(4) Ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond: Including through the use of appropriate automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses.

HUD encourages interested parties to submit comment in response to these questions.

C. Authority


Dated: November 28, 2016.

Colette Pollard,
Department Reports Management Officer,
Office of the Chief Information Officer.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:
Karen Marlowe, Permit Coordinator,
205–726–2667 (telephone) or 205–726–
2479 (fax).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: We invite review and comment from local, State, and Federal agencies and the public on applications we have received for permits to conduct certain activities with endangered and threatened species under section 10(a)(1)(A) of the Endangered Species Act of 1973, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1531 et seq.; Act), and our regulations in the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) at 50 CFR 17. With some exceptions, the Act prohibits activities with listed species unless a Federal permit is issued that allows such activities. The Act requires that we invite public comment before issuing these permits.

Public Availability of Comments

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—may be included in public docket records submitted with the applications are public availability of comments. The Act requires that we invite public comment before issuing these permits.

Address:

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Fish and Wildlife Service

Applications

Endangered Species Recovery Permit Applications

AGENCY: Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of receipt of permit applications; request for comment.

SUMMARY: We, the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, invite the public to comment on the following applications to conduct certain activities with endangered species. With some exceptions, the Endangered Species Act (Act) prohibits activities with listed species unless a Federal permit is issued that allows such activities. The Act requires that we invite public comment before issuing these permits.

DATES: We must receive written data or comments on the applications at the address given in ADDRESSES by January 4, 2017.

ADDRESSES: Reviewing Documents:
Documents and other information submitted with the applications are available for review, subject to the requirements of the Privacy Act and Freedom of Information Act, by any party who submits a written request for a copy of such documents to the following office within 30 days of the date of publication of this notice: U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service Regional Office, Ecological Services, 1875 Century Boulevard, Atlanta, GA 30345 (Attn: Karen Marlowe, Permit Coordinator).

Submitting Comments: If you wish to comment, you may submit comments by any one of the following methods:
- U.S. mail or hand-delivery: Fish and Wildlife Service’s Regional Office (see above).
- Email: permitsR4ES@fws.gov

Please include your name and return address in your email message. If you do not receive a confirmation from the Fish and Wildlife Service that we have received your email message, contact us directly at the telephone number listed in FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Colette Pollard, Department Reports Management Officer, Office of the Chief Information Officer.

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Permit Applications

Permit Application Number: TE 054973–5

Applicant: Nick Haddad, North Carolina State University, Raleigh, NC

The applicant requests renewal of his permit to take (capture, mark, transport, release, recapture, and salvage) the endangered Saint Francis’ satyr butterfly (Neonympha mitchelli francisci) for population monitoring, scientific research, captive propagation, and release into suitable habitat in North Carolina.

Permission Application Number: TE 95412A–0

Applicant: Kentucky Department for Environmental Protection, Division of Water, Frankfort, KY

The applicant requests a permit to take (capture, handle, release) 19 species of endangered and threatened freshwater mussels and the threatened Big Sandy crayfish (Cambarus callainus) for presence/absence surveys in Kentucky.

Permission Application Number: TE 81756A–2

Applicant: Jason B. Robinson, Lexington, KY

The applicant requests renewal of his permit to continue take (capture with mist nets or harp traps, handle, identify, band, radio-tag, salvage) of Indiana bats (Myotis sodalis), gray bats (Myotis grisescens), and northern long-eared bats (Myotis septentrionalis) for presence/absence surveys and monitoring in Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kentucky, Maryland, Michigan, Mississippi, Missouri, New Jersey, New York, North Carolina, Ohio, Oklahoma, Pennsylvania, Tennessee, Vermont, Virginia, and West Virginia, and an amendment to authorize take (capture, handle, release) of blackside dace (Phoxinus cumberlandensis) in Kentucky and Tennessee, and Big Sandy arrow darters (Etheostoma spilotum) in Kentucky, and Big Sandy crayfish (Cambarus callainus) in Kentucky, Virginia, and West Virginia, for presence/absence surveys.

Permission Application Number: TE 59798B–1

Applicant: Daguna Consulting, LLC, Bristol, VA

The applicant requests amendment of their permit to add the States of Iowa, Illinois, Minnesota, and Wisconsin as locations where they may conduct take (capture, handle, tag, release) of 31 species of endangered and threatened freshwater mussels for presence/absence surveys and add authorization to take (capture, handle, tag, and release) of spectaclecase (Cumberlandia monodonta), Higgins eye (Lampsilis higginsii), scalesheal (Leptodea leptodon), and fat pocketbook (Potamilus capax) mussels for presence/absence surveys in Iowa, Illinois, Minnesota, Tennessee, and Wisconsin.

Authority: We provide this notice under section 10(c) of the Act.
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Bureau of Indian Affairs

Indian Gaming; Tribal-State Class III Gaming Compacts Taking Effect in the State of California

AGENCY: Bureau of Indian Affairs

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The State of California entered into compacts governing Class III gaming with the Buena Vista Rancheria of Me-Wuk Indians of California, the Barona Group of Capitan Grande Band of Mission Indians of the Barona Reservation, the Jamul Indian Village of California, the Pechanga Band of Luiseno Mission Indians of the Pechanga Reservation, and the Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation. This notice announces that the compacts are taking effect.

