

US blames Russia for UN aid attack

BEIRUT (AP) — The United States on Tuesday blamed Russia for an overnight attack on an aid convoy that killed 20 civilians as the U.N. announced it was suspending overland aid deliveries in Syria, jeopardizing food and medical security for millions of besieged and hard-to-reach civilians.

Confusion continued about who struck the convoy, but the White House insisted it was either Russia or Syria. White House deputy national security adviser

Ben Rhodes said either way, the U.S. held Russia responsible, because it was Russia's job under the week-old cease-fire to prevent Syria's air force from striking in areas where humanitarian aid was being transported.

"All of our information indicates clearly that this was an airstrike," Rhodes said, rejecting the claim by Russia's Defense Ministry that a cargo fire caused the damage. Both Russia and Syria have denied carrying

out the bombing.

Within one minute of the strike, the U.S. tracked a Russian-made Su-24 directly over the region of the attack, U.S. officials said. Even that revelation failed to definitively implicate Russia because both the Russian and Syrian air forces fly the Su-24, although the U.S. officials said there were strong indications that the jet was flown by the Russian military.

The officials spoke anonymously.

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The Ketchikan Gateway Borough (Borough) is soliciting sealed bids from qualified individuals, firms, or companies for:
SNOW REMOVAL SERVICE FOR THE HOMESTEAD SERVICE AREA
To receive the Invitation to Bid (IFB), please contact: 907-228-6637, Office of the Borough Manager, Ketchikan Gateway Borough, 1900 First Avenue, Suite 210, Ketchikan, Alaska 99901. Requests for the IFB documents may be faxed to 907-228-6684 or emailed to amyb@kgbak.us. The IFB documents will also be posted on the Borough's website, <http://www.kgbak.us/>. Even though the IFB documents are provided online, each firm must register with the Borough by sending an email to: Amy Briggs, Purchasing Officer amyb@kgbak.us. Bids from unregistered respondents will not be accepted. The required email must include the

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firm name, address, telephone number, and fax number. No faxed or oral bids will be allowed.
Bid Submission Deadline: To be considered, a complete sealed bid package in the format requested must be received at the Office of the Borough Clerk, 1900 First Avenue, Suite 115, Ketchikan, Alaska 99901 by 2:00 PM local time, September 27, 2016.

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ADVERTISEMENT FOR REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

Request for Proposals and Statements of Qualifications Re-Purposing of the Former Ketchikan Regional Youth Facility (KRYF)

Contract No. 16-37
The City of Ketchikan is seeking proposals from individuals and/or organizations that have an interest in "re-purposing" the facility located at 3058 Fifth Avenue to address unfulfilled or partially unfulfilled behavioral health, social service or other needs within the greater Ketchikan community. Your proposal should be submitted in accordance with these instructions. The City may reject any or all proposals for any or no reason. This request for proposals provides no assurance that the City will proceed to enter into a privatization and transfer agreement. This request does not commit the City of Ketchikan to pay any costs incurred in the submission of your proposal(s). Proposal documents are available from the City Manager, 334 Front Street, Ketchikan, Alaska 99901, and on the City of Ketchikan Web Page (www.ktn-ak.us). There will be no charge for the proposal documents. For further information regarding the Request for Proposals and Statement of Qualifications contact Jason Alderson, Human Resources Safety Coordinator, 334 Front Street, Ketchikan, Alaska 99901, (907) 228-5657. Your proposal should be signed by an official authorized to bind your organization. Sealed proposals in six (6) copies must be received at the office of the City Clerk, 334 Front Street, Ketchikan, Alaska 99901 before 2:00 p.m. local time on Friday, November 4, 2016. The City of Ketchikan reserves the right to reject any or all proposals and to waive any informality or technicality in the interest of the City. City of Ketchikan Karl R. Amylon City Manager 334 Front Street Ketchikan, Alaska 99901 Publish: Sept. 17, 21, Oct. 1, 5, 15, 19, 22, 2016 No: 16000

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tions for more in-depth evaluation, reference checks and formal interviews.
3. Based upon the evaluation and interviews, the City will select a preferred individual/organization. Once selected, both the City and preferred individual/organization will be permitted a forty-five (45) day due diligence period to conduct facility inspections and such financial and performance reviews as the City may consider necessary prior to the negotiation of a formal sale, lease or transfer agreement.

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TO BE PUBLISHED SEPTEMBER 21, 2016 CORRECTED NOTICE OF OBJECTIONS FILED

Tongass National Forest Land and Resource Management Plan Amendment Reviewing Officer: Beth Pendleton, Alaska Regional Forester Time Zone of Reviewing Officer: Alaska Time

This notice corrects and replaces the notice published in the Ketchikan Daily News on September 9, 2016, with a supplemental notice published in the Juneau Empire on the same day. The publication date of this notice in the Ketchikan Daily News, the newspaper of record, initiates a new 10-day period during which individuals or organizations with a particular interest in the resolution of an objection may file a request to be an interested person, as described in 36 C.F.R. §219.57 and Forest Service Handbook (FSH) 1909.12, Section 51.65. Interested persons may participate in meetings between the objectors and the Forest Service. Individuals and organizations who have already submitted a request to be recognized as an interested party do not need to re-submit their request, unless they wish to add information to their request in light of the additional objection identified in this notice. The Tongass Forest Plan, Final Environmental Impact Statement, and draft Record of Decision were released by the Tongass Forest Supervisor, Earl Stewart, on July 1, 2016. These documents are available for review on the Tongass Forest Plan website: <http://www.fs.usda.gov/goto/R10/Tongass/PlanAmend>. The documents are also available on compact disk or as a printed copy by contacting Susan Howle, Plan Amendment Project Manager, at (907) 228-6340 or showle@fs.fed.us. The Forest Service has received 27 eligible objections from individuals or entities regarding the Plan Amendment for the Tongass National Forest Land and Resource Management Plan (Tongass Forest Plan). The following individuals and entities submitted eligible and timely objections to the Forest Service: 16-10-00-0006 - Robert Grimm, Alaska Power and Telephone Company 16-10-00-0007 - Eric Nichols, Alcan Forest Products 16-10-00-0008 - Jim Clark and Frank Murkowski, individuals 16-10-00-0009 - Neil MacKinnon, First Things First Alaska Foundation 16-10-00-0010 - Dominick

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DellaSala, GEOS Institute 16-10-00-0012 - George Woodbury, individual 16-10-00-0013 - William Swift, Ketchikan Chamber of Commerce 16-10-00-0015 - Margo Waring, individual 16-10-00-0018 - Carl Portman, Resource Development Council 16-10-00-0020 - Neil MacKinnon, Hyak Mining 16-10-00-0021 - Jeff Jabusch, City of Wrangell 16-10-00-0027 - Owen Graham, Alaska Forest Association and Southeast Conference 16-10-00-0029 - Anthony Mallott, Sealaska Corporation 16-10-00-0030 - John Morrison, Trust Land Office 16-10-00-0031 - Deantha Crockett, Alaska Miners Association 16-10-00-0032 - Kristen Miller, Alaska Wilderness League 16-10-00-0034 - Patrick Lavin, Defenders of Wildlife 16-10-00-0035 - Andrew Mack, State of Alaska 16-10-00-0036 - Austin Williams, Trout Unlimited 16-10-00-0037 - Andrew Thoms, Sitka Conservation Society 16-10-00-0039 - Holly Harris, Earthjustice, et al. 16-10-00-0040 - Meredith Trainor, Southeast Alaska Conservation Council 16-10-00-0041 - Susan Culliney, Audubon Alaska 16-10-00-0042 - Larry Edwards, GSACC, et al. 16-10-00-0043 - Eric Lee, individual 16-10-00-0044 - Niel Lawrence, Natural Resources Defense Council 16-10-00-0050 - David Landis, Ketchikan Gateway Borough

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Interested Persons

The objection regulations at 36 C.F.R. § 219.57 and Forest Service policy outlined in the Land Management Planning Handbook (FSH) 1909.12, Section 51.65) allow those individuals and entities who have previously submitted substantive formal comments and who request and are granted recognition as interested persons to participate in resolution meetings between the objectors and the Forest Service. The purpose of this opportunity is to ensure that efforts to resolve objections are conducted in an open and collaborative forum. Written requests for recognition as an interested person must be submitted no later than 10 days from the date of this notice in the Ketchikan Daily News, the newspaper of record, and must include the following information: name and affiliation, if any, of the re-

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quester; mailing address, phone number, and email address (if available) for the requester; the names of the objector(s) whose objection(s) the requester has an interest in; a brief explanation of the requester's interest in the objection(s) and any specific concern(s), including a description of support or opposition to the objection(s); and identification of substantive formal comment provided by the requester during the planning process demonstrating the requester's participation in the planning process.

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Written requests should be mailed to: Beth Pendleton, Reviewing Officer, USDA Forest Service, Attn: Tongass Objections, P.O. Box 21628, Juneau, AK 99802-1628. Hand-delivered requests and requests sent via UPS, FedEx, or other courier should be submitted to Beth Pendleton, Reviewing Officer, USDA Forest Service, Alaska Regional Office, Attn: Tongass Objections, 709 W. 9th Street, Room 549, Juneau, AK 99801-1807. The office business hours for those submitting hand-delivered requests are 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. weekdays, excluding holidays. Electronic requests must be submitted to objections-alaska-regional-office@fs.fed.us. In electronic requests, the subject line must include "Tongass Plan Amendment." An automated response will confirm that your electronic request has been received. Faxed requests must be submitted to (907) 586-7840. Electronic requests must be submitted in a commonly used format such as an email message, plain text (.txt), rich text format (.rtf), or Microsoft Word (.docx). The requests will be considered by the Reviewing Officer, and eligible interested persons will be notified in advance of any objection resolution meetings. Eligible objectors will be invited to participate in any discussion on the eligible issues they raised in their objections. If they would like to participate in the discussions on issues they did not raise, they should request interested person recognition for the objection(s) that include those issues. Objection resolution meetings are open to observation by the public, and the date(s), location(s), and agenda(s) for any meeting(s) will be posted online at <http://www.fs.usda.gov/goto/R10/Tongass/PlanAmend>. Publish: Sept. 21, 2016 No. 16002

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TEMPORARY ROAD CLOSURE NOTICE
September 19-23, 2016
NECK LAKE ROAD

To gather subsurface information for future road work on the Neck Lake Road National Forest Service Road (NFSR) 25, temporary road closures will occur from September 19-23, 2016, from 8 am to 6 pm daily, for up to approximately 3 hours at a time. The road will be opened to accommodate traffic from noon to 1 pm each day.

The location of this temporary road closure begins at the intersection of the North Prince of Wales Road and NFSR 25; and extends to the Log Transfer Facility Junction (NFSR 25-NFSR 30 junction).

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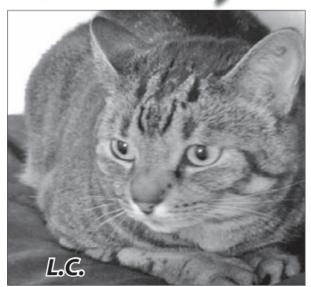
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2. CALYPSO - She is an adult female short haired torbie (tortoise shell/tabby) cat.
3. PUMPKIN - is a friendly adult spayed female short-haired tortie/tabby cat. She's very social!
4. MIA - adult spayed female short-haired seal point Siamese. She is gorgeous!
5. TILLY - adult spayed female semi-long haired snowshoe Siamese. She is a beautiful ball of fluff!
6. WHISKERS - adult male long haired brown tabby/white. He isn't fond of children, but he would love to have a new home.
7. GT - adult neutered male short-haired grey tabby. He loves the outdoors, and needs a new home.
8. BENNY - 4 month old male short haired grey tabby/white kitten
9. SASHA - Sasha is an adult tabby who is very shy but very sweet. She came into the shelter with LC so please think about adopting them both!
10. L.C. - she is a female adult brown tabby with white. She's an affectionate kitty! She came into the shelter with Sasha, so please think about adopting them both!
11. FLYNN - is now available for adoption! He is an adult male brown tabby with white. He is very vocal and would make a great companion!
12. BUTTONS - Buttons is a 3 year old female spayed lynx point Siamese. She is very shy, but sweet.
13. TOES - "Toes" is an adult male short-haired Siamese. He is a handsome cat who has extra toes!
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QUALITY MANAGEMENT

I just wanted to take a moment and recognize
Trixie Bennett
and her Quality Department on their accomplishment in the arena of Clinical Quality.

For Performance Year 2016 KICTHC's Dental and Wellness Programs were recipients of four GPRA Quality Awards:

- (2) Windy Corner Awards (Highest Measure Performance)
- (2) Kahiltna Pass Awards (Most Improved Measure)

GPRA/GPRAMA measures are indicators of how well KICTHC has provided clinical care to its patients. Overall, they measure how well the Indian Health Service has done in the prevention and treatment of certain diseases, and the improvement of overall health.

This is the first time since 2011 that KICTHC has received any GPRA awards. KICTHC is building on these award winning processes to increase cancer and STD screenings among KICTHC patients in 2017 and forward. Trixie gives credit to the KICTHC Dental and Wellness staff for a job well done.