

Land Policy and Management Act of October 21, 1976. The mineral interests will be conveyed in whole or in part upon favorable mineral examination. The purpose is to allow consolidation of surface and subsurface of minerals ownership where there are no known mineral values or in those instances where the reservation interferes with or precludes appropriate nonmineral development and such development is a more beneficial use of the land than the mineral development.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Kathy Gary, California State Office, Federal Office Building, 2800 Cottage Way, Room E-2845, Sacramento, California 95825, (916) 979-2858.

Mount Diablo Meridian

- T. 10 N., R. 5 W.,
 Sec. 2, W $\frac{1}{2}$ of lot 2, and lots 3 and 4;
 Sec. 3, lots 3 and 4, W $\frac{1}{2}$ of lot 8, N $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, and SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$;
 Sec. 4, E $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;
 Sec. 5, lots 1, 2, 3, 6, 7, and 8, N $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, and SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$;
 Sec. 6, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 8, and 9, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, and N $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;
 Sec. 8, NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, E $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, and NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$;
 Sec. 9, E $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ and SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$;
 Sec. 10, S $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$.
 T. 11 N., R. 5 W.,
 Sec. 31, W $\frac{1}{2}$ and SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;
 Sec. 35, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$.
 T. 10 N., R. 6 W.,
 Sec. 13, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, NW $\frac{1}{4}$, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, E $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, and W $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$.
 T. 11 N., R. 6 W.,
 Sec. 24, E $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, and that portion of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ as shown as the record of survey filed in Book 62, Record of Surveys, at page 12, at the office of the Lake County Recorder on February 13, 1995;
 Sec. 25, S $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$;
 Sec. 26, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, and that portion of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ and NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ as shown on the record of survey filed in Book 62, Record of Surveys, at page 11, at the office of the Lake County Recorder on February 13, 1995.

Counties—Lake and Napa

As Reservation—All coal and other minerals.

Upon publication of this Notice of Segregation in the Federal Register as provided in 43 CFR 2720.1-1(b), the mineral interests owned by the United States in the private lands covered by the application shall be segregated to the extent that they will not be subject to appropriation under the mining and mineral leasing laws. The segregative effect of the application shall terminate by publication of an opening order in the Federal Register specifying the date and time of opening; upon issuance of a patent or other document of conveyance to such mineral interest; or two years from the date of publication of this notice, whichever occurs first.

Dated: March 28, 1996.

David McIlnay,

Chief, Branch of Lands.

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Conveyance of Mineral Interests in California

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of segregation.

SUMMARY: The private land described in this notice, aggregating 365.00 acres, is segregated and made unavailable for filings under the general mining laws and the mineral leasing laws to determine its suitability for conveyance of the reserved mineral interest pursuant to section 209 of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of October 21, 1976. The mineral interests will be conveyed in whole or in part upon favorable mineral examination. The purpose is to allow consolidation of surface and subsurface of minerals ownership where there are no known mineral values or in those instances where the reservation interferes with or precludes appropriate nonmineral development and such development is a more beneficial use of the land than the mineral development.

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Mount Diablo Meridian

- T. 7 S., R. 21 E.,
 Sec 20, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, S $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$,
 N $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, N $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$
 E $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$,

Mount Diablo Meridian

- T. 7 S., R. 21E.,
 Sec 29, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$
 County—Madera
 As Reservation—All coal and other minerals.

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Notice of Realty Action—Exchange

AGENCIES: Bureau of Land Management, Montana, Miles City District, Powder River Resource Area, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of Realty Action MTM-82115. Exchange of public and private surface lands and acquisition of an exclusive public easement in Powder River County, Montana.

SUMMARY: The following described surface lands have been determined suitable for disposal by exchange to Gay Ranch, Incorporated under the authority of Section 206 of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976 (43 U.S.C. 1716).

