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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: We, the Fish and Wildlife Service (Service), announce receipt of an application from RWLC Development Sub, LLC (applicant) for an incidental take permit (ITP) under the Endangered Species Act of 1973, as amended (ESA; 16 U.S.C. 1531 *et seq.*). The applicant requests the ITP to take federally listed sand skinks (*Neoseps reynoldsi*) and bluetail mole skinks (*Eumeces egregius lividus*) (skinks), federally listed as threatened under the ESA, incidental to the construction and operation of a commercial development in Polk County, Florida. We request public comments on the application, which includes the applicant's habitat conservation plan (HCP), and on the Service's preliminary determination that this proposed ITP qualifies as "low effect," and may qualify for a categorical exclusion pursuant to the Council on Environmental Quality's National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) regulations (40 CFR 1501.4), the Department of the Interior's (DOI) NEPA regulations (43 CFR 46), and the DOI's Departmental Manual (516 DM 8.5(C)(2)). To make this preliminary determination, we prepared a draft environmental action statement and low-effect screening form, both of which are also available for public review.

Proposed Project

The applicant requests a 5-year ITP to take skinks via the conversion of approximately 1.68 acres (ac) of occupied nesting, foraging, and sheltering skink habitat incidental to the construction and operation of a commercial development on 12.64 ac on Parcel #: 27-26-29-706500-030310 and 27-26-29-706500-030300 in Section 29, Township 26 S, Range 27 E, Polk County, Florida. The applicant proposes to mitigate for take of the skinks by purchasing credits equivalent to 3.36 ac of skink-occupied habitat within the Lake Wales Ridge Conservation Bank or another Service-approved conservation bank. The Service would require the applicant to purchase the credits prior to engaging in any phase of the project.

Our Preliminary Determination

The Service has made a preliminary determination that the applicant's proposed project—including the construction of the buildings and associated infrastructure (*e.g.*, electric, water, and sewer lines)—would individually and cumulatively have a minor or negligible effect on the skinks

and the human environment. Therefore, we have preliminarily determined that the proposed ESA section 10(a)(1)(B) permit would be a low-effect ITP that individually or cumulatively would have a minor effect on the skinks and may qualify for application of a categorical exclusion pursuant to the Council on Environmental Quality's NEPA regulations, DOI's NEPA regulations, and the DOI Departmental Manual. A low-effect incidental take permit is one that would result in (1) minor or negligible effects on species covered in the HCP; (2) nonsignificant effects on the human environment; and (3) impacts that, when added together with the impacts of other past, present, and reasonably foreseeable actions, would not result in significant cumulative effects to the human environment.

Next Steps

The Service will evaluate the application and the comments to determine whether to issue the requested ITP. We will also conduct an intra-Service consultation pursuant to section 7 of the ESA to evaluate the effects of the proposed take. After considering the preceding and other matters, we will determine whether the permit issuance criteria of section 10(a)(1)(B) of the ESA have been met. If met, the Service will issue ITP number PER13163374 to RWLC Development Sub, LLC.

Public Availability of Comments

Before including your address, phone number, email address, or other personal identifying information in your comment, be aware that your entire comment, including your personal identifying information, may be made available to the public. If you submit a comment at <https://www.regulations.gov>, your entire comment, including any personal identifying information, will be posted on the website. If you submit a hardcopy comment that includes personal identifying information, such as your address, phone number, or email address, you may request at the top of your document that we withhold this information from public review. However, we cannot guarantee that we will be able to do so. Moreover, all submissions from organizations or businesses, and from individuals identifying themselves as representatives or officials of organizations or businesses, will be made available for public disclosure in their entirety.

Authority

The Service provides this notice under section 10(c) of the Endangered Species Act (16 U.S.C. 1531 *et seq.*) and its implementing regulations (50 CFR 17.32) and the National Environmental Policy Act (42 U.S.C. 4321 *et seq.*) and its implementing regulations (40 CFR parts 1500 through 1508 and 43 CFR part 46).

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

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Wyoming Resource Advisory Council Announces 2025 Meetings

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of public meetings.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976 and the Federal Advisory Committee Act of 1972, the U.S. Department of the Interior, Bureau of Land Management's (BLM) Wyoming Resource Advisory Council (RAC) is announcing its 2025 meeting dates.

DATES: The Wyoming RAC will meet as follows:

- January 29, 2025, in-person and virtually, from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. MT. A speaker presentation will be held January 30, 2025, beginning at 8:30 a.m.;
- April 23, 2025, in-person and virtually, from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. MT. A field tour will be held April 24, 2025, beginning at 8:30 a.m.;
- July 9, in-person and virtually, from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. MT. A field tour will be held July 10, 2025, beginning at 8:30 a.m.;
- October 21, in-person and virtually, from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. MT. A field tour will be held October 22, 2025, beginning at 8:30 a.m.

