

*Purpose:* To support the Summer Research Laboratory, which provides dormitory housing and access to the University's library for advanced research, and the Slavic Reference Service, which locates materials unavailable through regular interlibrary loan; a CD burner and scanner; and a subscription for the virtual reference software—Docutek.

*Contact:* Merrily Shaw, Assistant to the Director of the Russian and East European Center, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, 104 International Studies Building, 910 South Fifth Street, Champaign, IL 61820.

*Tel:* (217) 244-4721/333-1244, *Fax:* (217) 333-1582.

*E-mail:* mshaw2@uiuc.edu or reec@uiuc.edu

##### **5. International Research and Exchanges Board**

*Grant:* \$756,000 (\$481,000-Eurasia; \$275,000-AEEB)

*Purpose:* To support Individual Advanced Research Opportunities providing pre- and post-doctoral research fellowships in Policy R&D; short-term travel grants; and a Regional Policy Forum on the Caucasus Region, in conjunction with the Woodrow Wilson Center.

*Contact:* Joyce Warner, Director, Academic Exchanges and Research Division, International Research and Exchanges Board, 2121 K Street, NW., Suite 700, Washington, DC 20037.

*Tel:* (202) 628-8188, *Fax:* (202) 628-8189.

*E-mail:* jwarner@irex.org

##### **6. National Council for Eurasian and East European Research**

*Grant:* \$1,210,000 (\$925,000-Eurasia; \$285,000-AEEB).

*Purpose:* To support the Policy Research Fellowships in Eurasia and Central and East Europe for junior post-doctoral scholars; the Ed A. Hewett Fellowship Program to allow a scholar to work on a Research project for a year while serving in a USG agency or U.S. embassy overseas; short-term research grants to focus on Central Asia, the Caucasus, and the Balkans; and the post-doctoral National Research Program of research contracts for collaborative projects and fellowship grants for individuals.

*Contact:* Robert Huber, President, National Council for Eurasian and East European Research, 910 Seventeenth Street, NW., Suite 300, Washington, DC 20006.

*Tel:* (202) 822-6950, *Fax:* (202) 822-6955.

*E-mail:* dc@nceer.org

##### **7. Social Science Research Council**

*Grant:* \$775,000 (\$775,000-Eurasia).

*Purpose:* To support pre-doctoral fellowships, including advanced graduate and dissertation; post-doctoral fellowships; curriculum development and teaching fellowships; one dissertation workshop on understudied regions; and the institutional language programs for advanced Russian and other Eurasian languages.

*Contact:* Seteney Shami, Program Director, Social Science Research Council, 810 Seventh Avenue, 31st Floor, New York, NY 10019.

*Tel:* (212) 377-2700, *Fax:* (212) 377-2727.

*E-mail:* shami@ssrc.org

##### **8. The Woodrow Wilson Center for International Scholars**

*Grant:* \$783,000 (\$495,000-Eurasia; \$288,000-AEEB).

*Purpose:* To support the residential programs for post-doctoral Research Scholars, Short-term Scholars and Interns; the Meetings Program for both the Kennan Institute and East European Studies; the Kennan Institute's Outreach and Publications; the Kennan Institute's Workshop on Immigration, Forced Migration and Refugees in Central Eurasia; and the East European Studies Program's Junior Scholars' Training Seminar with the American Council of Learned Societies.

*Contact:* Nancy Popson, Deputy Director, Kennan Institute, *Tel:* (202) 691-4100, *E-mail:*

popsonna@wwic.si.edu; Martin Sletzinger, Director, East European Studies, *Tel:* (202) 691-4263, *E-mail:* sletzinm@wwic.si.edu, The Woodrow Wilson Center, 1300 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20004-3027, *Fax:* (202) 691-4247.

Dated: September 2, 2003.

**Kenneth E. Roberts,**

*Executive Director, Advisory Committee for Study of Eastern Europe and the Independent States of the Former Soviet Union, Department of State.*

[FR Doc. 03-23030 Filed 9-9-03; 8:45 am]

**BILLING CODE 4710-32-U**

##### **TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY**

##### **Rarity Pointe Commercial Recreation and Residential Development on Tellico Reservoir, Loudon and Monroe Counties, TN**

**AGENCY:** Tennessee Valley Authority (TVA).

**ACTION:** Issuance of record of decision.

**SUMMARY:** This notice is provided in accordance with the Council on

Environmental Quality's regulations (40 CFR parts 1500 to 1508) and TVA's procedures implementing the National Environmental Policy Act. TVA has decided to implement the preferred alternative identified in its Final Environmental Impact Statement (EIS), Rarity Pointe Commercial Recreation and Residential Development on Tellico Reservoir.

In implementing Alternative E, TVA has decided to take several actions related to the Rarity Pointe development: (1) Change the land use allocation of approximately 116 acres of TVA property following the 820-foot elevation as marked on the Tellico Reservoir and sell it for part of a privately planned residential resort and golf course community, (2) authorize the use of about 5 acres of TVA property, below the 820-foot elevation for a small (par-3) golf course, (3) approve plans for a marina with up to 349 wet and 200 dry storage boat slips using approximately 4 acres of TVA land below the 820-foot elevation, (4) change the land use allocation of about 17 acres of TVA property from natural resource conservation to recreation to allow the construction of greenway trailhead facilities and grant the Tellico Reservoir Development Agency (TRDA) a permanent easement over the property to manage the property for the designated uses, and (5) accept the transfer of 256 acres of property, designate this tract for recreation and natural resources conservation, and grant the TRDA a permanent easement over the property to manage the property for the designated uses.

##### **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Richard L. Toennisson, Senior NEPA Specialist, Environmental Policy and Planning, Tennessee Valley Authority, 400 West Summit Hill Drive, WT 8C, Knoxville, Tennessee 37902-1499; telephone (865) 632-8517 or e-mail [rltoennisson@tva.gov](mailto:rltoennisson@tva.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** In May 2002, TVA received a request from LTR Properties (Rarity Communities) to make available property under TVA's control on Tellico Reservoir in Loudon County, Tennessee, for part of a residential resort and golf community that Rarity Communities was constructing. Rarity Communities already owned 539 acres of property adjacent to the TVA property that it was proceeding to develop. It wanted the TVA property to enhance and expand the development. TVA was asked to take three actions related to the Rarity Pointe development: (1) Release the land use allocations for approximately 116 acres of TVA property above the