

#### Draft EISs

ERP No. D-AFS-F65047-IN Rating LO, German Ridge Restoration Project, To Restore Native Hardwood Communities, Implementation, Hoosier National Forest, Tell City Ranger District, Perry County, IN.

*Summary:* EPA has no objections with the proposed restoration project; however, we recommended that a schedule for prescribed burns and timber removal be included in the FEIS.

ERP No. D-BLM-K65274-NV Rating EC2, Las Vegas Valley Disposal Boundary Project, Disposal and Use of Public Land under the Management of (BLM), Implementation, Clark County, NV.

*Summary:* EPA expressed environmental concerns about impacts to wetlands and Waters of the U.S., general conformity under the Clean Air Act, the analysis of alternatives, and consultation with tribal governments.

ERP No. D-FHW-C40164-NY Rating EC2, NY Route 17—Elmira to Chemung Project, Proposed Highway Reconstruction, New Highway Construction, Bridge Rehabilitation/Replacement, Funding and U.S. Army

COE Section 404 Permit, Town and City of Elmira, Town of Ashland and Chemung, Chemung County, NY.

*Summary:* EPA has concerns with the proposed project due to indirect impacts to water quality and wetlands, and suggested firmer mitigation measures be implemented to address these concerns.

ERP No. D-FHW-D40325-PA Rating EC2, U.S. 219 Improvements Project, Meyersdale to Somerset, SR 6219, Section 020, Funding, U.S. COE Section 404 Permits, Somerset County, PA.

*Summary:* EPA has environmental concerns with the proposed project regarding impacts to wetlands, endangered species, aquatic resources, air quality, and environmental justice.

ERP No. D-FHW-F40426-OH Rating EC2, Eastern Corridor Multi-Modal (Tier 1) Project, To Implement a Multi-Modal Transportation Program between the City of Cincinnati and Eastern Suburbs in Hamilton and Clermont Counties, OH.

*Summary:* EPA has concerns with the proposed project, primarily regarding a new bridge span across the Little Miami River, a designated Wild and Scenic River. These concerns include unresolved questions regarding visual impacts, and cumulative, indirect and secondary impacts to the river's identified characteristics.

ERP No. D-FHW-J40167-UT Rating EC2, Brown Park Road Project, Reconstruction (Paving) and Partial Realignment from Red Creek to Colorado State Line, Diamond Mountain Resource Management Plan Amendment (BLM), U.S. Army COE Section 404 Permit, Daggett County, UT.

*Summary:* EPA has environmental concerns with the proposed project regarding habitat fragmentation, impacts to wildlife due to vehicle collisions, and the introduction of invasive species.

ERP No. D-NIH-D81035-MD Rating EC2, National Institutes of Health (NIH) Master Plan 2003 Update, National Institutes of Health Main Campus—Bethesda, MD, Montgomery County, MD.

*Summary:* EPA expressed concerns regarding impacts from land development and storm water management. EPA requested that the final EIS address the function and value of the existing hardwoods that will be lost, and provide an outline of the mitigation.

ERP No. DS-BIA-A65165-00 Rating EC2, Programmatic—Navajo Nation 10-Year Forest Management Plan, New and Updated Information on Alternatives, Chuska Mountains and Defiance Plateau Area, AZ and NM.

*Summary:* EPA expressed concerns regarding cumulative impacts and

implementation of the Range Assessment and Management Plan (RAMP), and requested that existing environmental information be incorporated into the alternatives and cumulative impact analyses.

ERP No. DS-FHW-E40325-NC Rating EC2, Eastern Section of the Winston-Salem Northern Beltway, U.S. 52 south to I-40 Business and I-40 Business south to U.S. 311, Improvements to the Surface Transportation Network, TIP Project Nos. U-2579 and U-2579A, Forsyth County, NC.

*Summary:* EPA continues to have environmental concerns with the proposed project regarding the number of residential relocations required as well as impacts to aquatic stream habitat and water supply.

#### Final EISs

ERP No. F-AFS-E65067-00 Land Between the Lakes National Recreation Area, Proposes to Revise TVA's 1994 Natural Resources Management Plan, Development of a Land Management Resource Plan or Area Plan, Gold Pond, Trigg and Lyon Counties, KY and Stewart County, TN.

*Summary:* The Final EIS has addressed our concerns and EPA has no objections to the project.

