**DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**

Central Utah Project Completion Act: Availability of Draft Environmental Assessment; Block Notice 1A, Heber Sub-Area Irrigation to M&I Water Conversion, Wasatch County, UT

**AGENCY:** Department of the Interior, Office of the Assistant Secretary—Water and Science.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Central Utah Water Conservancy District (CUWCD) and the U.S. Department of the Interior (Interior), as joint lead agencies, are proposing to administratively convert Central Utah Project (CUP) Bonneville Unit water delivered under Development Block Notice No. 1A and currently dedicated to the Heber Sub-Area from irrigation to municipal and industrial (M&I) use. The conversion would include up to 12,100 acre-feet of irrigation water in Wasatch County that is currently intended to provide supplemental irrigation water to commercially viable agricultural tracts that have been deemed irrigable under Bureau of Reclamation (Reclamation) law. The irrigation water would be converted incrementally to M&I use, when requested by petitioners and contract holders, over a period of up to 25 years.

**DATES:** Submit written comments on the Draft EA by July 21, 2011.

**ADDRESSES:** Send written comments on the Draft EA to Sarah Sutherland, Heber Sub-Area Irrigation to M&I Water Conversion, 355 West University Parkway, Orem, UT 84058–7303, by e-mail to sarah@cuwcd.com, or by Fax at (801) 226–7171. Copies of the Draft EA are available for inspection at: Central Utah Water Conservancy District, 355 West University Parkway, Orem, Utah 84058–7303, or the Department of the Interior, Central Utah Project Completion Act Office, 302 East 1860 South, Provo, Utah 84606. In addition, the document is available at http://www.cuwcd.com and http://www.cupaco.gov.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Mr. Lynn Hansen, (801) 379–1238, or e-mail at lhansen@usbr.gov.

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Dated: June 15, 2011.

Reed R. Murray,
Program Director, Central Utah Project Completion Act, Department of the Interior.

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Fish and Wildlife Service

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Bombay Hook National Wildlife Refuge, Kent County, DE;
Comprehensive Conservation Plan and Environmental Assessment

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

**ACTION:** Notice of intent; request for comments.

**SUMMARY:** We, the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (Service), intend to prepare a comprehensive conservation plan (CCP) and associated environmental assessment (EA) for Bombay Hook National Wildlife Refuge (BHNWR). We provide this notice in compliance with our policy to advise other Federal and State agencies, Tribes, and the public of our intention to conduct detailed planning on this refuge, and to obtain suggestions and information on the scope of issues to consider in the planning process.

**DATES:** To ensure consideration, please send your written comments by September 1, 2011.

**ADDRESSES:** We will announce opportunities for public input in local news media throughout the CCP process.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Michael Stroeh, Project Leader, Bombay Hook National Wildlife Refuge, 2591 Whitehall Neck Road, Smyrna, DE 19977. Please call 302–653–9345 for directions.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

**Introduction**

With this notice, we initiate the process for developing a CCP for BHNWR, located in Kent County, Delaware. This notice complies with our CCP policy to: (1) Advise other Federal and State agencies, Tribes, and the public of our intention to conduct detailed planning on this refuge, and (2) obtain suggestions and information on the scope of issues to consider in the environmental document and during development of the CCP.

**Background**

The CCP Process

The National Wildlife Refuge System Administration Act of 1966 (16 U.S.C. 668dd–668ee) (Administration Act), as amended by the National Wildlife Refuge System Improvement Act of 1997, requires us to develop a CCP for each national wildlife refuge. The purpose for developing a CCP is to provide refuge managers with a 15-year plan for achieving refuge purposes and contributing toward the mission of the National Wildlife Refuge System (NWRS), consistent with sound principles of fish and wildlife management, conservation, legal...