New Mexico Principal Meridian

T. 17 N., R. 9 E., Section 33, lot 37

The subject public land containing 0.38 acres, more or less will be sold to Richard Montova, of Santa Fe, NM. The sale is being done to comply with Mr. Montova's color-of-title case. The proposed sale is for surface rights only. The disposal is consistent with the Taos Resource Area Management Plan dated October 1988, state and local government programs, plans, and applicable regulations.

EFFECTIVE DATE: Interested parties may submit comments on the direct sale on or before November 6, 2000.

ADDRESSES: Comments should be sent to the Taos Field Office Manager, BLM, 226 Cruz Alta Road, Taos, NM 87571.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Hal Knox, BLM, New Mexico State Office, P.O. Box 27115 or at (505) 438-7402.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The direct sale will contain the following reservations:

- 1. Excepting to the United States a right-of-way thereon for ditches or canals constructed by the authority of the United States in accordance with the Act of August 30, 1890 (43 U.S.C. 945).
- 2. All minerals shall be reserved to the United States, together with the right to prospect for, mine, and remove the minerals. A more detailed description of this reservation, which will be incorporated in the patent document or other document of conveyance is available for review at the BLM office.

The land will be conveyed subject to:

1. Valid existing rights-of-way and easements. Publication of this notice in the Federal Register will segregate the public land from appropriations under the public land laws including the mining laws but not the mineral leasing

This segregation will terminate upon the issuance of a patent or other document of conveyance, 270 days from date of publication of this notice in the Federal Register or upon publication of Notice of Termination, which ever occurs first.

Any adverse comments will be evaluated by the State Director who may sustain, vacate, or modify this realty action. In the absence of any objections, this realty action will become the final determination of the Department of the Interior.

Dated: September 7, 2000.

Ron Huntsinger,

Taos Field Manager.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

National Park Service

Notice of Availability of an **Environmental Assessment**

AGENCY: National Park Service, Department of the Interior.

ACTION: Notice of Availability of an Environmental Assessment to Install Fire Suppression Systems for 50 Historic Structures at Gettysburg National Military Park, Adams County, Pennsylvania.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to the Council on Environmental Quality regulations and National Park Service policy, the NPS announces the availability of a draft environmental assessment for the Installation of Fire Suppression Systems for 50 Historic Structures at Gettysburg National Military Park. The purpose of this environmental assessment is to present the alternatives for installation of fire suppression systems in 50 historic structures and related impacts. The NPS is soliciting comments on this environmental assessment. NPS will consider these comments in making a decision pursuant to the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) and the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966 (NHPA).

DATES: The environmental assessment will remain available for public comment through October 10, 2000.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Katie Lawhon, (717) 334-1124, extension 452 or write to Superintendent, Gettysburg National Military Park, 97 Taneytown Road, Gettysburg, Pennsylvania 17325.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The National Park Service proposes to install fire suppression systems for 50 historic structures at Gettysburg National Military Park in Adams County, Pennsylvania. The lack of adequate fire protection places these 50 historic structures at risk. Current uses of the buildings include interpretive exhibits for visitors, park office space, storage, employee or rental housing and agricultural functions. Without fire detection and suppression systems neither the long-term preservation of these historic structures nor the safety of the visitors, employees and residents who use these buildings can be ensured.

Alternatives analyzed in the draft Environmental Assessment include Alternative 1, No Action and Alternate 2 (the Proposal). Under Alternative 1, No Action, fire detection and fire suppression equipment would not be installed in the 50 historic structures under consideration. Under Alternative 2, remote fire detection and suppression systems with storage tanks, pumps, and warning devices would be installed in each of the 50 historic structures.

Dated: September 11, 2000.

Russell A. Thompson,

Acting Superintendent, Gettysburg National Military Park.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

National Park Service

Going-to-the-Sun Road Advisory Committee; Meeting

AGENCY: National Park Service, Interior. **ACTION:** Notice of Meeting for the Goingto-the-Sun Road Advisory Committee.

SUMMARY: This notice announces a scheduled meeting of the Going-to-the-Sun Road Advisory Committee. Notice of this meeting is required under the Federal Advisory Committee Act (P.L. 92-463).

MEETING DATE AND TIME: Monday, September 25, 2000 (8 a.m. to 12 noon and 1 p.m. to 6 p.m.); and Tuesday, September 26, 2000 (8 a.m. to 12 noon and 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.).

MEETING LOCATION: Community Building, Headquarters, Glacier National Park, West Glacier, Montana 59936, 406-888-7897.

AGENDA: During the morning of September 25 the Going-to-the-Sun Road Advisory Committee will have a field reconnaissance on the Going-tothe-Sun Road (GTSR). In the afternoon the committee will hear and discuss MK Centennials preliminary findings and recommendations on the Engineering Study, Socioeconomic Analysis, Cultural Landscape Report, and the Transportation/Visitor Use Study. The meeting will then open for Public Comment at 5:00 p.m. On September 26 the Advisory Committee will discuss and refine MK Centennials preliminary Conceptual Engineering alternatives for the rehabilitation of the GTSR. Discussion of the Public Involvement Strategy and an Advisory Committee Business Meeting will occur in the afternoon. The meeting will then be open for Public Comment at noon and at 3:30 p.m.

The Committee meeting will be open to the public. Space and facilities to accommodate the public are limited and attendees will be accommodated on a first-come basis. Anyone may file with the Committee a written statement concerning matters to be discussed. The Committee may also permit attendees to