DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

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Notice of Intent To Extend the Call for Nominations for the Dominguez-Escalante National Conservation Area Advisory Council

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management,

Interior.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Secretary of the Interior (Secretary) is directed by the Omnibus Public Lands Management Act of 2009 to establish the Dominguez-Escalante National Conservation Area (D-E NCA) Advisory Council (Council). The Secretary is requesting nominations for 10 members to sit on the Council. The Council will advise the Secretary, through the Bureau of Land Management (BLM), on matters regarding the preparation and implementation of the D-E NCA Resource Management Plan (RMP). An initial nomination period ended January 4, 2010. Members of the public who submitted nomination packages during the first nomination period need not submit a second nomination package to be considered.

DATES: Submit nomination packages on or before June 21, 2010.

ADDRESSES: Send completed Council nominations to D–E NCA Interim Manager, Grand Junction Field Office, 2815 H Road, Grand Junction, Colorado 81506. Nomination forms may be obtained at the Grand Junction Field Office at the above address or at the Uncompahgre Field Office, Bureau of Land Management, 2465 S. Townsend Ave., Montrose, Colorado 81401.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Katie A. Stevens, D–E NCA Interim Manager, (970) 244–3049, Katie A. Stevens@blm.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The D-E NCA and Dominguez Canyon Wilderness Area, located within the D-E NCA, was established by the Omnibus Public Land Management Act of 2009, Public Law 111-11 (Act). The D-E NCA is comprised of approximately 209,610 acres of public land, including approximately 66,280 acres designated as wilderness, located in Delta, Montrose, and Mesa Counties, Colorado, to be known as the "Dominguez Canyon Wilderness Area." The purposes of the D-E NCA are to conserve and protect, for the benefit and enjoyment of present and future generations the unique and important resources and values of the land. These resources and values

include the geological, cultural, archaeological, paleontological, natural, scientific, recreational, wilderness, wildlife, riparian, historical, educational, and scenic resources of the public lands, and the water resources of area streams based on seasonally available flows, that are necessary to support aquatic, riparian, and terrestrial species and communities. The Act also calls for the establishment of the D-E NCA Council, comprised of 10 members, to advise the Secretary, through the BLM, on matters regarding the preparation and implementation of an RMP for the area. These 10 members shall include, to the extent practicable:

- (1) One member appointed after considering the recommendations of the Mesa County Commission;
- (2) One member appointed after considering the recommendations of the Montrose County Commission;
- (3) One member appointed after considering the recommendations of the Delta County Commission;
- (4) One member appointed after considering the recommendations of the permittees holding grazing allotments within the D–E NCA or the wilderness; and
- (5) Five members who reside in, or within reasonable proximity to Mesa, Delta, or Montrose Counties, Colorado, with backgrounds that reflect:
- (A) The purposes for which the D–E NCA or wilderness was established; and
- (B) The interests of the stakeholders that are affected by the planning and management of the D–E NCA and wilderness.

Any individual or organization may nominate one or more persons to serve on the Council. Individuals may nominate themselves for Council membership. The Obama Administration prohibits individuals who are currently federally registered lobbyists to serve on all Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA) and non-FACA boards, committees or councils. Nomination forms may be obtained from the BLM Grand Junction or Uncompangre Field Offices, or may be downloaded from the following Web site: http://www.blm.gov/co/st/en/fo/ denca.html.

Nomination packages must include a completed nomination form, letters of reference from the represented interests or organizations, as well as any other information relevant to the nominee's qualifications.

The Grand Junction and Uncompander Field Offices will review the nomination packages in coordination with the affected counties and the Governor of Colorado before forwarding recommendations to the Secretary, who will make the appointments.

The Council shall be subject to the FACA, 5 U.S.C. App. 2; and the Federal Land Management Policy Act of 1976, 43 U.S.C. 1701 *et seq.*

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Indian Affairs

Deadline for Submission of Applications To Be Included on the Roll of Western Shoshone Identifiable Group of Indians for Judgment Fund Distribution

AGENCY: Bureau of Indian Affairs,

Interior.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This notice establishes the deadline by which applications must be received for eligible individuals to be listed on the roll that will be used as the basis for distributing the judgment funds awarded by the Indian Claims Commission to the Western Shoshone Identifiable Group of Indians in Docket No. 326–K.

DATES: Applications must be received by close of business (5 p.m. Mountain Time) August 2, 2010.

ADDRESSES: Submit applications to Bureau of Indian Affairs Western Shoshone, Tribal Government Services, P.O. Box 3838, Phoenix, AZ 85030— 3838.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Sharlot Johnson, Tribal Government Services, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Western Regional Office, 2600 North Central Avenue, Phoenix, Arizona 85004, (602) 379–6786.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Under section 3(b)(1) of the Act of July 7, 2004, Public Law 108-270, 118 Stat. 805, the Secretary of the Interior (Secretary) will prepare a roll of all individuals who meet the eligibility criteria established under the Act and who file timely applications prior to the date listed in the DATES section of this Federal Register notice. The roll will be used as the basis for distributing the judgment funds awarded by the Indian Claims Commission to the Western Shoshone Identifiable Group of Indians in Docket No. 326-K. Department of the Interior regulations at 25 CFR 61.4(k) set out the eligibility requirements for inclusion on this roll. To be eligible a person must: