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Subject: Approval of 2008 Fee Proposals

To: Forest Supervisor, Okanogan-Wenatchee NFs, Olympic NF, Rogue River-Siskiyou NFs, Umatilla NF, Wallowa-Whitman NF, Willamette NF

Pacific

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We have received the latest recommendations from the Pacific Northwest Recreation Resource Advisory Committee from their meeting June 26-27, 2008, regarding forest fee proposals for 2008. Your individual forest representatives did an outstanding job in presenting their forest overview, the relationship to Recreation Facility Analysis, and the rationale for their fee proposal.

You are hereby authorized to implement your proposed fee changes as identified in the enclosed spreadsheet. Please make sure that you follow the established Regional Accounting Guidelines for 2008.

We have an obligation to the public to share how fees are used. Whether dollars are spent offering interpretive programs, purchasing picnic tables, or picking up trash, we need to communicate where this money is spent and how these funds make a difference. Please ensure that your recreation sites are posted in accordance with the National Recreation Sign Plan Guidelines (<u>http://fsweb.wo.fs.fed.us/rhwr/recfee/products-signs.shtml</u>) and that individual Forest Accomplishment Reports for 2007 are available at all Forest Service offices and where fees are required.

Again, congratulations on receiving a positive recommendation to implement your fee proposals.

/s/ Liz Agpaoa (for)

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Enclosure:

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