

tribe's BIA Agency office. Two printed and two digital copies will then reside with DEMD. These copies should be forwarded to the DEMD offices in Lakewood, Colorado, to the attention of the Energy and Mineral Development Program.

All products generated by EMDP studies may be subject to release under FOIA, as noted above. Products include all reports and technical data obtained during the study such as geophysical data, geochemical analyses, core data, lithologic logs, assay data of samples tested, results of special tests, maps and cross sections, status reports and the final report.

#### J. Requests for Technical Assistance

The DEMD staff may provide technical consultation (*i.e.*, work directly with tribal staff on a proposed project), provide support documentation and data, provide written language on specialized sections of the proposal and suggest ways a tribe may obtain other assistance, such as from a company or consultant specializing in a particular area of expertise. However, the tribe is responsible for preparing the executive summary, justification and scope of work for their proposal.

The tribe must notify DEMD in writing that they require assistance, and DEMD will then appoint staff to provide the requested assistance. The tribe's request must clearly specify the type of technical assistance desired.

Requests for technical assistance should be submitted by the deadline stated in the **DATES** section for such requests to allow DEMD time to provide the appropriate assistance. Tribes not seeking technical assistance should attempt to submit their EMDP proposals well in advance of the deadline to allow DEMD time to review the proposals for possible deficiencies and allow ample time to contact the tribe with requests for revisions to the initial submission.

Dated: March 10, 2009.

**George T. Skibine,**

*Deputy Assistant Secretary for Policy and Economic Development.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Bureau of Indian Affairs

#### Indian Gaming

**AGENCY:** Bureau of Indian Affairs, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice of Approved Tribal-State Class III Gaming Amendments.

**SUMMARY:** This notice publishes approval of amendments to 13 Class III Tribal-State Gaming Compacts (Amendments). The 13 Class III Gaming Compacts are between the State of Arizona and each of the following Indian tribes, respectively: Ak-Chin Indian Community, Colorado River Indian Tribes, Cocopah Indian Tribe, Fort McDowell Yavapai Nation, Fort Mojave Indian Tribe, Havasupai Indian Tribe, Hualapai Indian Tribe, Kaibab-Paiute Indian Tribe, Navajo Nation, Tohono O'odham Nation, White Mountain Apache Tribe, Yavapai-Apache Tribe, and Zuni Tribe.

**DATES:** *Effective Date:* March 25, 2009.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Paula L. Hart, Acting Director, Office of Indian Gaming, Office of the Deputy Assistant Secretary—Policy and Economic Development, Washington, DC 20240. *Telephone:* (202) 219-4066.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Under section 11 of the Indian Gaming Regulatory Act of 1988 (IGRA), Public Law 100-497, 25 U.S.C. 2710, the Secretary of the Interior shall publish in the **Federal Register** notice of approved Tribal-State compacts for the purpose of engaging in Class III gaming activities on Indian lands. The approved Amendments are substantially identical. Generally, the Amendments consist of clarifications and minor changes to various sections of each tribe's current compact (which are also substantially identical). The Amendments change the destination and frequency of the tribes' payments from quarterly to yearly, based upon the individual gaming facility's fiscal year.

Dated: March 6, 2009.

**George T. Skibine,**

*Deputy Assistant Secretary for Policy and Economic Development.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Bureau of Land Management

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OMB Control Number 1004-0153]

#### Information Collection; Conveyance of Federally-owned Mineral Interests

**AGENCY:** Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

**ACTION:** 30-Day Notice and Request for Comments.

**SUMMARY:** The Bureau of Land Management (BLM) has submitted an information collection request to the Office of Management and Budget

(OMB) for a 3-year extension of OMB Control Number 1004-0153 under the Paperwork Reduction Act. The Bureau of Land Management (BLM) needs to collect the information in order to determine if surface-estate owners are eligible to receive title to the Federally-owned minerals lying beneath their land.

**DATES:** The OMB is required to respond to this information collection request within 60 days but may respond after 30 days. Therefore, written comments should be received on or before April 24, 2009.

**ADDRESSES:** You may submit comments directly to the Desk Officer for the Department of the Interior (OMB # 1004-0153), Office of Management and Budget, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, by fax 202-395-7245, or by electronic mail at [oir\\_docket@omb.eop.gov](mailto:oir_docket@omb.eop.gov).

In addition, please mail or hand-carry a copy of your comments to BLM Information Collection Clearance Officer (WO-630), Department of the Interior, 1849 C Street, NW., Mail Stop 401 LSWashington, DC 20240; or send a copy of your comments by electronic mail to [jean\\_sonneman@blm.gov](mailto:jean_sonneman@blm.gov), "Attn: 1004-0153".

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Alzata Ransom, Division of Lands, Realty and Cadastral Survey, at 202-452-7772 (Commercial or FTS).

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

*60-Day Notice:* On September 23, 2008, the BLM published a 60-day notice (73 FR 54849) requesting comments on the proposed information collection. The comment period ended November 24, 2008. No comments were received.

*Title:* Conveyance of Federally-owned Mineral Interests (43 CFR Part 2720).

*OMB Number:* 1004-0153.

*Form Numbers:* Nonform information.

*Abstract:* The information that is supplied allows the BLM to determine if private surface estate owners are eligible to receive title to the Federally-owned minerals lying beneath their land.

*Current Action:* This proposal is being submitted to extend the expiration date of March 31, 2009.

*Type of Review:* 3-year extension.

