

to those addressed in the Eugene District RMP. The approved West Eugene Wetlands RMP will apply only to the BLM-administered lands in the West Eugene Wetlands.

The purpose of the action is to manage the planning area to contribute to the recovery of species listed under the Endangered Species Act, while providing other benefits. There are specific considerations in the planning area that lead the BLM to focus management on threatened and endangered species, including the Fender's blue butterfly and the plants Bradshaw's lomatium, Willamette daisy, Kincaid's lupine, and golden paintbrush: The scarcity of the listed species and their habitat, the importance of the planning area to the recovery of the listed species, and the purposes for which the BLM acquired the lands in the planning area. Therefore, the purpose and need for this RMP is more focused than the broad mandate of multiple use.

The West Eugene Wetlands Draft RMP/Draft EIS analyzes in detail six action alternatives and the No Action alternative. The No Action alternative would continue the current management approach into the future with no change in the management actions and level of management intensity in the planning area. Because the current management approach was not developed in an RMP, there are no land use allocations, management objectives, or management direction established for the planning area.

The design of the action alternatives varies primarily in the amount and location of lands within the planning area that would be allocated to the restoration of threatened and endangered species habitat. The action alternatives also vary in the management emphasis for lands which are not managed for habitat restoration. Additionally, the action alternatives vary in whether herbicides would be included as a management tool. Under the action alternatives, most or all of the planning area would be allocated to two land use allocations:

Prairie Restoration Area, which would have a management objective to restore and maintain habitat for prairie-related species; and Natural Maintenance Area, which would have a management objective to maintain existing resources and provide opportunities for a variety of goods and services.

Alternative 1 would allocate most of the planning area to the Prairie Restoration Area. Alternatives 2A and 2B would allocate to the Prairie Restoration Area all designated critical habitat. Alternative 2B would emphasize providing commodities and

services to the extent compatible with threatened and endangered species management, and would make approximately two-thirds of the planning area open to saleable mineral development.

Alternatives 3A, 3B, and 3C would allocate to the Prairie Restoration Area all good quality habitat that is currently occupied by threatened or endangered species. Alternative 3C would enhance recreation opportunities to the extent compatible with threatened and endangered species management.

Alternatives 1, 2A, 2B, and 3A would include herbicides among the management tools. The only nomination for an Area of Critical Environmental Concern (ACEC) received in this planning effort was continued designation of the currently designated Long Tom ACEC. Under Alternatives 1, 3A, 3B, and 3C, the site of the currently designated Long Tom ACEC would be included within the Prairie Restoration Area and would not need special management to protect the relevant and important values of the ACEC. Therefore, under these alternatives, the ACEC designation for this site would be removed. Under the No Action alternative and Alternatives 2A and 2B, the Long Tom site would continue to be designated as an ACEC.

Under all action alternatives, motorized vehicle use would be limited to designated roads throughout the planning area. This planning effort will include implementation decisions related to travel management networks, including a travel management plan identifying the specific roads and trails that will be available for public use and the limitations on use of roads and trails.

Alternative 2A is the BLM preferred alternative.

The land-use planning process was initiated on June 8, 2011, through a Notice of Intent published in the **Federal Register** (76 FR 33341), notifying the public of a formal scoping period and soliciting public participation. Cooperating agencies in the preparation of this land use plan are the United States Army Corps of Engineers, the City of Eugene Parks and Open Space Division, and the Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde. Following the close of the public review and comment period, any substantive public comments will be used to revise the Draft RMP/Draft EIS in preparation for its release to the public as the Proposed RMP and Final EIS. The BLM will respond to each substantive comment received during the public review and comment period by making appropriate revisions to the document,

or explaining why the comment did not warrant a change. A notice of the availability of the Proposed RMP and Final EIS will be published in the **Federal Register**.

Please note that public comments and information submitted—including names, street addresses, and email addresses of persons who submit comments—will be available for public review and disclosure at the above address during regular business hours (8 a.m. to 4 p.m.), Monday through Friday, except holidays.

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:** 40 CFR 1506.6, 40 CFR 1506.10, 43 CFR 1610.2.

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Bureau of Land Management

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### State of Arizona Resource Advisory Council Meetings

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

**ACTION:** Notice of Public Meetings.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976 and the Federal Advisory Committee Act of 1972, the U.S. Department of the Interior, Bureau of Land Management (BLM), Arizona Resource Advisory Council (RAC) will meet in Phoenix, Arizona, as indicated below.

**DATES:** The RAC will meet on November 28 for Standards for Rangeland Health and Guidelines for Grazing Administration training from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.; November 29 for new Member Orientation and the Recreation and Communities and Energy and Minerals Working Group meetings from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.; and November 30 for the Business meeting from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m.

