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ERP No. D-CGD-L59001-WA Rating LO, Seattle Monorail Project (SMP), Green Line 14-Mile Monorail Transit System Construction and Operation, Reviewing a Water Crossing at the Lake Washington Ship Canal Bridge and Duwamish Waterway Bridge Modification, USCG Bridge, Endangered Species Act Section 7 and U.S. Army COE Section 404 Permits Issuance, City of Seattle, WA.

Summary: EPA expressed no objections to the project as proposed. EPA also expressed support for the project purpose, which would provide an alternate transportation mode for the project area, and encouraged proponents to seek opportunities to maximize links with existing modes.

ERP No. D-FHW-E40798-NC Rating EC2, Greensboro-High Point Road (NC-1486-NC-4121) Improvements from U.S. 311 (I-74) to Hilltop Road (NC-1424), Cities of Greensboro and High Point, Town of Jamestown, Guilford County, NC.

Summary: EPA has environmental concerns with the proposed project regarding the long term protection of water supplies associated with a present intake and the planned downstream Randleman Reservoir. EPA recommends that additional mitigation be evaluated for the abatement of stormwater runoff impacts.

ERP No. D-FHW-L40219-AK Rating EC2, Gravina Access Project, Transportation Improvements between Revillagigedo Island and Gravina Island, Funding, Endangered Species Act 7, NPDES and U.S. Army COE Section 404 Permits Issuance, Ketchikan Gateway Borough, AK.

Summary: EPA has environmental concerns with the proposed project regarding the potential direct and indirect impacts to water quality, wetlands, marine habitat and subsistence resources associated with project construction and subsequent development on Gravina and Pennock Islands. EPA recommends that additional analyses of the No Action and ferry alternative be included in the EIS along with information and maps related to expected future development that reflect the comprehensive planning efforts of the Ketchikan Gateway Borough.

ERP No. D2-AFS-L61190-OR Rating EC2, Mt. Ashland Ski Area Expansion, Site Specific Project, Maintenance and Enhancements of Environmental Resources, Implementation, Special Use Permit, Ashland Ranger District, Rogue River National Forest and Scott River

Ranger District, Klamath National Forest, Jackson County, OR.

Summary: EPA expressed environmental concerns that the expansion may increase sedimentation, degrade water quality, change surface flow, damage high value wetlands and riparian reserves in Ashland Creek, which drains into a municipal water supply reservoir. The Final EIS should include detail on mitigation and minimization measures, and whether such measures compensate for project impacts.

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Environmental Impact Statements; Notice of Availability

Responsible Agency: Office of Federal Activities, General Information (202) 564-7167 or <http://www.epa.gov/compliance/nepa>.

Weekly receipt of Environmental Impact Statements

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Pursuant to 40 CFR 1506.9.

EIS No. 030518, Final EIS, FHW, MT, I-15 Corridor Project, Transportation Improvements from Montana City to the Lincoln Road Interchange, Funding and U.S. Army COE Section 404 Permit Issuance, Jefferson and Lewis & Clark Counties, MT, Wait Period Ends: December 22, 2003, Contact: Carl James (406) 449-5302.

EIS No. 030519, Draft EIS, AFS, CA, Meteor Project, Proposal for Harvesting Timber and Conducting Associated Activities on 744 Acres, Implementation, Klamath National Forest, Salmon River Ranger District, Siskiyou County, CA, Comment Period Ends: January 5, 2004, Contact: Margaret J. Boland (530) 841-4501. This document is available on the Internet at: <http://www.fs.fed.us/r5/klamath/projects/project/meteor/>.

EIS No. 030520, Final EIS, AFS, SD, Prairie Project Area, (Lower Rapid Creek Area) Multiple Resource Management Actions, Implementation, Black Hills National Forest, Mystic Ranger District, Pennington County, ID, Wait Period Ends: December 22, 2003, Contact: Robert Thompson (605) 343-1567.

EIS No. 030521, Final EIS, FAA, NJ, Atlantic City International Airport, Air Service Improvements, Economic Development and Efficiency and Safety Enhancements, Airport Layout Plan Approval, Atlantic County, NJ, Wait Period Ends: December 22, 2003, Contact: Daisy Mather (718) 553-2511.

EIS No. 030522, Final EIS, NSA, NM, Chemistry and Metallurgy Research Building Replacement Project, Consolidation and Relocation, Los Alamos National Laboratory, Los Alamos County, NM, Wait Period Ends: December 22, 2003, Contact: Elizabeth Withers (505) 667-8690.

EIS No. 030523, Final EIS, MMS, AK, Cook Inlet Planning Area Oil and Gas Lease Sales 191 and 199, Outer Continental Shelf, Offshore Marine Environment, Cook Inlet, AK, Wait Period Ends: December 22, 2003, Contact: George Valiulis (703) 787-1662.

EIS No. 030524, Final EIS, COE, GA, Lake Sidney Lanier Project to Continue the Ongoing Operation and Maintenance Activities Necessary for Flood Control, Hydropower Generation, Water Supply, Recreation, Natural Resources Management and Shoreline Management, U.S. Army COE Section 10 and 404 Permits, Dawson, Forsyth, Lumpkin, Hill and Gwinnett Counties, GA, Wait Period Ends: January 9, 2004, Contact: Glen Coffee (251) 690-2729.

EIS No. 030525, Draft EIS, AFS, OR, Biscuit Fire Recovery Project, Improve Firefighter Reduce the Risk of High-Intensity, Stand Replace Fire Public and Private Managed Lands, Siskiyou National Forest, Rogue River, Josephine and Curry Counties, OR, Comment Period Ends: January 5, 2004, Contact: Tom Link (541) 471-6500. This document is available on the Internet at: <http://www.biscuitfire.com>.

EIS No. 030526, Draft Supplement, FTA, WA, Central Link Light Rail Transit Project (Sound Transit) Construction and Operation of the North Link Light Rail Extension from Downtown Seattle and Northgate, Funding, Right-of-Way and U.S. Army COE Section Permits, Cities of Seattle, SeaTac and Tukwila, King County, WA, Comment Period Ends: January 30, 2004, Contact: John Witmer (206) 220-4463.

Amended Notices

EIS No. 030513, Draft EIS, NRC, IL, Quad Cities Nuclear Power Station Units 1 and 2, Supplement 16 to NUREG-1437, License Renewal, IL, Comment Period Ends: January 27, 2004, Contact: Louis L. Wheeler (301)