

increased rental and royalty rates cited above. BLM has not issued a valid lease affecting the lands.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

[CO-150-1610-DU]

Notice of Intent To Amend Uncompahgre Basin and San Juan/San Miguel Resource Management Plans and Prepare the Dry Creek Comprehensive Travel Management Plan, Colorado

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of intent.

SUMMARY: This document provides notice that the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) Uncompahgre Field Office, Montrose, Colorado proposes to initiate a comprehensive planning effort that would amend the Uncompahgre Basin and San Juan/San Miguel Resource Management Plans (RMPs) to address travel management within the Field Office until a Resource Management Plan Revision can be completed.

DATES: This notice initiates the public scoping process. Comments and resource information should be submitted to the BLM within 45 days of publication of this notice in the **Federal Register**. Public meetings will be held during the plan scoping period. All public meetings will be announced through the local news media and notices will be provided at least two weeks prior to the event.

ADDRESSES: You may submit written comments by any of the following methods:

- *Mail:* Bureau of Land Management, Uncompahgre Field Office, *ATTN:* Travel Management, 2465 S. Townsend Ave., Montrose, Colorado 81401.
- *Fax:* 970-240-5368.
- *E-mail:* cotmpufo@blm.gov.

Documents pertinent to this proposal may be examined at the Uncompahgre Field Office (UFO) or on the Field Office Web site (<http://www.co.blm.gov/ubra/index.html>). Comments, including names and street addresses of respondents, will be available for public review at the UFO during regular business hours (8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.), Monday through Friday, except holidays, and may be published as part

of the Environmental Assessment. Before including your address, phone number, e-mail address, or other personal identifying information in your comment, be advised 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 from public review your personal identifying information, we cannot guarantee that we will be able to do so. All submissions from organizations or businesses, and from individuals identifying themselves as representatives or officials of organizations or businesses, will be available for public inspection in their entirety.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For further information and/or to have your name added to our mailing list, contact Julie Stotler, Uncompahgre Field Office, at (970) 240-5310. Comments may be sent electronically to cotmpufo@blm.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In response to recommendations made by the Southwest Resource Advisory Council and other concerned individuals, clubs, and organizations, the BLM proposes to change the existing “Open” designation to “Limited to Existing” for all public lands administered by the field office. In addition, the BLM is proposing a comprehensive travel management plan establishing a transportation system of designated roads and trails within the Dry Creek area.

The proposed action does not affect:

- Travel decisions in the Gunnison Gorge National Conservation Area.
- North Delta OHV Play Area, which will be addressed in subsequent travel management planning.
- Gunnison Travel Interim Restrictions Plan Amendment area, which will be addressed in subsequent travel management planning.
- Other designations such as “Limited to Existing” and “Limited to Designated” areas in the RMPs. These areas will be addressed in subsequent travel management planning.

Preliminary issues and management concerns have been identified by BLM personnel, other agencies, and in meetings with individuals and user groups. They represent the BLM’s knowledge to date on the existing issues and concerns with current management. Some of these issues and concerns include:

- Impacts to other public land users and adjacent private landowners;
- Impacts to wildlife habitat;

- Impacts to water quality, cultural sites, vegetation, including riparian and wetland areas, and soils; and
- Identification of recreational opportunities.

These issues, along with others that may be identified through public participation, will be considered in the planning process. The public is encouraged to help identify issues and concerns during the scoping phase. The purpose of the public scoping process is to determine relevant issues that will influence the scope of the environmental analysis and management alternatives. These issues will also guide the planning process. You may submit comments on issues and planning criteria in writing to the BLM at any public scoping meeting, or by using one of the methods listed in the **ADDRESSES** section above. The minutes and list of attendees for each scoping meeting will be available to the public and open for 30 days after the meeting to any participant who wishes to clarify the views he or she expressed.

An interdisciplinary approach will be used to develop the plan amendment in order to consider the variety of resource issues and concerns identified. Disciplines involved in the planning process will include specialists with expertise in rangeland management, outdoor recreation, law enforcement, archaeology, wildlife and fisheries, lands and realty, hydrology, soils, and vegetation. Notification of the planning process will be made to the Governor of Colorado, County Commissioners, local tribes, and potentially affected members of the public.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

[CO-923-1430-ET; COC-38723]

Notice of Proposed Withdrawal Extension and Opportunity for Public Meeting, Colorado

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Secretary of the Interior proposes to extend the duration of Public Land Order (PLO) No. 6733 for an additional 20-year period. PLO No. 6733 withdrew 100 acres of National Forest System land in Gunnison County, Colorado, from location and entry under

the general mining laws for the protection of the Bureau of Reclamation Silver Jack Recreation Area. This notice gives the public an opportunity to comment on the proposed action and to request a public meeting.

DATES: Comments and requests for a public meeting must be received by June 5, 2007.

