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We will summarize written responses to this notice and address them in our submission for OMB approval. As a result of your comments, we will make any necessary adjustments to the burden in our submission to OMB.

Public Comment Policy: MMS's practice is to make comments, including names and addresses of respondents, available for public review during regular business hours. If you wish your name and/or address to be withheld, you must state this prominently at the beginning of your comment. MMS will honor this request to the extent allowable by law; however, anonymous comments will not be considered. 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.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

National Park Service

Lake Mead National Recreation Area; Environmental Assessment

AGENCY: National Park Service, Interior.

ACTION: Availability of environmental assessment.

SUMMARY: Lake Mead National Recreation Area (NRA) will release for public review an Environmental Assessment (EA) regarding the construction and operation of a wireless telecommunication facility. Cingular Wireless has proposed to construct the facility, referred to as the Saddle Cove site, near the Boulder Maintenance Facility within Lake Mead NRA, a unit of the National Park System. The overall objective of the project is to serve the public interest by providing improved wireless cellular coverage to the area. In order to provide coverage to a sufficient area, new facilities must be located

within a search ring so that calls can hand off from existing facilities to the new ones without being lost. The proposed site, which is located in a developed area, is approximately 40' x 40' in size, and the proposed facility will include a small building and 120-foot lattice tower mounted with microwave dishes and several antennas.

DATES: The EA will be released for public review on or before June 15, 2004. Written comments must be postmarked no later than July 15, 2004. Copies of the document can be requested from the Office of the Superintendent, or the document can be viewed online at <http://www.nps.gov/lame/pphtml/documents.html>.

ADDRESSES: Comments should be mailed to Superintendent, Lake Mead NRA, 601 Nevada Way, Boulder City, NV 89005, or submitted by e-mail on the park's Web site at <http://www.nps.gov/lame/pphtml/contact.html>.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Michael Boyles, Environmental Compliance Specialist, Lake Mead National Recreation Area, (702) 293-8978.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Cingular Wireless worked in cooperation with the National Park Service to prepare the EA. Public scoping occurred between March 15 and April 15, 2004. The park prepared a press release for local media outlets and the park website to announce Cingular's proposal and the intent to prepare an EA. One comment was received, supporting the project based on the increased safety associated with cellular phone coverage.

The park will use the EA and the comments it receives from the public in making its decision as to whether, and under what conditions, to grant the applicant's request for a right-of-way permit for the telecommunications facility. The applicant pays for the processing of the application and, if it is approved, the applicant will pay fair market value for the use of the land. Approval of the request would result in the construction of a 120-foot lattice tower, mounted with a microwave dish and several antennas. Associated equipment would be located in a shelter approximately 10' by 16' in size near the base of the tower. Approximately 290 feet of trenching would be necessary to connect the proposed facility to existing utilities. The total area of the site is approximately 40' by 40'. Access to the site would require grading a 45 foot long road to connect the site to an existing powerline road. The site will be constructed in an area previously disturbed by the construction of Boulder Beach Filtration Plant, Ranger Station,

and Maintenance Yard, which are located nearby.

The EA will address impacts to soils and vegetation, wildlife, air quality, scenic quality, cultural resources, visitor experience, safety, and land use. Biological surveys found no threatened or endangered species in the project area. The EA will be sent to agencies, organizations, and individuals on the park's mailing list, and to others who request a copy. Copies of the EA can be requested by writing to the Superintendent, 601 Nevada Way, Boulder City, NV 89005, or the document can be viewed online at <http://www.nps.gov/lame/pphtml/documents.html>.

Dated: May 5, 2004.

Bernard C. Fagan,

Deputy Chief, Office of Policy, National Park Service.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

National Park Service

Mammoth Cave National Park; Environmental Assessment

AGENCY: National Park Service.

ACTION: Notice of document availability.

SUMMARY: (Authority: 16 U.S.C. 3; 16 U.S.C. 5; 16 U.S.C. 79; Director's Order 53). Mammoth Cave National Park will release for public review the Environmental Assessment regarding placement of a wireless telecommunication facility (WTF). Kentucky RSA #3 Cellular General Partnership d/b/a Bluegrass Cellular has proposed to construct a telecommunications facility (WTF) at the Hickory Cabin Fire Tower site within Mammoth Cave National Park, a unit of the National Park Service. It is the responsibility of Mammoth Cave National Park and the purpose of the Environmental Assessment to evaluate the impacts of the proposed wireless telecommunication facility on the park environs. The Environmental Assessment addresses the proposed placement and one alternative placement of the Wireless Telecommunication facility within the park.

DATES: The Environmental Assessment will be released in June 2004 and will be available for public review for at least 30 days at the Office of the Superintendent and online at the Mammoth Cave National Park Web site <http://www.nps.gov/maca/pphtml/documents.html>.