DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

National Park Service

60-Day Notice of Intention To Request Clearance of Collection of Information—Opportunity for Public Comment

AGENCY: Department of the Interior; National Park Service.

ACTION: Notice and request for comments.

SUMMARY: Under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (Pub. L. 104–13, 44 U.S.C. 3507) and 5 CFR 1320, Reporting and Recordkeeping Requirements, the National Park Service invites public comments on an extension of a currently approved collection of information Office of Management and Budget (OMB) #1024–0089. An agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number.

DATES: Public comments will be accepted on or before May 17, 2010.

ADDRESSES: Send comments to Michael D. Wilson, Chief or Laurie Heupel, Outdoor Recreation Planner, State and Local Assistance Programs Division, National Park Service (2225), 1849 C Street, NW., Washington, DC 20240–0001 or via e-mail at michael_d_wilson@nps.gov or laurie_heupel@nps.gov. All responses to this notice will be summarized and included in the request.

To Request a Draft of Proposed Collection of Information Contact: Michael D. Wilson, Chief or Laurie Heupel, Outdoor Recreation Planner, State and Local Assistance Programs Division, National Park Service (2225), 1849 C Street, NW., Washington, DC 20240–0001 or via e-mail at michael_d_wilson@nps.gov or laurie_heupel@nps.gov. You are entitled to a copy of the entire ICR package free-of-charge.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

OMB Control Number: 1024–0089.

Title: Urban Park and Recreation Recovery Program Project Agreements.

Form: None.

Type of Request: Extension of currently approved information collection.

Current Expiration Date: August 31, 2010.

Abstract: In order to receive financial assistance or to amend an existing grant, recipients must complete and sign the project agreement form from which sets forth the obligations of the recipients and the NPS along with any special terms or conditions of the grant award.

Affected Public: State Government, DC and Territories.

Obligation to Respond: Required to Obtain a Benefit.

Frequency of Response: On occasion.

Estimated total annual responses: 3.

Estimated average completion time per response: 1.0 hour.

Estimated annual reporting burden: 3 hours.

Estimated annual non-hour cost burden: None.

The NPS also is asking for comments on (1) The practical utility of the information being gathered; (2) the accuracy of the burden hour estimate; (3) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) ways to minimize the burden to respondents, including use of automated information collection techniques or other forms of information technology. Before including your address, phone number, e-mail 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 we cannot guarantee that we will be able to do so.

Dated: March 12, 2010.

Cartina Miller,
Information Collection Officer, National Park Service.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

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Grand Ditch Breach Restoration Environmental Impact Statement, Rocky Mountain National Park, CO

AGENCY: National Park Service, Department of the Interior.

ACTION: Notice of Intent to prepare an Environmental Impact Statement for the Grand Ditch Breach Restoration, Rocky Mountain National Park, Colorado. This effort will result in ecological restoration of the area affected by the 2003 Grand Ditch Breach. Alternatives to be considered will likely include a combination of the following: Allowing natural (passive) restoration to occur where appropriate; stabilizing steep, unstable slopes with an engineered solution; removing deposited sediment and redistributing it through the impacted area or elsewhere; removing dead timber from the impacted area and/or using it in the restoration process; regrading and recontouring areas to restore appropriate morphology and function; native plant restoration with appropriate, locally gathered plant materials; may require the use of motorized equipment such as chainsaws, heavy lift helicopters, and earthmoving equipment; may require temporary fencing to protect native plant restoration areas.

Major issues to be considered in this restoration planning process include short-and-long-term potential impacts to: Wilderness character; geological resources; geological hazards; soundscapes; surface and groundwater hydrology; stream channel, floodplain and wetland morphology and function; water quality; riparian and wetland communities; species of special concern (plants and animals); wildlife habitat; aquatic habitat; visitor experience; long-term resource productivity; archeological and historical sites.

A scoping brochure has been prepared that details the issues identified to date. Copies of that information may be obtained from the Public Information Office, Rocky Mountain National Park, 1000 U.S. Highway 36, Estes Park, Colorado 80517–8397, (970) 586–1206.

