

**BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT
CHALLIS FIELD OFFICE
UPPER COLUMBIA-SALMON CLEARWATER DISTRICT**

SCHEDULE OF PROJECTS AND NEPA DOCUMENTATION

Date of Report: February 9, 2004

HISTORICAL VALUES

Field Office Area: Challis

Contact Person Name and Phone: Carol Hearne, 208-879-6217

Proposal Name: SPUD CREEK CABINS HERITAGE FUELS REDUCTION

Location: Near confluence of East Fork and Main Stem Salmon Rivers: T. 11 N., R. 18 E., SW/4 NE/4 Section 32

Type of NEPA Document: Categorical Exclusion

CX Number: CX-084-04-0062

Date Decision Record is expected to be signed: March 15, 2004

Estimated date of proposal implementation: June 15, 2004

Comments: The proposed action would entail the mechanical removal of hazardous fuels from the base and perimeter of the National Register-eligible Spud Creek cabin complex. These four structures are highly susceptible to wildland fire because of their location within a wildland-urban interface area. Mechanical removal of hazardous fuels would be accomplished using brush cutters and loppers.

Field Office Area: Challis

Contact Person Name and Phone: Carol Hearne, 208 879-6217

Proposal Name: WHITE KNOB TRAM TOWER DEFERRED MAINTENANCE PROJECT

Location: West of Mackay; T. 7 N., R. 24 E., Sections 31 and 32

Type of NEPA Document: Categorical Exclusion

CX Number: ID-084-040-CX-0063

Date Decision Record is expected to be signed: March 15, 2004

Estimated date of proposal implementation: May 1, 2004

Comments: This proposal entails the maintenance, restoration and stabilization of ten National Register-eligible tram towers located on BLM lands in T. 7 N., R.24 E., Sections 31 and 32, just west of Mackay, Idaho. An interagency agreement with National Park Service (NPS) would be used to accomplish the work. NPS proposes to accomplish the restoration and stabilization of the tram towers over a two year period. Accomplishments for Year One would include stabilizing the three towers most at risk of collapse, and treatment of all 10 towers to remove ladders, glass and wires that present public safety problems. Year Two accomplishments would include stabilization and restoration of the remaining 7 towers. Replacement timbers and equipment would need to be hauled to each tower, and staging of equipment and supplies could temporarily block road access.

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WATER DIVERSIONS/RECONNECTS/FISH SCREENS

Field Office Area: Challis

Contact Person Name and Phone: Kate Forster, 208-879-6203

Proposal Name: FALLS CREEK RIPARIAN RESTORATION PROPOSAL

Location: Sec. 6, T. 14 N., R.23 E.

Type of NEPA Document: EA **EA Number:** ID-084-01- EA-0034

Date Decision Record is expected to be signed: April 1, 2004

Estimated date of proposal implementation: May 15, 2004

Special management areas or special aspects of the proposal: Falls – Hamilton Grazing Allotment

Comments: This proposal involves consolidating the points of diversion for three water users to one location, and construction of a buried pipeline to transmit water from the new diversion to various points of use. Some reconstruction of channels would be required to restore Falls Creek stream channel, with the long term goal of reconnecting this creek to the Pahsimeroi River.

Field Office Area: Challis

Contact Person Name and Phone: Kate Forster, 208-879-6203

Proposal Name: FUREY LANE HEADGATE

Proposal Size: Approximately .01 acres

Location: Sec. 35, T. 14 N., R. 22 E.

Type of NEPA Document: EA **EA Number:** ID-084-03-008

Date Decision Record is expected to be signed: April 1, 2004

Estimated date of proposal implementation: May 15, 2004

Comments: This proposal includes the construction of a lockable headgate, measuring device, and fish screen to support anadromous fish in the Pahsimeroi River. A detailed proposal design will be submitted by Upper Salmon Basin Watershed Proposal.

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Field Office Area: Challis

Contact Person Name and Phone: Kate Forster, 208-879-6203

Proposal Name: PATTERSON CREEK FISH SCREENS

Location: Sec. 23, T. 14 N., R. 23 E., Patterson Creek area

Type of NEPA Document: EA **EA Number:** ID-084-03-EA005

Date Decision Record is expected to be signed: April 1, 2004.

Estimated date of proposal implementation: May 15, 2004.

