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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Antietam National Battlefield, Monocacy National Battlefield, and Manassas National Battlefield Park are all located in the NPS National Capital Region within a little over an hour's drive from Washington DC. The U.S. Congress set aside these park units to represent outstanding aspects of our natural and cultural heritage to ensure they receive the highest standards of protection. These park units commemorate "sites where historic battles were fought on American soil during the armed conflicts that shaped the growth and development of the United States." All three battlefields commemorate one or more Civil War battles and the history associated with these battles.

The purpose of the DEIS and Plan is to develop a deer management strategy that supports preservation of the natural and cultural landscape through the protection and restoration of native vegetation. Although relatively rare at the turn of the twentieth century, white-tailed deer populations in the Mid-Atlantic region have grown during recent years. Current deer densities of 130–230 deer per square mile are substantially larger than commonly accepted sustainable densities for this region, estimated at about 15–25 deer per square mile.

The NPS has developed the DEIS under section 102(2)(C) of the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 and consistent with National Park Service law, regulations, and policies, and the purpose of these three parks. The DEIS describes and analyzes three action alternatives (B, C, and D) to guide management actions and strategies for white-tailed deer. The alternatives include lethal and non-lethal actions to manage and reduce the impacts of white-tailed deer. Included in the alternatives is the no-action alternative (alternative A).

There are three action alternatives for the management of White-tailed deer and one management action alternative for the management of CWD:

Alternative B of the White-tailed deer management plan provides a nonlethal deer reduction option to implement nonsurgical reproductive control of does when an acceptable reproductive control agent is available that meets NPS established criteria. Large constructed exclosures would also protect 5–20% of the forested area of the parks to allow reforestation. Additional techniques include fencing of crops and woodlots, crop protection through

sacrificial rows, and aversive conditioning.

Alternative C of the White-tailed Deer Management Plan provides a lethal deer reduction option through the use of sharpshooting with firearms, possible capture and euthanasia to reduce deer populations to the target density and maintain that level. Donation of meat would also occur, subject to any concerns or restrictions related to CWD.

Alternative D of the White-tailed Deer Management Plan provides a combined lethal and nonlethal deer reduction option through the use of sharpshooting with firearms, possible capture, and euthanasia to reduce deer populations to a desirable level and maintain that level. Once the target density has been reached, it will use nonsurgical reproductive control of does when an acceptable reproductive control agent is available that meets NPS established criteria.

Alternatives B, C, and D of the Plan continue targeted and opportunistic surveillance, and continued actions under any current initial detection and response plans. They incorporate a long-term CWD response plan that lethally reduces the deer population to decrease potential for CWD transmittal and spread for CWD management purposes only and only if CWD is confirmed in or within 5 miles of the parks. Deer populations could be reduced to 15–20 deer per square mile or as needed to cooperate with state program and testing requirements, but no less than 10 deer per square mile. Deer will be tested for CWD.

1. The DEIS evaluates potential environmental consequences of implementing the alternatives. Impact topics include the natural, cultural, and socioeconomic environments. For further information contact Tracy Atkins at the number above.

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.

Dated: July 17, 2013.

Stephen E. Whitesell,
Regional Director, National Capital Region.
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

National Park Service

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National Register of Historic Places; Notification of Pending Nominations and Related Actions

Nominations for the following properties being considered for listing or related actions in the National Register were received by the National Park Service before June 29, 2013. Pursuant to § 60.13 of 36 CFR Part 60, written comments are being accepted concerning the significance of the nominated properties under the National Register criteria for evaluation. Comments may be forwarded by United States Postal Service, to the National Register of Historic Places, National Park Service, 1849 C St. NW., MS 2280, Washington, DC 20240; by all other carriers, National Register of Historic Places, National Park Service, 1201 Eye St. NW., 8th floor, Washington, DC 20005; or by fax, 202–371–6447. Written or faxed comments should be submitted by August 7, 2013. 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.

Dated: July 5, 2013.

J. Paul Loether,
*Chief, National Register of Historic Places/
National Historic Landmarks Program.*

CALIFORNIA

Los Angeles County

Hotel Rosslyn Annex, 112 W. 5th St., Los Angeles, 13000589

San Francisco County

U.S. Appraisers Stores and Immigration Station, 630 Sansome St., San Francisco, 13000590

Solano County

City Hall, 715 Marin St., Vallejo, 13000591

COLORADO

Logan County

Downtown Sterling Historic District, Roughly bounded by Division Ave., Poplar, Front, Ash & 4th Sts., Sterling, 13000592

INDIANA**Porter County**

Good Fellow Club Youth Camp, 700 Howe Rd., Porter, 13000593

IOWA**Cedar County**

Herbert Hoover National Historic Site (Boundary Increase), 110 Parkside Dr., West Branch, 13000594

MAINE**Androscoggin County**

Poland Springs Historic District, 543 Maine St., Poland, 13000595

MINNESOTA**Goodhue County**

Church of St. Rose of Lima, 8778 County 11 Blvd., Kenyon, 13000597

Red Wing Waterworks, 935 Levee Rd., Red Wing, 13000598

NEW YORK**Chemung County**

Maple Avenue Historic District, 310 to 782 Maple (west side), 351 to 761 Maple (east side), Elmira, 13000599

