

ADDRESSES: Comments should be sent to the Nevada State Director, Bureau of Land Management, P.O. Box 12000, Reno, Nevada 89520.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mike Phillips, Lahontan Resource Area Manager, BLM Carson City District Office, (702) 885-6000.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On March 21, 1995, a petition was approved allowing the Bureau of Land Management to file an application to withdraw the following described public land from surface and mineral entry:

Mount Diablo Meridian

- T. 21 N., R. 22 E.,
 Sec. 12;
 Sec. 24.
- T. 22 N., R. 22 E.,
 Sec. 12;
 Sec. 13;
 Sec. 24;
 Sec. 25, E $\frac{1}{2}$ E $\frac{1}{2}$, and portion of W $\frac{1}{2}$ E $\frac{1}{2}$ lying east of the center of the summit of the ridge;
 Sec. 36.
- T. 21 N., R. 23 E.,
 Sec. 2, Lots 8-21, inclusive;
 Sec. 3, Lots 1-5, inclusive, S $\frac{1}{2}$ N $\frac{1}{2}$, N $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, and SE $\frac{1}{4}$;
 Sec. 4, Lots 5-20, inclusive;
 Sec. 5, Lots 1-4, inclusive, S $\frac{1}{2}$ N $\frac{1}{2}$, and S $\frac{1}{2}$;
 Sec. 6, Lots 8-23, inclusive;
 Sec. 7, Lots 1-4, inclusive, E $\frac{1}{2}$, and E $\frac{1}{2}$ W $\frac{1}{2}$;
 Sec. 8, Lots 1-10, inclusive, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, S $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, E $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, and NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;
 Sec. 9, Lot 1, NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, S $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, NW $\frac{1}{4}$, and S $\frac{1}{2}$;
 Sec. 10, Lots 1-16, inclusive;
 Sec. 11, Lots 1-8, inclusive, N $\frac{1}{2}$ N $\frac{1}{2}$, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, and E $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;
 Sec. 12, Lots 1-3, inclusive;
 Sec. 14, Lots 1-16, inclusive, (excluding MS 4193);
 Sec. 15, Lots 1-16, inclusive, (excluding MS 4209);
 Sec. 16, Lots 1-16, inclusive, (excluding MS 4209);
 Sec. 17, Lots 1-4, inclusive, N $\frac{1}{2}$, and N $\frac{1}{2}$ S $\frac{1}{2}$;
 Sec. 18, Lots 5-20, inclusive;
 Sec. 19, Lots 1-9, inclusive, N $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, E $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, and NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;
 Sec. 20, Lots 3-18, inclusive, (excluding MS 2575, MS 2591, and MS 4325);
 Sec. 21, Lots 1-16, inclusive;
 Sec. 22, Lots 1-8, inclusive;
 Sec. 24, E $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$;
 Sec. 36, N $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$.
- T. 22 N., R. 23 E.,
 Sec. 6, Lots 1-4, inclusive, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, and S $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;
 Sec. 7, Lots 1 and 7-13, inclusive, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, S $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, and SE $\frac{1}{4}$;
 Sec. 8, Lots 5-20, inclusive;
 Sec. 16, Lots 2-5, inclusive, W $\frac{1}{2}$ E $\frac{1}{2}$, and W $\frac{1}{2}$;
 Sec. 17; (excluding MS 4230);

- Sec. 18, Lots 5-20, inclusive;
 Sec. 19, Lots 1-4, inclusive, E $\frac{1}{2}$, and E $\frac{1}{2}$ W $\frac{1}{2}$;
 Sec. 20; (excluding MS 4230);
 Sec. 21;
 Sec. 22, Lots 1-3, inclusive, W $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, and SW $\frac{1}{4}$;
 Sec. 28, Lots 1-4, inclusive, W $\frac{1}{2}$ E $\frac{1}{2}$, and W $\frac{1}{2}$;
 Sec. 29;
 Sec. 30, Lots 5-20, inclusive;
 Sec. 31, Lots 1-4, inclusive, E $\frac{1}{2}$, and E $\frac{1}{2}$ W $\frac{1}{2}$;
 Sec. 32;
 Sec. 33;
 Sec. 34, Lots 1-7, inclusive, S $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, E $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, and SE $\frac{1}{4}$.

