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Dated: April 26, 1995.

Maria C. Freire,

Director, Office of Technology Transfer.

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DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

[Docket No. N-95-3799; FR-3711-N-03]

Office of the Assistant Secretary for Public and Indian Housing; Announcement of Funding Awards for Technical Assistance to Public Housing Authorities and Public Housing Police Departments

AGENCY: Office of the Assistant Secretary for Public and Indian Housing.

ACTION: Announcement of funding awards.

SUMMARY: According to section 102(a)(4)(C) of the Department of Housing and Urban Development Reform Act of 1989, this document notifies the public of the funding award for Fiscal Year (FY) 1995 Technical Assistance to Public Housing Authorities and Public Housing Police Departments. The purpose of this document is to announce the name and address of the award winner and the amount of the award.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Malcolm E. Main, Crime and Prevention Division, Office Community Relations and Involvement, Public and Indian Housing, Department of Housing and Urban Development, Room 4116, 451 Seventh Street, SW., Washington, DC. 20410, telephone (202) 708-1197. A telecommunications device for hearing or speech impaired persons (TDD) is available at (202) 708-0850. (These are not toll-free telephone numbers.)

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Authority

This grant is authorized under Chapter 2, Subtitle C, Title V of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988 (42 U.S.C. 11901 et. seq.), as amended by Section 581 of the National Affordable Housing Act of 1990 (NAHA), approved November 28, 1990, Pub. L. 101-625, and Section 161 of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1992 (HCDA 1992) (Pub. L. 102-550, approved October 28, 1992).

II. Federal Fiscal Year 1995 Funding

The Departments of Veterans Affairs and Housing and Urban Development, and Independent Agencies Appropriations Act 1995, (approved September 28, 1994, Pub. Law 103-327), (95 App. Act) appropriated \$290 million for the Drug Elimination Program. Of the total \$290 million appropriated, \$10 million will fund drug elimination technical assistance, contracts and other assistance training, program assessments, and execution for or on behalf of public housing and resident organizations (including the cost of necessary travel for participants in such training). The funding announced under this notice is a part of this \$10 million.

III. Grant Award

On June 28, 1994, HUD published a Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) for Technical Assistance to Public Housing Authorities and Public Housing Police Departments (59 FR 33372) announcing the availability of up \$1.5 million in FY 1994 funds for a 1-year base period with 4 option years for comparable amounts based upon an evaluation of grant performance and the availability of funds. The Department reviewed, evaluated and scored the applications received based on the criteria in the NOFAs. As a result, HUD has funded the application announced below. The announcement of the FY 1994 award, in the amount of \$1,499,348, was published on October 20, 1994 (59 FR 52983). This notice announces the award of \$2,000,000 in FY 1995 funding to continue activities for two option years. In accordance with section 102(a)(4)(C) of the Department of Housing and Urban Development Reform Act of 1989 (Pub. L. 101-235, approved December 15, 1989), the Department is publishing details concerning the recipient of this funding award, as follows:

Grant Recipient: Center for Public Safety, Inc.

Recipient Contact Person: Thomas J. Shaughnessy.

Address: Center for Public Safety, Inc., Washington Dulles International Airport, PO Box 20261, Washington, DC 20041-2261.

Telephone Number: (703) 661-2168.

Original Award Amount: \$1,499,348.

Amendment Grant Award Amount: \$2,000,000.

Total Grant Award Amount: \$3,499,348.

General Objectives

The United States Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) and the Center for Public Safety, Inc., (grantee) have entered into a grant

agreement for \$3,499,348 of Public and Indian Housing Drug Elimination Program Technical Assistance funds to: (1) Develop a program to improve public housing police departments in Baltimore HA and Community Development, Baltimore, MD; Boston HA, Boston, MA; Buffalo HA, Buffalo, NY; Cuyahoga Metropolitan HA, Cleveland, OH; HA of the City of Los Angeles, Los Angeles, CA; HA of the City of Oakland, Oakland, CA; HA of the City of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA; HA of the City of Waterbury, Waterbury, CT; Virgin Islands HA, Virgin Islands; Philadelphia HA, and Philadelphia, PA, (2) facilitate law enforcement service agreements between housing authorities and local government, and (3) provide the technical assistance to implement the program and agreements.

This is a cost-reimbursable grant for \$3,499,348 for a three year base period, with two optional years. Each additional fiscal year award will be for comparable amounts based upon an evaluation of grant performance and the availability of funds.

Dated: March 18, 1995.

Joseph Shuldiner,

Assistant Secretary for Public and Indian Housing.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Fish and Wildlife Service

Notice of intent to prepare an Environmental Impact Statement for the Proposed Establishment of a National Wildlife Refuge in Georgetown, Horry, and Marion Counties, South Carolina, and Notice of Meetings to Seek Public Participation

AGENCY: Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of intent and meetings.

SUMMARY: This notice advises the public that the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Southeast Region, intends to prepare an environmental impact statement (EIS) for the proposed establishment of a national wildlife refuge in Georgetown, Horry, and Marion Counties, South Carolina, and plans to hold two scoping meetings in the vicinity of the proposed refuge to involve the public in the preparation of the EIS.

