- grants.nih.gov/grants/policy/coc/.
  <sup>53</sup> Database of Genotypes and Phenotypes at
  http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/gap.
- <sup>54</sup> Cancer Genomics Hub at https:// cghub.ucsc.edu/.
- <sup>55</sup> dbGaP Security Best Practices. See http:// www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/projects/gap/cgibin/GetPdf.cgi?document\_name=dbgap\_ 2b security procedures.pdf.

<sup>56</sup> The 1000 Genomes Project at http://www.1000genomes.org/.

- <sup>57</sup> See the roles of Privacy Boards as elaborated in 45 CFR 164 at http:// www.gpo.gov/fdsys/pkg/CFR-2011title45-vol1/pdf/CFR-2011-title45-vol1part164.pdf.
- <sup>58</sup> Equivalent body is used here to acknowledge that some primary studies may be conducted abroad and in such cases the expectation is that an analogous review committee to an IRB or privacy board (e.g., Research Ethics Committees) may be asked to participate in the presubmission review of proposed genomic projects.
- <sup>59</sup> Clinical specimens are specimens that have been obtained through clinical practice.
- <sup>60</sup> Aggregate data are summary statistics compiled from multiple sources of individual-level data.
- <sup>61</sup> An Institutional Signing Official is generally a senior official at an institution who is credentialed through the NIH eRA Commons system and is authorized to enter the institution into a legally binding contract and sign on behalf of an investigator who has submitted data or a data access request to the NIH.
- <sup>62</sup> For the submission of data derived from cell lines or clinical specimens lacking research consent that were created or collected before the effective date of this Policy, the Institutional Certification

needs to address only this item.

- <sup>63</sup> For guidance on clearly communicating inappropriate data uses, see NIH Points to Consider in Drafting Effective Data Use Limitation Statements, http:// gwas.nih.gov/pdf/NIH\_PTC\_in\_Drafting\_ DUL Statements.pdf.
- <sup>64</sup> As noted earlier, for studies using data or specimens collected before the effective date of this Policy, the IRB, privacy board, or equivalent body should review informed consent materials to ensure that data submission is not inconsistent with the informed consent provided by the research participants.
- 65 dbGaP Authorized Access. See https:// dbgap.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/aa/ wga.cgi?page=login.
- <sup>66</sup> For a list of NIH Data Access Committees, see http://gwas.nih.gov/04po2\_ 1DAC.html.
- <sup>67</sup> Genomic Data User Code of Conduct. See http://gds.nih.gov/pdf/Genomic\_Data\_ User Code of Conduct.pdf.
- <sup>68</sup> Model Data Use Certification Agreement. See http://gwas.nih.gov/pdf/Model\_ DUC\_7-26-13.pdf.
- <sup>69</sup> In certain cases, the NIH may consider approving research intended to enhance genomic data privacy protection procedures.
- <sup>70</sup> NÎH Best Practices for the Licensing of Genomic Inventions. See http:// www.ott.nih.gov/sites/default/files/ documents/pdfs/70fr18413.pdf.
- <sup>71</sup> NIH Grants Policy Statement. 8.2.3, Sharing Research Resources. See http:// grants.nih.gov/grants/policy/nihgps\_ 2012/nihgps\_ch8.htm#\_Toc271264950.

Dated: August 21, 2014.

#### Lawrence A. Tabak,

Deputy Director, National Institutes of Health. [FR Doc. 2014–20385 Filed 8–26–14; 11:15 a.m.] BILLING CODE 4140–01–P

#### **DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**

### Fish and Wildlife Service

[FWS-R6-ES-2014-N146; FXES11130600000-123-FF06E00000]

# **Endangered and Threatened Species; Permits**

**AGENCY:** Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice of issuance of permits.

**SUMMARY:** We, the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, have issued the following permits to conduct certain activities with endangered species under the authority of the Endangered Species Act, as amended (Act).

# FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Kathy Konishi, Permit Coordinator, Ecological Services, (307) 772–2374 x248 (phone); permitsR6ES@fws.gov (email).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: We have issued the following permits in response to recovery permit applications we received under the authority of section 10 of the Act (16 U.S.C. 1531 et seq.). Issuance of each permit occurred only after we determined that it was applied for in good faith, that granting the permit would not be to the disadvantage of the listed species, and that the terms and conditions of the permit were consistent with purposes and policy set forth in the Act.

Applicant name	Permit No.	Date issued	Date expired
AMNIS OPES INSTITUTE, LLC	98300A	1/16/2014	12/31/2018
BOULDER COUNTY PARKS AND OPEN SPACE	0086553	5/30/2014	5/31/2019
	13024B	4/22/2014	12/31/2018
BUREAU OF RECLAMATION	0094272	1/16/2014	12/31/2018
CHEYENNE RIVER SIOUX TRIBE	0039889	4/30/2014	12/31/2018
CONFEDERATED SALISH AND KOOTENAI TRIBES	0052315	4/1/2014	12/31/2016
FELSBURG HOLT & ULLEVIG, INC	09941B	5/6/2014	4/30/2019
GARFIELD COUNTY COMMISSION	31228B	3/31/2014	3/31/2017
KANSAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORATION	0026913	2/10/2014	12/31/2018
LIVING PLANET AQUARIUM	0071173	5/6/2014	4/30/2019
MILLER, TRENT A	0050256	1/16/2014	12/31/2018
PG ENVIRONMENTAL, LLC	27491B	4/1/2014	12/31/2018
SAGE ECOLOGICAL SERVICES	0047289	1/16/2014	12/31/2018
SAVAGE AND SAVAGE	0029644	4/1/2014	12/31/2018
STEGER, LAURA DEANNE	96435A	1/16/2014	12/31/2018
TATANKA GROUP LLC	26841B	4/17/2014	12/31/2018
UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA-LINCOLN	0038704	4/1/2014	12/31/2018
U.S. FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE	0094273	5/14/2014	12/31/2018
U.S. FOREST SERVICE	0039901	3/4/2014	1/31/2019
U.S.G.SNEBRASKA WATER SCIENCE CENTER	24637B	4/1/2014	12/31/2018
UTAH DIVISION OF WILDLIFE RESOURCES	39634B	6/23/2014	6/16/2050
WESTERN ASSOCIATION OF FISH AND WILDLIFE AGENCIES	27289B	2/28/2014	2/28/2044
WETLAND DYNAMICS, LLC	27486B	4/22/2014	12/31/2018