ERP No. F-COE-G39041-LA Programmatic EIS—Louisiana Coastal Area (LCA) Ecosystem Restoration Study, Implementation, Tentatively Selected Plan, Mississippi River, LA.

*Summary:* EPA continues to express full support for the Louisiana Coastal Area Plan, recognizing that the Plan is the appropriate next step in the ongoing effort to address wetland and barrier island loss in coastal Louisiana.

ERP No. F-DHS-D11036-MD National Biodefense Analysis and Countermeasures Center (NBACC) Facility at Fort Detrick, Construction and Operation, Fort Detrick, Frederick County, MD.

*Summary:* The Final EIS provided adequate responses to EPA's comments.

ERP No. F-FHW-E40795-NC U.S.-17 Interstate Corridor Improvements, south of NC-1127 (Possum Track Road) to north of NC-1418 (Roberson Road) Funding and Permit Issuance, City of Washington and Town of Chocowinity Vicinity, Beaufort and Pitt Counties, NC.

*Summary:* EPA has no objections to the preferred alternative.

ERP No. F-FHW-F40368-WI U.S.-12 Highway Corridor Project, Improvement from I-90/94 at Lake Delton south to Ski Hi Road, Selected Preferred Alternative, Funding and U.S. Army COE Section 404 Permit Issuance, Sauk County, WI.

*Summary:* EPA has no objections to the preferred alternative.

ERP No. F-FHW-F40409-IN IN-25 Transportation Corridor Improvements from I-65 Interchange to U.S. 24, Funding, Right-of-Way and U.S. Army COE Section 404 Permit Issuance, Hoosier Heartland Highway, Tippecanoe, Carroll and Cass Counties, IN.

*Summary:* EPA has no objections to the preferred alternative.

ERP No. F-FHW-L40206-WA WA-104/Edmonds Crossing Project, Connecting Ferries, Bus and Rail, Funding, NPDES Permit and COE Section 10 and 404 Permits, City of Edmonds, Snohomish County, WA.

*Summary:* No comment letter was sent to the preparing agency.

Dated: January 25, 2005.

**Robert W. Hargrove,**

*Director, NEPA Compliance Division, Office of Federal Activities.*

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## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[ER-FRL-6660-2]

### Environmental Impact Statements; Notice of Availability

*Responsible Agency:* Office of Federal Activities, General Information (202) 564-7167 or <http://www.epa.gov/compliance/nepa/>.

Weekly receipt of Environmental Impact Statements filed January 24, 2005 through January 28, 2005 pursuant to 40 CFR 1506.9.

EIS No. 050029, Final Supplement, FHW, FL, FL-23 Extension (Branan Field-Chaffe Road), Construction from FL-134 (103rd Street) to FL-8 (I-10) and FL-10 (US-90/Beaver Street), NPDES and US Army COE Section 404 Permits Issuance, Clay and Duval Counties, FL, Wait Period Ends: March 7, 2005, Contact: Donald E. Davis (404) 562-9521.

EIS No. 050030, Draft EIS, NPS, CA, Non-Native Deer Management Plan of Axis Deer (*Axis axis*) and Fallow Deer (*Dama dama*), Implementation, Point Reyes National Seashore (PRNS) and Golden Gate National Recreation Area, Marin County, CA, Comment Period Ends: April 05, 2005, Contact: Natalie Gates (415) 464-5189.

EIS No. 050031, Final EIS, USA, TX, Fort Bliss, Texas Proposed Leasing of Lands, Proposed Siting, Construction and Operation, by the City of El Paso of a Brackish Water Desalination Plant and Support Facilities, El Paso Water

Utilities (EPWU), City of El Pasco, TX and New Mexico, Wait Period Ends: March 7, 2005, Contact: John Barrera (915) 568-3908.

EIS No. 050032, Draft EIS, AFS, WV, Fernow Experimental Forest, To Continue Long-Term Research and Initiate New Research, Involving Removal of Trees, Prescribed Burning, Stem Injection of Selected of Trees, Control Invasive Plant Species, Northeastern Research Station, Parson, Tucker County, WV, Comment Period Ends: March 21, 2005, Contact: Mary Beth Adams (304) 478-2000 Ext 130.

EIS No. 050033, Draft EIS, IBR, NV, Humboldt Project Conveyance, Transferring 83,530 Acres from Federal Ownership to the Pershing County Water Conservation District (PCWCD), Pershing and Lander Counties, NV, Comment Period Ends: April 01, 2005, Contact: Caryn Hunt DeCarlo (775) 884-8352.

