

basis, in its program for the exploration of coal deposits owned by the United States of America in Sweetwater County, Wyoming.

**DATES:** This notice of invitation will publish in the *Rock Springs Rocket-Miner* once a week for 2 consecutive weeks beginning the week of March 19, 2018. Any party electing to participate in this exploration program must send written notice to both the BLM and Black Butte Coal Company, as provided in the **ADDRESSES** section below, no later than August 20, 2018.

**ADDRESSES:** Copies of the exploration plan are available for review during normal business hours in the following offices (serialized under number WYW186226): BLM, Wyoming State Office, 5353 Yellowstone Road, Cheyenne, Wyoming 82009; and BLM, Rock Springs Field Office, 280 Highway 191 North, Rock Springs, Wyoming 82901. The written notice should be sent to the following addresses: Black Butte Coal Company, c/o Lighthouse Resources Inc., Attn: Mr. Jason Russell, 10980 South Jordan Gateway, Salt Lake City, UT 84095; and the BLM Wyoming State Office, Branch of Solid Minerals, Attn: Branch Chief, Solid Minerals, P.O. Box 1828, Cheyenne, Wyoming 82003.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Tim Wilson, Branch Chief, Solid Minerals at 307-775-6179 or [tjwilson@blm.gov](mailto:tjwilson@blm.gov). Persons who use a telecommunications device for the deaf (TDD) may call the Federal Relay Service (FRS) at 1-800-877-8339 to contact the above individual during normal business hours. The FRS is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, to leave a message or question with the above individual. You will receive a reply during normal business hours.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Black Butte Coal Company has applied to the BLM for a 2-year coal exploration license on public land in the Salt Wells area near the existing Black Butte Coal Mine south of Point of Rocks, Wyoming. The purpose of the exploration program is to obtain structural and quality information on the coal. The BLM regulations at 43 CFR 3410.2 require the publication of an invitation for interested parties to participate in the coal exploration in the **Federal Register**. The Federal coal resources included in the exploration license application are located in the following described lands in Wyoming:

*Sixth Principal Meridian, Wyoming*

T. 17 N., R. 100 W.,  
Secs. 4, 8, 18, and 30.

T. 16 N., R. 101 W.,  
Secs. 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 18, 20, and 30.

T. 17 N., R. 101 W.,  
Sec. 2, lots 1 and 2, S<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>NE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>, SE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>NW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>,  
and S<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>;  
Sec. 8;  
Sec. 10, E<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>, and S<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>SW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>;  
Secs. 12, 14, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32,  
and 34.

T. 15 N., R. 102 W.,  
Sec. 4.

T. 16 N., R. 102 W.,  
Secs. 2, 10, 12, 14, 22, 24, 26, and 28;  
Sec. 34, NE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>, N<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>NW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>, SE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>NW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>, and  
S<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>.

T. 17 N., R. 102 W.,  
Secs. 24 and 26.

The areas described aggregate  
23,232.28 acres.

The proposed exploration program is fully described and will be conducted pursuant to an exploration plan to be approved by the BLM.

**Authority:** 43 CFR 3410.2-1(c)(1).

**Mary Jo Rugwell,**  
*State Director.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Bureau of Land Management

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### Notice of Public Meeting for the John Day—Snake Resource Advisory Council

**AGENCY:** Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice of Public Meeting.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976 and the Federal Advisory Committee Act of 1972, the U.S. Department of the Interior, Bureau of Land Management (BLM) John Day—Snake Resource Advisory Council (JDSRAC) will meet as indicated below. **DATES:** The JDSRAC will hold a public meeting on Thursday, September 20, 2018, from 12 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. and Friday, September 21, 2018, from 8 a.m. to 12 p.m. A public comment period will be available from 10 a.m. until 10:30 a.m. on September 21, 2018.

**ADDRESSES:** The JDSRAC meeting will be held at the Malheur National Forest Supervisor's Office at 431 Patterson Bridge Road, John Day, Oregon 97845.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Lisa Clark, Public Affairs Officer, 3050 NE 3rd Street, Prineville, Oregon 97754; 541-416-6864; [lmclark@blm.gov](mailto:lmclark@blm.gov). Persons who use a telecommunications device for the deaf (TDD) may call the Federal Relay Service (FRS) at 1-800-

877-8339 to contact the above individual during normal business hours. The FRS is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, to leave a message or question with the above individual. You will receive a reply during normal business hours.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The 15-member JDSRAC was chartered to provide information and advice regarding the use and development of the lands administered by the BLM and Forest Service in central and eastern Oregon. Members represent an array of stakeholder interests in the land and resources from within the local area and statewide.

All meetings are open to the public in their entirety. The JDSRAC meeting agenda includes continuing discussion on the Wallowa-Whitman recreation fee proposal and the Lower Deschutes Wild and Scenic River all user fee proposal, as well as a review of the Lower Deschutes Wild and Scenic River draft business plan, and a discussion regarding the shift from seasonal fees to the need for year-round fees at some sites on the Deschutes National Forest. The Malheur National Forest will present the initiation of an Environmental Impact Statement that will analyze the effects of proposed actions to manage wild horses in the joint Forest Service/Prineville BLM Murderers Creek Wild Horse Joint Management Area.

There will be a public comment period from 10 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. on September 21, 2018. Persons wishing to make comments during the public comment period should register in person with the BLM by 8 a.m. on the meeting day, at the meeting location. Depending on the number of persons wishing to comment, the length of comments may be limited. The public may send written comments to the JDSRAC at BLM Prineville District, Attn. Lisa Clark, 3050 NE 3rd Street, Prineville, Oregon 97754. Before including your address, phone number, email address, or other personal identifying information in your comments, please 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.

