

Office, 1387 S. Vinnell Way, Boise, Idaho 83709, 208-373-3864.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: A Notice of Proposed Withdrawal has been published in the **Federal Register** (61 FR 25501, May 21, 1996), which segregated the land described therein for up to 2 years from the mining laws, subject to valid existing rights, but not from the general land laws and the mineral leasing laws. The 2-year segregation expires May 20, 1998. The withdrawal application will continue to be processed unless it is canceled or denied. The land is described as follows:

Boise Meridian

T. 23 N., R. 16 E.,

A tract of land being that part of the SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of unsurveyed sec. 26, more particularly described as follows: Beginning at Salmon River Road GPS control point No. 9, a 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ inch aluminum cap on a 1-inch aluminum drive-in rod with NAD 83 latitude 45°18'00.9169" North and longitude 114°33'33.7864" West; thence North 75°15'58" East, 2148.09 feet to the ordinary high water mark of the right bank of the Salmon River and AP-1, a 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ inch aluminum cap on a 1-inch aluminum drive-in rod, the Point of Beginning; thence North 5°50'23" West, 755.08 feet to AP-2, a 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ inch aluminum cap on a 1-inch aluminum drive-in rod; thence North 89°54'35" East, 640.79 feet to the ordinary high water mark of the right bank of the Salmon River and AP-3, a 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ inch aluminum cap on a 1-inch aluminum drive-in rod; thence southwesterly along the ordinary high water line of the right bank of the Salmon River to AP-1 the Point of Beginning.

The area described contains 5.03 acres in Lemhi County.

At 9 a.m. on May 20, 1998, the land shall be opened to location and entry under the United States mining laws, subject to valid existing rights, the provisions of existing withdrawals, other segregations of record, and the requirements of applicable law. Appropriation of land described in this order under the general mining laws prior to the date and time of restoration is unauthorized. Any such attempted appropriation, including attempted adverse possession under 30 U.S.C. 38 (1988), shall vest no rights against the United States. Acts required to establish a location and to initiate a right of possession are governed by State law. The Bureau of Land Management will not intervene in disputes between rival locators over possessory rights since Congress has provided for such determinations in local courts.

Dated: April 15, 1998.

Jimmie Buxton,

Branch Chief, Lands and Minerals.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

[AZ-040-1430-01; AZA 30323]

Notice of Proposed Exchange of Lands in Navajo County, AZ

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given that the Bureau of Land Management is considering a proposal to exchange land pursuant to Section 206 of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976 (43 U.S.C. 1716), as amended. The exchange has been proposed by Arizona Public Service (APS) and is referred to as the APS Exchange Project. The following described public land is being considered for disposal by the United States:

Gila and Salt River Meridian, Arizona

T. 18 N., T. 19 E.,

Sec. 14, NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$.

The area described contains approximately 10 acres.

Subject to valid existing rights, the public land identified above has been segregated from appropriation under the public land laws, mineral laws, and mineral leasing laws for a period of one year beginning on January 19, 1998.

In exchange the United States will acquire a tract of Arizona Public Service private land having unique natural resources and located within the Tanner Wash ACEC (Area of Environmental Concern). The offered land is described as follows:

Gila and Salt River Meridian, Arizona

T. 18 N., R. 19 E.,

Sec. 13, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$.

The area described contains approximately 10 acres.

More detailed information concerning the proposed exchange may be obtained from Darlene Haegle, Project Manager, Safford Field Office, 711 14th Avenue, Safford, Arizona 85546, (520) 348-4400.

Interested parties may submit written comments concerning the proposed exchange to the Field Office Manager, Safford Field Office at the above Safford address. Comments must be in writing and be postmarked within 45 days from the date of publication of this notice in the **Federal Register**.

It has been determined that the subject public land parcel contains no known mineral values; therefore, mineral interests may be conveyed simultaneously.

In accordance with section 7 of the Taylor Grazing Act, 43 U.S.C. 315f, and

Executive Order No. 6910, the described lands are hereby classified for disposal by exchange.

Dated: April 8, 1998.

Frank L. Rowley,

Acting Field Office Manager.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

[AZ-020-08-1430-01; AZA-6318 and AZA-17792]

Notice of Realty Action; Recreation and Public Purposes (R&PP) Act Classification; Arizona

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The following public lands, are located in Maricopa County, Arizona, have been examined and found suitable for conveyance under the provisions of the Recreation and Public Purposes Act, as amended (43 U.S.C. 869, *et seq.*). The lands are not needed for federal purposes. Conveyance is consistent with current Bureau of Land Management (BLM) land use planning and would be in the public interest.

(1) AZA-6318. Maricopa County Solid Waste Management Department is currently leasing the following described lands, located near the Town of New River, Maricopa County, for landfill purposes.

Gila and Salt River Meridian, Arizona

T. 6 N., R. 2 E.

Sec. 17, S $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$

Containing 20 acres.

(2) AZA-17792. Maricopa County Solid Waste Management Department is currently leasing the following described lands, located near the Town of New River, Maricopa County, for landfill purposes.

Gila and Salt River Meridian, Arizona

T. 6 N., R. 2 E.,

Sec. 17, N $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$.E $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$

Containing 40 acres.