*Affected Public:* Surface-estate owners who apply for title to Federally-owned minerals lying beneath their land.

*Obligation to Respond:* Required to obtain or retain benefits.

*Application Fee per Response:* \$50.

*Estimated Number of Annual Responses:* 21.

*Estimated Time per Response:* 10 hours.

*Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours:* 210 hours.

The BLM requests comments on the following subjects: (1) Whether the collection of information is necessary for the proper functioning of the BLM, including whether the information will have practical utility; (2) The accuracy of the BLM's estimate of the burden of the information collection, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used; (3) The quality, utility, and clarity of the information collected; and (4) How to minimize the information collection burden on those who are to respond, including the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other forms of information technology.

Before including your address, phone number, e-mail 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.

Dated: March 20, 2009.

**Jean Sonneman,**

*Bureau of Land Management, Acting Information Collection Clearance Officer.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Bureau of Land Management

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#### **Notice of Realty Action—Proposed Disposal of Public Land; and Notice of Intent To Prepare a Management Framework Plan Amendment and Associated Environmental Impact Statement for the Shoshone Field Office, Idaho**

**AGENCY:** Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice of Realty Action and Notice of Intent.

**SUMMARY:** A parcel of public land totaling 2480 acres in Blaine County, Idaho, is being considered for disposal out of Federal ownership, either through sale at no less than the appraised fair market value or through a land exchange proposal, to include the State of Idaho, under the provisions of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976 (FLPMA). Disposal of this parcel out of Federal ownership would

require amendment of the 1980 Bennett Hills/Timmerman Hills Management Framework Plan (MFP) prior to the disposal action.

**DATES:** The scoping period will commence on March 25, 2009. In order to ensure consideration in the environmental analysis of the proposed disposal, comments must be received by May 11, 2009.

**ADDRESSES:** Since the FAA is the lead agency for the EIS process, comments regarding the notice of realty action and proposed plan amendment should be addressed to Ms. Cayla Morgan, Federal Aviation Administration, Seattle Airports District Office, 1601 Lind Avenue, SW., Suite 250, Renton, Washington 98057-3356 with a copy sent to Ms. Lori A. Armstrong, Field Manager, Bureau of Land Management, 400 West F Street, Shoshone, Idaho 83352.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** For information regarding the potential disposal action please contact Ms. Tara Hagen, Realty Specialist, Bureau of Land Management, 400 West F Street, Shoshone, Idaho 83352. For information regarding the environmental analysis and replacement airport project please contact Ms. Cayla Morgan, Federal Aviation Administration, at the above address or telephone (425) 227-2653.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** In accordance with the FLPMA (43 U.S.C. 1701), as amended; the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (NEPA) (42 U.S.C. 4321), as amended; and the Council on Environmental Quality (CEQ) regulations (40 CFR parts 1500-1508); the Department of the Interior, Bureau of Land Management (BLM), in cooperation with the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) intends to prepare a MFP amendment and associated environmental impact statement (EIS), to consider the location and construction of a replacement airport for the Friedman Memorial Airport (SUN) and potential disposal of public land in Blaine County, Idaho. The FAA has been identified as the lead agency with the BLM as a cooperating agency; one of the alternative sites occurs wholly on public land administered by the BLM. The EIS will analyze the potential environmental impacts of the construction and operation of an airport facility, associated utility and access rights-of-way, protection of easement interests, as well as the consideration of the potential disposal of a parcel of public land totaling 2480 acres either by sale or land exchange. This notice initiates the public scoping process regarding the

notice of realty action and the proposed MFP amendment.

The sponsor of the project, Friedman Memorial Airport Authority (Airport Authority), has requested funding and approval from the FAA to construct and operate a replacement airport for the Friedman Memorial Airport in Blaine County, Idaho. The FAA published a Notice of Intent to Prepare an EIS for a Replacement Airport near Hailey, Idaho, in the **Federal Register** on November 1, 2007 (Vol. 72, No. 211, page 61945) in response to the Airport Authority's application. As a result of initial studies by the FAA the Airport Authority has now submitted a proposal to the BLM to acquire approximately 2480 acres of public land by either sale or inclusion of the public land within a land exchange, which would include the State of Idaho as a party, if the alternative site located wholly of public land in conjunction with the aforementioned project is determined by the EIS to be the preferred location for the replacement airport.

The following described public land in Blaine County, Idaho, is being considered for disposal out of Federal ownership in conjunction with the FAA's replacement airport project under the authority of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976 (90 Stat. 2750, 43 U.S.C. 1713):

#### **Boise Meridian**

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Sec. 25: Entire Section;

Sec. 26: Entire Section;

Sec. 27: Entire Section;

Sec. 34: N2N2; and

Sec. 35: N2NW, E2.

The area described contains 2480 acres in Blaine County.

Pursuant to the MFP (as amended), sites associated with disposal of public land for airport facilities not currently identified for disposal out of Federal ownership in the MFP will be considered through the MFP amendment process.

Subject to limitations prescribed by law and regulation, prior to patent issuance, a Holder of any right-of-way within the public land may be given the opportunity to amend the right-of-way for conversion to a new term, including perpetuity, if applicable, or to an easement. Conveyance of any mineral interests pursuant to either Section 206 or Section 209 of the FLPMA will be analyzed during processing of the proposed disposal action.

On March 25, 2009, the above-described land will be segregated from appropriation under the public land laws, including the mining laws, except the sale and exchange provisions of the