

the State of Montana and the Assiniboine and Sioux Tribes of the Fort Peck Reservation.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to section 11 of the Indian Gaming Regulatory Act of 1988 (IGRA), Public Law 100-497, 25 U.S.C 2710, the Secretary of the Interior shall publish, in the **Federal Register**, notice of approved Tribal-State Compacts for the purpose of engaging in Class III gaming activities on Indian lands. The Assistant Secretary—Indian Affairs, Department of the Interior, through her delegated authority, has approved the Extension to the Tribal-State Compact for Class III gaming between the State of Montana and the Assiniboine and Sioux Tribes of the Fort Peck Reservation. The Extension renews and extends the term of the existing agreement to September 30, 2003.

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 25, 2003.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: George T. Skibine, Director, Office of Indian Gaming Management, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Washington, DC 20240, (202) 219-4066.

Dated: August 29, 2003.

Aurene M. Martin,

Assistant Secretary—Indian Affairs.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

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Canyons of the Ancients National Monument Advisory Committee Meeting

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Federal Land Policy and Management Act (FLPMA) and the Federal Advisory Committee Act of 1972 (FACA), the U.S. Department of the Interior, Bureau of Land Management (BLM) Canyons of the Ancients National Monument (Monument) Advisory Committee (Committee), will meet as directed below.

DATES: Meetings will be held October 21, 2003, and November 14, 2003, at the Anasazi Heritage Center in Dolores, Colorado at 9 a.m. The public comment period for each meeting will begin at approximately 2:30 p.m. and the meetings will adjourn at approximately 3:30 p.m.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

LouAnn Jacobson, Monument Manager

or Stephen Kandell, Monument Planner, Anasazi Heritage Center, 27501 Hwy 184, Dolores, Colorado 81323; Telephone (970) 882-5600.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The eleven member committee provides counsel and advice to the Secretary of the Interior, through the BLM, concerning development and implementation of a management plan developed in accordance with FLMPA, for public lands within the Monument. At this meeting, topics we plan to discuss include:

(1) Planning update and overview of BLM Land Use Planning Handbook, Appendix C;

(2) Comment and discussion on Draft Public Participation Plan and Advisory Committee Meeting Strategy;

(3) Lunch at the Anasazi Heritage Center;

(4) Review of current planning issues and management concerns;

(5) Overview of Monument land health determinations;

(6) Public comment period; and

(7) Agenda for next meeting.

At the November 14, 2003 meeting, topics will include planning issues and management concerns, partnerships, science and other issues as appropriate.

All meetings will be open to the public and will include a time set aside for public comment. Interested persons may make oral statements at the meetings or submit written statements at any meeting. Per-person time limits for oral statements may be set to allow all interested persons an opportunity to speak.

Summary minutes of all Committee meetings will be maintained at the Anasazi Heritage Center in Dolores, Colorado. They are available for public inspection and reproduction during regular business hours within thirty (30) days of the meeting. In addition, minutes and other information concerning the Committee can be obtained from the Monument planning Web site at: <http://www.blm.gov/rmp/canm> which will be updated following each Committee meeting.

Dated: September 16, 2003.

LouAnn Jacobson,

Manager, Canyons of the Ancients National Monument.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Reclamation

Pajaro Valley Water Management Agency Revised Basin Management Plan Project, Santa Cruz, Monterey, and San Benito Counties, California

AGENCY: Bureau of Reclamation, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of availability of the draft environmental impact statement and notice of public hearing [DES 03-53].

SUMMARY: Pursuant to section 102(2)(C) of the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA), the Bureau of Reclamation has prepared a draft environmental impact statement (DEIS) for the Pajaro Valley Water Management Agency (PVWMA) Revised Basin Management Plan Project.

The purpose of the project is to address groundwater overdraft and seawater intrusion problems in the Pajaro Valley Basin. The proposed action is the approval of the connection of a PVWMA pipeline to the Santa Clara Conduit; the funding for the design, planning, and construction of a recycled water facility; and the delivery to and use of Central Valley Project (CVP) water in the Pajaro Valley.

DATES: Submit written comments on the DEIS on or before November 24, 2003 to Lynne Silva, Reclamation, at the below address.

A public hearing will be held to receive comments from interested parties, organizations, and individuals on the environmental impacts of the proposal. The hearing will be held on October 29, 2003 at 7:00 pm at the address below.

ADDRESSES: The public hearing will be held at the Watsonville Senior Center, 114 East 5th Street, Watsonville, CA 95076.

Written comments on the DEIS should be addressed to Ms. Lynne Silva, Reclamation, at the below address.

Copies of the DEIS may be requested from Reclamation's South-Central California Area Office or from PVWMA's office at the following addresses:

- Bureau of Reclamation, South-Central California Area Office, 1243 N Street, Fresno, CA 93721-1813.
- Pajaro Valley Water Management Agency, 36 Brennan Street, Watsonville, CA 95076.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ms. Lynne Silva, Bureau of Reclamation, South-Central California Area Office, telephone (559) 487-5807; or Mr. Charles McNiesh, Pajaro Valley Water Management Agency, (831) 722-9292.