ADDRESSES: Comments and meeting requests should be sent to the State Director, Colorado State Office, Bureau of Land Management (BLM), 2850 Youngfield Street, Lakewood, Colorado 80215-7093.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: John D. Beck, Branch of Lands and Realty, Colorado State Office, at 303-239-3882.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The withdrawal created by PLO No. 6733 (54 FR 30213) will expire July 18, 2009, unless extended by the Secretary of the Interior pursuant to section 204 of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976, 43 U.S.C. 1714. The public land withdrew 100 acres of National Forest land from the mining laws to protect the BOR Silver Jack Recreation Area. A legal description of the subject land can be found in the published public land order, and if requested, copies of the order will be provided by the BLM, Colorado State Office.

As extended, the withdrawal would not alter the applicability of those land laws governing the use of the land under lease, license, or permit, or governing the disposal of the mineral or vegetative resources other than under the mining laws.

The use of a right-of-way or a cooperative agreement would not provide adequate protection of the Federal investment in the area.

There are no suitable alternative sites as the described lands contain the facilities and resource values in need of protection. The withdrawal would not displace any existing uses.

Water rights will not be needed to fulfill the purpose of the requested withdrawal.

For a period of 90 days from the date of publication of this notice, all persons who wish to submit comments in connection with the proposed withdrawal extension may present their views in writing to the BLM, Colorado State Director at the address above. Comments, including names and street addresses of respondents, will be available for public review during regular business hours at the BLM Colorado State Office. Relevant BLM records as to the BOR application and comments, including names and street addresses of respondents, will be available for public review during

regular business hours at the BLM Colorado State Office. Individuals may request confidentiality. If you wish to withhold your name or address from public review or from disclosure under the Freedom of Information Act, you must state this prominently at the beginning of your comments. Such requests will be honored to the extent allowed by law. 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 inspection in their entirety.

Notice is hereby given that an opportunity for a public meeting is afforded in connection with the proposed withdrawal extension. All interested persons who desire a public meeting for the purpose of being heard on the proposed withdrawal extension must submit a written request to the BLM Colorado State Director at the address given above within 90 days from the publication of this notice. If the authorized officer determines a public meeting will be held, a notice of the time and place will be published in the **Federal Register** at least 30 days before the scheduled date of the meeting.

The withdrawal extension application will be processed in accordance with the regulations set forth in 43 CFR 2310.4.

(Authority: 43 CFR 2310.3-1 (a)).

Dated: December 15, 2006.

John D. Beck,
Chief, Branch of Lands and Realty.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Minerals Management Service

Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection, Comment Request

AGENCY: Minerals Management Service (MMS), Interior.

ACTION: Notice of a revision of a currently approved information collection (OMB Control Number 1010-0120).

SUMMARY: To comply with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA), we are inviting comments on a collection of information that we will submit to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval.

The title of this information collection request (ICR) is "30 CFR Part 206—Product Valuation, Subparts F and J; Part 210—Forms and Reports, Subparts E and H; and Part 218—Collection of Royalties, Rentals, Bonuses and Other Monies Due the Federal Government, Subpart E." We changed the title of this ICR to clarify the regulatory language we are covering under 30 CFR parts 206, 210, and 218 and to reflect OMB consolidation approval of two solid mineral-related ICRs. Those ICRs were titled:

- 1010-0074: 30 CFR Part 206—Product Valuation, Subpart J—Indian Coal (Forms MMS-4292, Coal Washing Allowance Report, and MMS-4293, Coal Transportation Allowance Report); and

- 1010-0120: 30 CFR Part 206, Subpart F—Federal Coal and Subpart J—Indian Coal; Part 210, Subpart B—Oil, Gas, and OCS Sulfur—General, Subpart E—Solid Minerals, General, Subpart H—Geothermal Resources; Part 218, Subpart B—Oil and Gas, General, Subpart E—Solid Minerals—General (Form MMS-4430, Solid Minerals Production and Royalty Report).

In the two ICRs, much of the general information was repeated and cross referenced. This consolidated ICR 1010-0120 eliminates that duplication of effort and redundancy of data and also provides for review of all solids and geothermal information collection requirements on a MMS Solids and Geothermal Compliance and Asset Management program-wide basis. The current ICR does not expire until October 31, 2007 and has a total of 1,751 burden hours as of OMB Notice of Change dated December 9, 2005, which consolidated the burden hours from ICRs 1010-0074 and 1010-0120.

DATES: Submit written comments on or before May 7, 2007.

ADDRESSES: Submit written comments to Sharron L. Gebhardt, Lead Regulatory Specialist, Minerals Management Service, Minerals Revenue Management, P.O. Box 25165, MS 302B2, Denver, Colorado 80225. If you use an overnight courier service or wish to hand-carry your comments, our courier address is Building 85, Room A-614, Denver Federal Center, West 6th Ave. and Kipling Blvd., Denver, Colorado 80225. You may also e-mail your comments to us at mrm.comments@mms.gov. Include the title of the information collection and the OMB control number in the "Attention" line of your comment. Also include your name and return address. If you do not receive a confirmation that we have received your e-mail, contact Ms. Gebhardt at (303) 231-3211.