Comments: This proposal was initiated by the Upper Salmon Basin Watershed Proposal (USBWP) which has secured Fisheries Rehabilitation Irrigation Mitigation Act (FRIMA) funds to construct fish screens for the diversions on Patterson Creek. The USBWP has developed a series of options for partial or full consolidation of the four existing diversions and the construction of one or two diversion structures that offer flow measurement and fish protection [fish screen(s)].

Field Office Area: Challis

Contact Person Name and Phone: Kate Forster, 208-879-6203

Proposal Name: HERD CREEK FISH STRUCTURE MAINTENANCE OF EXISTING ROCK BERM AND FISH LADDER

Location: T. 10 N., R. 18 E., Sec 35, SE ¼. Herd Creek subwatershed of the East Fork Salmon River, approximately 1 mile up Herd Creek Road.

Type of NEPA Document: EA **EA Number:** ID-084-04-065

Date Decision Record is expected to be signed: April 1, 2004.

Estimated date of proposal implementation: May 15, 2004.

Special management areas or special aspects of the proposal: Project is within the Upper Salmon River Special Recreation Management Area and the Herd Creek Watershed ACEC/RNA.

Comments: Proposal is to reconstruct existing wing dam that diverts water to a headgate to make it more fish passable. The existing fish ladder would also be reconstructed to assure fish passage during low flow periods. The work would take 2-3 days to complete.

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LANDS/REALTY

Field Office Area: Challis

Contact Person Name and Phone: Tim Vanek, 208-879-6218

Proposal Name: JAMES PIPELINE ROW

Proposal Size: Approximately 1.24 acres

Location: Sec. 3, T. 13 N., R. 18 E.

Type of NEPA Document: EA **EA Number:** ID-084-03-EA013

Date Decision Record is expected to be signed: June 1, 2004

Estimated date of proposal implementation: July 15, 2004

Other comments: Applicant proposes to install a water pipeline from a water source on public land to use on private land. The pipeline installation would begin at Daugherty Spring, head east for approximately ½ mile, and then turn and go north for approximately ¼ mile. The pipeline would enter private land and follow the county road for approximately ½ mile to James' private land.

Field Office Area: Challis

Contact Person Name and Phone: Tim Vanek, 208-879-6218

Proposal Name: BSU GARDEN CREEK OBSERVATORIES RIGHT-OF-WAY

Location: Sec. 32, T. 15 N., R.22 E., Garden Creek drainage

Type of NEPA Document: EA **EA Number:** ID-084-04-EA056

Date Decision Record is expected to be signed: April 1, 2004

Estimated date of proposal implementation: May 15, 2004

Comments: Boise State University proposes to build an Astronomical Rapid Reaction Observatory in cooperation with National Aeronautics and Space Administration in the Garden Creek drainage area. The observatory would have three purposes: 1. Dedicated hands-on education for the Challis, Salmon, Mackay, and Arco-Butte school systems; 2. Educational classes for BSU and Albertson College physics students; 3. Support for a world wide network of telescopes researching such phenomena as gamma ray bursts.

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Contact Person Name and Phone: Tim Vanek, 208-879-6218

Proposal Name: MACKAY SOLID WASTE R&PP and ROAD RIGHT-OF-WAY

Location: North of the Town of Mackay and east of Highway 93

Type of NEPA Document: EA **EA Number:** ID-084-04-EA059

Date Decision Record is expected to be signed: June 1, 2004

Estimated date of proposal implementation: July 15, 2004

Comments: This proposal is for a disposal of public lands to Custer County through the Recreation and Public Purposes Patent authority to be used for a Mackay-area solid waste, transfer site, and dead animal pit. A public meeting will be scheduled in the spring to gather input on the proposed location, and seek suggestions for alternative locations. In addition, the proposal would provide a right-of-way from Highway 93 for public access to the proposed Solid Waste site.

Field Office Area: Challis

Contact Person Name and Phone: Tim Vanek, 208-879-6218

Proposal Name: THOMPSON CREEK MINING CO. THOMPSON CREEK PIPELINE ROW

Location: T. 11 N., R. 16 E., Sec 4, 9, 10, 11, 13, 14.