Monroe County

Shantz Button Factory, 340 & 330 Rutgers St., 795 Monroe Ave., Rochester, 13000600

TEXAS**Travis County**

German American Ladies College, 1604 E. 11th St., Austin, 13000601

Kappa Kappa Gamma House, 2001 University Ave., Austin, 13000602

WEST VIRGINIA**Fayette County**

New River Gorge Bridge, U.S. 19 over New R., Fayetteville, 13000603

In the interest of preservation a request for a three day comment period has been made for the following resource:

MASSACHUSETTS**Hampden County**

Hooker Apartments, 2772–2786 Main & 7 Greenwich Sts., Springfield, 13000596

A request for removal has been made for the following resource:

SOUTH DAKOTA**Edmunds County**

Roscoe Community Hall, 202 Mitchell St., Roscoe, 84003284

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**Bureau of Ocean Energy Management**

[Docket No. BOEM–2013–0019]

Atlantic Wind Lease Sale 1 (ATLW1) Commercial Leasing for Wind Power on the Outer Continental Shelf Offshore Virginia—Final Sale Notice

AGENCY: Bureau of Ocean Energy Management (BOEM), Interior.

ACTION: Final Sale Notice for Commercial Leasing for Wind Power on the Outer Continental Shelf Offshore Virginia.

SUMMARY: This document is the Final Sale Notice (FSN) for the sale of a commercial wind energy lease on the Outer Continental Shelf (OCS) offshore Virginia, pursuant to BOEM's regulations at 30 CFR 585.216. BOEM is offering Lease OCS–A 0483 for sale using an ascending clock auction format. The lease area comprises the Virginia Wind Energy Area (WEA) described in the *Call for Information and Nominations* (Call) published on February 3, 2012 (see “Area Offered for Leasing” below for a description of the WEA and lease area) (77 FR 5545). The lease area is identical to that announced in the *Proposed Sale Notice (PSN) for Commercial Leasing for Wind Power on the Outer Continental Shelf (OCS) Offshore Virginia*, which was published on December 3, 2012, in the **Federal Register** with a 60-day public comment period (77 FR 71621). In this FSN, you will find information pertaining to the area available for leasing, lease provisions and conditions, auction details, the lease form, criteria for evaluating competing bids, award procedures, appeal procedures, and lease execution. The issuance of the lease resulting from this announcement would not constitute an approval of project-specific plans to develop offshore wind energy. Such plans, expected to be submitted by the lessee, will be subject to subsequent environmental and public review prior to a decision to proceed with development.

DATES: BOEM will hold a mock auction for the eligible bidders on August 28, 2013. The monetary auction will be held online and will begin at 10:30 a.m. on September 4, 2013. Additional details are provided in the section entitled, “Deadlines and Milestones for Bidders.”

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Erin C. Trager, BOEM Office of Renewable Energy Programs, 381 Elden Street, HM 1328, Herndon, Virginia 20170, (703) 787–1320 or erin.trager@boem.gov.

Authority: This FSN is published pursuant to subsection 8(p) of the OCS Lands Act (43 U.S.C. 1337(p)) (“the Act”), as amended by section 388 of the Energy Policy Act of 2005 (EPAct), and the implementing regulations at 30 CFR part 585, including 30 CFR 585.211 and 585.216.

Background

The lease area offered in this FSN is the same area as BOEM announced in the PSN on December 3, 2012 (77 FR 71621). BOEM received 15 comment submissions in response to the PSN, which are available in the **Federal Register** docket for this notice through BOEM's Web site at: <http://www.boem.gov/Renewable-Energy-Program/State-Activities/Virginia.aspx>. BOEM has also posted a document containing responses to comments submitted during the PSN comment period and listing other changes that BOEM has implemented for this lease sale since publication of the PSN. This *Response to Comments and Explanation of Changes* can be found at the following URL: <http://www.boem.gov/Renewable-Energy-Program/State-Activities/Virginia.aspx>.

On February 3, 2012, BOEM published the Notice of Availability (NOA) (77 FR 5560) for the final Environmental Assessment (EA) and Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI) for commercial wind lease issuance and site assessment activities on the Atlantic OCS offshore New Jersey, Delaware, Maryland, and Virginia, pursuant to the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA). Consultations ran concurrently with the preparation of the EA and included consultation under the Endangered Species Act (ESA), Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act (MSFCMA), section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act (NHPA), and the Coastal Zone Management Act (CZMA). The proposed lease area identified in this PSN matches the Virginia Wind Energy Area (WEA) described in the preferred alternative in the *Commercial Wind Lease Issuance and Site Assessment Activities on the Atlantic Outer Continental Shelf Offshore New Jersey, Delaware, Maryland, and Virginia Final Environmental Assessment* (Regional EA), which can be found at: <http://www.boem.gov/Renewable-Energy-Program/Smart-from-the-Start/Index.aspx>.

On May 29, 2012, BOEM initiated consultation with the National Marine Fisheries Service under the ESA for geological and geophysical (G&G) activities in support of oil and gas exploration and development,