DATES: The effective date of the compacts is December 5, 2016.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ms. Paula L. Hart, Director, Office of Indian Gaming, Office of the Assistant Secretary—Indian Affairs, Washington, DC 20240, (202) 219–4066.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Section 11 of the Indian Gaming Regulatory Act (IGRA) requires the Secretary of the Interior to publish in the Federal Register notice of approved Tribal-State compacts that are for the purpose of engaging in Class III gaming activities on Indian lands. See Public Law 100–497, 25 U.S.C. 2701 et seq. All Tribal-State Class III compacts, including amendments, are subject to review and approval by the Secretary under 25 CFR 293.4. The Secretary took no action on the compacts within 45 days of their submission. Therefore, the compacts are considered to have been approved, but only to the extent the compacts are consistent with IGRA. See 25 U.S.C. 2710(d)(8)(C).

Dated: November 22, 2016.

Lawrence S. Roberts,
Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary—Indian Affairs.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Bureau of Land Management

Notice of Intent To Collect Fees on Public Land in Douglas County, Oregon, Roseburg District, Scarredman Recreation Site

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior.

ACTION: Notice of intent.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to applicable provisions of the Federal Lands Recreation Enhancement Act (FLREA), the Bureau of Land Management (BLM), Roseburg District Office, is proposing to begin collecting fees for overnight camping at Scarredman Recreation Site, located in Douglas County, Oregon.

DATES: To ensure that comments will be considered, the BLM must receive written comments on the proposal to collect fees by February 3, 2017. Comments received in person or by electronic mail after this date may not be considered by the BLM. Effective no less than six months after publication of this notice, the BLM Roseburg District will initiate fee collection at Scarredman Recreation Site, unless the BLM publishes a Federal Register notice to the contrary.

ADDRESSES: You may submit comments by mail, hand delivery, or electronic mail.

Mail or hand-delivery: BLM Roseburg District Office, 777 NW Garden Valley Boulevard, Roseburg, OR 97471.

Electronic mail: BLM OR RB_mail@blm.gov. If you submit comments by electronic mail, please indicate “Attn: Scarredman Fee Proposal” in your subject line, and include your name and return address.

Copies of the fee proposal are available at the BLM Roseburg District Office at the above address and online at http://www.blm.gov/or/districts/roseburg/index.php.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Erik Taylor, Supervisory Outdoor Recreation Planner, Roseburg District Office, 777 NW Garden Valley Blvd., Roseburg, OR, 97471, by phone at (541) 440–4930, or by email at BLM OR_RB_mail@blm.gov. Persons who use a telecommunications device for the deaf (TDD) may call the Federal Relay Service at 1(800) 877–8339 to contact the above individual(s) during normal business hours. The Service is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, to leave a message or question related to the above individuals. You will receive a reply during normal business hours.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Scarredman Recreation Site (T. 25S., R. 1W., Sec. 24) is located north of the Rogue-Umpqua Scenic Byway on Canton Creek Road (BLM Road 24–1–31). Under Section 3(g) of the Federal Lands Recreation Enhancement Act (FLREA), the Scarredman Recreation Site area will qualify, as is, as a site wherein visitors can be charged an “Expanded Amenity Recreation Fee.” Visitors wishing to use the expanded amenities that exist at the site would purchase a recreation use permit as described at 43 CFR part 2930. Pursuant to FLREA and implementing regulations at 43 CFR Subpart 2933, fees may be charged for overnight camping where specific amenities and services are provided. Specific visitor fees will be identified and posted at the site. Fees must be paid at the self-service pay station located at the camping areas. People holding the America the Beautiful—Senior Pass and/or Access Pass will be entitled to a 50 percent fee reduction on overnight fees.

The Scarredman Recreation Site is a semi-primitive campground on Canton Creek in a semi-remote area. Canton Creek Road is 40 miles east of Roseburg off of the Rogue-Umpqua National Scenic Byway (Highway 138). Scarredman provides 10 individual tent campsites, drinking water, vault toilets, refuse containers, fire rings, a campground host and reasonable visitor protection. There are several undeveloped water play areas to enjoy along Canton Creek and Steamboat Creek. Fly fishing is available 3 miles south on the North Umpqua River. This recreation site is the only one in the Roseburg District that provides such amenities and recreation opportunities and that does not currently charge a fee. In the past years, prior to 2013, it has been used heavily because it is the only “free” campground in the area. The likely recreation season for Scarredman will be from mid-May through mid-October.

Camping fees will be $10.00 per site, per night, which would be consistent with other established fee sites in the area including other BLM-administered sites in the area and those overnight sites managed by the Umpqua National Forest and Douglas County Parks Department. Future adjustments in the fees charged could be made in accordance with the Roseburg District Business Plan for recreation sites and with concurrence from the Southwest Oregon Resource Advisory Council (SWOR RAC). The Bureau of Land Management, Roseburg District has notified and involved the public about the proposal to collect fees and the