

be requested by the BLM to participate in the development of the EIS as a cooperating agency.

Responsible Official

The BLM Colorado State Director is the deciding official for this planning effort.

Nature of Decision To Be Made

The nature of the decision to be made will be the State Director's selection of land use planning decisions for managing BLM-administered lands under the principles of multiple use and sustained yield in a manner that best addresses the purpose and need.

Interdisciplinary Team

The BLM will use an interdisciplinary approach that incorporates the expertise of specialists in relevant resource fields such as wildlife biology, fluid minerals, geographic information systems, and land use planning to consider the resource issues and concerns identified during development of the RMP Amendment.

Additional Information

The BLM will identify, analyze, and consider mitigation to address the reasonably foreseeable impacts to resources from the proposed plan amendment and all reasonable alternatives and, in accordance with 40 CFR 1502.14(f), include appropriate mitigation measures not already included in the proposed plan amendment or alternatives. Mitigation may include avoidance, minimization, rectification, reduction or elimination over time, and compensation; it may be considered at multiple scales, including the landscape scale.

The BLM will utilize and coordinate the NEPA and land use planning processes for this planning effort to help support compliance with applicable procedural requirements of the Endangered Species Act (16 U.S.C. 1536) and Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act (54 U.S.C. 306108) as implemented in 36 CFR 800.2(d)(3), including the public involvement requirements associated with Section 106. The information about historic and cultural resources and threatened and endangered species within the area potentially affected by the proposed plan amendment will assist the BLM in identifying and evaluating impacts to such resources.

The BLM will consult with Indian Tribal Nations on a government-to-government basis in accordance with Executive Order 13175, BLM Manual Section 1780 and other Departmental policies. Tribal concerns, including

impacts on Indian trust assets and potential impacts to cultural resources, will be given due consideration. Federal, State, and local agencies, along with Indian Tribal Nations and other stakeholders that may be interested in or affected by the proposed plan amendment that the BLM is evaluating, are invited to participate in the scoping process and, if eligible, may request or be requested by the BLM to participate in the development of the environmental analysis as a cooperating agency.

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 from public review, we cannot guarantee that we will be able to do so.

(Authority: 40 CFR 1501.9 and 43 CFR 1610.2)

Stephanie Connolly,

Acting BLM Colorado State Director.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

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Call for Nominations for the San Rafael Swell Recreation Area Advisory Council

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The purpose of this notice is to request public nominations for the Bureau of Land Management's (BLM) San Rafael Swell Recreation Area Advisory Council (Council) to fill an existing vacancy as well as two member terms that are scheduled to expire.

DATES: All nominations must be received no later than August 18, 2022.

ADDRESSES: Nominations and completed applications should be sent to Lance Porter, Green River District Manager, BLM Green River District Office, 170 South 500 East, Vernal, UT 84078, Attention: San Rafael Swell Advisory Council Nominations, or email l50porte@blm.gov with the subject line "San Rafael Swell Advisory Council Nominations." The Green River District Office will accept public nominations

for 30 days from the date this notice is posted.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Angela Hawkins, Public Affairs Specialist, BLM Green River District Office, 170 South 500 East, Vernal, UT 84078; phone: (435) 781–2774; email: ahawkins@blm.gov. Individuals in the United States who are deaf, deafblind, hard of hearing, or have a speech disability may dial 711 (TTY, TDD, or TeleBraille) to access

telecommunications relay services. Individuals outside the United States should use the relay services offered within their country to make international calls to the point-of-contact in the United States.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The John D. Dingell, Jr. Conservation, Management, and Recreation Act, Section 1223, directed the Secretary of the Interior to establish a seven-member citizen-based advisory council that is regulated by the Federal Advisory Committee Act (5 U.S.C. Appendix 2) and Section 309 of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act. The BLM rules governing advisory committees are found at 43 CFR 1784.

The Council advises the Secretary with respect to the preparation and implementation of the management plan for the San Rafael Swell Recreation Area. Congress created the San Rafael Swell Recreation Area to provide for the protection, conservation, and enhancement of the recreational, cultural, natural, scenic, wildlife, ecological, historical, and educational resources of the area. The San Rafael Swell Recreation Area features magnificent badlands of brightly colored and wildly eroded sandstone formations, deep canyons, and giant plates of stone tilted upright through massive geologic upheaval and features numerous recreational experiences including hiking, biking, four-wheel driving, horseback, canyoneering, and river running. Council duties and responsibilities are solely advisory in nature.

The Council is seeking nominations in the following categories:

(1) An elected leader of a federally recognized Tribe that has significant cultural or historical connections to, and expertise in, the landscape, archeological sites, or cultural sites within the County;

(2) A representative of motorized recreational users; and

(3) A representative of non-motorized recreational users.

Members will be appointed to the Council to serve 3-year terms.