Selected public surface land to be acquired by Gay Ranch, Incorporated in Powder River County, Montana:

Principal Meridian, Montana

- T. 6 S., R. 49 E.,
 Sec. 25, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, NW $\frac{1}{4}$, S $\frac{1}{2}$;
 Sec. 26, W $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, NW $\frac{1}{4}$;
 Sec. 28, all;
 Sec. 33, N $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, W $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;
 Sec. 35, S $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, NW $\frac{1}{4}$, S $\frac{1}{2}$.
 T. 7 S., R. 49 E.,
 Sec. 1, lot 1;
 Sec. 4, lots 1 to 4, inclusive, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$;
 Sec. 5, lots 1 and 2, S $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, N $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;
 Sec. 12, lots 1 to 3, inclusive, [now lots 9 and 10]*;
 T. 6 S., R. 50 E.,
 Sec. 28, S $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ (Portion N & W of River), [now lot 1]*;
 Sec. 29, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$;
 Sec. 30, Lots 3 and 4, E $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, W $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;
 Sec. 31, Lots 1 to 4, inclusive, NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, E $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$;
 Sec. 32, E $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ (Portion N & W of River), [now lot 2]*.
 T. 7 S., R. 50 E.,
 Sec. 6, lots 5 and 11 [now lot 13 and Tract 37]*.
 Approximately 3,379.84 acres.
 * Final re-survey filed.

Offered surface estate to be acquired by the U. S. Government Bureau of Land Management in Powder River County, Montana:

Principal Meridian, Montana

- T. 7 S., R. 48 E.,
 Sec. 1, lots 1 to 7, inclusive; SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, S $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, SW $\frac{1}{4}$, W $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;
 Sec. 13, lot 4, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$.
 T. 6 S., R. 49 E.,

Sec. 15, W $\frac{1}{2}$ E $\frac{1}{2}$, E $\frac{1}{2}$ W $\frac{1}{2}$;

Sec. 22, NE $\frac{1}{4}$;

Sec. 23, all;

Sec. 24, all.

T. 6 S., R. 50 E.,

Sec. 17, N $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, E $\frac{1}{2}$ W $\frac{1}{2}$, S $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;

Sec. 19, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;

Sec. 20, N $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, SW $\frac{1}{4}$;

Sec. 29, W $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$;

Sec. 30, E $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$.

Approximately 3,284.46 acres.

Exclusive Road Easement to be acquired by the U. S. Government, Bureau of Land Management from Gay Ranch, Incorporated in Powder River County, Montana:

Principal Meridian, Montana

T. 6 S., R. 50 E.,

Sec. 20, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$.

DATES: Interested parties may submit comments to the District Manager, Bureau of Land Management, 111 Garryowen Road, Miles City, Montana 59301, until May 28, 1996.

Any adverse comments will be evaluated by the BLM Montana State Director, who may sustain, vacate or modify this realty action. In the absence of any objections, this realty action will become the final determination of the Department of the Interior.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Information related to this exchange and the environmental assessment is available for review at the Bureau of Land Management, Powder River Resource Area, 111 Garryowen Road, Miles City, Montana 59301, phone (406) 232-4331.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The public lands described above are segregated from settlement, sale, location, and entry under the public land laws, including the mining laws, but not from the mineral leasing laws nor from exchange pursuant to Section 206 of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976, for a period of two years from the date of publication of this notice. The exchange will be made subject to:

1. A reservation to the United States of all mineral resources including the right to extract such minerals, a right-of-way for ditches or canals in accordance with 43 U.S.C. 945, and Montana Highway right-of-way reservation MTM-026230.

2. All valid existing rights of record including a road right-of-way to Powder River County, MTM-59941, and a power transmission line right-of-way to Tongue River Electric, Coop., MTM-57653.

3. Fair market value based on accepted appraisal methods.

4. The exchange must meet the requirements of 43 CFR 4110.4-2(b).

The two-year grazing cancellation notice was mailed on April 7, 1993, and a Grazing Cancellation Waiver has been signed.