Type of NEPA Document: EA **EA Number:** Not Yet Assigned

Date Decision Record is expected to be signed: Fall 2004

Estimated date of proposal implementation: Fall 2004

Comments: The proposed water pipeline amends an existing pipeline which generally follows Thompson Creek. The new line is a continuation of the existing line and will carry water runoff and seepage water from the Buckskin and Pat Hughes area waste dumps to the existing Cherry Creek pump station. Water is then pumped for reuse in the mine's mill. The proposed pipeline design would be an 18" diameter high density polyethylene pipe, and incorporate inlet structures, flow control valve vault, shut-off valve vault, connections to existing pipeline, bypass valve, and discharge diffuser. The proposed pipeline would be approximately 2.8 miles long.

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MINING

Field Office Area: Challis

Contact Person Name and Phone: Patty Jones, 208-879-6209

Proposal Name: IMA MINE STREAMBANK AND TAILINGS STABILIZATION.

Location: Lemhi County; T. 14 N., R. 23 E., Sections 23 and 24; along Patterson Creek upstream from the old Patterson townsite.

Type of NEPA Document: EA **EA Number:** ID-084-03-EA-004

Date Decision Record is expected to be signed: June 1, 2004

Comments: This proposal involves stabilization of Patterson Creek stream banks at the site of a washed out culvert, removal of old mining slag along the stream bank, and stabilization of windblown tailings that were previously stockpiled along Patterson Creek. Mine portals in this area are proposed for closure for public safety. Part of the proposed work is on public lands, and some is on patented mine lands owned by Bradley Mining Company. Tailings on other private property would not be affected.

Field Office Area: Challis

Contact Person Name and Phone: Ken Gardner, 208-879-6210

Proposal Name: SUMMER STORM SURFACE MANAGEMENT PLAN OF OPERATIONS

Location: Approximately 0.5 miles west of Highway 93 and one mile north of Antelope Flat.

Type of NEPA Document: EA **EA Number:** ID-084-04-EA064

Date Decision Record is expected to be signed: March 15, 2004.

Estimated date of proposal implementation: April 25, 2004.

Special management areas involved: Lone Bird Area of Critical Environmental Concern

Comments: Project would be mineral exploration for zeolite material.

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Field Office Area: Challis

Contact Person Name and Phone: Ken Gardner, 208-879-6210

Proposal Name: L & W STONE AMENDED PLAN OF OPERATIONS, THREE RIVERS QUARRY

Proposal Size: Approximately 160 to 220 acres

Location: Sec. 22 and 23, T. 11 N., R. 18 E.

Type of NEPA Document: EA **EA Number:** ID-084-03-EA012

Date Decision Record is expected to be signed: May 1, 2004.

Estimated date of proposal implementation: June 1, 2004.

Special management areas involved or special aspects of the proposal: East Fork Salmon River Bench ACEC/RNA; Salmon River Scenic Byway

Comments: This proposal would expand existing mining operations over the previous Plan of Operations from approximately 50 acres to 145 acres. Mineral exploration could take place over an additional 75 acres in 15 acre increments.

Field Office Area: Challis

Contact Person Name and Phone : Patty Jones (208) 879-5410

Proposal Name: ABANDONED MINE PORTAL CLOSURES

Location: Various locations in upper Salmon River subbasin and Big Lost River subbasin

Type of NEPA Document: EA **EA Number:** ID-084-04-EA076

Date Decision Record is expected to be signed: June 2004

Estimated date of proposal implementation: August, 2004.

Comments: Up to six mine adit or shaft portals would be closed with either bat-friendly gates or solid closures, depending on presence or absence of bats.

RANGELAND

Field Office Area: Challis

Contact Person Name and Phone: Kevin Williams (208) 879-6214

Proposal Name: GRAZING PERMIT RENEWALS FOR BEAR CREEK GRAZING ALLOTMENT.

Location: Bear Creek Allotment, Pahsimeroi subbasin.

Type of NEPA Document: EA **EA Number:** ID-084-04-EA055

Date Decision Record is expected to be signed: April 2004

Estimated date of proposal implementation: May 2004.

Comments: Renew Grazing Permit for Grazing Allotment in Accordance with the Idaho Standards for Rangeland Health.

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Contact Person Name and Phone: Kevin Williams (208) 879-6214

Proposal Name: GRAZING PERMIT RENEWALS FOR HAT CREEK GRAZING ALLOTMENT.

Location: Hat Creek area, upper Salmon River subbasin.

