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Ouachita National Forest, Arkansas, Oklahoma

Forest Supervisor Decisions:

Arkansas Democrat-Gazette, published daily in Little Rock, AR

District Ranger Decisions:

Caddo Ranger District: *Arkansas Democrat-Gazette*, published daily in Little Rock, AR

Cold Springs Ranger District: *Arkansas Democrat-Gazette*, published daily in Little Rock, AR

Fourche Ranger District: *Arkansas Democrat-Gazette*, published daily in Little Rock, AR

Jessieville Ranger District: *Arkansas Democrat-Gazette*, published daily in Little Rock, AR

Mena Ranger District: *Arkansas Democrat-Gazette*, published daily in Little Rock, AR

Oden Ranger District: *Arkansas Democrat-Gazette*, published daily in Little Rock, AR

Poteau Ranger District: *Arkansas Democrat-Gazette*, published daily in Little Rock, AR

Winona Ranger District: *Arkansas Democrat-Gazette*, published daily in Little Rock, AR

Womble Ranger District: *Arkansas Democrat-Gazette*, published daily in Little Rock, AR

Choctaw Ranger District: *Tulsa World*, published daily in Tulsa, OK

Kiamichi Ranger District: *Tulsa World*, published daily in Tulsa, OK

Tiak Ranger District: *Tulsa World*, published daily in Tulsa, OK

Ozark-St. Francis National Forest: Arkansas

Forest Supervisor Decisions:

The Courier, published daily (Sunday through Friday) in Russellville, AR

District Ranger Decisions:

Sylamore Ranger District: *Stone County Leader*, published weekly (Tuesday) in Mountain View, AR

Buffalo Ranger District: *Harrison Daily Times*, published daily in Harrison, AR

Bayou Ranger District: *The Courier*, published daily (Sunday through Friday) in Russellville, AR

Pleasant Hill Ranger District: *Johnson County Graphic*, published weekly (Wednesday) in Clarksville, AR

Boston Mountain Ranger District: *Southwest Times Record*, published daily in Fort Smith, AR

Magazine Ranger District: *Southwest Times Record*, published daily in Fort Smith, AR

St. Francis Ranger District: *The Daily World*, published daily (Sunday through Friday) in Helena, AR

National Forests and Grasslands in Texas, Texas

Forest Supervisor Decisions:

The Lufkin Daily News, published daily in Lufkin, TX

District Ranger Decisions:

Angelina National Forest: *The Lufkin Daily News*, published daily in Lufkin, TX

Davy Crockett National Forest: *The Lufkin Daily News*, published daily in Lufkin, TX

Sabine National Forest: *The Lufkin Daily News*, published daily in Lufkin, TX

Sam Houston National Forest: *The Courier*, published daily in Conroe, TX

Caddo & LBJ National Grasslands: *Denton Record-Chronicle*, published daily in Denton, TX

Dated: May 8, 1998.

Bruce L. Jewell,

Deputy Regional Forester for Natural Resources.

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Dated: May 6, 1998.

Gloria Manning,

Associate Deputy Chief, National Forest System.

Proposed Boundary Description for the Establishment of the Kimberling Creek Purchase Unit, Bland County, Virginia

Pursuant to the Secretary of Agriculture's authority under the Act of March 1, 1911, as amended, the Kimberling Creek Purchase Unit is being established and is described as follows:

Those lands in Bland County, Virginia, bounded on the west by State Route 606 being the existing Jefferson National Forest boundary, on the north by the existing Jefferson National Forest boundary, on the east by the Commonwealth of Virginia's Bland State Correctional Farm, and on the south by State Route 42 to the junction with State Route 606, the existing boundary.

The area described contains 271.25 acres, more or less, adjoining the Jefferson National Forest.

The lands are well suited for watershed protection and meet the requirements of the Act of March 1, 1911, as amended.

Dated: April 17, 1998.

Brian Eliot Burke,

Deputy Under Secretary, Natural Resources and Environment.

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Forest Service

Establishment of Kimberling Creek Purchase Unit, Virginia

AGENCY: Forest Service, USDA.

ACTION: Notice of establishment of Kimberling Creek Purchase Unit.

SUMMARY: The Secretary of Agriculture created the 271-acre Kimberling Creek Purchase Unit in Bland County, Virginia. A copy of the establishment document, which includes the legal description of the lands within the purchase unit, appears at the end of this notice.

EFFECTIVE DATE: Establishment of this purchase unit was effective April 17, 1998.

ADDRESSES: A copy of the map depicting the lands within the purchase unit is on file and available for public inspection in the office of the Director, Lands Staff, 201 14th Street, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20250.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Jack Craven, Lands Staff, Forest Service, USDA, P.O. Box 96090, Washington, D.C. 20090-6090, telephone; (202) 205-1248.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Forest Service

Boundary Extension, Ouachita National Forest, Arkansas

AGENCY: Forest Service, USDA.

ACTION: Notice of boundary extension.

SUMMARY: The Secretary of Agriculture has extended the Ouachita National Forest boundary to include 80 acres, more or less, which were recently acquired through exchange, in Le Flore County, Oklahoma. A copy of the Secretary's establishment document, which includes the legal description of the land within the extension, appears at the end of this notice.

EFFECTIVE DATE: The boundary extension was effective April 17, 1998.

ADDRESSES: A copy of the map showing the boundary extension is on file and available for public inspection in the Office of the Director of Lands, Forest Service, Auditor's Building, 201 14th Street, SW, Washington, D.C. 20090-6090.

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