DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

National Park Service

Chesapeake and Ohio Canal National Historical Park Advisory Commission; Notice of Public Meeting

AGENCY: National Park Service, Department of the Interior.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal National Historical Park Advisory Commission (the Commission) will be held at 9 a.m., on Friday, May 14, 2010, at the House of Sweden, 2900 K Street, NW., Washington, DC 20007.


ADDRESSES: House of Sweden, 2900 K Street, NW., Washington, DC.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Kevin Brandt, Superintendent, Chesapeake and Ohio Canal National Historical Park, 1850 Dual Highway, Suite 100, Hagerstown, Maryland 21740; telephone: (301) 714–2201.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Commission was established by Public Law 91–664 to meet and consult with the Secretary of the Interior on general policies and specific matters related to the administration and development of the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal National Historical Park, and the Commission seeks public comment in formulating its advice. Before including your address, phone number, e-mail address, or other personal identifying information in your comment, you should be aware that your entire comment—including your personal identifying information—may be made publicly available at any time. While you can ask us in your comment to withhold your personal identifying information from public review, we cannot guarantee that we will be able to do so.

The members of the Commission are as follows:

Mrs. Sheila Rabb Weidenfeld, Chairperson.
Mr. Charles J. Weir.
Mr. Barry A. Passett.
Mr. James G. McCleaf II.
Mr. John A. Ziegler.
Mrs. Mary E. Woodward.
Mrs. Donna Printz.
Mrs. Ferial S. Bishop.
Ms. Patricia Schooley.
Mr. Jack Reeder.
Ms. Merrily Pierce.

Topics that will be presented during the meeting include:
1. Update on park operations.
2. Update on major construction development projects.
3. Update on partnership projects.

The meeting will be open to the public. Any member of the public may file with the Commission a written statement concerning the matters to be discussed. Persons wishing further information concerning this meeting, or who wish to submit written statements, may contact Kevin Brandt, Superintendent, Chesapeake and Ohio Canal National Historical Park.

Minutes of the meeting will be available for public inspection six weeks after the meeting at Chesapeake and Ohio Canal National Historical Park Headquarters, 1850 Dual Highway, Suite 100, Hagerstown, Maryland 21740.


Kevin D. Brandt,
Deputy Superintendent, Chesapeake and Ohio Canal National Historical Park.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Fish and Wildlife Service

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Flight 93 National Memorial Advisory Commission

AGENCY: National Park Service, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of May 1, 2010, meeting.

SUMMARY: This notice sets forth the date of the May 1, 2010, meeting of the Flight 93 Advisory Commission.

DATES: The public meeting of the Advisory Commission will be held on Saturday, May 1, 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. (Eastern). The Commission will meet jointly with the Flight 93 Memorial Task Force.

Location: The meeting will be held at the Somerset County Courthouse, Court Room #1, located at 111 E. Union Street, Somerset, PA 15501.

Agenda:
1. Opening of Meeting and Pledge of Allegiance.
3. Reports from the Flight 93 Memorial Task Force and National Park Service.
4. Old Business.
5. New Business.
6. Public Comments.
7. Closing Remarks.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Joanne M. Hanley, Superintendent, Flight 93 National Memorial, 109 West Heindon Road, Arcata, CA 95521; telephone: (707) 822–7201. Trinity River Restoration Program (TRRP) information: Jennifer Faler, Acting Executive Director, Trinity River Restoration Program, P.O. Box 1300, 1313 South Main Street, Weaverville, CA 96093; telephone: (530) 623–1800; e-mail: jfaler@usbr.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Under section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (5 U.S.C. App.), this notice announces a meeting of the TAMWG. The meeting will include discussion of the:
• 2010 flow schedule.

Completion of the agenda is dependent on the amount of time each item takes. The meeting could end early if the agenda has been completed.


Randy A. Brown,
Designated Federal Officer, Arcata Fish and Wildlife Office, Arcata, CA.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Minerals Management Service

Notice of Availability of the Proposed Notice of Sale (NOS) for Outer Continental Shelf (OCS) Oil and Gas Lease Sale 215 in the Western Planning Area (WPA) in the Gulf of Mexico (GOM)

AGENCY: Minerals Management Service, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of availability of the proposed NOS for proposed Sale 215.

