

HUD. The following individuals and entities are ineligible to bid on any of the Mortgage Loans included in MHLS 2003-1:

(1) Any employee of FHA or HUD, a member of such employee's household, or an entity owned or controlled by any such employee or member of such an employee's household;

(2) Any individual or entity that is debarred from doing business with FHA or HUD pursuant to Title 24 of the Code of Federal Regulations;

(3) Any contractor, subcontractor and/or consultant or advisor (including any agent, employee, partner, director, principal or affiliate of any of the foregoing) who performed services for or on behalf of HUD in connection with MHLS 2003-1;

(4) Any individual who was a principal, partner, director, agent or employee of any entity or individual described in subparagraph 3 above, at any time during which the entity or individual performed services for or on behalf of HUD in connection with MHLS 2003-1;

(5) Any individual or entity that uses the services, directly or indirectly, of any person or entity ineligible under subparagraphs 1 through 4 above to assist in preparing any of its bids on the Mortgage Loans;

(6) Any individual or entity which employs or uses the services of an employee of HUD (other than in such employee's official capacity) who is involved in MHLS 2003-1;

(7) Any mortgagor (or affiliate of a mortgagor) that failed to submit to HUD all 1998 through 2002 audited financial statements for a project securing a Mortgage Loan on or before August 15, 2003; and

(8) Any individual or entity and any Related Party (as such term is defined in the Qualification Statement) that is a mortgagor in any of HUD's multifamily housing programs that is in default under such mortgage loan or is in violation of any regulatory or business agreements with HUD, unless such default or violation is cured on or before August 15, 2003.

In addition, any entity or individual that served as a loan servicer or performed other services for or on behalf of FHA or HUD at any time during the 2-year period prior to September 1, 2003 with respect to any Mortgage Loan is ineligible to bid on such Mortgage Loan. Also ineligible to bid on any Mortgage Loan are: (a) any affiliate or principal of any entity or individual described in the preceding sentence; (b) any employee or subcontractor of such entity or individual during that 2-year period; or

(c) any entity or individual that employs or uses the services of any other entity or individual described in this paragraph in preparing its bid on such Mortgage Loan.

Prospective bidders should carefully review the Qualification Statement to determine whether they are eligible to submit bids on the Mortgage Loans in MHLS 2003-1.

#### Freedom of Information Act Requests

HUD reserves the right, in its sole and absolute discretion, to disclose information regarding MHLS 2003-1, including, but not limited to, the identity of any bidder and their bid price or bid percentage for any pool of loans or individual loan within a pool of loans, upon the completion of the sale. Even if HUD elects not to publicly disclose any information relating to MHLS 2003-1, HUD will have the right to disclose any information that HUD is obligated to disclose pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act and all regulations promulgated thereunder.

#### Scope of Notice

This notice applies to MHLS 2003-1, and does not establish HUD's policy for the sale of other mortgage loans.

Dated: August 20, 2003.

**John C. Weicher,**

*Assistant Secretary for Housing—Federal Housing Commissioner.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### United States Geological Survey

#### Advisory Committee on Water Information

**AGENCY:** United States Geological Survey, Interior.

**ACTION:** Advisory Committee on Water Information meeting notice.

**SUMMARY:** Notice is hereby given of a meeting of the Advisory Committee on Water Information (ACWI). This meeting of the ACWI is to discuss broad policy-related topics relating to national water initiatives, and to hear reports from ACWI subgroups. The proposed agenda will include a series of discussions concerning various U.S. Government policies and programs related to the development and dissemination of water information.

The ACWI has been established under the authority of the Office of Management and Budget Memorandum M-92-01 and the Federal Advisory Committee Act. The purpose of the

ACWI is to provide a forum for water-information users and professionals to advise the Federal Government of activities and plans that may improve the effectiveness of meeting the Nation's water information needs. More than 30 organizations have been invited by the Secretary of the Interior to name representatives to the ACWI. These include Federal departments, State, local, and tribal government organizations, industry, academia, agriculture, environmental organizations, professional societies, and volunteer groups.

**DATES:** The formal meeting will convene at 8 a.m., on September 9, 2003, and will adjourn on September 10, 2003, at 5 p.m.

**ADDRESSES:** Days Hotel and Conference Center, 2200 Centreville Road, Herndon, Virginia.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Ms. Toni M. Johnson (Executive Secretary), Chief, Water Information Coordination Program, U.S. Geological Survey, 12201 Sunrise Valley Drive, 417 National Center, Reston, VA 20192. Telephone: 703-648-6810; Fax: 703-648-5644.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This meeting is open to the public. Up to a half hour will be set aside for public comment. Persons wishing to make a brief presentation (up to 5 minutes) are asked to provide a written request with a description of the general subject to Ms. Johnson at the above address no later than noon, September 5, 2003. It is requested that 40 copies of a written statement be submitted at the time of the meeting for distribution to members of the ACWI and placement in the official file. Any member of the public may submit written information and (or) comments to Ms. Johnson for distribution at the ACWI Meeting.

Dated: August 21, 2003.

**R. Thomas Weimer,**

*Deputy Assistant Secretary—Water and Science.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Bureau of Indian Affairs

#### Indian Gaming

**AGENCY:** Bureau of Indian Affairs, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice of Tribal-State Gaming Compact Between the State of Arizona and the San Juan Southern Paiute Tribe.

**SUMMARY:** Pursuant to Section 11 of the Indian Gaming Regulatory Act of 1988