

Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) and the associated environmental impact analysis.

Three alternatives were analyzed in this Draft EIS, the No Action Alternative and two build alternatives: Alternative 1—Payne Gap and Alternative 2—Roxana.

#### No Action Alternative

Under the No Action Alternative, the Bureau would not acquire property or construct and operate a new USP or FPC. Existing USPs would remain overcrowded and prevent the Bureau from meeting its mission. The No Action Alternative does not meet the project purpose and need and is therefore, not considered a viable alternative. However, the No Action Alternative is analyzed in the Draft EIS because it serves as a baseline for comparing the proposed action. The purpose for this comparison is to allow the federal agency to assess the effects of taking no action versus implementing the proposed action. In some cases the no action alternative would result in impacts to certain resources if the proposed action is not implemented. Therefore, the assessment of the no action alternative is an important component of all NEPA documents.

#### Alternative 1—Payne Gap

Under Alternative 1, the Bureau would acquire approximately 753 acres of land known as the Payne Gap site. The site is located in eastern Letcher County, approximately 7 miles northeast of Whitesburg, along the Kentucky and Virginia border. The Bureau would then construct and operate a USP and FPC on this site.

Alternative 1 would require extensive earthwork to prepare the site for development. Approximately 10,912,130 cubic yards (yd<sup>3</sup>) of excavation and 13,823,012 yd<sup>3</sup> of fill would be required prior to beginning construction activities. The Bureau would require a minimum of 300 acres for construction of the USP and FPC at this site.

#### Alternative 2—Roxana

Under Alternative 2, the Bureau would acquire approximately 700 acres of land known as the Roxana site. The site is located 7.5 miles west of Whitesburg, Kentucky. The Bureau would construct and operate a USP and FPC on this site.

Alternative 2 would also require extensive earthwork to prepare the site for development. Approximately 3,831,749 yd<sup>3</sup> of material would need to be excavated from the site and approximately 4,293,001 yd<sup>3</sup> of fill

would be required to prepare the site for construction activities. The Bureau would require a minimum of 300 acres for construction of the USP and FPC at this site.

Alternative 1 and Alternative 2 would both have significant impacts to geology, topography, and soils, as well as infrastructure and utilities, and traffic and transportation. Implementation of the proposed action under either alternative would also have the potential to impact threatened and endangered species, including the gray bat (*Myotis grisescens*) and Indiana bat (*Myotis sodalist*). Studies are ongoing to determine detailed impacts to winter and summer habitat. Coordination with the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service is ongoing.

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#### DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

##### **Community Oriented Policing Services Public Meetings With Members of the Research Community, Subject-Matter Experts and the Public To Discuss Topics Relating to Policing; Correction**

**AGENCY:** Community Oriented Policing Services, Justice.

**ACTION:** Notice; correction.

**SUMMARY:** The U.S. Department of Justice published a document in the **Federal Register** of January 29, 2015, concerning a public meeting notice to discuss topics relating to policing. The document contains an updated address for the meeting location.

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#### **Correction**

In 80 FR 4947, published on January 29, 2015, correct the **ADDRESSES** caption to read:

**ADDRESSES:** The meeting location is the Executive Conference Center, Lecture Hall, Phoenix Convention Center, 100 N. 3rd Street, Phoenix, AZ 85004 (Second Level, Room 207). In order to be considered by the Task Force in advance of the meeting, comments relating to the topic areas of Community Policing & Crime Reduction and Training & Education should be emailed in Adobe Acrobat format to [taskforceonpolicing.us](mailto:taskforceonpolicing.us) by Friday, February 6, 2015. Written comments should be no more than five pages in

length and no smaller than 12 point font. Citations should be put in an “endnote” format and do not count towards the page limit.

Recommendations should be clearly identified in the text of the testimony. The public may also submit comments via U.S. Mail to: President’s Task Force on Policing in the 21st Century, Office of Community Oriented Policing Services, U.S. Department of Justice, 145 N Street NE., 11th Floor, Washington, DC 20530.

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#### DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

##### **Public Teleconference With the President’s Task Force on 21st Century Policing Discussing Best Practices and Recommendations**

**AGENCY:** Community Oriented Policing Services, Justice.

**ACTION:** Notice of meeting.

**SUMMARY:** On December 18, 2014, President Barack Obama signed an Executive Order titled “Establishment of the President’s Task Force on 21st Century Policing” establishing the President’s Task Force on 21st Century Policing (“Task Force”). The Task Force seeks to identify best practices and make recommendations to the President on how policing practices can promote effective crime reduction while building public trust and examine, among other issues, how to foster strong, collaborative relationships between local law enforcement and the communities they protect. This publication announces tentative public teleconferences.

The tentative meeting agenda is as follows:

Call to Order  
Discussion of best practices and recommendations  
Conclusion

**DATES:** The tentative teleconferences are:

1. Wednesday, February 25, 2015 from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Eastern Standard Time.
2. Thursday, February 26, 2015 from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Eastern Standard Time.
3. Friday, February 27, 2015 from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Eastern Standard Time.

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