DATES: The Service will hold two scoping meetings as follows: (1) At 7:00 p.m. on June 20, 1995, at the Georgetown High School Auditorium, Georgetown, South Carolina; and (2) at

7:00 p.m. on June 21, 1995, at the Horry County Council Chambers, Conway, South Carolina.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mr. Charles R. Danner, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, 1875 Century Boulevard, Atlanta, GA 30345.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The study area for the proposed refuge includes approximately 42,000 acres of wetlands and upland forests between the Intracoastal Waterway and U.S. Highway 701 north of Winyah Bay in Coastal South Carolina. The boundaries of the proposed refuge have not been determined. The specific location will be based on availability of land, ecosystem needs, and public comments on the suitability of the proposal.

The purpose of the proposed refuge is to protect an important component of the Winyah Bay ecosystem for the benefit of endangered and threatened species, migratory birds, anadromous fish, and forest wildlife. The study area contains extensive freshwater tidal wetlands; large contiguous blocks of bottom land hardwood forests; and upland plant communities consisting of longleaf and loblolly pine and mixed hardwoods such as turkey, water, and laurel oak. It provides some of the most valuable production and wintering habitat for wood ducks in the state and is recognized as a key emphasis area in the North American Waterfowl Management Plan. The associated upland forests provide habitat for the red-cocked woodpecker, bald eagle, and wood stork, all federally listed endangered species. Another endangered species, the shortnose sturgeon, inhabits the area's rivers and waterways.

Dated: May 1, 1995.

Noreen K. Clough,
Regional Director.

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Bureau of Land Management

[AK-964-1410-00-P and F-14932-A2]

Alaska Native Claims Selection

In accordance with Departmental regulation 43 CFR 2650.7(d), notice is hereby given that a decision to issue conveyance under the provisions of Sec. 14(a) of the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act of December 18, 1971, 43 U.S.C. 1601, 1613(a), will be issued to Shaktoolik Native Corporation for approximately 5,992 acres. The lands involved are in the vicinity of Shaktoolik, Alaska, within T. 13 S., R.

11 W., and T. 11 S., R. 14 W., Kateel River Meridian, Alaska.

A notice of the decision will be published once a week, for four (4) consecutive weeks, in the Nome Nugget. Copies of the decision may be obtained by contacting the Alaska State Office of the Bureau of Land Management, 222 West Seventh Avenue, #13, Anchorage, Alaska 99513-7599 [(907) 271-5960].

Any party claiming a property interest which is adversely affected by the decision, an agency of the Federal government or regional corporation, shall have until June 9, 1995 to file an appeal. However, parties receiving service by certified mail shall have 30 days from the date of receipt to file an appeal. Appeals must be filed in the Bureau of Land Management at the address identified above, where the requirements for filing an appeal may be obtained. Parties who do not file an appeal in accordance with the requirements of 43 CFR Part 4, Subpart E, shall be deemed to have waived their rights.

Ana M. Stafford,

Land Law Examiner, Branch of Northern Adjudication.

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[OR-015-95-1610-00: G5-116]

High Desert Management Framework Plan Amendment, Lake Abert Area of Critical Environmental Concern (ACEC)

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management (BLM), DOI.

ACTION: Notice of availability.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to section 102(2)(c) of the National Environmental Policy Act, section 202(f) of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act, and 43 CFR Part 1610, the Lakeview District has completed a draft plan amendment and environmental impact statement (EIS) covering a proposal to designate the Lake Abert area as an ACEC. The draft plan and EIS is expected to be available for review on or about May 12, 1995.

The planning area is located north of Valley Falls in central Lake County, Oregon, and covers approximately 120,570 acres, of which approximately 99,900 acres are administered by the BLM. This area was nominated as a potential ACEC by the Oregon Waterfowl and Wetlands Association and the Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife in 1992. The Lakeview District evaluated the area in accordance with 43 CFR Part 1610.7-2 and found it met

the ACEC relevance and importance criteria for four resource values: prehistoric cultural values, scenic values, wildlife values, and natural processes. The document presents ten management goals, objectives to measure those goals, and seven management alternatives for BLM-administered lands within the planning area. The alternatives range from no action (no change in present management), to designating portions of the planning area as an ACEC with somewhat restrictive management, to designating the entire planning area as an ACEC with very restrictive management.

DATES: This notice announces the beginning of the ninety-day public review period. Interested individuals, organizations, and other agencies are encouraged to review the document and provide written comments by August 16, 1995. In addition, two public meetings are planned in June 1995 at the locations specified below.

MEETING ADDRESSES: Meeting location (1) is BLM conference room, Lakeview District Office, 1000 South 9th Street, Lakeview, Oregon, at 6:30 p.m. on June 27, 1995. Meeting location (2) is Room 161 of the Boyle Education Center, Central Oregon Community College, 2600 NW College Way, Bend, Oregon, at 6:30 p.m. on June 29, 1995.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Paul Whitman, BLM, Lakeview District Office, P.O. Box 151, Lakeview, Oregon 97630 (Telephone: 503-947-6110).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Those individuals, organizations, native American tribes, and agencies with a known interest in the proposal have been sent a copy of the draft plan and EIS. Persons wishing to be added to the mailing list or desiring additional copies should contact the point of contact listed above. Reading copies of the document are available at the Lake, Klamath, and Harney County, Oregon libraries and at the following BLM locations: Office of External Affairs, Main Interior Building, Room 5600, 18th and C Streets, NW, Washington DC 20240, and Public Room, Oregon State Office, 1515 SW 5th, Portland, Oregon 97201.

Scott R. Florence,

Acting District Manager.

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