Type of NEPA Documentation: EA **EA Number:** ID-084-04-EA047

Date Decision Record is expected to be signed: April 1,2004

Estimated date of proposal implementation: May 2004.

Comments: Renew Grazing Permit for Grazing Allotment in Accordance with the Idaho Standards for Rangeland Health.

Field Office Area: Challis

Contact Person Name and Phone: Raul Treviño (208) 879-6208

Proposal Name: GRAZING PERMIT RENEWALS FOR SQUAW CREEK AND GARDEN CREEK GRAZING ALLOTMENTS.

Location: Squaw Creek area, and Garden Creek area, upper Salmon River subbasin

Type of NEPA Document: EA **EA Number:** ID-084-03-EA029

Date Decision Record is expected to be signed: April 1,2004

Estimated date of proposal implementation: May 2004.

Comments: Renew Grazing Permit for Grazing Allotment in Accordance with the Idaho Standards for Rangeland Health.

Field Office Area: Challis

Contact Person Name and Phone: Kevin Williams (208) 879-6214

Proposal Name: GRAZING PERMIT RENEWAL FOR SUMMIT CREEK GRAZING ALLOTMENT

Location: Summit Creek area, Little Lost River subbasin

Type of NEPA Document: EA **EA Number:** ID-084-04-EA054

Date Decision Record is expected to be signed: April 2004

Estimated date of proposal implementation: May 2004.

Comments: Renew Grazing Permit for Grazing Allotment in Accordance with the Idaho Standards for Rangeland Health.

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Field Office Area: Challis

Contact Person Name and Phone: Dana Perkins 208-879-6243

Proposal Name: GRAZING PERMIT RENEWALS FOR WILLOW CREEK GRAZING ALLOTMENT

Location: Willow Creek Allotment.

Type of NEPA Document: EA **EA Number:** ID-084-04-EA068

Date Decision Record is expected to be signed: April 2004

Estimated date of proposal implementation: May 2004.

Field Office Area: Challis

Contact Person Name and Phone: Kevin Williams, (208) 879-6214

Proposal Name: BERT SPRING DEVELOPMENT AND PIPELINE

Proposal Size: Approximately 1.5 miles of pipeline and trough

Location: Sections 7, 8, 17 and 18, Township 11 North, Range 24 East, BM, Challis Field Office, Upper Columbia – Salmon Clearwater District, BLM, Custer County, Idaho. The proposed Action is east of the Burnt Creek exclosure fence near where the Upper Pahsimeroi/Dry Creek Road comes to Burnt Creek, approximately 18 miles south of Patterson, Idaho; Pines-Elkhorn Grazing Allotment.

Type of NEPA Document: EA **EA Number:** ID-084-03-EA013

Date Decision Record is expected to be signed: May 1, 2004

Estimated date of proposal implementation: June 15, 2004

Comments: This project is proposed to protect riparian values at the spring source and provide alternate watering sources that encourage good livestock grazing distribution. Bert spring would be fenced off from livestock access. A spring box would be placed in the spring and troughs would be placed at the spring and at two locations north of the spring. The project is expected to lessen livestock pressure on the Burnt Creek livestock exclosure just to the west of the project

Field Office Area: Challis

Contact Person Name and Phone: Kevin Williams, (208) 879-6214

Proposal Name: ELKHORN DRIFT FENCE

Proposal Size: Approximately one mile of fence replacement and one trough constructed

Location: Sec. 1, 11, and 12, T. 10 N., R. 24 E.; Pines Elkhorn Grazing Allotment

Type of NEPA Document: EA **EA Number:** ID-084-03-EA017

Date Decision Record is expected to be signed: March 15, 2004

Estimated date of proposal implementation: May 1, 2004

Comments: This proposal involves the construction of approximately one mile of conventional fencing to replace an existing electric fence. One trough would be constructed and added to the existing Elkhorn pipeline.