Authority: 43 CFR 1784.4–2.

Dennis C. Teitzel,

Prineville District Manager.

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Bureau of Land Management

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#### Notice of Public Meeting, BLM Alaska Resource Advisory Council

**AGENCY:** Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice of Public Meeting.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976, and the Federal Advisory Committee Act of 1972, the U.S. Department of the Interior, Bureau of Land Management (BLM) Alaska Resource Advisory Council (RAC) will meet as indicated below.

**DATES:** The BLM Alaska RAC will hold a public meeting Tuesday, August 14, 2018, from 9 a.m. until 4:30 p.m., and Wednesday, August 15, 2018, from 9 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. Public comment periods will be Tuesday from 11:30 a.m. until noon and Wednesday from 3 p.m. until 3:30 p.m.

**ADDRESSES:** The meeting will take place in Conference Room 104 at the Robert B. Atwood Building, 550 W 7th Ave., Anchorage, Alaska. The meeting agenda will be posted online by August 1, 2018, at [www.blm.gov/site-page/get-involved-resource-advisory-council/near-you/alaska/rac](http://www.blm.gov/site-page/get-involved-resource-advisory-council/near-you/alaska/rac).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Lesli Ellis-Wouters, Communications Director, BLM Alaska State Office, 222 W 7th Avenue #13, Anchorage, AK 99513; [lellis@blm.gov](mailto:lellis@blm.gov); 907–271–4418. People who use a telecommunications device for the deaf (TDD) may call the Federal Relay Service (FRS) at 1–800–877–8339 to contact the above individual during normal business hours. The FRS is available 24 hours a day, seven days a week, to leave a message or question with the above individual. You will receive a reply during normal business hours.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The 15-member BLM Alaska RAC was chartered to provide advice to the BLM and the Secretary of the Interior on a variety of planning and management issues associated with public land management in Alaska. All RAC meetings are open to the public.

The agenda will include updates on National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) projects, including the Greater Mooses Tooth 2 Development, proposed Willow Master Development Plan, Red Devil, and the proposed road to the Ambler Mining District. There will be updates on current BLM Alaska planning efforts, such as the Bering Sea-Western Interior and Central Yukon Resource Management Plans, and the Haines and Squirrel River Plans. There will also be reports from RAC subcommittees on placer mining, recreation, trapper cabins, and Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act issues. Discussions will include the BLM's NEPA streamlining and prioritization process, as well as how the BLM works with other federal and state agencies, tribes, and interested parties in preparing NEPA analysis. The three BLM Alaska Districts and the Alaska Fire Service will present overviews of activities occurring in the Field Offices and workload priorities.

During the public comment period, depending upon the number of people wishing to comment, time for individual oral comments may be limited. Please be prepared to submit written comments. If you have information to distribute to the RAC, please do so prior to the start of the meeting.

You can submit written comments by email to [BLM\\_AK\\_Communications@blm.gov](mailto:BLM_AK_Communications@blm.gov). Before including your address, phone number, email 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.

Authority: 43 CFR 1784.4–2.

Karen E. Mouritsen,

Acting State Director, Alaska.

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## INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

[Investigation Nos. 731–TA–1369–1372 (Final)]

### Fine Denier Polyester Staple Fiber From China, India, Korea, and Taiwan; Determinations

On the basis of the record<sup>1</sup> developed in the subject investigations, the United States International Trade Commission (“Commission”) determines, pursuant to the Tariff Act of 1930 (“the Act”), that an industry in the United States is materially injured by reason of imports of fine denier polyester staple fiber (“fine denier PSF”) from China, India, Korea, and Taiwan that have been found by the U.S. Department of Commerce (“Commerce”) to be sold in the United States at less than fair value (“LTFV”).<sup>2,3</sup>

#### Background

The Commission, pursuant to section 735(b) of the Act (19 U.S.C. 1673d(b)), instituted these investigations effective May 31, 2017, following receipt of a petition filed with the Commission and Commerce by DAK Americas LLC, Charlotte, NC; Nan Ya Plastics Corporation, America, Lake City, SC; and Auriga Polymers Inc., Charlotte, NC. Effective November 6, 2017, the Commission established a general schedule for the conduct of the final phase of its investigations on fine denier PSF, following preliminary determinations by Commerce that imports of the subject fine denier PSF were subsidized by the governments of China and India. Notice of the scheduling of the final phase of the Commission's investigations and of a public hearing to be held in connection therewith was given by posting copies of the notice in the Office of the Secretary, U.S. International Trade Commission, Washington, DC, and by publishing the notice in the **Federal Register** of November 27, 2017 (82 FR 56050). The hearing was held in Washington, DC, on January 17, 2018,

<sup>1</sup> The record is defined in sec. 207.2(f) of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (19 CFR 207.2(f)).

<sup>2</sup> *Fine Denier Polyester Staple Fiber From the People's Republic of China: Final Affirmative Determination of Sales at Less Than Fair Value*, 83 FR 24740, May 30, 2018; *Fine Denier Polyester Staple Fiber From India: Final Affirmative Determination of Sales at Less Than Fair Value*, 83 FR 24737, May 30, 2018; *Fine Denier Polyester Staple Fiber From the Republic of Korea: Final Affirmative Determination of Sales at Less Than Fair Value*, 83 FR 24743, May 30, 2018; and *Fine Denier Polyester Staple Fiber From Taiwan: Final Affirmative Determination of Sales at Less Than Fair Value*, 83 FR 24745, May 30, 2018.

<sup>3</sup> Commissioner Jason E. Kearns did not participate in these investigations.