**ADDRESSES:** Training will be held at the Phoenix District Office, and the

meetings will be held at the BLM National Training Center located at 9828 North 31st Avenue, Phoenix, Arizona 85051.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Dorothea Boothe, Arizona RAC Coordinator at the Bureau of Land Management, Arizona State Office, One North Central Avenue, Suite 800, Phoenix, Arizona 85004-4427, 602-417-9504. Persons who use a telecommunications device for the deaf (TDD) may call the Federal Information Relay Service (FIRS) at 1-800-877-8339 to contact the above individual during normal business hours. The FIRS is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, to leave a message or question with the above individual. You will receive a reply during normal business hours.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The 15-member Council advises the Secretary of the Interior, through the BLM, on a variety of planning and management issues associated with public land management in Arizona. Planned agenda items include: a welcome and introduction of Council members; BLM State Director's update on BLM programs and issues; update on the ASARCO Ray Land Exchange; updates on the United States Department of Agriculture Forest Service Recreation Fee Program for the National Forests in Arizona and 9th Circuit Court Decision for Mount Lemmon; reports by the RAC Recreation and Communities and Energy and Minerals Working Groups; RAC questions on BLM District Managers' Reports; and other items of interest to the RAC. Members of the public are welcome to attend the Working Group and Business meetings. A public comment period is scheduled on the day of the Business meeting from 11:30 a.m. to noon for any interested members of the public who wish to address the Council on BLM or Forest Service recreation fee programs and business. Depending on the number of persons wishing to speak and time available, the time for individual comments may be limited. Written comments may also be submitted during the meeting for the RAC's consideration. Final meeting agendas will be available two weeks prior to the meetings and posted on the BLM Web site at: <http://www.blm.gov/az/st/en/res/rac.html>. Individuals who need special assistance, such as sign language interpretation or other reasonable accommodations, should contact the RAC Coordinator listed above no later than two weeks before the start of the meeting. Under the Federal Lands Recreation Enhancement Act, the RAC has been designated as the Recreation

Resource Advisory Council (RRAC) and has the authority to review all BLM and Forest Service recreation fee proposals in Arizona. The RRAC will not review any recreation fee proposals at this meeting.

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State Director.

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Bureau of Land Management

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#### Idaho: Filing of Plats of Survey

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

**ACTION:** Notice of Filing of Plats of Surveys.

**SUMMARY:** The Bureau of Land Management (BLM) has officially filed the plats of survey of the lands described below in the BLM Idaho State Office, Boise, Idaho, effective 9:00 a.m., on the dates specified.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Bureau of Land Management, 1387 South Vinnell Way, Boise, Idaho, 83709-1657.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** These surveys were executed at the request of the Bureau of Land Management to meet their administrative needs. The lands surveyed are:

The plat constituting the entire survey record of the dependent resurvey of a portion of the west boundary and subdivisional lines, and the subdivision of sections 18 and 19, T. 13 N., R. 40 E., of the Boise Meridian, Idaho, Group Number 1327, was accepted December 9, 2011.

The plat representing the corrective resurvey of a portion of the Fifth Standard Parallel North (south boundary), the dependent resurvey of a portion of the subdivisional lines and the original 1891 right bank meanders of the Salmon River in section 20, the subdivision of section 20, the survey of a portion of the 2011 right bank meanders of the Salmon River in section 20, and a metes-and-bounds survey in section 20, T. 22 N., R. 22 E., of the Boise Meridian, Idaho, Group Number 1349, was accepted July 19, 2012.

The plat representing the dependent resurvey of a portion of the subdivisional lines and a portion of the subdivision of section 17, T. 2 N., R. 4 W., of the Boise Meridian, Idaho, Group Number 1342, was accepted July 20, 2012.

The plat representing the dependent resurvey of a portion of the subdivisional lines and the original 1904 right bank meanders of the Salmon River in section 23, and the subdivision of section 23, T. 25 N., R. 1 E., Boise Meridian, Idaho, Group Number 1344, was accepted August 17, 2012.

The plat representing the dependent resurvey of a portion of the subdivisional lines, and subdivision of section 8, T. 4 S., R. 39 E., of the Boise Meridian, Idaho, Group Number 1350, was accepted August 30, 2012.

These surveys were executed at the request of the Bureau of Indian Affairs to meet their administrative needs. The lands surveyed are:

The plat constituting the dependent resurvey of a portion of the Old East Boundary of the Fort Hall Indian Reservation, a portion of the First Standard Parallel South (south boundary), a portion of the New South Boundary of the Fort Hall Indian Reservation, a portion of the subdivisional lines, and the subdivision of certain sections, and the further subdivision of certain sections, the metes-and-bounds survey of portions of the Portneuf Reservoir 1910 Taking Line in sections 13, 14, and 24, and a survey of the 2009-2010 meanders of the full-pool line of the Portneuf Reservoir, in sections 13, 14, and 24, T. 6 S., R. 38 E., of the Boise Meridian, Idaho, Group Number 1305, was accepted July 12, 2012.

The plat representing the dependent resurvey of portions of the north and west boundaries and subdivisional lines, and the subdivision of section 6, T. 34 N., R. 2 W., Boise Meridian, Idaho, Group Number 1328, was accepted July 12, 2012.

The plat representing the dependent resurvey of portions of the north boundary and subdivisional lines, and the subdivision of section 1, T. 34 N., R. 3 W., Boise Meridian, Idaho, Group Number 1328, was accepted July 12, 2012.

The plat constituting the dependent resurvey of a portion of the New South Boundary of the Fort Hall Indian Reservation, a portion of the north boundary, a portion of the subdivisional lines, and the subdivision of sections 10 and 11, and the further subdivision of sections 10 and 11, a metes-and-bounds survey of portions of the Portneuf Reservoir 1908 Taking Line in sections 10 and 11, and a survey of the 2011 meanders of the Full-pool line of the Portneuf Reservoir in sections 10 and 11, T. 6 S., R. 38 E., of the Boise Meridian, Idaho, Group Number 1348, was accepted August 10, 2012.