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Field Office Area: Challis

Contact Person Name and Phone: Peggy Redick, 208-879-6201

Proposal Name: ELLIS CREEK PIPELINE

Proposal Size: Approximately 3 miles of pipeline and three troughs

Location: Sec. 11,12,13,17, and18, T. 16 N., R. 19 E.; Morgan Creek Grazing Allotment

Type of NEPA Document: EA **EA Number:** ID-084-03-EA018

Date Decision Record is expected to be signed: March 15, 2004

Estimated date of proposal implementation: May 1, 2004

Comments: This proposal involves the construction of an Ellis Creek Pipeline to better distribute livestock use away from Ellis Creek and Cherry Creek, ultimately improving riparian habitat

Field Office Area: Challis

Contact Person Name and Phone: Kevin Williams, 208-879-6214

Proposal Name: LARKSPUR PIPELINE EXTENSION

Proposal Size: Approximately 1 mile of pipeline and one trough

Location: SW ¼of the NW ¼, Sec.1, T. 16 N., R. 20 E.; Hat Creek Grazing Allotment

Type of NEPA Document: EA **EA Number:** ID-084-03-EA019

Date Decision Record is expected to be signed: December 1, 2004

Estimated date of proposal implementation: May 1, 2005

Comments: This proposal involves the construction of about a mile of pipeline from an existing spur of the Larkspur Pipeline southeast to a bench about a quarter mile above Dry Gulch.

Field Office Area: Challis

Contact Person Name and Phone: Kevin Williams, 208-879-6214

Proposal Name: MAGPIE SPRING PIPELINE EXTENSION

Proposal Size: Approximately 1 mile

Location: SE 1/4 of the SE ¼, Sec. 10, T. 16 N., R. 20 E.; Hat Creek Allotment

Type of NEPA Document: EA

EA Number: ID-084-03-EA020

Date Decision Record is expected to be signed: December 1, 2004

Estimated date of proposal implementation: May 1, 2005

Comments: This proposal involves the construction of a pipeline from Magpie Spring trough downstream to a bench above Deer Gulch.

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Field Office Area: Challis

Contact Person Name and Phone: Peggy Redick, 208-879-6201

Proposal Name: PERMIT MODIFICATION FOR RYAN HUNT

Location: Sec. 31 and 32, T. 10 N., R. 24 E.; Round Valley Grazing Allotment

Type of NEPA Document: EA **EA Number:** ID-084-03-EA021

Date Decision Record is expected to be signed: March 15, 2004

Estimated date of proposal implementation: May 1, 2004

Comments: This proposal entails a proposed change in livestock season of use on the Round Valley Allotment.

This proposal is intended to assist the management of livestock on the allotment to meet the Idaho Standards for Rangeland Health and Guidelines for Livestock Grazing Management.

Field Office Area: Challis

Contact Person Name and Phone: Peggy Redick, 208-879-6201

Proposal Name: POISON SPRING PIPELINE EXTENSION

Proposal Size: Approximately 1 mile of pipeline

Location: Sec. 31 and 32, 10 N. R. 24 E.; Upper Pahsimeroi Grazing Allotment

Type of NEPA Document: EA **EA Number:** ID-084-03-EA022

Date Decision Record is expected to be signed: September 1, 2004

Estimated date of proposal implementation: June 1, 2005

Comments: This proposal involves the extension of Poison Spring Pipeline to replace water availability loss due to the fencing of the Pahsimeroi River

Field Office Area: Challis

Contact Person Name and Phone: Peggy Redick, 208-879-6201

Proposal Name: SAGE CREEK PIPELINE EXTENSION

Proposal Size: Approximately 4 miles of pipeline with 3 to 4 troughs

Location: Sec. 32, 33, 34, and 35, T. 9 N., R. 21 E.; Wildhorse Grazing Allotment

Type of NEPA Document: EA **EA Number:** ID-084-03-EA024

Date Decision Record is expected to be signed: May 1, 2004

Estimated date of proposal implementation: May 1, 2005

Other comments: This proposal involves the construction of approximately four miles of pipeline and three to four troughs to provide an alternate water source for cattle on the Wildhorse Allotment.

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Field Office Area: Challis

Contact Person Name and Phone: Peggy Redick, 208-879-6201

Proposal Name: SQUAW CREEK PASTURE WATER DEVELOPMENT

Proposal Size: Approximately 1 mile of pipeline

Location: Sec. 8, T. 10 N., R. 24 E.; Upper Pahsimeroi Grazing Allotment

Type of NEPA Document: EA **EA Number:** ID-084-03-EA025

Date Decision Record is expected to be signed: May 1, 2004

Estimated date of proposal implementation: May 1, 2005

Comments: This proposed pipeline replaces water made unavailable to livestock due to the fencing of Burnt Creek. This proposal would also better distribute livestock use and lessen livestock impacts to Squaw Creek.

