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EIS No. 20050278, ERP No. DS-AFS-L36113-WA, Upper Charley Subwatershed Ecosystem Restoration Projects, Proposing to Amend the Umatilla National Forests Land and Resource Management Plan to Incorporate Management for Canada lynx, Pomeroy Ranger District, Umatilla National Forest, Garfield County, WA.

Summary: EPA has no objection to the proposed action.
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Final EISs

EIS No. 20050161, ERP No. F-AFS-L65473-OR, Rogue River-Siskiyou National Forest, Special Use Permits for Outfitter and Guide Operations on the Lower Rogue and Lower Rogue and Lower Illinois Rivers, Gold Beach Ranger District, Rogue River-Siskiyou National Forest, Curry County, OR.

Summary: No formal comment letter was sent to the preparing agency.

EIS No. 20050188, ERP No. F-FTA-C54009-00, Permanent World Trade Center (WTC) PATH Terminal Project, Reconstruction of a Permanent Terminal at the WTC Site in Lower Manhattan, Port Authority Trans-Hudson (PATH), Several Permits Required for Approval, The Port Authority of New York and New Jersey, NY and NJ.

Summary: EPA has no objections to the proposed project.

EIS No. 20050207, ERP No. F-AFS-L65468-00, Pacific Northwest Region Invasive Plant Program, Preventing and Managing Invasive Plants, Implementation, Portions of Del Norte and Siskiyou Counties, CA, portions of Nez Perce, Salmon, Idaho, and Adam Counties, ID, OR, and WA.

Summary: No formal comment letter was sent to the preparing agency.

EIS No. 20050212, ERP No. F-AFS-J65438-WY, Dean Project Area, Proposes to Implement Multiple Resource Management Actions, Black Hills National Forest, Bearlodge Ranger District, Sundance, Crook County, WY.

Summary: EPA continues to express concerns about impacts to water quality from soil erosion, especially to streams already not meeting designated uses and potential adverse impacts to wildlife.

EIS No. 20050225, ERP No. F-HUD-C85045-NY, Ridge Hill Village Project, Construction, Comprehensive Development Plan, (CDP), Planned Mixed-Use Developmental District (PMD), U.S. Army COE Section 404 Permit, City of Yonkers, Westchester County, NY.

Summary: While EPA has no objection to the proposed action, EPA did highlight that the applicant must comply with Transportation Conformity and obtain a 404 permit.

EIS No. 20050280, ERP No. F-COE-E39050-FL, Herbert Hoover Dike Major Rehabilitation Evaluation Study, Proposed to Reduce the Probability of a Breach of Reach One, Lake Okeechobee, Martin and Palm Beach Counties, FL.

Summary: EPA had no objections to the proposed action.

EIS No. 20050284, ERP No. F-BOP-D80031-WV, Southern West Virginia Proposed Federal Correctional Institution, Four Alternatives Sites in Southern West Virginia, Boone County, Mingo County, Nicholas County, and McDowell County, WV.

Summary: EPA previous issues have been resolved, therefore, EPA has no objection to the action as proposed.

EIS No. 20050290, ERP No. F-NOA-L99010-AK, Pribilof Islands Setting for the Annual Subsistence Harvest of Northern Fur Seals, To Determine and Publish the Take Ranges, Pribilof Islands, AK.

Summary: No formal comment letter was sent to the preparing agency.

EIS No. 20050291, ERP No. F-AFS-J65437-CO, Gold Camp Road Plan, Develop a Feasible Plan to Manage the Operation of Tunnel #3 and the 8.5 mile Road Segment, Pike National Forest, Pikes Peak Ranger District, Colorado Springs, El Paso County, CO.

Summary: EPA continues to have environmental concerns due to the potential for impacts to water quality and the lack of contingent mitigation measures. EPA suggests that accelerated Best Management Practices be implemented to mitigate any further degradation.