The patents, when issued, will be subject to the following terms, conditions and reservations:

1. Provisions of the Recreation and Public Purposes Act and to all applicable regulations of the Secretary of the Interior.

2. All minerals shall be reserved to the United States, together with the right to prospect for, mine and remove the minerals.

3. A right-of-way for ditches and canals constructed by the authority of the United States.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Jim Andersen at the Phoenix Field Office, 2015 W. Deer Valley Road, Phoenix, Arizona 85027, (602) 580-5570.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Upon publication of this notice in the **Federal Register**, the lands will be segregated from all other forms of appropriation under the public land laws, including the general mining laws, except for lease or conveyance under the Recreation and Public Purposes Act and leasing under the mineral leasing laws. For a period of 45 days from the date of publication of this notice, interested parties may submit comments regarding the proposed lease, conveyance or classification of the lands to the Field Office Manager, Phoenix District Office, 2015 W. Deer Valley Road, Phoenix, Arizona 85027.

Classification Comments

Interested parties may submit comments involving the suitability of the land for: A landfill, for Maricopa County. Comments on the classification are restricted to whether the land is physically suited for the proposals, whether the uses will maximize the future use or uses of the land, whether the uses are consistent with local planning and zoning, or if the uses are consistent with state and Federal programs.

Application Comments

Interested parties may submit comments regarding the specific uses proposed in the applications and plans of development, whether the BLM followed proper administrative procedures in reaching the decision, or any other factor not directly related to the suitability of the land for proposed uses.

Any adverse comments will be reviewed by the State Director. In the absence of any adverse comments, the classification will become effective 60 days from the date of publication in the **Federal Register**.

Dated: April 16, 1998.

Michael A. Taylor,
Field Manager.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

[ID-957-1430-00]

Idaho: Filing of Plats of Survey; Idaho

The plats of the following described land were officially filed in the Idaho State Office, Bureau of Land Management, Boise, Idaho, effective 9:00 a.m. January 22, 1998.

The plat representing the dependent resurvey of portions of the south boundary and subdivisional lines, and the subdivision of sections 33 and 34, T. 1 S., R. 2 W., Boise Meridian, Idaho, Group 962, was accepted January 22, 1998.

The plat representing the dependent resurvey of a portion of the subdivisional lines and the subdivision of certain sections, and the survey of lots 6 and 7 in section 4, T. 2 S., R. 2 W., Boise Meridian, Idaho, Group 962, was accepted January 22, 1998.

These surveys were executed to meet certain administrative needs of the Bureau of Land Management. All inquiries concerning the surveys of the above described land must be sent to the Chief, Cadastral Survey, Idaho State Office, Bureau of Land Management, 1387 South Vinnell Way, Boise, Idaho, 83709-1657.

Dated: January 22, 1998.

Duane E. Olsen,
Chief Cadastral Surveyor for Idaho.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

[ID-957-1430-00]

Idaho: Filing of Plats of Survey; Idaho

The supplemental plat of the following described land was officially filed in the Idaho State Office, Bureau of Land Management, Boise, Idaho, effective 9:00 a.m. January 16, 1998.

The supplemental plat prepared to subdivide lot 11 into lots 12 and 13 in section 18, T. 6 S., R. 5 E., Boise Meridian, Idaho, was accepted, January 16, 1998.

This survey was executed to meet certain administrative needs of the Bureau of Land Management. All inquiries concerning the survey of the above described land must be sent to the Chief, Cadastral Survey, Idaho State Office, Bureau of Land Management, 1387 South Vinnell Way, Boise, Idaho, 83709-1657.

Dated: January 16, 1998.

Duane E. Olsen,
Chief Cadastral Surveyor for Idaho.
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

[CO-930-1430-01; COC-61608]

Proposed Withdrawal; Opportunity for Public Meeting; Colorado

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Bureau of Land Management proposes to withdraw 60 acres of public land for 20 years to protect the public from possible health hazards. The land has been contaminated by previous smelting operations. This notice closes this land to operation of the public land laws including location and entry under the mining laws for up to two years. The land has been and remains open to mineral leasing.

DATES: Comments on this proposed withdrawal or requests for public meeting must be received on or before July 23, 1998.

ADDRESSES: Comments and requests for a meeting should be sent to the Colorado State Director, BLM, 2850 Youngfield Street, Lakewood, Colorado 80215-7076.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Doris E. Chelius, 303-239-3706.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On April 17, 1998, a petition was approved allowing the Bureau of Land Management to file an application to withdraw the following described public land from settlement, sale, location, or entry under the general land laws, including the mining laws, subject to valid existing rights:

New Mexico Principal Meridian

T. 45 N., R. 7 E.,
Sec. 26, S $\frac{1}{2}$ S $\frac{1}{2}$ S $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;
Sec. 35, N $\frac{1}{2}$ N $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{2}$.

The area described contains approximately 60 acres of public land in Saguache, County.

For a period of 90 days from the date of publication of this notice, all parties who wish to submit comments, suggestions, or objections in connection with this proposed action, or to request a public meeting, may present their views in writing to the Colorado State Director. If the authorized officer determines that a meeting should be held, the meeting will be scheduled and