The area described contains 26,313.25 acres in Washoe County, Nevada.

The purpose of the proposed withdrawal is to protect public land from potential impacts associated with nondiscretionary land and mineral activities while studies and a land use plan amendment addressing future management of the land is prepared. The recent acquisition of 8,136 acres of land created the solid block of public land being proposed for withdrawal, in an area that was previously a checkerboard pattern of public and private ownership. Consolidation of this area into Federal ownership offers numerous opportunities for wildlife habitat protection, riparian area protection, watershed protection, cultural resources protection, and recreational uses in addition to new opportunities for mineral extraction.

For a period of 90 days from the date of publication of this notice, all persons who wish to submit comments, suggestions, or objections in connection with the proposed withdrawal may present their views in writing to the Nevada State Director of the Bureau of Land Management.

Notice is hereby given that a public meeting in connection with the proposed withdrawal will be held at a later date. A notice of the time and place will be published in the Federal Register and the Reno Gazette-Journal newspaper in Reno, Nevada, at least 30 days before the scheduled date of the meeting.

The application will be processed in accordance with the regulations set forth in 43 CFR 2300.

For a period of 2 years from the date of publication of this notice in the Federal Register, the land will be segregated as specified above unless the application is denied or canceled or the withdrawal is approved prior to that date. Proposals for temporary land uses that do not significantly disturb the surface of the land or impair values of resources will be considered by the

authorized officer during this segregative period.

Dated: April 6, 1995.

Lee F. Englesby,

Acting Deputy State Director, Operations.

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National Park Service

Keweenaw National Historical Park Advisory Commission Meeting

AGENCY: National Park Service, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: This notice announces an upcoming meeting of the Keweenaw National Historical Park Advisory Commission. Notice of this meeting is required under the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Public Law 92-463).

MEETING DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, May 16, 1995; 8:30 a.m. until 4:30 p.m.

ADDRESSES: Keweenaw National Historic Park Headquarters, 100 Red Jacket Road (2nd floor), Calumet, Michigan 49913-0471.

The agenda for the meeting consists of reviewing the first draft of possible alternatives to be developed for the general management plan.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Keweenaw National Historical Park was established by Public Law 102-543 on October 27, 1992.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Superintendent Bill Fink, Keweenaw National Historical Park, P.O. Box 471, Calumet, Michigan 49913-0471, 906-337-3168.

Dated: April 5, 1995.

William W. Schenk,

Regional Director, Midwest Region.

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Missouri Recreational River Advisory Group

AGENCY: National Park Service, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: This notice sets the schedule for the forthcoming meeting of the Missouri Recreational River Advisory Group. Notice of this meeting is required under the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463).

MEETING DATE AND TIME: Thursday, May 3, 1995; 1:30 p.m.

ADDRESSES: Niobrara State Park, Group Lodge, Niobrara, Nebraska.

Agenda topics include:

1. Discussion of the 39-mile planning team meeting held in O'Neill, Nebraska on March 29-31, 1995.

2. Corps of Engineers discussion of the sedimentation study of the Niobrara River.

3. The opportunity for public comment and proposed agenda, date, and time, of the next Advisory Group meeting.

The meeting is open to the public. Interested persons may make oral/written presentation to the Commission or file written statements. Requests for time for making presentations may be made to the Superintendent prior to the meeting or to the Chair at the beginning of the meeting. In order to accomplish the agenda for the meeting, the Chair may want to limit or schedule public presentations.

The meeting will be recorded for documentation and a summary in the form of minutes will be transcribed for dissemination. Minutes of the meeting will be made available to the public after approval by the Commission members. Copies of the minutes may be requested by contacting the Superintendent. An audio tape of the meeting will be available at the headquarters office of the Niobrara/Missouri National Scenic Riverways in O'Neill, Nebraska.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Advisory Group was established by the law that established the Missouri National Recreational River, Public Law 102-50. The purpose of the group, according to its charter, is to advise the Secretary of the Interior on matters pertaining to the development of a management plan, and management and operation of the Recreational River. The Missouri National Recreational River is the 39-mile free flowing segment of the Missouri from Fort Randall Dam to the vicinity of Springfield in South Dakota.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Warren Hill, Superintendent, Niobrara/Missouri National Scenic Riverways, P.O. Box 591, O'Neill, Nebraska 68763-0591, 402-336-3970.