This exchange is consistent with BLM policies and the Powder River RMP/EIS and has been discussed with state and local officials. The public interest will be served by completion of this exchange because it will enable the BLM to consolidate federal lands and acquire access to a block of federal lands, and will increase management efficiency of public lands in the area.

Dated: April 4, 1996.

Glenn A. Carpenter,

District Manager.

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Bureau of Reclamation

Garrison Diversion Unit

AGENCY: Bureau of Reclamation, Interior, in conjunction with Fish and Wildlife, Interior, and the North Dakota Game and Fish Department.

ACTION: Notice of availability and notice of public hearing on draft environmental impact statement DEIS.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to section 102(2)(c) of the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969, as amended, the Department of the Interior, Reclamation, in conjunction with the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service and the North Dakota Game and Fish Department, has prepared a draft environmental impact statement (DEIS) on the proposed Arrowwood National Wildlife Refuge (NWR) mitigation project. The DEIS describes and presents the environmental effects of seven alternatives, including no action, for mitigating adverse impacts of Jamestown Reservoir operations on Arrowwood NWR. This mitigation is required by the Garrison Diversion Unit Reformulation Act of 1986 (Pub. L. 99-249) and the National Wildlife Refuge System Administration Act of 1966 (16 U.S.C. 688dd). A public hearing will be held to receive comments from interested individuals and organizations on the environmental impacts of the proposal.

DATES: A 60-day public review period commences with the publication of this notice. The public hearing is scheduled as follows: Date: May 2, 1996, Time: 7:00 p.m., Location: Law Enforcement Center, Jamestown, ND.

The hearing will be preceded by an open house beginning at 4:00 p.m. during which EIS team members will answer questions in an informal setting.

Copies of the DEIS are available for inspection at, or may be requested from, the following address: Area Manager, Bureau of Reclamation, Attention: DK-611, P.O. Box 1017, Bismarck, ND 58502-1017; telephone: (701) 250-4242.

Copies of the DEIS are available for inspection at the following libraries:

Carrington City Library,
Chester Fritz Library,
University of North Dakota,
Denver Office Library, U.S.,
Bureau of Reclamation,
Grand Forks Public Library,
Jamestown Public Library,
North Dakota State University Library,
Oakes School and Public Libraries,
Raugust Library, Jamestown College.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Greg Hiemenz, Arrowwood EIS Coordinator, Dakotas Area Office; telephone: (701) 250-4721.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Arrowwood NWR is located on the James River in Stutsman and Foster Counties of North Dakota. The refuge has four impounded pools (Arrowwood Lake, Mud Lake, Jim Lake, and Depuy Marsh) which cover about 3,500 acres. Arrowwood NWR lies within the flood pool of Jamestown Reservoir, a component of the Garrison Diversion Unit, and has, on numerous occasions, been adversely affected by reservoir operations. Flood control operations of Jamestown Reservoir inundate the refuge pools for extended periods. The normal summer operating level of the reservoir causes backwater effects that limit water level management capability at the refuge. In addition, Jamestown Reservoir is a source of rough fish that invade the refuge, where they uproot aquatic plants and increase turbidity. The goal of the proposed action is to improve habitat management capability at the refuge during normal and dry years to offset impacts that result from flood storage in high runoff years. To date, the 2.8-mile Jim Lake drawdown channel (Final Finding of No Significant Impact and Environmental Assessment No. MS0150-91-09, August 1991) is the only mitigation measure that has been constructed.

Seven alternatives, including no action, are considered in the draft statement. The action alternatives comprise an incremental series of physical features, including water control structures and bypass channels, that could be constructed at Arrowwood NWR and Jamestown Reservoir to improve water management capability at the refuge. Fish barriers would be constructed below Arrowwood NWR to control movement of rough fish into the refuge. In addition, five of the six action