EIS No. 20050314, ERP No. F-AFS-J65412-MT, Grasshopper Fuels Management Project, Modification of Vegetation Conditions, Reduction in Fuel Loads and Break Up Fuel Continuity, Beaverhead-Deerlodge National Forest, Dillon Ranger District, Beaverhead County, MT.

Summary: While EPA has no objection to the proposed action, EPA did request clarification regarding the sharing of aquatic monitoring results.

EIS No. 20050224, ERP No. FA-FHW-C40129-NY, NY-9A Reconstruction Project, West Thames Street to Chambers Street in Lower Manhattan the Result of September 11, 2001 Attack, Lower Manhattan

Redevelopment, New York County, NY.

Summary: EPA has no objections to the proposed project.

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Environmental Impacts Statements; Notice of Availability

Responsible Agency: Office of Federal Activities, General Information (202) 564-7167 or <http://www.epa.gov/compliance/nepa/>. Weekly receipt of Environmental Impact Statements Filed 08/15/2005 Through 08/19/2005. Pursuant to 40 CFR 1506.9.

EIS No. 20050343, Final EIS, BLM, ND, West Mine Area, Freedom Mine, Federal Coal Lease Application, Mercer County, ND, Wait Period Ends: 9/26/2005, Contact: Allen Ollila 701-227-7713.

EIS No. 20050344, Final EIS, NRC, WI, Generic—License Renewal for Point Beach Nuclear Plant, Units 1 and 2, Supplement 23 to NUREG-1437 (TAC Nos. MC2049 and MC2050), Lake Michigan, Manitowoc County, WI, Wait Period Ends: 09/26/2005, Contact: Stacey Imboden 301-415-2462.

EIS No. 20050345, Final Supplement, BLM, NV, Ruby Hill Mine Expansion—East Archimedes Project, Extension of Existing Open Pit and Expansion of Two Existing Waste Rock Disposal Areas, Plan-of-Operations Permit, Eureka County, NV, Wait Period Ends: 09/26/2005, Contact: Caleb Hiner 775-635-4052.

EIS No. 20050346, Draft EIS, DOA, NV, White Pine & Grant-Quinn Oil and Gas Leasing Project, Exploration and Development, Humboldt-Toiyabe National Forest, Ely Ranger District, White Pine, Nye and Lincoln Counties, NV, Comment Period Ends: 10/11/2005, Contact: Loretta Cartner 775-289-5120.

EIS No. 20050347, Draft EIS, DOE, ME, Bangor Hydro-Electric Northeast Reliability Interconnect, Construct, Operate and Maintain an Electric Transmission Line, Amend Presidential Permit (PP-89), DOE/EIS-0372, Hancock, Penobscot and Washington Counties, ME, Comment

Period Ends: 10/11/2005, Contact: Dr. Jerry Pell 202-586-3362.

EIS No. 20050348, Draft EIS, NPS, WA, Ebey's Landing National Historical Reserve General Management Plan, Implementation, Town of Coupeville, Island County, WA, Comment Period Ends: 12/01/2005, Contact: Rob Harbour 360-678-6084.

EIS No. 20050349, Draft Supplement, COE, FL, Central and Southern Florida Project, Tamiami Trail Modifications, Modified Water Deliveries to Everglades National Park, Authorized Flow of Water from WCA-3B and the L-29 Canal North of the Tamiami Trail, Dade County, FL, Comment Period Ends: 10/11/2005, Contact: Barbara Cintron 904-232-1692.

EIS No. 20050350, Draft EIS, COE, CA, Encinitas/Solana Beach Shoreline Protection Project, To Protect Public Safety and Reduce Storm-Related Damages to Coastal Structures, Cities of Encinitas and Solana Beach, San Diego County, CA, Comment Period Ends: 10/11/2005, Contact: Shannon Dellaquila 213-452-3846.

