

documented in a Protest Resolution Report (see **ADDRESSES**).

The BLM provided the Proposed Resource Management Plan Amendment to the Governor of New Mexico for a 60-day Governor's consistency review. The Governor's Consistency review period ended April 19, 2023. The New Mexico Governor's Office provided consistency review comments on April 13, 2023. The comments indicated the SunZia Final Environmental Impact Statement and the amendments it would make to the existing approved route for the SunZia Project provides consistency between BLM resource management plans and applicable state laws, policies, and programs. The State of New Mexico stands in support of the BLM's February 17, 2023, Final Environmental Impact Statement and Proposed Resource Management Plan Amendments for the SunZia Southwest Transmission Project.

The BLM's Assistant Director for Resources and Planning concluded that the BLM New Mexico State Director followed the applicable laws, regulations, and policies and considered all relevant resource information and public input. The Assistant Director addressed the protests and issued a Protest Resolution Report to protesting parties and posted the report on the BLM's website (<https://www.blm.gov/programs/planning-and-nepa/public-participation/protest-resolution-reports>); no changes to the Proposed Resource Management Plan Amendment were necessary.

The SunZia Southwest Transmission Line Project is a "covered project" under 42 U.S.C. 4370m. This notice serves the purpose identified in 42 U.S.C. 4370m-6(a)(1)(A).

(Authority: 40 CFR 1506.6; 43 CFR 1610.5-1; 42 U.S.C. 4370m-6(a)(1)(A))

Melanie G. Barnes,

State Director.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

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Public Land Order No. 7924; Extension of Public Land Order No. 7566; Rhyolite Historic Site; Nevada

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Public Land Order.

SUMMARY: This Order extends the duration of the withdrawal created by

Public Land Order (PLO) No. 7566 for an additional 20-year term. PLO No. 7566 withdrew 277.05 acres of public lands from settlement, sale, location, or entry under the general land laws, including the United States mining laws, but not the mineral leasing laws, subject to valid existing rights, to protect the Rhyolite Historic Site located in Nye County, Nevada.

DATES: This Public Land Order takes effect on May 20, 2023.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Frederick Marcell, BLM Nevada State Office, at 202-389-2978, email: fmarcell@blm.gov. Individuals in the United States who are deaf, deafblind, hard of hearing, or have a speech disability may dial 711 (TTY, TDD, or Tele Braille) 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: The purpose for which the withdrawal was first made requires this extension in order to continue the protection of the Rhyolite Historic Site. This withdrawal is maintained by the BLM State Office under serial number N-73931.

Order

By virtue of the authority vested in the Secretary of the Interior by Section 204(f) of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976, 43 U.S.C. 1714(f), it is ordered as follows:

1. PLO No. 7566 (68 FR 27580 (2003)), which withdrew 277.05 acres of public lands from settlement, sale, location, or entry under the general land laws, including the United States mining laws, but not the mineral leasing laws, subject to valid existing rights, to protect the Rhyolite Historic Site, is hereby extended for an additional 20-year period.

2. This withdrawal extended by this Order will expire on May 19, 2043, unless, as a result of a review conducted prior to the expiration date pursuant to Section 204(f) of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976, 43 U.S.C. 1714(f), the Secretary determines that the withdrawal shall be further extended.

(Authority: 43 U.S.C. 1714(f))

Robert T. Anderson,
Solicitor.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

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Notice of Public Meeting, Southern New Mexico Resource Advisory Council, New Mexico

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of public meeting.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976, as amended, and the Federal Advisory Committee Act of 1972, the U.S. Department of the Interior, Bureau of Land Management's (BLM) Southern New Mexico Resource Advisory Council (RAC) will meet as indicated below.

DATES: The RAC is scheduled to host an in-person meeting, with a virtual participation option, on Wednesday, June 14, 2023, from 8 a.m. to 12 p.m. Mountain Time at the Inn of the Mountain Gods Resort. This meeting will be followed by an afternoon field tour from 1 to 4 p.m. of the Fort Stanton-Snowy River Cave National Conservation Area Headquarters. The meeting and field tour are open to the public.

ADDRESSES: Attendees for the morning business meeting should meet at the Inn of the Mountain Gods Resort, 287 Carrizo Canyon Road, Mescalero, NM 88340 at 8 a.m. on Wednesday, June 14, 2023. Attendees for the afternoon field tour should meet at the Fort Stanton-Snowy River Cave National Conservation Area Headquarters, 111 BlackJack Pershing, Ft. Stanton, NM 88323 at 1 p.m. A virtual participation option is available on the Zoom Webinar platform. To register, go to: https://blm.zoomgov.com/webinar/register/WN_F14cFzZISD-rGSK1uTHEFA.

Written comments pertaining to the meeting may be filed in advance of the meeting using the BLM address listed in the **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT** section of this notice. Please include "RAC Comment" in your submission.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: William Wight, BLM Las Cruces District Office, 1800 Marquess Street, Las Cruces, New Mexico 88005; (575) 525-4300. 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