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National Park Service

Notice of Availability of the Final Development Concept Plan/ Amendment to the General Management Plan and Final Environmental Impact Statement for Crater Lake National Park, Oregon

SUMMARY: Pursuant to section 102(2)(C) of the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (Public Law 91-190, as amended), the National Park Service, Department of the Interior, has prepared a Final Development Concept Plan/ Amendment to the General Management Plan/Environmental Impact Statement (DCP/FEIS) that describes and analyzes a proposal and three alternatives that meet immediate and long-term needs at Crater Lake National Park regarding employee housing, completion of the ongoing redevelopment at Rim Village, and maintenance, administration, and storage facilities.

The Draft Development Concept Plan/ Amendment to the General Management Plan/Environmental Impact Statement (DCP/DEIS) was released for public review on November 29, 1994 (59 FR 228), and the public comment period closed February 2, 1995. During this comment period, three public meetings were held and written comments were also received. The DCP/FEIS contains responses to the comments received and modifications to the document as needed in response to the comments.

The proposal, which was developed in response to public and agency comments on the DCP/DEIS, calls for removing the visitor parking at Rim Village and constructing a new parking structure 800 feet off the rim with a shuttle bus system to provide year-round access to the rim; creating a new roadway on which visitors would travel from the parking facility to Crater Lake Lodge in shuttle buses; partially restoring to natural conditions a one-acre maintenance yard near park headquarters with the remainder of the site converted to an employee recreation area; developing a 98-person employee dormitory and associated parking, roads, pedestrian path, seasonal employee recreational vehicle (RV) sites, a maintenance building and group campsites at Mazama Village. New opportunities for placement of facilities

originally proposed at the South Entrance were identified through the public review for the DCP/DEIS. Consequently, a separate planning effort would be undertaken to determine the most appropriate location for construction of these facilities, including employee housing (approximately 20-30 houses, 15-20 RV sites, and a second 98-person dormitory to replace the Rim Village dormitory), and additional support and storage facilities.

Three alternatives were considered, in addition to the proposal. The no-action alternative would implement the 1988 DCP and include development of two day-use parking areas to service Rim Village with associated connecting trail and new road connecting facilities on the rim, and a new employee dorm for 60-65 people. The South Entrance focus alternative would construct a new employee dormitory at Mazama Village and would relocate park headquarters, additional employee housing, and support/storage facilities to the South Entrance. The Mazama focus alternative would concentrate most development at Mazama Village, including a new employee dormitory and support/storage facilities, with additional employee housing at the South Entrance.

Major impact topics assessed for the proposed action and the alternatives include earth resources, surface water, groundwater/water supply, water quality, air quality, vegetation, wildlife, special-status animal species, ecosystem processes, cultural resources, visitor experience, employee commuting and delivery of services, and land use and zoning.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The no-action period on this final plan and environmental impact statement will end 30 days after the Environmental Protection Agency has published a notice of availability of the DCP/FEIS in the **Federal Register**. For further information, contact: Superintendent, Crater Lake National Park, Post Office Box 7, Crater Lake, OR 97604-0007; telephone (503) 594-2211.

Copies of the DCP/FEIS will be available at Crater Lake National Park Headquarters, as well as the following locations: Multnomah County Library, 801 SW 10th, Portland, OR; Salem Library, 585 Liberty SE, Salem, OR; Klamath County Library, 126 South 3rd, Klamath Falls, OR; Eugene Library, 100 W 13th, Eugene, OR; Jackson County Library, 413 W Main, Medford, OR; Deschutes County Library, 507 NW Wall St., Bend, OR; Josephine County Library, 200 NW C, Grants Pass, OR;

Douglas County Library, Courthouse, Roseburg, OR; Office of Public Affairs, National Park Service, Department of the Interior, 1849 C Street NW, Washington, DC; and National Park Service, Seattle System Support Office, 909 First Ave., Seattle, WA.

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Availability of Plan of Operations and Environmental Assessment, Oil Well Plugging and Abandonment; Murphy Exploration and Production Company, Big Thicket National Preserve, Hardin County, Texas

Notice is hereby given in accordance with Section 9.52(b) of Title 36 of the Code of Federal Regulations that the National Park Service has received from Murphy Exploration and Production Company a Plan of Operations to plug and abandon an oil well, and reclaim the operations area in Big Thicket National Preserve, located within Hardin County, Texas.

The Plan of Operations and Environmental Assessment are available for public review and comment for a period of 30 days from the publication date of this notice. The documents can be viewed during normal business hours at the Office of the Superintendent, Big Thicket National Preserve, 3785 Milam Street, Beaumont, Texas. Copies can be requested from the Superintendent, Big Thicket National Preserve, 3785 Milam, Beaumont, TX 77701.

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AGENCY FOR INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Housing Guaranty Program; Notice of Investment Opportunity

The U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID) has authorized the guaranty of loans to Banco Centroamericano de Integracion Economica (CABEI) ("Borrower") as part of USAID's development assistance program. The proceeds of this loan will be used for a municipal infrastructure finance program to finance urban environmental infrastructure for the