Field Office Area: Challis

Contact Person Name and Phone: Peggy Redick, 208-879-6201

Proposal Name: WATTS SPRING RECONSTRUCT

Proposal Size: Approximately 2 miles of pipeline

Location: NE ¼ of the NE ¼, Sec. 30, Township 15 North, Range 20 East; Morgan Creek Grazing Allotment

Type of NEPA Document: EA

EA Number: ID-084-03-EA026

Date Categorical Exclusion is expected to be signed: May 1, 2004

Estimated date of proposal implementation: September 1, 2004

Comments: This proposal involves the reconstruction of Watts Spring to better distribute livestock use and improve riparian and fish habitat

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RECREATION/OFF-HIGHWAY VEHICLES

Field Office Area: Challis

Contact Person Name and Phone: Jeff Christenson, (208) 879-6212

Project Name: CHALLIS BRIDGE RECREATION SITE RESTROOM INSTALLATION.

Location: The Challis (Steel) Bridge Recreation Site is located approximately two miles south of Challis on Hwy. 93 at T 13 N., R 19 E., Section 10. The entire project area falls within Custer County.

Type of NEPA Document: EA **EA Number:** ID-084-04-EA053

Date Decision Record is expected to be signed: March 15, 2004

Estimated date of project implementation: June 1, 2004

Special management areas: The project area falls within the Upper Salmon River Special Recreation Management Area.

Comments: This project proposal is to install one or two new pre-cast concrete single vault restrooms at the Challis Bridge site. The planned restroom facilities would be one or two single vault toilets, approximately 7' x 15' each. There are currently no restroom facilities at the site, causing a hazard to human health and safety posed by improper disposal of human waste. Some earthwork may be required to place the restrooms above potential annual flooding levels.

Field Office Area: Challis

Contact Person Name and Phone: Jeff Christenson, 208-879-6212

Proposal Name: SALMON RIVER RECREATION AREA MANAGEMENT PLAN REVISION (RAMP)

Location: Upper Salmon River Recreation Management Area (SRMA) including the main Salmon River corridor.

Type of NEPA Document: EA **EA Number:** ID-084-03-EA027

Date Decision Record is expected to be signed: June 1, 2004

Estimated date of proposal implementation: August 1, 2004

Special management areas or special aspects of the proposal: Various portions of ACECs including Cronk's Canyon, Pennal Gulch, Birch Creek, Malm Gulch/Germer Basin, East Fork Bench, and the Herd Creek Watershed.

Comments: The scope of this proposed RAMP revision includes only the portions of the main Salmon and East Fork Rivers (approximately 90 miles) which fall within the Challis Field Office area.

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Field Office Area: Challis

Contact Person Name and Phone: Gail O'Neill, 208-879-6250

Proposal Name: OHV TRAILWAY DESIGNATION

Location: Challis and Idaho Falls BLM administrative areas

Type of NEPA Document: EA **EA Number:** ID084-04-EA075

Date Decision Record is expected to be signed: June, 2004

Estimated date of proposal implementation: August, 2004

Special management areas or special aspects of the proposal: Various

Comments: The Idaho Department of Parks and Recreation is expected to propose that BLM sign certain existing open routes to designate an Off Highway Vehicle Trail system which connects the communities of Challis, Mackay, and Arco. Other minor improvements such as cattle guards and trail head facilities could be included in the proposal.

PLANTS

Field Office Area: Challis

Contact Person Name and Phone: Dana Perkins, 208-879-6243

Proposal Name: EAST FORK SALMON RIVER BENCH AREA OF CRITICAL ENVIRONMENTAL CONCERN (ACEC)/RESEARCH NATURAL AREA (RNA) ACTIVITY PLAN

Proposal Size: 78 acres

Location: SE ¼ of Sec 22 and the NE ¼ of Sec. 27, T. 11. N., R. 18 E.

Type of NEPA Document: EA **EA Number:** ID-084-03-EA009

Date Decision Record is expected to be signed: July 2004

Estimated date of proposal implementation: August 2004

Special management areas or special aspects of the proposal: ACEC/RNA

Comments: The proposed Activity Plan would be used to establish baseline information for the ACEC including a plant list. The plan will identify specific management actions or monitoring strategies needed to conserve the values in this ACEC.