

Community Planning and Development redelegates authority as follows:

Section A. Authority Delegated

The Secretary of the Department of Housing and Urban Development delegates to the Assistant Secretary for Community Planning and Development the authority to administer the Base Closure Community Redevelopment and Assistance Act of 1994, including:

- i. The authority to approve base reuse plans, pursuant to 32 CFR 92.35, and 24 CFR 586.35;
- ii. the authority to grant waivers, pursuant to 32 CFR 92.15(b), and 24 CFR 586.15(b); and
- iii. the authority to render adverse determinations of base reuse plans, pursuant to 32 CFR 92.40, and 24 CFR 586.40.

Section B. Authority Redelegated

The Assistant Secretary for Community Planning and Development redelegates to the Deputy Assistant Secretary for Economic Development the authority to render adverse determinations of base reuse plans, pursuant to 32 CFR 92.40, and 24 CFR 586.40.

Section C. Actions Ratified

The Secretary of Housing and Urban Development hereby ratifies all actions previously taken by the Assistant Secretary for Community Planning and Development and the Deputy Assistant Secretary for Economic Development, from October 1, 1995, through the date of signature of this document by the Secretary, with respect to the approval of applications for the Base Closure Community Redevelopment and Homeless Assistance Act of 1994, in accordance with 32 CFR 92.35, and 24 CFR 586.35.

Authority: Section 7(d), Department of Housing and Urban Development Act, 42 U.S.C. § 3535(d).

Dated: May 10, 1996.

Henry G. Cisneros,

Secretary of Housing and Urban Development.

Andrew M. Cuomo,

Assistant Secretary for Community Planning and Development.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Fish and Wildlife Service

Endangered and Threatened Species Permit Application

AGENCY: Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of receipt of application.

The following applicant has applied for a permit to conduct certain activities with endangered species. This notice is provided pursuant to section 10 (c) of the Endangered Species Act of 1973, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1531, *et seq.*).

PRT-814965

Applicant: Dr. Allan M. Hale, Rust Environment and Infrastructure, Inc., Cincinnati, Ohio.

The applicant requests a permit to take (capture and release) Indiana Bats (*Myotis sodalis*) within Martin, Greene, and Lawrence Counties, Indiana. Surveys are proposed to document presence or absence of the species on behalf of the Crane Division, Naval Surface Warfare Center, Crane, Indiana, and activities are proposed to enhance survival of the species in the wild.

Written data or comments should be submitted to the Regional Director, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Division of Ecological Services Operations, 1 Federal Drive, Fort Snelling, Minnesota 55111-4056, and must be received within 30 days of the date of this publication.

Documents and other information submitted with this application are available for review by any party who submits a written request for a copy of such documents to the following office within 30 days of the date of publication of this notice: U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Division of Ecological Services Operations, 1 Federal Drive, Fort Snelling, Minnesota 55111-4056. Telephone: (612/725-3536 x250); FAX: (612/725-3526).

Dated: May 15, 1996.

Matthias A. Kerschbaum,

Acting Assistant Regional Director, Ecological Services, Region 3, Fish and Wildlife Service, Fort Snelling, Minnesota.

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Notice of Receipt of Applications for Permit

The following applicants have applied for a permit to conduct certain activities with endangered species. This notice is provided pursuant to Section 10(c) of the Endangered Species Act of

1973, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1531, *et seq.*):

PRT-810353.

Applicant: Camp Cooley Ranch, Franklin, TX

The applicant requests a permit to authorize interstate and foreign commerce, export, and cull of excess male barasingha (*Cervus duvauceli*) from their captive herd for the purpose of enhancement of the survival of the species.

Written data or comments should be submitted to the Director, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Office of Management Authority, 4401 North Fairfax Drive, Room 430, Arlington, Virginia 22203 and must be received by the Director within 30 days of the date of this publication.

The public is invited to comment on the following application(s) for permits to conduct certain activities with marine mammals. The application(s) was/were submitted to satisfy requirements of the Marine Mammal Protection Act of 1972, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1361 *et seq.*) and the regulations governing marine mammals (50 CFR 18).

PRT-814780

Applicant: Carnegie Museum of Natural History, Pittsburgh, PA.

Type of Permit: Import for public display.

Name and Number of Animals: Polar Bear (*Ursus maritimus*), 1.

Summary of Activity to be

Authorized: The applicant has requested a permit to import one polar bear legally harvested in the Northwest Territories, Canada for the purposes of public display.

Source of Marine Mammals for Research/Public Display: Canada.

Period of Activity: Up to five years from issuance of a permit, if issued.

Concurrent with the publication of this notice in the Federal Register, the Office of Management Authority is forwarding copies to the Marine Mammal Commission and the Committee of Scientific Advisors for their review.

Written data or comments, requests for copies of the complete application, or requests for a public hearing on this application should be sent to the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Office of Management Authority, 4401 N. Fairfax Drive, Room 430, Arlington, Virginia 22203, telephone 703/358-2104 or fax 703/358-2281 and must be received within 30 days of the date of publication of this notice. Anyone requesting a hearing should give specific reasons why a hearing would be appropriate. The holding of such hearing is at the discretion of the Director.

