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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management
[AZA 30355]

Public Land Order No. 7420; Withdrawal of National Forest System
Lands for Roosevelt Lake Expansion Area; Arizona

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Public Land Order.

SUMMARY: This order withdraws approximately 9,175 acres of National Forest System lands from location and entry under the United States mining laws, for a 20-year period, for the Bureau of Reclamation to protect the Roosevelt Lake expansion area. The lands have been and will remain open to mineral leasing.

EFFECTIVE DATE: December 3, 1999.

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By virtue of the authority vested in the Secretary of the Interior by Section 204 of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976, 43 U.S.C. 1714 (1994), it is ordered as follows:

1. Subject to valid existing rights, the following described National Forest System lands are hereby withdrawn from location and entry under the United States mining laws (30 U.S.C. Ch. 2 (1994)), but not from leasing under the mineral leasing laws, to protect the Bureau of Reclamation's Roosevelt Lake expansion area:

Gila and Salt River Meridian

Tonto National Forest

T. 5 N., R. 10 E.,

Sec. 1, NE\1/4\NE\1/4\.

T. 4 N., R. 11 E.,

Sec. 2, lot 4, SW\1/4\NW\1/4\, NW\1/4\SW\1/4\, and SE\1/4\SW\1/4\;

Sec. 3, lots 1 and 2, and S\1/2\NE\1/4\;

Sec. 11, NW\1/4\NE\1/4\ and SE\1/4\NE\1/4\;

Sec. 12, SE\1/4\SW\1/4\;

Sec. 13, N\1/2\NE\1/4\.

T. 5 N., R. 11 E.,

Sec. 5, SW\1/4\NE\1/4\, SE\1/4\NW\1/4\, NE\1/4\SW\1/4\, NW\1/4\SE\1/4\, and SE\1/4\SE\1/4\;

- Sec. 6, lots 3, 4, and 5, SW\1/4\NE\1/4\, SE\1/4\NW\1/4\, NE\1/4\SW\1/4\, and SE\1/4\;
- Sec. 7, NE\1/4\ and N\1/2\SE\1/4\;
- Sec. 8, E\1/2\E\1/2\, NW\1/4\NE\1/4\, and W\1/2\NW\1/4\;
- Sec. 14, S\1/2\SW\1/4\ and SW\1/4\SE\1/4\;
- Sec. 15, SW\1/4\SW\1/4\;
- Sec. 16, SW\1/4\NE\1/4\, SW\1/4\, and S\1/2\SE\1/4\;
- Sec. 17, E\1/2\NE\1/4\ and NE\1/4\SE\1/4\;
- Sec. 22, N\1/2\N\1/2\;
- Ssec. 23, W\1/2\NE\1/4\, N\1/2\NW\1/4\, NW\1/4\SE\1/4\, and SE\1/4\SE\1/4\;
- Sec. 24, S\1/2\SW\1/4\;
- Sec. 25, W\1/2\NE\1/4\, NE\1/4\NW\1/4\, and N\1/2\SE\1/4\;
- Sec. 28, SW\1/4\NW\1/4\ and SE\1/4\SE\1/4\;
- Sec. 34, NW\1/4\NW\1/4\ and SE\1/4\NW\1/4\.
- T. 6 N., R. 11 E.,
- Sec. 31, lots 4 and 9, W\1/2\SE\1/4\SW\1/4\, and E\1/2\SE\1/4\SE\1/4\;
- Sec. 32, SW\1/4\SW\1/4\.
- T. 4 N., R. 12 E.,
- Sec. 2, S\1/2\ and S\1/2\N\1/2\;
- Sec. 3;
- Sec. 4, W\1/2\SW\1/4\;
- Sec. 5, lot 1, and SE\1/4\NE\1/4\;
- Sec. 9, N\1/2\NE\1/4\;
- Sec. 10, N\1/2\N\1/2\;
- Sec. 12, W\1/2\NE\1/4\, N\1/2\NW\1/4\, and SE\1/4\NW\1/4\;
- Sec. 36, E\1/2\NE\1/4\.
- T. 5 N., R. 12 E.,
- Sec. 30, W\1/2\SW\1/4\;
- Sec. 31, W\1/2\NW\1/4\, NE\1/4\SW\1/4\, N\1/2\SE\1/4\, and SE\1/4\SE\1/4\;
- Sec. 32, S\1/2\S\1/2\.
- T. 3 N., R. 13 E.,
- Sec. 1, SW\1/4\NE\1/4\;
- Sec. 2, N\1/2\, SW\1/4\, and W\1/2\SE\1/4\, excluding private lands within Roosevelt Lake Estates;
- Sec. 3, E\1/2\E\1/2\;
- Sec. 4, NW\1/4\NE\1/4\ and N\1/2\NW\1/4\;
- Sec. 11, W\1/2\NE\1/4\, E\1/2\NW\1/4\, and SW\1/4\NW\1/4\;
- Sec. 12, NE\1/4\NE\1/4\.
- T. 4 N., R. 13 E.,
- Sec. 17, S\1/2\N\1/2\ and N\1/2\SE\1/4\;
- Sec. 21, N\1/2\N\1/2\ and S\1/2\NE\1/4\;
- Sec. 22, S\1/2\NE\1/4\ and NW\1/4\;
- Sec. 23, NE\1/4\SW\1/4\ and N\1/2\SE\1/4\;
- Sec. 25, W\1/2\NE\1/4\, SE\1/4\NE\1/4\, and NW\1/4\;
- Sec. 31, lots 1 and 2, E\1/2\NW\1/4\, and S\1/2\NE\1/4\;
- Sec. 32, SW\1/4\NW\1/4\, N\1/2\SW\1/4\, SE\1/4\SW\1/4\, W\1/2\SE\1/4\, and SE\1/4\SE\1/4\.
- T. 3 N., R. 14 E.,
- Sec. 2, S\1/2\SW\1/4\;
- Sec. 3, S\1/2\S\1/2\;
- Sec. 4, SW\1/4\NW\1/4\;
- Sec. 5, lots 1, 2 and 4;
- Sec. 6, lot 1 and SE\1/4\NE\1/4\;
- Sec. 9, NE\1/4\;
- Sec. 10, N\1/2\;
- Sec. 11, NW\1/4\NW\1/4\ and W\1/2\NE\1/4\NW\1/4\.
- T. 4 N., R. 14 E.,

Sec. 30, lot 3;

Sec. 31, SW\1/4\NE\1/4\, E\1/2\SE\1/4\, and SE\1/4\NE\1/4\.

The areas described aggregate approximately 9,175 acres in Gila County.

2. The withdrawal made by this order does not alter the applicability of those land laws governing the use of the National Forest System lands under lease, license, or permit, or governing the disposal of their mineral or vegetative resources other than under the mining laws.

3. This withdrawal will expire 20 years from the effective date of this order unless, as a result of a review conducted before the expiration date pursuant to Section 204(f) of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976, 43 U.S.C. 1714(f) (1994), the Secretary determines that the withdrawal shall be extended.

Dated: November 24, 1999.

John Berry,

Assistant Secretary of the Interior.

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