Amended Notices

EIS No. 20050202, Draft EIS, CGD, 00, Programmatic—Vessel and Facility Response Plans for Oil: 2003 Removal Equipment Requirements and Alternative Technology Revisions, To Increase the Oil Removal Capability, U.S. Exclusive Economic Zone (EEZ), United States, Alaska, Guam, Puerto Rico and other U.S. Territories, Comment Period Ends: 9/6/2005, Contact: Brad McKittrick 202-267-0995.

Revision of FR Notice Published on 05/27/2005: Extending CEQ Comment Period Ending 8/1/2005 has been Extended to 9/6/2005.

EIS No. 20050329, Final EIS, NPS, ID, Craters of the Moon National Monument and Preserve, Update and Consolidate Management Plans, into One Comprehensive Plan, Snake River Plain, Butte, Blaine, Lincoln, and Minidoka Counties, ID, Wait Period Ends: 09/26/2005, Contact: Adrienne Anderson 303-987-6730.

Revision of FR Notice Published on 08/12/2005: CEQ Wait Period Ending 9/12/2005 has been Reestablished to 09/26/2005. Due to Incomplete Distribution

of the FEIS at the time of Filing with USEPA under Section 1506.9 of the CEQ Regulations.

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FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

[Notice 2005-21]

Filing Dates For the California Special Election in the 48th Congressional District

AGENCY: Federal Election Commission.

ACTION: Notice of filing dates for special election.

SUMMARY: California has scheduled a special general election on October 4, 2005, to fill the U.S. House of Representatives seat in the Forty-Eighth Congressional District vacated by Representative Christopher Cox. Under California law, a majority winner in a special election is declared elected. Should no candidate achieve a majority vote, a special runoff election will be held on December 6, 2005, among the top vote-getters of each qualified political party, including qualified independent candidates.

Committees participating in the California special elections are required to file pre- and post-election reports. Filing dates for these reports are affected by whether one or two elections are held.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mr. Kevin R. Salley, Information Division, 999 E Street, NW., Washington, DC 20463; Telephone: (202) 694-1100; Toll Free (800) 424-9530.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Principal Campaign Committees

All principal campaign committees of candidates who participate in the California Special General and Special Runoff Elections shall file a 12-day Pre-General Report on September 22, 2005; a Pre-Runoff Report on November 24, 2005; and a Post-Runoff Report on January 5, 2006. (See chart below for the closing date for each report).

If only one election is held, all principal campaign committees of candidates in the Special General Election shall file a 12-day Pre-General Report on September 22, 2005; and a Post-General Report on November 3, 2005. (See chart below for the closing date for each report).

Unauthorized Committees (PACs and Party Committees)

Political committees filing on a semiannual basis in 2005 are subject to special election reporting if they make previously undisclosed contributions or expenditures in connection with the California Special General or Special Runoff Elections by the close of books for the applicable report(s). (See chart below for the closing date for each report).

Committees filing monthly that support candidates in the California Special General or Special Runoff Election should continue to file according to the monthly reporting schedule.

Disclosure of Electioneering Communications (Individuals and Other Unregistered Organizations)

As required by the Bipartisan Campaign Reform Act of 2002, the Federal Election Commission promulgated new electioneering communications rules governing television and radio communications that refer to a clearly identified federal candidate and are distributed within 60 days prior to a special general election (including a special general runoff). 11 CFR 100.29. The statute and regulations require, among other things, that individuals and other groups not registered with the FEC who make electioneering communications costing more than \$10,000 in the aggregate in a calendar year disclose that activity to the Commission within 24 hours of the distribution of the communication. See 11 CFR 104.20.

The 60-day electioneering communications period in connection with the California Special General runs from August 5, 2005 through October 4, 2005. The 60-day electioneering communications period in connection with the California Special Runoff runs from October 7, 2005 through December 6, 2005.

CALENDAR OF REPORTING DATES FOR CALIFORNIA SPECIAL ELECTION

Report	Close of books ¹	Reg./cert. & over-night mailing date	Filing date
If Only the Special General Is Held (10/04/05), Committees Involved Must File:			
Pre-General	09/14/05	09/19/05	09/22/05