

restrictions, or other activities to enhance toad habitat and minimize take; or (3) facilitation of the implementation of other objectives recommended by the Wyoming Toad Recovery Plan.

While determining the effects of this action, the Service considered the action or impact area to be the maximum number of enrolled properties and a 1-mile radius from these properties to account for toad dispersal, which could include adjacent, neighbor lands. The effect to the Wyoming toad through implementation of landowner day-to-day operations (grazing, haying, etc.) on all potential enrolled lands will be evaluated during the section 7 consultation process.

After maintenance of the restored/created/enhanced Wyoming toad habitat on the property or allowing reintroduction of Wyoming toads on the property for the agreed-upon term, cooperators may then conduct otherwise lawful activities on their property that result in the partial or total elimination of the restored habitat and the incidental taking of Wyoming toads as a result of such habitat elimination. However, the restrictions on returning a property to its original baseline condition include—(1) Wyoming toads may not be captured, killed, or otherwise directly “taken,” (2) the Applicant and the Service will be notified a minimum of 15 calendar days prior to the activity and provided the opportunity to capture, rescue, and/or translocate any Wyoming toads, if necessary and appropriate; and (3) return to baseline conditions must be completed within the 15-year term of the permit issued to the Applicant. Cooperative Agreements may be extended if the Applicant’s permit is renewed and that renewal allows for such extension.

The Service has evaluated the impacts of this action under the National Environmental Policy Act by drafting an Environmental Assessment. The documentation also is subject to public comment and will be made available to the public concurrently with the availability of the SHA and ESP.

The Service also will evaluate whether the issuance of the ESP complies with section 7 of the Act by conducting an intra-Service section 7 consultation on the issuance of the permit. The results of the biological

opinion, in combination with the above findings and any public comments, will be used in the final analysis to determine whether or not to issue the requested ESP, pursuant to the regulations that guide issuance of this type of permit.

Dated: April 30, 2004.

Mike Stempel,

Acting Regional Director, Denver, Colorado.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Fish and Wildlife Service

Notice of Meeting of the Trinity Adaptive Management Working Group

AGENCY: Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (5 U.S.C. App. I), this notice announces a meeting of the Trinity Adaptive Management Working Group (TAMWG). The TAMWG affords stakeholders the opportunity to give policy, management, and technical input concerning Trinity River restoration efforts to the Trinity Management Council. Primary objectives of the meeting will include: FY 2005 budget for Trinity River Restoration Program, followup to May 12 Trinity Management Council/Science Advisory Board meeting, charter renewal and membership appointments, and the Executive Director’s report. The agenda items are approximate and are dependent on the amount of time each item takes. The meeting could end early if the agenda has been completed. The meeting is open to the public.

DATES: The Trinity Adaptive Management Working Group will meet from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Tuesday June 15, 2004.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held at the Weaverville Victorian Inn, 1709 Main Street, Weaverville, CA 96093. Telephone: (530) 623-4432.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Dr. Mary Ellen Mueller of the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, California/Nevada Operations Office, 2800 Cottage Way, W-2606, Sacramento, California 95825, (916) 414-6464. Dr. Mary Ellen Mueller

is the designee of the committee’s Federal Official—Steve Thompson, Manager of the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, California/Nevada Operations Office.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: For background information and questions regarding the Trinity River Restoration Program, please contact Douglas Schleusner, Executive Director, Trinity River Restoration Program, P.O. Box 1300, 1313 South Main Street, Weaverville, California 96093, (530) 623-1800.

Dated: May 7, 2004.

Mary Ellen Mueller,

Manager, California/Nevada Operations Office, Sacramento, CA.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

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Call for Nominations: Resource Advisory Committees

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Oregon District Resource Advisory Committees call for nominations.

SUMMARY: The Bureau of Land Management (BLM) gives notice that the Secretary of the Interior will solicit nominations for members and alternates for the BLM’s Coos Bay, Eugene, Medford, Roseburg, and Salem District Resource Advisory Committees in the State of Oregon. Nominations will be used to fill 15 member and 6 alternate position as follows:

Category One—5 members, 2 alternates
Category Two—5 members, 2 alternates
Category Three—5 members, 2 alternates

DATES: Nomination forms are available at those District Offices listed below. All materials must be received by the appropriate BLM District office on or before June 14, 2004.

ADDRESSES: Nominations for the District RACs should be sent to the appropriate BLM District office listed below:

| | BLM contact | Address | Telephone |
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| Coos Bay District RAC | Sue Richardson, District Manager .. | 1300 Airport Land, North Bend, Oregon 97459 | (541) 756-0100 |
| Eugene District RAC | Julia Dougan, District Manager | 2890 Chad Street, Eugene, Oregon 97440 | (541) 683-6600 |
| Medford District RAC | Tim Reuwsaat, District Manager | 3040 Biddle Road, Medford, Oregon 97504 | (541) 618-2200 |
| Roseburg District RAC | Jay Carlson | 777 NW Garden Valley Blvd., Roseburg, Oregon 97470. | (541) 440-4930 |