

Containing approximately 1,164 acres.
T. 9 N., R. 22 E.,
Sec. 21.
Containing approximately 579 acres.
T. 10 N., R. 22 E.,
Sec. 25, 26, and 35.
Containing approximately 1,614 acres.
T. 9 N., R. 23 E.,
Sec. 6.
Containing approximately 623 acres.
T. 10 N., R. 23 E.,
Sec. 1, 12, 29, and 32.
Containing approximately 2,364 acres.
Aggregating approximately 11,439 acres.
Notice of the decision will also be published four times in the Fairbanks Daily News-Miner.

DATES: The time limits for filing an appeal are:

1. Any party claiming a property interest which is adversely affected by the decision shall have until January 28, 2009 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, Subpart E, shall be deemed to have waived their rights.

ADDRESSES: A copy of the decision may be obtained from: Bureau of Land Management, Alaska State Office, 222 West Seventh Avenue, #13, Anchorage, Alaska 99513-7504.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: The Bureau of Land Management by phone at 907-271-5960, or by e-mail at ak.blm.conveyance@ak.blm.gov. Persons who use a telecommunication device (TTD) may call the Federal Information Relay Service (FIRS) at 1-800-877-8330, 24 hours a day, seven days a week, to contact the Bureau of Land Management.

Jason Robinson,

Land Law Examiner, Land Transfer Adjudication I.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

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Notice of Public Meetings, McInnis Canyons National Conservation Area Advisory Council Meetings

Authority: Pub. L. 106-353.

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Announcement of meetings.

SUMMARY: The McInnis Canyons National Conservation Area (MCNCA) Advisory Council has scheduled its 2009 meetings. During these meetings, the Advisory Council will discuss matters relevant to management of McInnis Canyons National Conservation Area and may develop resolutions and/or recommendations to provide to the Bureau of Land Management on proposed projects, plans, and programs. These meetings are open to the public.

DATES: The meeting dates are:

1. January 22, 2009, 4 p.m., Grand Junction, Colorado.

2. July 16, 2009, 4 p.m., Grand Junction, Colorado.

ADDRESSES: The meetings will be held at the Mesa County Administration Building; 544 Rood Avenue, Grand Junction, CO.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Katie A. Stevens, (970) 244-3000.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The McInnis Canyons National Conservation Area was established on October 24, 2000 when the President signed the Colorado Canyons National Conservation Area and Black Ridge Wilderness Act of 2000 (Act). The Act also required that an Advisory Council be established to provide advice in the preparation and implementation of the Resource Management Plan. The NCA name was congressionally changed at the end of 2004 from Colorado Canyons National Conservation Area to McInnis Canyons National Conservation Area (MCNCA). The Resource Management Plan has been completed and is now being implemented. The agenda topics for the January meeting are:

- (1) River Corridor Fee/Permit Management Resolution
- (2) River Corridor Monitoring Plan
- (3) Future Role of Advisory Council
- (4) Managers Update
- (5) Advisory Council field trip schedules
- (6) Public Comment period

Similar agenda items will be addressed at the July meeting. All meetings will be open to the public and will include time for public comment. Interested persons may make oral statements at the meetings or submit written statements at any meeting. Person time limits for oral statements may be set to allow all interested persons to speak. Summary minutes of all Council meetings will be maintained at the Bureau of Land Management Office in Grand Junction, Colorado. They are available for public inspection and reproduction during regular business hours within thirty (30) days following the meeting. In addition,

minutes and other information concerning the MCNCA Advisory Council can be obtained from the MCNCA Web site at: <http://www.co.blm.gov/mcnca/index.htm>, which will be updated following each Advisory Council meeting.

Dated: December 17, 2008.

Katie A. Stevens,

McInnis Canyons National Conservation Area Manager.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

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Northeastern Great Basin Resource Advisory Council Meetings, Nevada

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of meetings.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Federal Land Policy and Management Act and the Federal Advisory Committee Act of 1972 (FACA), 5 U.S.C., the Department of the Interior, Bureau of Land Management (BLM), Northeastern Great Basin Resource Advisory Council (RAC) will hold three meetings in Nevada during fiscal year 2009. All meetings are open to the public.

DATES: February 5, BLM Ely District Office, 702 North Industrial Way, Ely; April 9, BLM Battle Mountain District Office, 50 Bastian Road, Battle Mountain; and June 17-18, Eureka Opera House, 31 South Main Street, Eureka. The Eureka meeting will have a field trip to Robert's Mountain. Meeting times are 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. and will include a general public comment period, where the public may submit oral or written comments to the RAC. Each public comment period will begin at approximately 10 a.m. unless otherwise listed in each specific, final meeting agenda.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Stephanie Trujillo, phone: 775-289-1831 or e-mail: Stephanie_Trujillo@blm.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The purpose of the RAC is to advise the Secretary of the Interior, through the BLM, on a variety of planning and management issues, associated with the management of the public lands. Topics for discussion will include, but are not limited to:

February 5—Ely RMP implementation, wild horse and burros, off-highway vehicles, mining updates, term permit renewals, wind energy proposals.

April 9—Battle Mountain RMP pre-planning, SNPLMA Round 10 review of proposals and public comment for development of recommendations to the Executive Committee, Rock Creek Project, off-highway vehicles, mining updates.

