ACTION: Notice of Approved Amended Gaming Compact.

SUMMARY: This notice publishes the approval of the Amended Gaming Compact between the Sisseton-Wahpeton Sioux Tribe and the State of North Dakota; the Amended Gaming Compact between the Spirit Lake Nation and the State of North Dakota; the Amended Gaming Compact between the Standing Rock Sioux Tribe and the State of North Dakota; the Amended Gaming Compact between the Three Affiliated Tribes of the Fort Berthold Reservation and the State of North Dakota; and the Amended Gaming Compact between the Turtle Mountain Band of Chippewa Indians and the State of North Dakota.

DATES: Effective Date: March 21, 2013.


SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Under section 11 of the Indian Gaming Regulatory Act of 1988 (IGRA) Public Law 100-497, 25 U.S.C. 270l(e)(3)(B), the Secretary of the Interior shall publish in the Federal Register notice of approved Tribal-State compacts for the purpose of engaging in Class III gaming activities on Indian lands. On January 24, 2013, the State of North Dakota (State) and five Tribes, the Sisseton-Wahpeton Oyate Tribe of the Lake Traverse Reservation, the Spirit Lake Tribe, the Standing Rock Sioux Tribe of North and South Dakota, the Three Affiliated Tribes of the Fort Berthold Reservation and the Turtle Mountain Band of Chippewa Indians of North Dakota (Tribes) submitted Amended Class III Tribal-State Compacts for review and approval. The Compacts expand Class III gaming on tribal trust lands and waters within the exterior boundaries of the Tribes’ reservations, which are in compliance with the IGRA. The term of the Compacts runs for 10 years from the date of this notice.

Dated: March 12, 2013.

Lawrence S. Roberts,
Deputy Assistant Secretary—Indian Affairs.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

National Park Service

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Notice of Open Public Meetings for the National Park Service Alaska Region’s Subsistence Resource Commission Program for Calendar Year 2013

AGENCY: National Park Service (NPS), Interior.

ACTION: Meeting notice.

SUMMARY: As required by the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Public Law 92-463, 86 Stat. 770), the NPS is hereby giving notice that the Cape Krusenstern National Monument Subsistence Resource Commission (SRC) will hold meetings to develop and continue work on NPS subsistence program recommendations and other related subsistence management issues. The NPS SRC program is authorized under Title VIII, Section 806 of the Alaska National Interest Lands Conservation Act, Public Law 96-487.

Cape Krusenstern National Monument SRC Meeting Date and Location: The Cape Krusenstern National Park SRC will meet from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday, April 30 to Wednesday, May 1, 2013, at the National Park Service Northwest Arctic Heritage Center, (907) 442-3890, in Kotzebue, AK. SRC meeting locations and dates may change based on inclement weather or exceptional circumstances. If the meeting date and location are changed, the Superintendent will issue a press release and use local newspapers and radio stations to announce the meeting.

Cape Krusenstern National Monument SRC Proposed Meeting Agenda: The proposed meeting agenda includes the following:

1. Call to Order—Confirm Quorum
2. Welcome and Introductions
3. Review and Adoption of Agenda
4. Approval of Minutes
5. Superintendent’s Welcome and Review of the Commission Purpose
6. Commission Membership Status
7. SRC Chair and SRC Members’ Reports
8. Superintendent’s Report
9. Old Business
   a. Update on National Park Service Local Hire Program
   b. Update on Department of the Interior Consultation Policies
   c. Human/Wildlife Conflict
   d. Status of Musk Ox Hunt
   e. New Business
      a. Red Dog Road Study Update
      b. Marine Resources (Seals/Walruses)
11. Federal Subsistence Board Update
12. Alaska Boards of Fish and Game Update
13. National Park Service Reports
   a. Ranger Update
   b. Resource Management Update
   c. Subsistence Manager’s Report
14. Public and Other Agency Comments
15. Work Session
16. Set Tentative Date and Location for Next Subsistence Resource Commission Meeting
17. Adjourn Meeting

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT

DESIGNATED FEDERAL OFFICIAL: Frank Hays, Superintendent, or Willie Goodwin, Subsistence Manager, at (907) 442-3890 or Clarence Summers, Subsistence Manager, at (907) 442-3603. If you are interested in applying for Cape Krusenstern National Monument SRC membership, contact the Superintendent at Cape Krusenstern National Monument, P.O. Box 1029, Kotzebue, AK 99752, or visit the monument’s Web site at: http://www.nps.gov/cakr/contacts.htm.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: These meetings are open to the public and will have time allocated for public testimony. The public is welcome to present written or oral comments to the...
Honorble Elwood Lowery
Tribal Chairman, Pyramid Lake Paiute Indian Tribe
P.O. Box 256
Nixon, Nevada 89424

