

(5) alter or diminish the authority of a Federal agency under any other law to provide protection for paleontological resources on Federal land in addition to the protection provided under this chapter; or

(6) create any right, privilege, benefit, or entitlement for any person who is not an officer or employee of the United States acting in that capacity. No person who is not an officer or employee of the United States acting in that capacity shall have standing to file any civil action in a court of the United States to enforce any provision or amendment made by this chapter.

(Pub. L. 111-11, title VI, §6311, Mar. 30, 2009, 123 Stat. 1177; Pub. L. 113-287, §5(d)(9), Dec. 19, 2014, 128 Stat. 3265.)

#### Editorial Notes

##### REFERENCES IN TEXT

The Federal Land Policy Management Act (43 U.S.C. 1701-1784), referred to in par. (1), probably means the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976, Pub. L. 94-579, Oct. 21, 1976, 90 Stat. 2743, which is classified principally to chapter 35 (§1701 et seq.) of Title 43, Public Lands. For complete classification of this Act to the Code, see Short Title note set out under section 1701 of Title 43 and Tables.

The Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1977, referred to in par. (1), is Pub. L. 95-87, Aug. 3, 1977, 91 Stat. 445, which is classified generally to chapter 25 (§1201 et seq.) of Title 30, Mineral Lands and Mining. For complete classification of this Act to the Code, see Short Title note set out under section 1201 of Title 30 and Tables.

The Organic Administration Act, referred to in par. (1), is the popular name for certain provisions of act June 4, 1897, ch. 2, 30 Stat. 34, under the headings “UNDER THE DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.” and “SURVEYING THE PUBLIC LANDS.”, which are classified to sections 473 to 475, 477, 478, 479 to 482, and 551 of this title. For complete classification of this Act to the Code, see Short Title note set out under section 473 of this title and Tables.

##### AMENDMENTS

2014—Par. (1). Pub. L. 113-287, which directed amendment of par. (1) by substituting “subchapter 3 of chapter 1007 of title 54” for “Public Law 94-429 (commonly known as the ‘Mining in the Parks Act’ (16 U.S.C. 1901 et seq.))”, was executed by making the substitution for “Public Law 94-429 (commonly known as the ‘Mining in the Parks Act’) (16 U.S.C. 1901 et seq.)”, to reflect the probable intent of Congress.

#### § 470aaa-11. Authorization of appropriations

There are authorized to be appropriated such sums as may be necessary to carry out this chapter.

(Pub. L. 111-11, title VI, §6312, Mar. 30, 2009, 123 Stat. 1177.)

#### CHAPTER 2—NATIONAL FORESTS

##### SUBCHAPTER I—ESTABLISHMENT AND ADMINISTRATION

Sec. 471. Repealed.  
 471a. Forest reserves in New Mexico and Arizona restricted.  
 471b. Repealed.  
 471c. Lands in California set aside as reserved forest lands.

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471d.	Additional forest reserves in California.
471e.	Extension of boundaries of Sequoia National Forest.
471f.	Cradle of Forestry in America in Pisgah National Forest; establishment; statement of purposes; publication in Federal Register.
471g.	Administration, protection, and development; use of natural resources.
471h.	Cooperation with public and private agencies, organizations, and individuals; acceptance of contributions and gifts.
471i.	Pinelands National Reserve.
471j.	Headwaters Forest and Elk River Property acquisition.
472.	Laws affecting national forest lands.
472a.	Timber sales on National Forest System lands.
473.	Revocation, modification, or vacation of orders or proclamations establishing national forests.
474.	Surveys; plats and field notes; maps; effect under Act June 4, 1897.
475.	Purposes for which national forests may be established and administered.
476.	Repealed.
477.	Use of timber and stone by settlers.
478.	Egress or ingress of actual settlers; prospecting.
478a.	Townsites.
479.	Sites for schools and churches.
479a.	Conveyance of National Forest System lands for educational purposes.
480.	Civil and criminal jurisdiction.
481.	Use of waters.
482.	Mineral lands; restoration to public domain; location and entry.
482a.	Mining rights in Prescott National Forest.
482b.	Mount Hood National Forest; mining rights.
482c.	Patents affecting forest lands.
482d.	Perfection of claims within forest.
482e.	Lincoln National Forest; mining rights.
482f.	Patents affecting forest lands.
482g.	Perfection of claims within forest.
482h.	Coronado National Forest; mining rights.
482h-1.	Protection of scenic values of forest.
482h-2.	Cutting of timber; reservation of patent rights.
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482i.	Plumas National Forest; offer of lands; additions; mining rights.
482j.	Santa Fe National Forest; mining rights; protection of scenic values.
482k.	Patents affecting forest lands.
482l.	Perfection of mining claims within forest.
482m.	Teton National Forest in Wyoming; additional lands.
482n.	Coconino National Forest; mining rights; protection of scenic values.
482n-1.	Cutting of timber within forest; reservation of patent rights.
482n-2.	Perfection of mining claims within forest.
482n-3.	Sedona-Oak Creek area.
482o.	Kaibab National Forest; mining rights; protection of scenic values.
482p.	Patents affecting lands within forest.
482q.	Perfection of mining claims within forest.
483, 484.	Repeated.
484a.	Exchange of lands in national forests; public schools; deposit of funds by school authority with insufficient exchange land; limitations on use.
485.	Exchange of lands in national forests; cutting timber in national forests in exchange for lands therein.
485a.	Omitted.
486.	Exchange of lands in national forests; reservations of timber, minerals, or easements.
486a to 486w.	Omitted.