

number 202-402-6728 (this is not a toll-free number) and fax number 202-708-8912. Persons with hearing or speech impairments may access Dr. Ajayi's telephone number via TTY by calling the toll-free Federal Relay Service at 800-877-8339.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In accordance with section 743 of Division C of the Consolidated Appropriations Act of 2010 (Pub. L. 111-117, approved December 16, 2009, 123 Stat. 3034, at 123 Stat. 3216), HUD is publishing this notice to advise the public of service contracts inventories that were awarded in FY 2020. The inventories are organized by function and are reviewed by HUD to better understand how contracted services are used to support HUD's primary mission, to insure HUD maintains an adequate workforce for operations and to research whether contractors were performing inherently governmental functions.

The inventory was developed in accordance with guidance issued on November 5, 2010 by the Office of Management and Budget's Office Federal Procurement Policy (OFPP). OFPP's guidance is available at <https://obamawhitehouse.archives.gov/sites/default/files/omb/procurement/memo/service-contract-inventories-guidance-11052010.pdf>.

HUD has posted its inventory and a summary of the inventory on the Department of Housing and Urban Development's homepage at the following link: http://portal.hud.gov/hudportal/HUD?src=/program_offices/cpo/sci.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Fish and Wildlife Service

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Endangered and Threatened Wildlife and Plants; Recovery Permit Applications

AGENCY: Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of receipt of permit applications; request for comments.

SUMMARY: We, the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, invite the public to comment on the following applications for a permit to conduct activities intended to recover and enhance endangered species survival. With some exceptions, the Endangered Species Act (ESA) prohibits certain activities that may impact endangered species unless a Federal permit allows such activity. The ESA also requires that we invite public comment before issuing these permits.

DATES: To ensure consideration, please submit your written comments by August 19, 2022.

ADDRESSES:

Document availability: Request documents by phone or email: Marty Tuegel 505-248-6651, marty_tuegel@fws.gov.

Comment submission: Submit comments by email to fw2_te_permits@fws.gov. Please specify the permit application you are interested in by number (e.g., Permit Record No. PER1234567).

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Marty Tuegel, Supervisor, Environmental Review Division, 505-248-6651. 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:

Background

With some exceptions, the Endangered Species Act of 1973, as amended (ESA; 16 U.S.C. 1531 *et seq.*), prohibits activities that constitute take of listed species unless a Federal permit is issued that allows such activity. The ESA's definition of "take" includes hunting, shooting, harming, wounding, or killing, and also such activities as pursuing, harassing, trapping, capturing, or collecting.

The ESA and our implementing regulations in the Code of Federal

Regulations (CFR) at title 50, part 17, provide for issuing such permits and require that we invite public comment before issuing permits for activities involving listed species.

A recovery permit we issue under the ESA, section 10(a)(1)(A), authorizes the permittee to conduct activities with endangered or threatened species for scientific purposes that promote recovery or enhance the species' propagation or survival. These activities often include such prohibited actions as capture and collection. Our regulations implementing section 10(a)(1)(A) for these permits are found at 50 CFR 17.22 for endangered wildlife species, 50 CFR 17.32 for threatened wildlife species, 50 CFR 17.62 for endangered plant species, and 50 CFR 17.72 for threatened plant species.

Permit Applications Available for Review and Comment

Documents and other information submitted with these applications are available for review by any party who submits a request as specified in **ADDRESSES**. Our release of documents is subject to Privacy Act (5 U.S.C. 552a) and Freedom of Information Act (5 U.S.C. 552) requirements.

Proposed activities in the following permit requests are for the recovery and enhancement of propagation or survival of the species in the wild. We invite local, State, Tribal, and Federal agencies and the public to submit written data, views, or arguments with respect to these applications. The comments and recommendations that will be most useful and likely to influence agency decisions are those supported by quantitative information or studies. Please refer to the permit record number when submitting comments.

Permit record No.	Applicant	Species	Location	Activity	Type of take	Permit action
PER0044245	USGS Oklahoma Cooperative Fish & Wildlife Research Unit; Stillwater, Oklahoma.	Neosho mucket (<i>Lampsilis rafinesqueana</i>).	Oklahoma	Presence/absence surveys, capture.	Harass, harm, capture.	New.
PER0044974	Boatright, Patrick; Dripping Springs, Texas.	Houston toad (<i>Bufo houstonensis</i>).	Texas	Presence/absence surveys, capture, collect tissue.	Harass, harm, capture.	New.