All meetings and field tours are open to the public. The public is responsible for their own transportation on field tours and to meetings.

ADDRESSES: The January 29 meeting will be held at the BLM Wyoming State Office at 5353 Yellowstone Road, Cheyenne, WY 82009, as well as virtually through the Zoom platform.

The April 23 meeting will be held at a determined Wyoming Field Office, as well as virtually through the Zoom platform.

The July 9 meeting will be held at a determined Wyoming Field Office, as well as virtually through the Zoom platform.

The October 21 meeting will be held at a determined Wyoming Field Office, as well as virtually through the Zoom platform.

Virtual registration information and the agenda for all meetings will be available 2 weeks in advance of the meetings on the Council's web page at <https://www.blm.gov/get-involved/resource-advisory-council/near-you/wyoming>.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Allegra Keenoo, BLM Wyoming State Office, telephone: (307) 775-6318, email: akeenoo@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 TeleBraille) to access telecommunications relay services for contacting Allegra Keenoo. 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 10-member RAC provides recommendations to the Secretary of the Interior, through the BLM, on a variety of public land challenges within the State of Wyoming.

Each meeting may include field office updates and a time reserved for open discussion, followed by a public comment period. Depending on the number of people who wish to speak, the time for individual comments may be limited.

Individuals who plan to attend and need special assistance, such as sign language interpretation and other reasonable accommodations, should contact the BLM (see **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT**) 2 weeks in advance of the meeting.

Written comments for the Council may be sent electronically in advance of the scheduled meetings to Public Affairs Specialist Allegra Keenoo at akeenoo@blm.gov, or in writing to BLM Wyoming Public Affairs, 5353 Yellowstone Rd. Cheyenne, WY 82009. All comments received will be provided to the Council. Please include "RAC Comment" in your submission. Before including your address, phone number, email address, or other personal identifying information in your comment, you should be aware that your entire comment—including your personal identifying information—may be made publicly available at any time. While you can ask us in your comment

to withhold your personal identifying information from public review, we cannot guarantee that we will be able to do so.

Detailed minutes for RAC meetings will be maintained in the BLM Wyoming State Office and will be available for public inspection within 90 days following the meeting. Previous minutes and agendas are also available on the RAC's web page listed in the **ADDRESSES** section of this notice.

(Authority: 43 CFR 1784.4-2)

Andrew Archuleta,

BLM Wyoming State Director.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

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Public Meeting for the Missouri Basin Resource Advisory Council

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of public meeting.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976 and the Federal Advisory Committee Act of 1972, the U.S. Department of the Interior, Bureau of Land Management (BLM) Missouri Basin Resource Advisory Council (RAC) will meet as follows.

DATES: The RAC will meet virtually on January 16, 2025, from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Mountain Time.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held virtually. The meeting will be open to the public. Attendees must register with the individual listed in the **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT** section of this notice at least 7 business days prior to the meeting date.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Gina Baltrusch, Missouri Basin RAC Coordinator, BLM North Central Montana District, 1220 38th Street North Great Falls, MT 59405; telephone: 406-308-9387; email: rbaltrusch@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 TeleBraille) 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 15-member council advises the Secretary of

the Interior, through the BLM, on a variety of planning and management issues associated with public land management in Central and Eastern Montana, and North and South Dakota. Agenda topics will include North-Central Montana and Eastern Montana/Dakotas district reports, Field Office manager reports, review of Recreation Site Business Plans, a public comment period, and other topics the council may wish to cover. A final agenda will be posted on the RAC's web page at <https://www.blm.gov/get-involved/resource-advisory-council/near-you/montana-dakotas/missouri-basin-rac> two weeks in advance of the meeting. Written comments to the RAC can be emailed in advance to the individual listed in the **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT** section of this notice.

Depending on the number of persons wishing to comment and time available, the time for individual oral comments may be limited. Before including your address, phone number, email address, or other personal identifying information in your comments, please be aware that your entire comment, including your personally identifying information, may be made publicly available at any time. While you can ask us in your comment to withhold your personally identifying information from public review, we cannot guarantee that we will be able to do so.

Please make requests in advance for sign language interpreter services, assistive listening devices, language translation services, or other reasonable accommodations. We ask that you contact the person listed in the **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT** section of this notice at least 14 business days prior to the meeting to give the Department of the Interior sufficient time to process your request. All reasonable accommodation requests are managed on a case-by-case basis.

(Authority: 43 CFR 1784.4-2).

Wendy Warren,

Eastern Montana/Dakotas District Manager and Missouri Basin RAC Designated Federal Official.

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