Documents and other information submitted with these applications are available for review, *subject to the requirements of the Privacy Act and Freedom of Information Act*, by any party who submits a written request for a copy of such documents within 30 days of the date of publication of this notice at the above address.

Dated: May 17, 1996.

Caroline Anderson,
Acting Chief, Branch of Permits, Office of
Management Authority.
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Bureau of Land Management

[AZ-026-05-5440-10-A132; AZA 29170]

Arizona: Continuation of Public Land Segregation, Pima County, Arizona

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This notice continues the segregation on the 20 acres cited in notice documents 95-21078, page 44042 in the issue of Thursday, August 24, 1995; and 95-22914, page 47961 in the issue of Friday, September 15, 1995. The segregation is continued because the noncompetitive sale of public lands cannot take place until the Lower Gila Resource Area RMP Amendment is finalized. The segregation from appropriation under the public land laws, including the mining laws, on the following land will continue for 270 days from the date of this publication:

Gila and Salt River Meridian, Arizona
T. 12 S., R. 6 W.,
Sec. 33, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$.
The area described contains 20 acres.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Hector Abrego of the Phoenix District Office, U.S. Bureau of Land Management, 2015 West Deer Valley Rd., Phoenix, Arizona 85027, (602) 780-8090 E-mail: habrego@0033wp.azso.az.blm.gov.

Dated: May 15, 1996.

David J. Miller,
Associate District Manager.
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Bureau of Reclamation

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South Bay Water Recycling Project, San Jose, California

AGENCY: Bureau of Reclamation, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of availability on the final environmental impact statement.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) of 1969 (as amended), the Bureau of Reclamation (Reclamation) has prepared a final environmental impact statement (FEIS) for the South Bay Water Recycling Project (SBWRP). The FEIS is based on a 1992 environmental impact report (EIR) prepared by the City of San Jose (City). The SBWRP would divert treated freshwater effluent from South San Francisco Bay through a water reclamation program. This would include construction of pump stations and recycled distribution pipelines. Reclamation would provide a grant of up to 25 percent of the total project cost to the City to support the SBWRP.

ADDRESSES: Copies of the FEIS are also available for the public at the following locations:

- Bureau of Reclamation, Mid-Pacific Regional Liaison, 1849 C Street NW., Washington, DC 20240; telephone: (202) 208-6274.
- Bureau of Reclamation, Regional Director, Attn: MP-720 2800 Cottage Way, Sacramento, CA 95825-1898; telephone: (916) 979-2297.
- Bureau of Reclamation, Mid-Pacific Regional Library, 2800 Cottage Way, Sacramento, CA. 95825-1898; telephone: (916) 979-2462.
- City of San Jose, Environmental Services Department, Tech. Support Division., 700 Los Esteros Road, San Jose, CA 95134; telephone: (408) 945-5300.

Libraries:

Copies will also be available at public libraries located in San Jose (Main, Alviso, Berryessa, East San Jose, Carnegie, and Empire Branches).

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ms. Mona Jefferies-Sonia, Bureau of Reclamation, Division of Planning, 2800 Cottage Way, Sacramento, CA 95825; telephone (916) 979-2297.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The SBWRP, formerly known as the San Jose Nonpotable Reclamation Project, was developed in response to an order from the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and the California Regional Water Quality Control Board—San Francisco Region in order to re-establish salinity

levels of the salt water marsh in the southern tip of San Francisco Bay. In addition to protecting the South Bay habitat, the program also develops nonpotable water supply for the Santa Clara Valley, which can be used in place of potable water for appropriate purposes. Funding will come from loans from the State Water Resources Control Board and EPA, a grant from Reclamation, and local funding. The SBWRP would be implemented in two phases: Phase I would consist of installing facilities to supply up to 9,000 acre-feet/year of nonpotable water for landscape irrigation, agriculture and industrial uses. Phase II would consist of installing facilities to supply an additional up to 27,000 acre-feet/year for either nonpotable or potable use. The City completed a final EIR for the SBWRP in November 1992 to comply with the California Environmental Quality Act. At that time, Reclamation had not been involved and therefore no federal requirement for compliance with NEPA existed. The FEIS is based on this final EIR. The EIR analyzed Phase I in detail and analyzed Phase II programmatically.

The proposed action (Phase I) is to construct pump stations, storage tanks, 48.5 miles of 6 to 54-inch diameter pipeline and appurtenant facilities in the cities of San Jose, Santa Clara, and Milpitas. There would also be minor modifications of the existing San Jose/Santa Clara Water Pollution Control Plant to provide additional chlorination. Alternatives to the proposed action include:

- Pipeline Alignment Alternative, to avoid construction of pipelines near residences.
- Flow Allocation Alternative, which would allocate most of the reclaimed water for potable uses. The water would be used for groundwater recharge, mainly using percolation basins.
- Habitat Enhancement Alternative, to also supply water to riparian restoration areas along creeks and rivers in the study area, as well as for potable and other nonpotable purposes.
- No Action.

The draft environmental impact statement (DEIS) was issued August 1, 1995. Responses to comments received from interested organizations and individuals on the DEIS are addressed in the FEIS. No decision will be made on the proposed action until 30 days after the release of the FEIS. After the 30-day waiting period, Reclamation will complete a Record of Decision (ROD). The ROD will state the action that will be implemented and will discuss all factors leading to the decision.