

BLM requests nominations for advisory panel

The Bureau of Land Management is now accepting nominations from the public for membership on the Northern Alaska Advisory Council.

The nomination period closes Aug. 1. Nominations are being sought for persons to fill three positions on the 10-member council.

The terms of the current incumbents will expire Dec. 31, with new appointments to begin Jan. 1, 1988. Newly appointed members will serve three-year terms. Current council members may be renominated for additional terms.

Categories for which persons are being sought are: Public at Large — two members; and Renewable Resources — one member.

Nominations should include the name, address, telephone number, biographical sketch and category of interest in which the nominee appears best qualified to offer advice.

District advisory councils are required under the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976, as amended. Council members advise the secretary of the Interior and the bureau director, through the bureau's district managers, on programs and policies concerning management of the public lands within the BLM districts of northern Alaska.

All appointments are made by the secretary, with appropriate recommendations from the BLM designated district manager and state director. As required by the Federal Advisory Committee Act of 1972, the membership of the council is to be balanced in terms of points of view and function to be performed.

Persons wishing to nominate new members may obtain nomination forms and information from the BLM Office of Public Affairs at 1541 Gaffney Road on Fort Wainwright, or call 356-2345 in Fairbanks.

Nominations should be sent to: Bureau of Land Management, Public Affairs Office, 1541 Gaffney Road, Fairbanks 99703.