Dear Chairman Wright:

On January 28, 2013, we received the Extension of the Class III Gaming Compact between the Pyramid Lake Paiute Indian Tribe and the State of Nevada (Extension). We have completed our review of the Extension and conclude that it does not violate the Indian Gaming Regulatory Act of 1988 (IGRA), any other provision of Federal law that does not relate to jurisdiction over gaming on Indian lands, or the trust obligations of the United States to Indians. See 25 U.S.C. § 2710(d)(8)(B). Therefore, pursuant to my delegated authority and Section 11 of IGRA, we approve the Extension. See 25 U.S.C. § 2710(d)(8)(A). The Extension shall take effect when the notice of our approval is published in the Federal Register. 25 U.S.C. § 2710(d)(3)(B).

We wish the Tribe success in this economic venture.

Sincerely,

Kevin K. Washburn
Assistant Secretary – Indian Affairs

Enclosure

Similar Letter Sent to: Honorable James A. Gibbons
Governor of Nevada
Carson City, Nevada 89710
SECOND EXTENSION
TO THE
COMPACT BETWEEN
THE PYRAMID LAKE PAIUTE INDIAN TRIBE
AND THE STATE OF NEVADA
GOVERNING CLASS III GAMING

This Second Extension is made by and between the PYRAMID LAKE PAIUTE INDIAN TRIBE (Tribe) and the STATE OF NEVADA (State), pursuant to Public Law 100-497, the Indian Gaming Regulatory Act, codified at 25 U.S.C. §§ 2701-2721 and 18 U.S.C. §§ 1166-1168.

RECITALS

WHEREAS, in 2009, the Tribe and the State entered into a Tribal-State Gaming Compact (Compact), a copy of which is attached and made a part hereof, to provide a regulatory framework for the operation of certain Class III gaming on the Indian lands of the Tribe; and

WHEREAS, Article X of the Compact provides in pertinent part that “[t]his Agreement shall take effect upon approval by the Secretary of the Interior (or his designee) and shall remain in effect for a period of two (2) years, provided that the term of this Agreement may be extended for additional periods of up to 20 years upon the mutual written consent of the parties and without additional approval from the Secretary of the Interior; and

WHEREAS, the Tribe and the State invoked the authority provided within Article X and extended the Compact for an additional one (1) year period to expire on February 23, 2013, and to have all of the terms, conditions and requirements of the Compact remain in full force and effect, and
WHEREAS, the Tribe and the State wish to again invoke the authority provided within Article X and extend the Compact for an additional two (2) year period, and to have all of the terms, conditions and requirements of the Compact remain in full force and effect.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing and other good and valuable consideration, the parties agree as follows:

1. The PYRAMID LAKE PAIUTE INDIAN TRIBE and the STATE OF NEVADA as separate sovereigns, hereby invoke the authority set forth within Article X of the Tribal-State Gaming Compact, which provides for the operation of certain Class III gaming on the Indian lands of the Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribe, and approved by the Secretary of the Interior, and extend the Compact for an additional two (2) year term to expire on February 23, 2015; and

2. All terms, conditions, requirements and obligations as set forth within the Compact as originally agreed upon by the PYRAMID LAKE PAIUTE INDIAN TRIBE and the STATE OF NEVADA shall remain in full force and effect in all respects.
IN WITNESS THEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this Second Extension
to the Compact to be duly executed.

PYRAMID LAKE PAIUTE TRIBE OF INDIANS

Mervin Wright, Jr., Tribal Chairman

STATE OF NEVADA

A.G. Burnett, Gaming Control Board Chairman

Brian Sandoval, Governor

Cathering Cortez Masto, Attorney General

Michael E. Wilson, Chief Deputy Attorney General

BOARD OF EXAMINERS

State of Nevada
County of Washoe

This instrument was acknowledged before me

on this 4th day of January, 2013

by Michael E. Wilson, as Chief Deputy Attorney General.

Melissa Mendoza
Notary Public

Dated: 12/21/12
Dated: 1/2/13
Dated: 1/2/13
Dated: 1/4/13
Dated: 1/4/13

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Notary Public

United States Department of the Interior

Kevin K. Washburn
Assistant Secretary – Indian Affairs

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