

October 27, 2005

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To: Interested Parties (See Attached List)

From: Elizabeth Ann Rieke
Area Manager

Subject: Environmental Assessment for the Fallon Freight Yard Conveyance

The U. S. Bureau of Reclamation (Reclamation) has completed an Environmental Assessment (EA) analyzing the impacts of transferring title of the Fallon Freight Yard to the City of Fallon. A copy of the EA is enclosed.

The transfer is authorized under Public Law 107-339, dated December 16, 2002. The Fallon Freight Yard is located at 380 North Taylor Street in Fallon, Nevada. The Freight Yard is 6.3 acres in size and is currently a feature of Reclamation's Newlands Project. Reclamation currently leases the rail freight loading facility to Premier Chemical of Gabbs, Nevada. The City of Fallon intends to continue operation of the loading facility after transfer of title.

Please submit any comments you may have on the EA by November 28, 2005. Comments can be submitted by mail, e-mail, fax or phone as follows:

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It is Reclamation's practice to publicly disclose respondents' comments, including names and addresses. Respondents may request that their identity and address be withheld from disclosure; this will be honored to the extent allowable by law. If you wish us to withhold your name and/or address, you must state this prominently at the beginning of your comment. All submissions from organizations or businesses will be publicly disclosed in their entirety.

If you have any questions about this proposed transfer, please contact Caryn Hunt DeCarlo of my staff at (775) 884-8352. Thank you.

Attachment

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