June 17–18—Healthy Lands Initiative, term permit renewals, off-highway vehicles, mining updates, sage grouse, fuels and emergency stabilization and restoration issues related to healthy lands initiative field tour to Robert's Mountain. BLM manager reports will be given at each meeting. Final agendas with any additions/corrections to agenda topics, locations, field trips and meeting times will be posted on the BLM Web site at: http://www.blm.gov/nv/st/en/res/resource_advisory/northeastern_great.html, and sent to the media at least 14 days before each meeting. Individuals who need special assistance such as sign language interpretation or other reasonable accommodations, or who wish to receive a copy of each agenda, should contact Stephanie Trujillo no later than 10 days prior to each meeting.

Dated: December 19, 2008.

John F. Ruhs,

Ely District Manager.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

National Park Service

Notice of Intent to Repatriate Cultural Items: Bishop Museum, Honolulu, HI

AGENCY: National Park Service, Interior.

ACTION: Notice.

Notice is here given in accordance with the Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act (NAGPRA), 25 U.S.C. 3005, of the intent to repatriate cultural items in the possession of the Bishop Museum, Honolulu, HI, that meet the definition of “unassociated funerary objects” under 25 U.S.C. 3001.

This notice is published as part of the National Park Service's administrative responsibilities under NAGPRA, 25 U.S.C. 3003 (d)(3). The determinations in this notice are the sole responsibility of the museum, institution, or Federal agency that has control of the cultural items. The National Park Service is not

responsible for the determinations in this notice.

The 10 cultural items are 1 wooden tobacco pipe, 1 stone vessel, 2 stone marbles, 1 stone lamp, 1 clay necklace, 1 wooden poi board, 1 wooden pipe, 1 ceramic or glass bottle, and 1 stone pounder. The cultural items were removed from various sites on Oahu Island, HI.

In 1918, a wooden tobacco pipe was given to the Bishop Museum by H.E. Cooper. The pipe was recorded as having been found with human bones on Cooper tract, Manoa, in 1898.

In 1923, a Kapuahi kuni anaana was donated to the Bishop Museum by A.A. Myer. The stone vessel was found in the hand of a skeleton buried in the sand during house construction in Waikiki around 1910.

At an unknown date, two stone marbles, possibly konane pieces, were found near a skeleton on E.M. Ehrhorn's lot in Mill's Tract, Manoa. In 1926, the marbles were given to the Bishop Museum by E.M. Ehrhorn.

In 1931, a stone lamp from Halawa was given to the Bishop Museum by P. Crackel. Accession records note that it was located with a burial.

In 1959, a clay necklace was gifted to the Bishop Museum by L. Kamuela. The records state that the necklace was found with a burial on the donor's land in Waianae Valley, Waianae, and that the human remains were probably Native Hawaiian or Native Hawaiian-Chinese.

In 1931, a wooden poi board was collected and donated to the Bishop Museum by J.G. McAllister. The donor wrote that it was found with skeletal material in a burial cave on the Kahuku side of Waimea River in Waimea.

In 1931, a wooden pipe found in a cave in Niu was donated to the Bishop Museum by J.G. McAllister. The notation reads, “in burial cave with ‘the famous one.’ ” No individual has been identified.

In 1959, a ceramic or glass bottle was donated to the Bishop Museum by Larry Kamada, postmaster at the Waianae Post Office. Mr. Kamada found the bottle in a burial on his property in Waianae.

In 1964, a stone pounder was donated to the Bishop Museum by Oswald Sheather. The stone pounder was found in a shallow burial while Mr. Sheather was laying a gas main at King Street and McCully in Honolulu.

Officials of the Bishop Museum have determined that, pursuant to 25 U.S.C. 3001 (3)(B), the 10 cultural items described above are reasonably believed to have been placed with or near individual human remains at the time of death or later as part of the death rite

or ceremony and are believed, by a preponderance of the evidence, to have been removed from a specific burial site of a Native Hawaiian individual. Officials of the Bishop Museum also have determined that, pursuant to 25 U.S.C. 3001 (2), there is a relationship of shared group identity that can be reasonably traced between the unassociated funerary objects and the Office of Hawaiian Affairs.

Representatives of any other Indian tribe or Native Hawaiian organization that believes itself to be culturally affiliated with the unassociated funerary objects should contact Betty Lou Kam, Vice President, Cultural Resources, Bishop Museum, 1525 Bernice Street, Honolulu, HI 96817, telephone (808) 848–4105 before January 28, 2009. Repatriation of the unassociated funerary objects to the Office of Hawaiian Affairs may proceed after that date if no additional claimants come forward.

The Bishop Museum is responsible for notifying the Office of Hawaiian Affairs that this notice has been published.

Dated: December 8, 2008

Sherry Hutt,

Manager, National NAGPRA Program.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

National Park Service

Notice of Inventory Completion: Muskegon County Museum, Muskegon, MI

AGENCY: National Park Service, Interior.

ACTION: Notice.

Notice is here given in accordance with the Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act (NAGPRA), 25 U.S.C. 3003, of the completion of an inventory of human remains in the possession of the Muskegon County Museum, Muskegon, MI. The human remains were removed from Muskegon and Oceana Counties, MI.

This notice is published as part of the National Park Service's administrative responsibilities under NAGPRA, 25 U.S.C. 3003 (d)(3). The determinations in this notice are the sole responsibility of the museum, institution, or Federal agency that has control of the Native American human remains. The National Park Service is not responsible for the determinations in this notice.

A detailed assessment of the human remains was made by Muskegon County