Nominating Potential Members:

Nomination forms may be obtained from

the BLM Green River District Office (address listed above) or <https://www.blm.gov/get-involved/resource-advisory-council/near-you/utah/San-Rafael-Swell-RAC>. All nominations must include a completed Resource Advisory Council application (OMB Control No. 1004-0204) https://www.blm.gov/sites/blm.gov/files/1120-019_0.pdf, letters of reference from the represented interests or organizations, and any other information that speaks to the candidate's qualifications.

The specific category the nominee would be representing should be identified in the letter of nomination and on the application form.

Members of the Council serve without compensation. However, while away from their homes or regular places of business, Council members engaged in Council business may be allowed travel expenses, including per diem in lieu of subsistence, as authorized by 5 U.S.C. 5703, in the same manner as persons employed intermittently in Federal Government service.

The Council will meet approximately two to four times annually, and at such other times as designated by the Designated Federal Officer.

(Authority: 43 CFR 1784.4-1)

Gregory Sheehan,
State Director.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

National Park Service

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Conversion of Potential Wilderness to Designated Wilderness, Rocky Mountain National Park

AGENCY: National Park Service, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of conversion of potential wilderness to designated wilderness.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to the Wilderness Act of 1964 and Public Law 111-11, the Secretary of the Interior has determined that all uses inconsistent with wilderness designation on certain parcels of land designated as "potential wilderness" within Rocky Mountain National Park have ceased, and these lands are now suitable to be designated and managed as wilderness. These lands consist of: (1) 7.12 acres, more or less, in the Cascade Cottages Property (portion of NPS Tract 02-108) as depicted on Map No. 121/138,853A dated July 15, 2021, and (2) 30.54 acres,

more or less, in the Wild Basin Area (portions of NPS Tracts 05-107, 05-108, 05-111 and 05-112) as depicted on Map No. 121/176,793 dated July 15, 2021. Upon this notification in the **Federal Register** these lands will be converted to designated wilderness and will be managed as wilderness under the Wilderness Act.

ADDRESSES: The maps and legal descriptions are on file at Rocky Mountain National Park Headquarters, 1000 U.S. Hwy. 36 Estes Park, CO 80517.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Cheri Yost, Cheri_yost@nps.gov, Park Planner, Rocky Mountain National Park, 1000 E Highway 36, Estes Park, CO 80517, (970) 586-1320.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Public Law 111-11 § 1952 (123 Stat. 1071), designated approximately 249,339 acres as wilderness in Rocky Mountain National Park. In January 2010, as required by the designating legislation, the National Park Service prepared a map and boundary description, Map No. 121/101,335A, entitled "Rocky Mountain National Park Wilderness Boundary Descriptions," which included areas identified as "potential wilderness."

Section 1952(c) of Public Law 111-11 provides that upon publication in the **Federal Register** of a notice by the Secretary that all uses inconsistent with the Wilderness Act have ceased on the land identified on the map as a "Potential Wilderness Area", the land shall be included in the designated wilderness area and administered as wilderness under the Wilderness Act (16 U.S.C. 1131 *et seq.*). This notice serves as the formal determination that all formerly prohibited activities have ceased. Because such lands fully comply with Congressional directions in section 1952(c) of Public Law 111-11, this notice converts a total of 37.66 acres, more or less, from potential wilderness to designated wilderness. This acreage will be added to the National Wilderness Preservation System and bring the total designated wilderness acreage of the Rocky Mountain National Park Wilderness to 249,164 acres, more or less, with 325 acres, more or less, of potential wilderness acreage remaining. The potential wilderness lands hereby reclassified as designated wilderness by this notice are described as:

Cascade Cottages Property

All of that portion of NPS Tract 02-108 lying 400 feet northwesterly of the center line of US Highway 34, containing 7.12 acres, more or less.

Wild Basin Area

All of those portions of NPS Tracts 05-107, 05-108, 05-111 and 05-112 lying 100 feet from the center line of all roads and structures and 30 feet from the center line of the existing power line that serves the Wild Basin Area, containing 30.54 acres, more or less.

Charles F. Sams, III,

Director, National Park Service.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

National Park Service

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Agency Information Collection Activities; NPS Preservation Values for Individual Animals

AGENCY: National Park Service, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of information collection; request for comment.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 we, the National Park Service (NPS) are proposing a new information collection. **DATES:** Interested persons are invited to submit comments on or before September 19, 2022.

ADDRESSES: Send your comments on this information collection request (ICR) by mail to Phadrea Ponds, NPS Information Collection Clearance Officer, 12201 Sunrise Valley Drive (MS-242), Reston, Virginia 20192; or by email to phadrea_ponds@nps.gov. Please reference Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Control Number 1024-NEW (PVIA) in the subject line of your comments.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: To request additional information about this ICR, contact Leslie Richardson by email at leslie_a_richardson@nps.gov or by telephone at 970-821-5352. Please reference OMB Control Number 1024-NEW (PVIA) in the subject line of your comments. Individuals in the United States who are deaf, deafblind, hard of hearing, or have a speech disability may dial 711 (TTY, TDD, or TeleBraille) to access telecommunications relay services. Individuals outside the United States should use the relay services offered within their country to make international calls to the point of contact in the United States. You may also view the ICR at <https://www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain>.