DATES: The Park Service will accept comments from the public through June 16, 2010.
ADDITIONS: Information will be available for public review and comment online at http://parkplanning.nps.gov/romo, and from the Public Information Office, Rocky Mountain National Park, 1000 U.S. Highway 36, Estes Park, Colorado 80517–8397.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Public Information Office, Rocky Mountain National Park, 1000 U.S. Highway 36, Estes Park, Colorado 80517–8397. (970) 586–1206,romo_information@nps.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: If you wish to comment on the scoping brochure or on any other issues associated with the plan, you may submit your comments by any one of several methods. You may mail comments to: Superintendent, Rocky Mountain National Park, 1000 U.S. Highway 36, Estes Park, Colorado 80517–8397. You may also comment via the Internet at http://parkplanning.nps.gov/romo. Finally, you may hand-deliver comments to: Superintendent, Rocky Mountain National Park, 1000 U.S. Highway 36, Estes Park, Colorado 80517–8397. Before including your address, phone number, e-mail 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.


Mike Snyder,
Director, Intermountain Region, National Park Service.

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Notice of Public Meetings for the National Park Service Alaska Region’s Subsistence Resource Commission (SRC) Program

AGENCY: National Park Service, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of public meetings for the National Park Service Alaska Region’s Subsistence Resource Commission (SRC) program.

SUMMARY: The Cape Krusenstern National Monument SRC, Kobuk Valley National Park SRC and Gates of the Arctic National Park SRC will meet to develop and continue work on National Park Service (NPS) subsistence hunting program recommendations and other related subsistence management issues. The NPS SRC program is authorized under Title VIII, Section 808 of the Alaska National Interest Lands Conservation Act, Public Law 96–487, to operate in accordance with the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act.

Public Availability of Comments: These meetings are open to the public and will have time allocated for public testimony. The public is welcome to present written or oral comments to the SRC. Each meeting will be recorded and meeting minutes will be available upon request from the park superintendent for public inspection approximately six weeks after each meeting. Before including your address, telephone number, e-mail 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.

Cape Krusenstern National Monument SRC and Kobuk Valley National Park SRC Meeting Date and Location: The Cape Krusenstern National Monument SRC and Kobuk Valley National Park SRC meetings will be held on Monday, April 19, 2010, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the National Park Service Northwest Arctic Heritage Center, Kotzebue, AK. The meeting may end early if all business is completed.

For Further Information on the Cape Krusenstern National Monument and Kobuk Valley National Park Meeting Contact: George Helfrich, Superintendent, Western Arctic Parklands, or Willie Goodwin, Subsistence Manager, (907) 455–0631, Address: P.O. Box 1029, Kotzebue, AK 99701, or Clarence Summers, Subsistence Manager, (907) 644–3603.

Gates of the Arctic National Park SRC Meeting Date and Location: The Gates of the Arctic National Park SRC meeting will be held on Wednesday, April 28, 2010, from 9 a.m. to 10 p.m. at the Inupiat Heritage Center in Barrow, AK, (907) 852–0422. The evening session will be scheduled at the call of the Chair. A tentative plan is to break for dinner at 5 p.m., reconvene the meeting at 7 p.m. and adjourn the meeting at 10 p.m. The meeting may end early if all business is completed.

For Further Information on the Gates of the Arctic National Park SRC Meeting Contact: Dave Krupa, Subsistence Manager, (907) 455–0631, Address: 4175 Geist Road, Fairbanks, AK 99703, or Clarence Summers, Subsistence Manager, (907) 644–3603.

Proposed SRC Meeting Agenda

The proposed meeting agenda for each meeting includes the following:

1. Call to order.
2. SRC Roll Call and Confirmation of Quorum.
3. SRC Chair and Superintendent’s Welcome and Introductions.
4. Approval of Minutes from Last SRC Meeting.
5. Review and Approve Agenda.
7. SRC Member Reports.
8. Park Subsistence Manager’s Report.
9. Park Staff Reports.
   b. Ranger Division Update.
   c. Subsistence Uses of Horns, Antlers, Bones and Plants EA Update.
11. Alaska Board of Game Update.
15. SRC Work/Training Session.
16. Set Time and Place for next SRC Meeting.
17. Adjournment.

SRC meeting locations and dates may need to be changed based on lack of quorum, inclement weather or local circumstances. If the meeting date and location are changed, a notice will be published in local newspapers and announced on local radio stations prior to the meeting date. The SRC meeting may end early if all business is completed.

Dated: March 10, 2010.

Sue E. Masica,
Regional Director, Alaska.

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NATIONAL INDIAN GAMING COMMISSION

The National Environmental Policy Act Procedures Manual

AGENCY: The National Indian Gaming Commission.

ACTION: Notice of reopening of comment period.