EIS No. 050034, Final EIS, NSF, Development and Implementation of Surface Traverse Capabilities in Antarctic Comprehensive Environmental Evaluation, Antarctica, Wait Period Ends: March 7, 2005, Contact: Polly A. Pinhole (703) 292-8033.

EIS No. 050035, Final EIS, AFS, WY, Upper Green River Area Rangeland Project, Propose Site Specific Grazing Management Practices, Bridger-Teton Forest, Sublette, Teton and Fremont Counties, WY, Wait Period Ends: March 7, 2005, Contact: Craig Trulock (307) 367-4326.

EIS No. 050036, Draft EIS, AFS, CA, Burlington Ridge Trails Project, To Eliminate, Reconstruct/or Reroute Unsound Trail Sections, Tahoe National Forest, Yuba River Ranger District, Camptonville, Nevada County, NV, Comment Period Ends: March 21, 2005, Contact: Mary Furney (053) 478-6263.

EIS No. 050037, Draft EIS, AFS, MO, Mark Twain National Forest Land and Resource Management Plan, Implementation, Revise to the 1986 Land and Resource Management Plan, several counties, MO, Comment Period Ends: May 5, 2005, Contact: Laura Watts (573) 341-7471.

EIS No. 050038, Draft EIS, BLM, NM, McGregor Range Resource Management Plan Amendment (RMPA), Implementation, Otero County, NM, Comment Period Ends: May 5, 2005, Contact: Tom Phillips (505) 525-4377.

EIS No. 050039, Draft EIS, AFS, NM, Tajique Watershed Restoration Project, Proposes Fuel Reduction and Restore Forest Health, Cibola National

Forest, Torraine County, NM, Comment Period Ends: March 21, 2005, Contact: Vicky Estrada (505) 847-2990.

EIS No. 050040, Final Supplement, AFS, UT, Table Top Exploratory Oil and Gas Wells, New Information from the Approval 1994 Final EIS, Wasatch-Cache National Forest, Evanston Ranger District, Summit County, UT, Wait Period Ends: March 7, 2005, Contact: Roger Kesterson (307) 782-6555.

EIS No. 050041, Final Supplement, BIA, AZ, NM, Programmatic EIS—Navajo Nation 10-Year Forest Management Plan, Selected Preferred Alternative Four, Chuska Mountain and Defiance Plateau Area, AZ and NM, Wait Period Ends: March 7, 2005, Contact: Jonathan Martin (928) 729-7228.

EIS No. 050042, Final EIS, AFS, WY, Tongue Allotment Management Plan, Proposal to Continue Livestock Grazing on All or Portions of the 22 Allotment, Bighorn National Forest, Tongue and Medicine Wheel/Paintrock Ranger Districts, Johnson, Sheridan and Bighorn Counties, WY, Wait Period Ends: March 7, 2005, Contact: Craig L. Yancey (307) 674-2600.

EIS No. 050043, Draft Supplemental EIS, FHW, UT, US 6 Highway Project, Improvements from Interstate 15 (I-15) in Spanish Fork to Interstate (I-70) near Green River, New Information, Funding, Right-of-Way Permit and U.S. Army COE Section 404 Permit, Utah, Wasatch, Carbon, Emery Counties, UT, Comment Period Ends: March 28, 2005, Contact: Jeff Berna (801) 963-0182.

### Amended Notices

EIS No. 050000, Draft EIS, AFS, UT, Ogden Ranger District Travel Plan, To Update the Travel Management Plan, Wasatch-Cache National Plan, Ogden Ranger District, Box Elder, Cache, Morgan, Weber and Rich Counties, UT, Comment Period Ends: March 30, 2005, Contact: Rick Vallejos (801) 625-5112. Revision of **Federal Register** Notice Published on 1/28/05: CEQ Comment Period Ending 02/22/2005 has been Extended to 03/01/2005.

EIS No. 250017, Final EIS, NOA, ME, MA, RI, NH, CT, Atlantic Herring Fishery Management Plan, Minimizing Impacts on Essential Fish Habitat of Any Species, Gulf of Maine—Georges Bank, ME, NH, MA, CT and RI, Wait Period Ends: March 1, 2005, Contact: Peter D. Colosi (978) 281-3332. Revision of **Federal Register** Notice Published on 1/28/05: CEQ Comment Period Ending 02/22/