#### **Availability of Documents**

Documents and other information submitted with these applications are available for review, subject to the requirements of the Privacy Act and Freedom of Information Act, by any party who submits a written requires for a copy of such documents to Kathy Konishi (see FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT).

#### Authority

We provide this notice under section 10 of the Act (16 U.S.C. 1531 *et seq.*).

### Michael G. Thabault,

Assistant Regional Director, Mountain-Prairie Region.

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#### **DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**

#### Fish and Wildlife Service

[FWS-R6-ES-2014-N177; FXES11130600000-145-FF06E00000]

# Endangered and Threatened Wildlife and Plants; Recovery Permit Applications

**AGENCY:** Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice of availability; request for comments.

SUMMARY: We, the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, invite the public to comment on the following applications to conduct certain activities with endangered or threatened species. With some exceptions, the Endangered Species Act of 1973, as amended (Act), prohibits activities with endangered and threatened species unless a Federal permit allows such activity. The Act requires that we invite public comment before issuing these permits.

**DATES:** To ensure consideration, please send your written comments by September 29, 2014.

ADDRESSES: You may submit comments or requests for copies or more information by any of the following methods. Alternatively, you may use one of the following methods to request hard copies or a CD–ROM of the documents. Please specify the permit you are interested in by number (e.g., Permit No. TE–XXXXXX).

- Email: permitsR6ES@fws.gov. Please refer to the respective permit number (e.g., Permit No. TE–XXXXXX) in the subject line of the message.
- *U.S. Mail:* Ecological Services, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, P.O. Box 25486–DFC, Denver, CO 80225.

• In-Person Drop-off, Viewing, or Pickup: Call (303) 236–4212 to make an appointment during regular business hours at 134 Union Blvd., Suite 645, Lakewood, CO 80228.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Kathy Konishi, Permit Coordinator, Ecological Services, (307) 772–2374 x248 (phone); permitsR6ES@fws.gov (email).

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

#### **Background**

The Act (16 U.S.C. 1531 et seq.) prohibits activities with endangered and threatened species unless a Federal permit allows such activity. Along with our implementing regulations at 50 CFR part 17, the Act provides for permits and requires that we invite public comment before issuing these permits.

A permit granted by us under section 10(a)(1)(A) of the Act authorizes the permittees to conduct activities with U.S. endangered or threatened species for scientific purposes, enhancement of propagation or survival, or interstate commerce (the latter only in the event that it facilitates scientific purposes or enhancement of propagation or survival). Our regulations implementing section 10(a)(1)(A) for these permits are found at 50 CFR 17.22 for endangered wildlife species, 50 CFR 17.32 for threatened wildlife species, 50 CFR 17.62 for endangered plant species, and 50 CFR 17.72 for threatened plant

# Applications Available for Review and Comment

We invite local, State, and Federal agencies and the public to comment on the following applications. Documents and other information the applicants have submitted with their applications are available for review, subject to the requirements of the Privacy Act (5 U.S.C. 552a) and Freedom of Information Act (5 U.S.C. 552).

# **Permit Application Number TE42721B**

Applicants: City of Fort Collins Natural Areas Department, P.O. Box 580, Fort Collins, CO.

The applicant requests a permit to conduct reintroduction, management activities, and conduct presence/ absence survey for the black-footed ferret (*Mustela nigripes*) on City of Fort Collins, CO-owned property in conjunction with the Black-footed Ferret Conservation Center for the purpose of enhancing the species' survival.

## **Permit Application Number TE131638**

Applicant: The Loveland Living Planet Aquarium, 12033 South Lone Peak Parkway, Draper, UT. The applicant requests a permit to acquire a non-releasable Kemp's Ridley sea turtle (*Lepidochelys kempii*) for the purpose of public display and education at their aquarium facility in Draper, UT for the purpose of enhancing the species' survival.

#### **National Environmental Policy Act**

In compliance with the National Environmental Policy Act (42 U.S.C. 4321 et seq.), we have made an initial determination that the proposed activities in these permits are categorically excluded from the requirement to prepare an environmental assessment or environmental impact statement (516 DM 6 Appendix 1, 1.4C(1)).

## **Public Availability of Comments**

All comments and materials we receive in response to these requests will be available for public inspection, by appointment, during normal business hours at the address listed in the ADDRESSES section of this notice.

Before including your address, phone number, email address, or other personal identifying information in your comment, you should be aware that your entire comment—including your personal identifying information—may be made publicly available at any time. While you can ask us in your comment to withhold your personal identifying information from public review, we cannot guarantee that we will be able to do so.

#### Authority

We provide this notice under section 10 of the Act (16 U.S.C. 1531 *et seq.*).

#### Michael G. Thabault,

 $Assistant\ Regional\ Director,\ Mountain-Prairie\ Region.$ 

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#### **DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**

#### Fish and Wildlife Service

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# Endangered and Threatened Wildlife and Plants; Recovery Permit Applications

**AGENCY:** Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice of availability; request for comments.

**SUMMARY:** We, the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, invite the public to comment on the following applications to conduct certain activities with