SUMMARY: The MMS announces the availability of the proposed NOS for proposed Sale 215 in the WPA. This Notice is published pursuant to 30 CFR 256.29(c) as a matter of information to the public. With regard to oil and gas leasing on the OCS, the Secretary of the Interior, pursuant to section 19 of the OCS Lands Act, provides the affected states the opportunity to review the proposed Notice. The proposed Notice sets forth the proposed terms and conditions of the sale, including minimum bids, royalty rates, and rentals.

DATES: Comments on the size, timing, or location of proposed Sale 215 are due from the affected states within 60 days following their receipt of the proposed Notice. The final NOS will be published in the Federal Register at least 30 days prior to the date of bid opening. Bid opening is currently scheduled for August 18, 2010.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The proposed NOS for Sale 215 and a “Proposed Notice of Sale Package” containing information essential to potential bidders may be obtained from the Public Information Unit, Gulf of Mexico Region, Minerals Management Service, 1201 Elmwood Park Boulevard, New Orleans, Louisiana 70123–2394, telephone: (504) 736–2519.

Dated: March 31, 2010.
S. Elizabeth Birnbaum,
Director, Minerals Management Service.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Notice of Lodging of Proposed Consent Decree Under the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act (CERCLA)

Notice is hereby given that on March 30, 2010, a Consent Decree in United States of America v. the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Civil Action No. 10–cv–1382, was lodged with the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania.

The United States filed a complaint concurrently with the settlement agreement in which it asserts claims against the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania pursuant to sections 107 and 113 of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act, 42 U.S.C. 9607 and 9613. The claims arise from asbestos contamination at the Valley Forge Asbestos Release Site (the “Site”), located within the Valley Forge National Historical Park in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania. As alleged in the complaint, beginning in the late 1890’s, several companies owned and operated an asbestos manufacturing facility on 46 acres within the Site. The Commonwealth operated a State park at the Site adjacent to the manufacturing operations during the time of disposal of asbestos-containing wastes, and the area of the former State park also became contaminated with asbestos-containing wastes. In 1976, the United States purchased the property formerly owned by the asbestos manufacturers, and the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania transferred the former State park to the United States. The United States created the Valley Forge National Historical Park which is now comprised of the former State park and the property the United States acquired from the asbestos manufacturers. In the complaint, the United States, on behalf of the Department of the Interior and the Environmental Protection Agency, seeks reimbursement of costs incurred and to be incurred to remedy the asbestos contamination at the Site.

The Settlement Agreement resolves the claims of the United States and the potential claims or counterclaims of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania at the Site. The National Park Service has selected a remedy for the Site and, under the Settlement Agreement, the Commonwealth will pay sixty percent of the cost of implementing the remedy at the Site and the United States will pay forty percent. Specifically, the Settlement Agreement obligates Pennsylvania to pay $5.2 million to the United States upon entry of the Agreement by the Court. No more than one year after entry of the Agreement, the Commonwealth will set aside $2 million into a special restricted account which will be used to pay sixty percent of the cost of performance of the remedy at the Site above $8.66 million up to a maximum of $12 million. In the event that the costs of the remedy exceed $12 million, the Agreement provides that the United States will pay $400,000 of each increment of $1 million and Pennsylvania will pay $600,000. The United States as the lead agency at the Site will oversee implementation of the remedy.

The Department of Justice will receive for a period of sixty (60) days from the date of this publication comments relating to this proposed Consent Decree. Comments should be addressed to the Assistant Attorney General, Environment and Natural Resources Division, and either e-mailed to pubcomment-ees.endr@usdoj.gov or mailed to P.O. Box 7611, U.S. Department of Justice, Washington, DC 20004–7611. Attention: Nancy Flickinger (EES), and should refer to United States of America v. Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Civil Action No. 10–cv–1382 and DOJ #90–11–2–06911/2.

The proposed Consent Decree may be examined at the Office of the United States Attorney for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania, 615 Chestnut Street, Suite 1250, Philadelphia, PA 19016. The consent decree also may be examined on the following Department of Justice Web site, http://www.usdoj.gov/enrd/Consent_Decrees.html. A copy of the proposed Consent Decree may also be obtained by mail from the Consent Decree Library, P.O. Box 7611, U.S. Department of Justice, Washington, DC 20004–7611 or by faxing or e-mailing a request to Tonia Fleetwood.