

**DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR****Geological Survey**

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**Public Meeting of the Advisory Council for Climate Adaptation Science****AGENCY:** U.S. Geological Survey, Department of the Interior.**ACTION:** Notice of meeting.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA) of 1972, the U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) is publishing this notice to announce that a Federal advisory committee meeting of the Advisory Council for Climate Adaptation Science (ACCAS) will take place and is open to members of the public.

**DATES:** The meeting will be held virtually on August 23, 2024, from 10 a.m. EDT to 5 p.m. EDT. The final schedule will be made available in advance of the meeting at: <https://www.usgs.gov/programs/climate-adaptation-science-centers/advisory-council-climate-adaptation-science>.

**ADDRESSES:** The meeting will be held online via the Zoom meeting platform. A registration link for public attendees will be posted on the ACCAS website page no later than two weeks prior to the meeting: <https://www.usgs.gov/programs/climate-adaptation-science-centers/advisory-council-climate-adaptation-science>.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Holly Chandler, ACCAS Designated Federal Officer, USGS, by email at [casc@usgs.gov](mailto:casc@usgs.gov) or by telephone at (406) 207-9500. Individuals in the United States who are deaf, blind, hard of hearing, or have a speech disability may dial 711 (TTY, TDD, or TeleBraille) to access telecommunications relay services. Individuals outside the United States should use the relay services offered within their country to make international calls to the point-of-contact in the United States.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This meeting is being held consistent with the provisions of the FACA (5 U.S.C. ch. 10), the Government in the Sunshine Act of 1976 (5 U.S.C. 552B, as amended), and 41 CFR part 102-3.

*Purpose of the Meeting:* The ACCAS advises the Secretary of the Interior on the operations of the USGS Climate Adaptation Science Centers (CASCs). ACCAS members represent state and local governments; Tribes and Indigenous organizations; non-governmental organizations; academia; and the private sector. Additional information about the ACCAS is

available at: <https://www.usgs.gov/programs/climate-adaptation-science-centers/advisory-council-climate-adaptation-science>.

*Agenda Topics:* Agenda topics will cover (a) ACCAS subcommittee progress to date, (b) subcommittee recommendations for full ACCAS consideration and potential action, and (c) next steps and priorities for subcommittees. The final agenda will be made available in advance of the meeting at: <https://www.usgs.gov/programs/climate-adaptation-science-centers/advisory-council-climate-adaptation-science>. The meeting will include an opportunity for public comment. Please check the final agenda for the exact time for public comment. Comments may also be submitted to the ACCAS in writing via this form: <https://app.smartsheetgov.com/b/form/11e7a5e6bb4f413ea7842dbb8ff1891c>.

*Meeting Accessibility/Special Accommodations:* The meeting is open to the public. Public attendees should register by completing the registration form which will be posted at: <https://www.usgs.gov/programs/climate-adaptation-science-centers/advisory-council-climate-adaptation-science>. Registrations are due by August 21, 2024.

Please make requests in advance for sign language interpreter services, assistive listening devices, language translation services, or other reasonable accommodations. We ask that you contact [hchandler@usgs.gov](mailto:hchandler@usgs.gov) at least seven (7) business days prior to the meeting to give the Department of the Interior sufficient time to process your request. All reasonable accommodation requests are managed on a case-by-case basis.

*Public Disclosure of Comments:* There will be an opportunity for public comment during the meeting. Depending on the number of people who wish to speak and the time available, the time for individual comments may be limited. Written comments may also be sent to the ACCAS for consideration. To allow for full consideration of information by ACCAS members, written comments may be provided here: <https://app.smartsheetgov.com/b/form/11e7a5e6bb4f413ea7842dbb8ff1891c> or be emailed to [casc@usgs.gov](mailto:casc@usgs.gov) at least three (3) business days prior to the meeting.

Before including your address, phone number, email address, or other personally identifiable information (PII) in your comment, you should be aware that your entire comment—including your PII—may be made publicly available at any time. While you may

ask us in your comment to withhold your PII from public review, we cannot guarantee that we will be able to do so. Authority: 5 U.S.C. Ch. 10.

**Holly Chandler,**

Designated Federal Officer, Advisory Council for Climate Adaptation Science, U.S. Geological Survey.

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**DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR****Bureau of Land Management**

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**Alaska Native Claims Selection****AGENCY:** Bureau of Land Management, Interior.**ACTION:** Notice of modified decision approving lands for conveyance.

**SUMMARY:** The Bureau of Land Management hereby provides constructive notice that the decision approving lands for conveyance to Cook Inlet Region, Inc., notice of which was published in the **Federal Register** on May 2, 2024, will be modified by removing the Remaining Obligation Entitlement account balance figure, and correcting the appraised value of the lands approved in the decision.

**DATES:** Any party claiming a property interest in the lands affected by the decision may appeal the decision in accordance with the requirements of 43 CFR part 4 within the time limits set out in the **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION** section.

**ADDRESSES:** You may obtain a copy of the decision from the Bureau of Land Management, Alaska State Office, 222 West Seventh Avenue, #13, Anchorage, Alaska 99513-7504.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Cameron Means, BLM Alaska State Office, at 907-271-3152, or [cmeans@blm.gov](mailto:cmeans@blm.gov). Individuals in the United States who are deaf, deafblind, hard of hearing, or have a speech disability may dial 711 (TTY, TDD, or TeleBraille) to access telecommunications relay services. Individuals outside the United States should use the relay services offered within their country to make international calls to the point of contact in the United States.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** As required by 43 CFR 2650.7(d), notice is hereby given that the decision approving lands for conveyance to Cook Inlet Region, Inc., notice of which was published in the **Federal Register** on May 2, 2024, 89 FR 35857, 35858, will be modified by removing the Remaining

Obligation Entitlement account balance figure and by correcting the appraised value of the lands approved in the decision.

