

various interests concerned with the management of the public lands. The rules governing RACs are found at 43 CFR subpart 1784 and include the following three membership categories:

- Category One—Holders of Federal grazing permits and representatives of organizations associated with energy and mineral development, timber industry, transportation or rights-of-way, developed outdoor recreation, off-highway vehicle use, and commercial recreation;
- Category Two—Representatives of nationally or regionally recognized environmental organizations, archaeological and historic organizations, dispersed recreation activities, and wild horse and burro organizations; and
- Category Three—Representatives of State, county, or local elected office employees of a State agency responsible for management of natural resources, representatives of Indian tribes within or adjacent to the area for which the council is organized, representatives of academia who are employed in natural sciences, and the public-at-large.

Individuals may nominate themselves or others. Nominees must be Utah residents. The BLM will evaluate nominees based on their education, training, experience, and knowledge of the geographical area of the RAC. Nominees should demonstrate a commitment to collaborative resource decision-making. The Obama Administration prohibits individuals who are currently federally registered lobbyists from being appointed or re-appointed to FACA and non-FACA boards, committees, or councils.

The following must accompany all nominations:

- Letters of reference from represented interests or organizations;
- A completed RAC application; and
- Any other information that addresses the nominee's qualifications.

Simultaneous with this notice, BLM Utah will issue a press release providing additional information for submitting nominations and specifics about the categories of member positions available.

**Jenna Whitlock,**

*Associate State Director.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### National Park Service

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#### **Notice of Approval of Record of Decision for Plan To Protect and Restore Native Ecosystems by Managing Non-Native Ungulates, Hawaii Volcanoes National Park, Hawaii**

**AGENCY:** National Park Service, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice of Record of Decision.

**SUMMARY:** Pursuant to § 102(2)(C) of the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 and the regulations promulgated by the Council on Environmental Quality (40 CFR Part 1505), the Department of the Interior, National Park Service, has prepared the Record of Decision (ROD) for the Final Environmental Impact Statement (Final EIS) for the subject non-native ungulates management plan. The ROD includes a statement of the decision made, a summary of other alternatives considered, discussion of the environmental consequences and measures to minimize harm, the basis for the decision, and a summary of public and agency involvement in the environmental decision-making process. The requisite no-action "wait period" was initiated on January 25, 2013, with the Environmental Protection Agency's **Federal Register** notification of the filing and public release of the Final EIS.

*Decision:* Hawaii Volcanoes National Park has selected and will implement Alternative D (identified as the agency preferred alternative in the Final EIS). Alternative D provides for a comprehensive, park-wide management plan that will ensure maximum flexibility to manage non-native ungulates. The selected actions include a systematic progression of management phases, monitoring, and the considered use of management tools, with a defined population objective of zero non-native ungulates. In addition to fencing, management tools will rely primarily on lethal methods, but non-lethal methods such as relocation may be considered. Qualified volunteers may be used to assist with certain non-native ungulate management activities. In addition to Alternative D, a no-action alternative and three other alternatives were identified and analyzed in the Final EIS (available on-line at <http://parkplanning.nps.gov/havo>). The full range of foreseeable environmental consequences was assessed, and

appropriate mitigation measures identified.

Interested parties desiring to review the Record of Decision may obtain a copy by contacting the Superintendent, Hawaii Volcanoes National Park, P.O. Box 52, Hawaii National Park, HI 96718-0052 or via telephone request at (808) 985-6098.

Dated: April 1, 2013.

**Patricia L. Neubacher,**

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## DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR

### National Park Service

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#### **Notice of 2013 Meeting Schedule for Acadia National Park Advisory Commission**

**AGENCY:** National Park Service, Interior.

**ACTION:** Meeting notice.

**SUMMARY:** This notice sets forth the dates of meetings of the Acadia National Park Advisory Commission occurring in 2013.

**DATES:** The schedule for future public meetings of the Acadia National Park Advisory Commission is as follows:

1. June 3, 2013, at 1:00PM (EASTERN).
2. September 9, 2013, at 1:00PM (EASTERN).

**ADDRESSES:** For the June 3, 2013, meeting the commission members will meet at Headquarters, Acadia National Park, Bar Harbor, Maine 04609. For the September 9, 2013, meeting the commission members will meet at Schoodic Education and Research Center Institute (SERCI), Winter Harbor, Maine 04693.

#### **Agenda**

Commission meeting will consist of the following:

1. Committee reports:
  - Land Conservation
  - Park Use
  - Science and Education
  - Historic
2. Old Business
3. Superintendent's Report
4. Chairman's Report
5. Public Comments
6. Adjournment

#### **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Further information concerning the meeting may be obtained from the Sheridan Steele, Superintendent, Acadia National Park, P.O. Box 177, Bar