DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

Transportation Security Administration

[Docket Nos. TSA–2006–24191; Coast Guard–2006–24196]

Transportation Worker Identification Credential (TWIC); Enrollment Dates for the Ports of Vicksburg, MS; Muskegon, MI; and Miami, FL

AGENCY: Transportation Security Administration; United States Coast Guard; DHS.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Department of Homeland Security (DHS) through the Transportation Security Administration (TSA) issues this notice of the dates for the beginning of the initial enrollment for the Transportation Worker Identification Credential (TWIC) for the Ports of Vicksburg, MS; Muskegon, MI; and Miami, FL.

DATES: TWIC enrollment will begin in Vicksburg, Muskegon, and Miami on January 31, 2008.

ADDRESSES: You may view published documents and comments concerning the TWIC Final Rule, identified by the docket numbers of this notice, using any one of the following methods.


(3) Visiting TSA’s Security Regulations Web page at http://www.tsa.gov and accessing the link for “Research Center” at the top of the page.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: James Orgill, TSA–19, Transportation Security Administration, 601 South 12th Street, Arlington, VA 22202–4220. Transportation Threat Assessment and Credentialing (TTAC), TWIC Program, (571) 227–4545; e-mail: credentialing@dhs.gov.

Background

The Department of Homeland Security (DHS), through the United States Coast Guard and the Transportation Security Administration (TSA), issued a joint final rule (72 FR 3492; January 25, 2007) pursuant to the Maritime Transportation Security Act (MTSA), Pub. L. 107–295, 116 Stat. 2604 (November 25, 2002), and the Security and Accountability for Every Port Act of 2006 (SAFE Port Act), Pub. L. 109–347 (October 13, 2006). This rule requires all credentialed merchant mariners and individuals with unescorted access to secure areas of a regulated facility or vessel to obtain a TWIC. In this final rule, on page 3510, TSA and Coast Guard stated that a phased enrollment approach based upon risk assessment and cost/benefit would be used to implement the program nationwide, and that TSA would publish a notice in the Federal Register indicating when enrollment at a specific location will begin and when it is expected to terminate.

This notice provides the start date for TWIC initial enrollment at the Ports of Vicksburg, MS; Muskegon, MI; and Miami, FL. Enrollment will begin in Vicksburg, Muskegon, and Miami, FL on January 31, 2008. The Coast Guard will publish a separate notice in the Federal Register indicating when facilities within the Captain of the Port Zone New Orleans, including those in the Port of Vicksburg; Captain of the Port Zone Lake Michigan, including those in the Port of Muskegon; and Captain of the Port Zone Miami, including those in the Port of Miami must comply with the portions of the final rule requiring TWIC to be used as an access control measure. That notice will be published at least 90 days before compliance is required.

To obtain information on the pre-enrollment enrollment process, and enrollment locations, visit TSA’s TWIC Web site at http://www.tsa.gov/twic.

Issued in Arlington, Virginia, on January 11, 2008.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Fish and Wildlife Service

Construction of an Industrial Center in Lake County, FL

AGENCY: Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

ACTION: Notice: Receipt of Application for an Incidental Take Permit; Request for Comments.

SUMMARY: We, the Fish and Wildlife Service (Service), announce the availability of an Incidental Take Permit (ITP) Application and Habitat Conservation Plan (HCP), Ladd Development Inc. (applicant) requests an ITP for a 5-year duration under the Endangered Species Act of 1973, as amended (Act). The applicant anticipates taking approximately 5.75 acres of Florida scrub-jay (Amphelocoma coerulescens)-occupied habitat incidental to construction of an industrial center in Lake County, Florida (project). The applicant’s HCP describes the mitigation and minimization measures the applicant proposes to address the effects of the project to the scrub-jay.

DATES: We must receive any written comments on the ITP application and HCP on or before February 19, 2008.