Permit record No.	Applicant	Species	Location	Activity	Type of take	Permit action
PER0034896	Buschow, Marissa; Sugar Land, Texas.	Southwestern willow flycatcher (<i>Empidonax traillii extimus</i>), golden-cheeked warbler (<i>Setophaga chrysoparia</i>), Houston toad (<i>Bufo houstonensis</i>).	Arizona, California, Nevada, New Mexico, Texas.	Presence/absence surveys, nest monitoring.	Harass, harm	Renew/Amend.
PER0046174	Hausmann, Derek; San Antonio, Texas.	Golden-cheeked warbler (<i>Setophaga chrysoparia</i>).	Texas	Presence/absence surveys, habitat assessment.	Harass, harm	New.
PER0046301	Landhawk Consulting, LLC; Pharr, Texas.	Jaguarundi (<i>Puma yagouaroundi cacomitli</i>), ocelot (<i>Leopardus (=Felis) pardalis</i>), northern aplomado falcon (<i>Falco femoralis septentrionalis</i>), piping plover (<i>Charadrius melodus</i>), red-cockaded woodpecker (<i>Picoides borealis</i>), Houston toad (<i>Bufo houstonensis</i>).	Alabama, Arizona, Colorado, Florida, Georgia, Louisiana, Maine, New Mexico, New York, North Dakota, Ohio, Oklahoma, Texas.	Presence/absence surveys	Harass, harm	Renew.
PER0046269	Chambers, Carole; Flagstaff, Arizona.	New Mexico meadow jumping mouse (<i>Zapus hudsonius luteus</i>).	Arizona, Colorado, New Mexico.	Translocation, monitoring	Harass, harm, capture.	Amend.
PER0046306	Jenkerson, Jeffrey; San Marcos, Texas.	Barton Springs salamander (<i>Eurycea sosorum</i>), Austin blind salamander (<i>Eurycea waterlooensis</i>).	Texas	Presence/absence surveys, monitoring, capture, collect voucher specimens, collect tissue.	Harass, harm, capture, kill.	Amend.
PER0046268	Kitchen, Matthew; San Antonio, Texas.	Golden-cheeked warbler (<i>Setophaga chrysoparia</i>).	Texas	Presence/absence surveys, habitat assessment.	Harass, harm	Renew.
PER0046267	Lillie, Scott; Avondale, Arizona.	Southwestern willow flycatcher (<i>Empidonax traillii extimus</i>).	Arizona, California, Nevada, New Mexico.	Presence/absence surveys	Harass, harm	Renew,

Public Availability of Comments

All comments we receive become part of the public record associated with this action. Requests for copies of comments will be handled in accordance with the Freedom of Information Act, National Environmental Policy Act, and Service and Department of the Interior policies and procedures. 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 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 or officials of organizations or businesses, will be made available for public disclosure in their entirety.

Authority

We provide this notice under section 10 of the ESA (16 U.S.C. 1531 *et seq.*).

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Regional Director, Southwest Region, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Fish and Wildlife Service

**[FWS–R1–ES–2022–0084;
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Proposed Habitat Conservation Plan for the Mazama Pocket Gopher; Receipt of Incidental Take Permit Application; Infrastructure Improvements in Thurston County, Washington

AGENCY: Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of availability; request for comments.

SUMMARY: We, the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (Service), received an application from Thurston County Public Works (applicant) for an incidental take permit (ITP) pursuant to the Endangered Species Act. The ITP

would authorize take of the Yelm subspecies of the Mazama pocket gopher (*Thomomys mazama yelmensis*), incidental to otherwise lawful safety and infrastructure improvements at Steilacoom Road and at the Marvin and Mullen Road intersection in Thurston County, Washington. The application includes a habitat conservation plan (HCP) with measures to minimize and mitigate the impacts of the taking on the covered species. We have also prepared a draft environmental action statement for our preliminary determination that the HCP and our permit decision may be eligible for categorical exclusion under the National Environmental Policy Act. We provide this notice to open a public comment period and invite comments from all interested parties regarding the documents.

DATES: We must receive your written comments on or before August 19, 2022. Any comments received after the closing date may not be considered in the final decision on these actions.

ADDRESSES:

Obtaining documents: You may obtain copies of the documents online at <https://www.regulations.gov> in Docket No. FWS–R1–ES–2022–0084, or at <https://www.fws.gov/wafwo/>.