Notice of the modified decision will also be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in the *Anchorage Daily News*.

Any party claiming a property interest in the lands affected by the changes made in the modified decision may appeal the decision in accordance with the requirements of 43 CFR part 4 within the following time limits:

1. Unknown parties, parties unable to be located after reasonable efforts have been expended to locate, parties who fail or refuse to sign their return receipt, and parties who receive a copy of the decision by regular mail which is not certified, return receipt requested, shall have until September 3, 2024 to file an appeal.

2. Parties receiving service of the decision by certified mail shall have 30 days from the date of receipt to file an appeal.

Parties who do not file an appeal in accordance with the requirements of 43 CFR part 4 shall be deemed to have waived their rights. Notices of appeal transmitted by facsimile will not be accepted as timely filed. Except as modified, the decision of May 2, 2024, notice of which was given May 2, 2024, is final.

**Cameron G. Means,**

*Land Law Examiner, Branch of Adjudication.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Bureau of Land Management

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#### Notice of Proposed Withdrawal, Transfer of Administrative Jurisdiction, and Opportunity for Public Meeting for the Grays Lake National Wildlife Refuge, ID

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

**ACTION:** Notice of proposed withdrawal.

**SUMMARY:** At the request of the United States Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS) and subject to valid existing rights, the Secretary of the Interior proposes to withdraw 158.72 acres of public lands managed by the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) from settlement, sale, location, or entry under the public land laws, from location and entry under the United States mining

laws, and from leasing under the mineral and geothermal leasing laws for an indefinite period and transfer administrative jurisdiction over these acres to USFWS for management as part of the National Wildlife Refuge System to support conservation of the aquatic and riparian habitats in the Grays Lake National Wildlife Refuge (NWR), Idaho. Publication of this notice temporarily segregates the lands from settlement, sale, location, or entry under the public land laws, from location and entry under the United States mining laws, and from leasing under the mineral and geothermal leasing laws, subject to valid existing rights, for up to 2 years, while the application is being processed. This notice initiates a 90-day comment period and announces an opportunity for the public to request a public meeting on the proposed withdrawal.

**DATES:** Comments and requests for a public meeting must be received by October 31, 2024.

**ADDRESSES:** All comments and meeting requests should be sent to the BLM Idaho State Office, Attn: 933-Realty/Grays Lake Withdrawal, 1387 S Vinnell Way, Boise, ID 83709, or email [BLM\\_ID\\_LLID933000-Withdrawal@blm.gov](mailto:BLM_ID_LLID933000-Withdrawal@blm.gov).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Christine Sloand, BLM Idaho State Office, telephone: 208-373-3897, email: [csloand@blm.gov](mailto:csloand@blm.gov). Individuals in the United States who are deaf, deafblind, hard of hearing, or have a speech disability may dial 711 (TTY, TDD, or TeleBraille) to access telecommunications relay services. Individuals outside the United States should use the relay services offered within their country to make international calls to the point-of-contact in the United States.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The applicant is USFWS, and the petition/application requests the Secretary of the Interior to withdraw the following 158.72 acres of BLM-managed public lands from settlement, sale, location, or entry under the public land laws, from location and entry under the United States mining laws, and from leasing under the mineral and geothermal leasing laws for an indefinite period, subject to valid existing rights, and transfer administrative jurisdiction over these acres to USFWS for management as part of the National Wildlife Refuge System to support conservation of the aquatic and riparian habitats in the Grays Lake NWR, Idaho:

**Boise Meridian, Idaho**

T. 3 S., R. 43 E.,

Sec. 21, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ ;

Sec. 28, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ ;

Sec. 30, lot 3.

T. 4 S., R. 43 E.,

Sec. 26, NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ .

The areas described aggregate 158.72 acres in Bonneville County.

This petition/application has been approved for publication by a Secretarial officer in the Department of the Interior and therefore constitutes a withdrawal proposal of the Secretary of the Interior (43 CFR 2310.1-3(e)).

The use of a right-of-way, interagency agreement, or cooperative agreement would not adequately protect the lands from nondiscretionary uses, which could result in a permanent loss of significant values and capital investments.

The USFWS requires continued use of rights contained in Water Right Partial Decree 13-13725 that is appurtenant to Tract 1b (T. 4 S., R. 43 E., sec. 26, NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ ).

There are no suitable alternative sites with equal or greater benefit to the government.

For a period of 90 days from the date of publication of this notice, all persons who wish to submit comments or desire a public meeting for the purpose of being heard on the proposed withdrawal must submit a request to the BLM Idaho State Office (see **ADDRESSES**). If the authorized officer determines that a public meeting will be held, a notice of the date, time, and place will be published in the **Federal Register** and local newspapers and on the BLM website at [www.blm.gov](http://www.blm.gov) at least 30 days before the scheduled date of the meeting.

Comments, including name and street address of respondents, will be available for public review at the BLM Idaho State Office during regular business hours, 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Mountain Time, Monday through Friday, except Federal 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 personally 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. All submissions from organizations or businesses, and from individuals identifying themselves as representatives of officials of organizations or businesses, will be made available for public inspection in their entirety.

For a period until August 3, 2026, the lands will be segregated as specified above unless the application is denied