ADDRESSES: If you wish to review the application and HCP, you may write the Field Supervisor at our Jacksonville Field Office, 6620 Southpoint Drive South, Suite 310, Jacksonville, FL 32216, or make an appointment to visit during normal business hours. If you wish to comment, you may mail or hand deliver comments to the Jacksonville Field Office, or you may e-mail comments to paula_sisson@fws.gov. For more information on reviewing documents and public comments and submitting comments, see SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Paula Sisson, Fish and Wildlife Biologist, Jacksonville Field Office (see ADDRESSES); telephone: 904/232–2580, ext. 126.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Public Availability of Comments

Before including your address, phone number, e-mail 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.

Please reference permit number TE155485–0 for Ladd Development, Inc. in all requests or comments. Please include your name and return address in your e-mail message. If you do not receive a confirmation from us that we have received your e-mail message, contact us directly at the telephone number listed under FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT.
Background
The Florida scrub-jay (scrub-jay) is found exclusively in peninsular Florida and is restricted to xeric upland communities (predominately in oak-dominated scrub with open canopies) of the interior and Atlantic coast sand ridges. Increasing urban and agricultural development has resulted in habitat loss and fragmentation, which have adversely affected the distribution and numbers of scrub-jays. Remaining habitat is largely degraded due to the exclusion of fire, which is needed to maintain xeric uplands in conditions suitable for scrub-jays. The total estimated population is between 7,000 and 11,000 individuals.

Applicant’s Proposal
The applicant is requesting take of approximately 5.75 ac of occupied scrub-jay habitat incidental to the project. The 44-ac project is located northeast of the Hancock Road and Lost Lake intersection within Section 34, Township 22 South, Range 26 East, Lake County. The proposed project currently includes commercial buildings, infrastructure and a stormwater management system. The applicant proposes to mitigate for the take of the Florida scrub-jay at a ratio of 2:1 based on Service Mitigation Guidelines. The applicant will contribute a total of 1,000 xeric acres to the Florida scrub-jay Conservation Area. The ITP will proceed with a 2:1 mitigation ratio.

Scope
This preliminary information may be obtained from: Bureau of Land Management, Alaska State Office, 222 West Seventh Avenue, #13, Anchorage, Alaska 99513–7504.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Bureau of Land Management

Alaska Native Claims Selection
AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.
ACTION: Notice of decision approving lands for conveyance.
SUMMARY: As required by 43 CFR 2650.7(d), notice is hereby given that an appealable decision approving lands for conveyance pursuant to the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act will be issued to sealaska corporation. The lands are in the vicinity of Juneau, Alaska, and are located in:
Copper River Meridian, Alaska
T. 42 S., R. 66 E., Sec. 15.
Containing approximately 1 acre.
T. 42 S., R. 67 E., Secs. 15 and 16.
Containing 90.05 acres.
Aggregating approximately 91 acres.
Total aggregate is approximately 120 acres.
The subsurface estate in these lands will be conveyed to Sealaska Corporation when the surface estate is conveyed to goldbelt, incorporated. Notice of the decision will also be published four times in the Juneau Empire.
DATES: The time limits for filing an appeal are:
1. Any party claiming a property interest which is adversely affected by
the decision shall have until February 19, 2008 to file an appeal.
2. Parties receiving service of the decision by certified mail shall have 30 days from the date of receipt to file an appeal.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Bureau of Land Management
[AA–11157; AK–964–1410–KC–P]

Alaska Native Claims Selection
AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.
ACTION: Notice of decision approving lands for conveyance.
SUMMARY: As required by 43 CFR 2650.7(d), notice is hereby given that an appealable decision approving the surface estate in certain lands for conveyance pursuant to the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act will be issued to tanalian, incorporated. The lands are in the vicinity of Port Alsworth, Alaska, and are located in:
U.S. Survey No. 12170, Alaska. Containing 159.96 acres.
Seward Meridian, Alaska
T. 1 N., R. 29 W., Sec. 19.
Containing approximately 39 acres.
Aggregating approximately 199 acres.
Notice of the decision will also be published four times in the Anchorage Daily News.
DATES: The time limits for filing an appeal are:
1. Any party claiming a property interest which is adversely affected by