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NOTICE OF LAND USE REQUEST

The planning office has received an application for the land use described below. Review and approval of this request does not require a public hearing. Josephine County's Rural Land Development Code (RLDC), however, requires notice of the request to be mailed to nearby property owners and affected agencies and organizations 15 days before a decision is made. This is to provide an opportunity for the public and others to review the proposal and to submit comments to the planning office. These comments, along with other pertinent information, will then be considered in making a decision. In order to be considered, the comments must address the standards and criteria that apply to the application and be submitted within 15 days from the date of this notice.

If you are interested in looking into the application, the best starting point is to review the file and obtain copies of the standards and criteria for approval. You may also talk to the planner listed below and ask questions. A copy of the application (to include all documents and evidence submitted by or on behalf of the applicant), as well as the applicable criteria, are available for inspection without cost at the planning office. Copies may also be purchased. Once the 15 day comment period closes, planning staff will make a decision. At this time another notice will be mailed to affected persons, agencies and organizations that explains appeal procedures.

APPLICATION INFORMATION

(Map Attached)

APPLICANT: Oregon Parks and Recreation Department/Andre Briggs

LOCATION: West Side Road/Redwood Hwy

LEGAL: 39-08-20, TL 501/39-08-21, TL 300, 400

ZONE: Woodlot Resource (WR)

REQUEST: If approved, this request will allow, with conditions, the expansion of the Illinois River Forks State Park to include a new trailhead off Westside Road with 5 miles of hiking and equestrian trails for day use only. Construction will be conducted over a two year period.

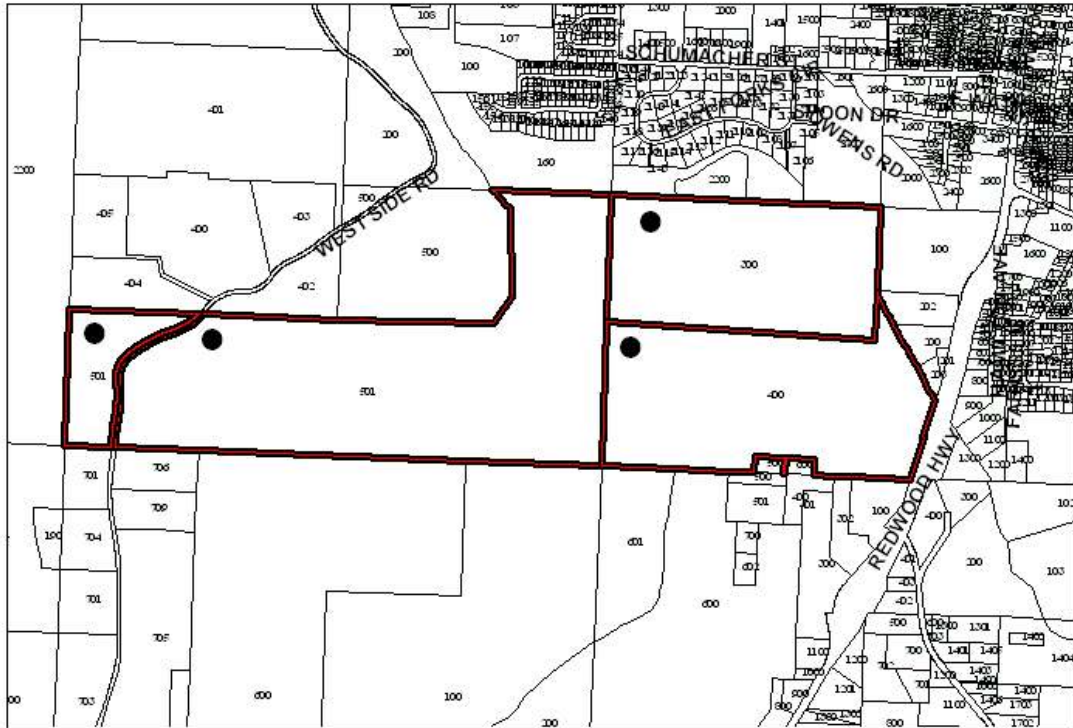
CRITERIA: The criteria (*listed by citation and caption only*) applicable to the request: *Rural Land Development Code: Section 42.050 - Site Review Standards and Criteria and Section 65.060 - General Criteria for Conditional Uses.*

PLANNER: The planner handling the application is James Black (541) 474-5421, Extension 5418.

DEADLINE: Comments must be submitted no later than *October 18, 2008.*

* OFFICE HOURS 8-12 & 1-3 (Mon & Fri) 8-12 (Tues & Thurs) Closed Wed *

SITE REVIEW



● SUBJECT PROPERTY
● REDWOOD HIGHWAY

