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Forest Service

National Urban and Community Forestry Advisory Council

AGENCY: Forest Service, USDA.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: The National Urban and Community Forestry Advisory Council will meet in Ft. Lauderdale, Florida, January 20-22, 1994 with a tour of local projects, January 20, 8:30 a.m., to 4:30 p.m. The Council is comprised of 15 members appointed by the Secretary of Agriculture. The purpose of the meeting is to begin oversight responsibilities and budget estimates for members of Congress. The meeting will be Chaired by William Kruidenier of the International Society of Arboriculture and is open to the public. Time will be provided at the beginning of each major agenda topic for public input. Time to speak must be requested in advance from the committee staff. However, Council discussion is limited to Forest Service staff and Council members. Persons who wish to bring urban and community forestry matters to the attention of the Council may file written statements with the Council staff before or after the meeting.

DATES: The meeting will be held January 20-22, 1994.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held at the Courtyard Marriott, 7780 SW., 6th Street, Plantation, Florida 33324.

Send written statements and/or requests for agenda items or participation in the tour to Brian McGuire, National Urban and Community Forestry Advisory Council, c/o Forest Service—Cooperative Forestry, USDA, P.O. Box 96090, Washington, DC 20090-6090, or phone (202) 205-1689.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Brian McGuire, Cooperative Forestry Staff, (202) 205-1689.

Dated: December 21, 1993.

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Office of General Counsel

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Office of the Solicitor

Water Rights Under the Wilderness Act

AGENCIES: Office of General Counsel, Agriculture; Office of the Solicitor, Interior.

ACTION: Notice with request for comment.

SUMMARY: The Departments of Agriculture and the Interior are seeking public comment on a reevaluation of the Federal position on interpreting the Wilderness Act of 1964 in relation to Water rights.

DATES: Comments are requested by April 1, 1994.

ADDRESSES: Comments may be submitted to James Gilliland, General Counsel, Department of Agriculture, room 107W, Administration Building, 14th and Independence Ave. SW., Washington, DC 20250-1401, or to John D. Leshy, Solicitor, Department of the Interior, MS 6352, 1849 C St. NW., Washington, DC 20240.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: James Gilliland, 202-720-3351, or John D. Leshy, 202-208-4423.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Departments of Agriculture and the Interior, in consultation with the Department of Justice, are undertaking to reexamine the position of their agencies not to file claims for water rights under federal law based upon congressional designation of federal lands as part of the National Wilderness Preservation System. Pending that reevaluation, a Department of the Interior Solicitor's Opinion reaching that conclusion (# M-36914) (Supp. III) (July 26, 1988), overruling a portion of Solicitor's Opinion M-36914, 86 I.D. 553 (June 25, 1979), has been suspended, as has the concurrence of the Attorney General in the 1988 Opinion.

The legal issue presented is primarily the interpretation to be given certain provisions of the Wilderness Act of 1964 and related federal legislation. As part of this reevaluation, comment is sought from interested persons, including especially state water rights administrators, water users, and others interested in water management. Comment is invited not only on the legal issues, but also on any practical questions that may be raised by their resolution.

Those interested are urged to submit views on these issues and questions to

either or both of the addresses listed above by April 1, 1994.

Pending completion of this reevaluation, pertinent federal agencies will, in order not to forfeit claims of water rights that might be made as a result of this reevaluation, file claims for water rights in pertinent designated wilderness areas when required to file water rights claims by court deadlines in pending adjudications.

Dated: December 16, 1993.

James Gilliland,
General Counsel, Department of Agriculture.

John D. Leshy,
Solicitor, Department of the Interior.
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ARMED FORCES RETIREMENT HOME

Privacy Act of 1974; Systems of Records

AGENCY: Armed Forces Retirement Home (AFRH).

ACTION: Notice; systems of records.

SUMMARY: This notice provides an Armed Forces Retirement Home system of records and the routine uses pursuant to the Privacy Act of 1974, (5 U.S.C. 552a) as amended.

DATES: The system of records becomes effective January 27, 1994. Any public comments must be received before the effective date.

ADDRESSES: Written comments may be sent or delivered to the Administrative Officer, Administration Division/Resource Management Directorate, U.S. Soldiers' and Airmen's Home, 3700 North Capitol Street, NW., Washington, DC 20317-0002.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Doris D. Montgomery, 202-722-3230.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Armed Forces Retirement Home Act of 1991, incorporated the U.S. Soldiers' and Airmen's Home (USSAH) and the United States Naval Home (USNH) into an independent establishment in the Executive Branch of the Federal Government to be known as the Armed Forces Retirement Home. This law requires its residents, who are persons who have met the criteria for membership, to pay a monthly fee, which is a fixed percentage of their monthly Federal payments.

The "Armed Forces Retirement Home Resident Fee Maintenance System" is a system of records used by AFRH/ USSAH personnel to compile information on the source(s) and gross amount(s) of all Federal income entitled to each resident for computation,