Appendix A. Legal Notice

PUBLIC COMMENT SOUGHT

Montana Fish, Wildlife & Parks (FWP) seeks public review of its proposal to acquire a 29.74-acre private parcel adjoining the Blue-eyed Nellie Wildlife Management Area (WMA), 7 miles west of Anaconda in Deer Lodge County. The purpose of this proposal is to secure a critical movement corridor for bighorn sheep. A draft environmental assessment (EA) has been prepared for this proposal. FWP will hold a public hearing in Anaconda on October 27 (Tuesday) at 7:00 p.m. at the Lee Metcalf Center (115 E Pennsylvania Ave). The EA may be obtained by mail from Region 2 FWP, 3201 Spurgin Rd., Missoula 59804; by phoning 406-542-5540; by emailing shrose@mt.gov; or by viewing FWP's Internet website http://fwp.mt.gov ("Recent Public Notices," beginning October 14). Comments should be directed to Ray Vinkey by mail at PO Box 1066, Philipsburg, MT 59858; by phoning 406-691-0130; or emailing rvinkey@mt.gov. Comments must be received by FWP no later than 5 p.m. on November 12, 2009.