DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Indian Affairs

Final Environmental Assessment for the proposed Siletz Mixed Income Housing Development Project Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians of the Siletz Indians of Oregon, Lincoln, Oregon

AGENCY: Bureau of Indian Affairs

ACTION: Notice of Availability

SUMMARY: This notice is to advise interested parties that the Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA) as lead federal agency has approved a final Environmental Assessment (EA) and Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI) for the proposed action. This notice also announces the EA and FONSI are now available in hard copy at the address(s) below.

ADDRESSES: You may request a hard copy of the EA and FONSI by writing the BIA Northwest Region Office, Division of Environmental & Cultural Resource Management (DECRM), 911 NE 11th Avenue, Portland, Oregon 97232-4169 and/or the Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians of the Siletz Indians of Oregon, 201 SE Swan Avenue, Siletz, Oregon 97380.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Bryan Mercier, BIA Regional Director, at (503) 231-6702, or Charles Getter at (541) 444-8250.

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION: Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians of the Siletz Indians of Oregon, through contractual obligations to the BIA, has proposed the Siletz Mixed Income Housing Development Project within Section 1, Township 7 South, Range 3 West: Willamette Meridian, Lincoln County, Oregon. The activities under the agency proposed action are the development of a Tribally owned 8.85-acre parcel to accommodate up to 40 mixed income housing units, a 3,000 square foot conference room, and adjoining offices. The activities will occur under guidelines outlined in the Siletz Mixed Income Housing Development Project EA.

AUTHORITY: This notice is published pursuant to 43 CFR 46.305 of the Department of Interior Regulations (43 CFR 46 et seq.), the procedural requirements of the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969, as amended (42 U.S.C. 4371 et seq.), and in accordance with the exercise of authority delegated to the Assistant Secretary – Indian Affairs by 209 DM 8.

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