Dated: April 5, 1995.

William W. Schenk,

Regional Director.

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INTERNATIONAL BOUNDARY AND WATER COMMISSION, UNITED STATES AND MEXICO

Finding of no Significant Impact for Quisto Energy Corp.

AGENCY: United States Section, International Boundary and Water Commission, United States and Mexico.

ACTION: Notice of finding of no significant impact.

SUMMARY: Based on an environmental assessment prepared by Quisto Energy Corporation (Quisto) to construct, operate, and maintain a gas well located on the Main Floodway of the Lower Rio Grande Flood Control Project (LRGFCP), the United States Section, International Boundary and Water Commission, United States and Mexico (USIBWC) finds that the proposed action to issue a license to Quisto for such works is not a major federal action that would have a significant adverse effect on the quality of the human environment. Therefore, pursuant to section 102(2)(C) of the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969; the Council on Environmental Quality Final Regulations (40 CFR parts 1500 through 1508); and the U.S. Section's Operational Procedures for Implementing Section 102 of NEPA, published in the Federal Register September 2, 1981 (46 FR 44083-44094); the USIBWC hereby gives notice that an environmental impact statement will not be prepared for the proposed action.

ADDRESSES: Mr. Yusuf E. Farran, Division Engineer, Environmental Management Division, International Boundary and Water Commission, United States and Mexico, United States Section, 4171 North Mesa Street, C-310, El Paso, Texas 79902-1441. Telephone: 915/534-6704.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Proposed Action

The action proposed is for the USIBWC to issue a license to Quisto to construct, operate, and maintain a gas well and install related features within Smith-Coates Well #1 Drilling Unit on Lot 2, Block 15 of John Closer Subdivision, Hidalgo County, Texas. The gas well is proposed to be located on privately owned land within the Main Floodway of the USIBWC LRGFCP approximately 8 kilometers (5 miles) south of Pharr. Access to the drilling site is by way of existing county and private roads and a proposed 274-meter (900-foot) long road.

Alternatives Considered

Three alternatives were considered in the Environmental Assessment (EA):

The Proposed Action Alternative is for Quisto to construct, operate, and maintain a gas well in a cultivated field within the Main Floodway of the USIBWC LRGFCP. This proposed action will require the USIBWC to issue a license to ensure that such works do not cause an obstruction to flood flows within the floodway or interfere with the operation and maintenance of the LRGFCP.

The No Action Alternative is for Quisto to not construct, operate, and maintain a gas well within the Main Floodway of the LRGFCP. The no action alternative will not require the USIBWC to issue a license since no work will be done within the LRGFCP. The no action alternative will result in the denial of access to the mineral owner to rightfully owned minerals, loss of tax revenues to the State of Texas, and result in an unrecoverable clean energy source.

The Directional Well Alternative is for Quisto to drill a well from outside the Main Floodway to a depth below the proposed surface location. The directional well alternative will not require the USIBWC to issue a license since no work will be done within the LRGFCP. The directional well alternative is considered not workable because of technical problems associated with a bottomhole location some 305 meters (1,000 feet) or more from the surface location and subsurface geological hazards endemic to the area.

Environmental Assessment

The USIBWC received from Quisto a completed Environmental Assessment (EA) for the proposed gas well and related features. The EA is currently available for review and comment.

Finding of the Environmental Assessment

The EA finds that the proposed action for Quisto to construct, operate, and maintain a gas well within the Main Floodway of the USIBWC LRGFCP (and the USIBWC to issue a license for such work) does not constitute a major federal action which would cause a significant local, regional, or national adverse impact on the environment based on the following facts:

1. The United States Army Corps of Engineers has determined that no waters of the United States including wetlands will be impacted by the proposed gas well and related features.

2. The United States Fish and Wildlife Service has determined that federally listed endangered or threatened species