Forest Plan Amendment

This project would require an amendment to the Lincoln National Forest Land and Resource Management Plan (Forest Plan). The project proposes use of herbicides in places and under conditions that were not foreseen when the existing Forest Plan standards and guidelines were developed in 1986. To meet the purpose and need for this project, it may be necessary to apply herbicide treatments to areas infested with non-native invasive plant species.

This amendment would change forestwide standards and guidelines applicable to all areas for wildlife (pages 31–34), grazing management (page 35 and replacement page 35B), soil and water (pages 40–41), fire and protection (replacement page 55), all species (pages 205–206), Mexican spotted owl (replacement page 206A), peregrine falcon (page 207), and northern goshawk (replacement page 208A and 208E). The amendment also would change standards and guidelines related to protection in management area 1C Capitan Mountains Wilderness (replacement page 62), management area 1F White Mountain Wilderness (replacement page 70), management area 1H RNA William C. Telfer Research Natural Area (page 77), and management area 3A RNA Upper McKittrick RNA (page 115). If adopted, this would be the eighteenth amendment to the Forest Plan since its inception in 1986.

Responsible Official

The Responsible Official for this project is the Lincoln National Forest, Forest Supervisor.

Nature of Decision To Be Made

The Responsible Official will decide whether to adopt and implement the proposed action, an alternative to the proposed action, or take no action. The Responsible Official also will decide whether or not to amend the Forest Plan.

Scoping Process

This notice of intent initiates the scoping process, which guides the development of the environmental impact statement. It is important that reviewers provide their comments at such times and in such a manner that they are useful to the agency’s preparation of the environmental impact statement. Therefore, comments should be provided prior to the close of the comment period and should clearly articulate the reviewer’s concerns and contributions.

This proposed project is an activity implementing a land management plan and is subject to the objection process described in 36 CFR 218 Subparts A and B. As such, individuals and organizations wishing to be eligible to file a predecisional objection must meet the information requirements in 36 CFR 218.25(a)(3). Names and contact information submitted with comments will become part of the public record and may be released under the Freedom of Information Act. Comments submitted anonymously will be accepted and considered, however.

Dated: June 3, 2016.
Barry L. Imler,
Acting Forest Supervisor.

COMMISSION ON CIVIL RIGHTS

Sunshine Act Meeting Notice

AGENCY: United States Commission on Civil Rights.

ACTION: Notice of Commission Business Meeting.

DATES: Friday, June 17, 2016, at 12:30 p.m. EST.

ADDRESS: Place: National Place Building, 1331 Pennsylvania Ave. NW., 11th Floor, Suite 1150, Washington, DC 20245 (Entrance on F Street NW.).

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Gerson Gomez, Media Advisor at telephone: (202) 376–8371 or email: publicaffairs@usccr.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This business meeting is open to the public. If you would like to listen to the business meeting, please contact the above for the call-in information. Persons with hearing impairments, please contact the above for how to access the Federal Relay Service for the meeting.

Hearing-impaired persons who will attend the briefing and require the services of a sign language interpreter should contact Pamela Dunston at (202) 376–8105 or at signlanguage@usccr.gov at least seven business days before the scheduled date of the meeting.

Meeting Agenda

I. Business Meeting
   A. Approval of Agenda
   B. Program Planning
      • Discussion of proposed Concept Papers for 2017 Statutory Enforcement Report
      • Discussion and vote on Commission Letter regarding guidance issued by the Department of Education’s Office for Civil Rights on transgender students and their protections under title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972
   C. State Advisory Committees
      • Status of State Advisory Committees by the Chief of the Regional Programs Unit
      • Vote on Administrative Instruction (5–9) governing the appointments of State Advisory Committee members
      • Appointment of members to Advisory Committees
      • Nevada
      • Delaware
      • Vermont
      • New York
      • Connecticut
      • Minnesota
      • Presentation by the Chair of the Illinois Advisory Committee on Environmental Justice
   D. Other

II. Adjourn Meeting

Dated: June 7, 2016.

David Mussatt,
Regional Programs Unit Chief, U.S. Commission on Civil Rights.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request; Trade Adjustment Assistance for Firms Program; Form ED–840P Petition by a Firm for Certification of Eligibility To Apply for Trade Adjustment Assistance for Firms

The Department of Commerce will submit to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for clearance the following proposal for collection of information under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35).

Agency: Economic Development Administration (EDA).

Title: Form ED–840P Petition by a Firm for Certification of Eligibility to Apply for Trade Adjustment Assistance for Firms

OMB Control Number: 0610–0091.
Form Number(s): ED–840P.
Type of Request: Regular submission.
Number of Respondents: 800 (500 petitions for certification and 300 adjustment proposals).
Average Hours per Response: 128.2 hours (8.2 for petitions for certification and 120 for adjustment proposals).
Burden Hours: 40,100 (4,100 for petitions for certification and 36,000 for adjustment proposals).