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Central Idaho Resource Advisory Committee Meeting 1 p.m., January 14, Challis, Idaho

In Attendance: <u>Group A</u> - Doug Westfall, Bart Wojciechowski, (Bruce Cole joined the meeting by calling in by telephone); <u>Group B</u> - Dick Hauff, Gary Power, Hadley Roberts, Bert Doughty, Dan Mulick; <u>Group C</u> - Earl Skeen, Mark Stauffer, Bob Cope, Adrienne Trapani.

Forest Service: Acting Forest Supervisor / DFO Lyle Powers, RAC Coordinator Kent Fuellenbach, Rangers – Kris Martinson, Karen Dunlap.

Note Taker: Crystal Loesch

Introduction of RAC members and visitors

Visitors included- Custer County Commissioner Wayne Butts, Salmon Youth Employment Project Steve Adams, Morgan Creek Grazing Assn. Gary Chamberlain, Karen Drnjevic

Review 10-19-09 Minutes

- Noted typo pg. 2 "Maintained the at Timber Creek Campground" should read "Maintained at the . . . "
- Question regarding the statement "paper for covering hand piles was purchased..." The papers was purchased to keep the hand piles dry and to enhance and promote burning and consumption of the fuels.
- Motion was made Dan Mulick moved and Gary Power seconded for approval of minutes, with the noted correction" were approved unanimously.

Group Discussion – Attendance, RAC Quorum, Timelines

The RAC discussed notification of RAC members prior to scheduled meetings and absentee members. Members expressed concern that the RAC could not approve projects without a full quorum present (three members in each of the three RAC groups). The RAC did not have a full quorum present in the last meeting. With over \$1.1 million to recommend for Title II projects by May the RAC needs to have all members present at the meetings. Adrienne noted that the group charter says if a member misses two consecutive meetings the DFO may dismiss them.

The Central Idaho RAC currently has the necessary 15 full members and one replacement member for Group B. The RAC recommends that a notice be sent out regarding new volunteer recruitment, so the DFO can make recommendations to the Secretary of USDA to fill the vacant replacement member positions.

The RAC discussed meeting times and ability to attend and appropriate advance notification of absences.

(Bruce Cole called in during this discussion – RAC called him back on speaker phone so he could participate in the meeting, providing a full quorum for the meeting.)

Kent discussed 2010 timeline and submission of projects for next meetings in February and March. Bart moved Earl seconded that the next meetings will held on Tuesday, February 23, 2010 at 1700 in Salmon and Tuesday, March 23, 2010 at 1600 in Challis. The RAC unanimously approved. The deadlines for project submissions will be the 2 week prior to the meetings.

Kent noted that information on the timelines, funding and how to propose RAC projects are on the Salmon-Challis National Forest website. Information and how to apply for a replacement member volunteer will also be posted on this site.

Old Business

The RAC discussed CIRAC project approvals from the May 21, 2009 meeting. The RAC did not have a full quorum present at the meeting and instructed Kent to contact the absent members for their votes. As a result of the polling 11 projects received approval from RAC members. Kent reported on the status of the projects to date. The RAC members decided to clearly indicate their support for the projects with a quorum present.

With a quorum of members present (Group A- 3members, Group B-5 members, and Group C- 4members,) Dan Mulick and Earl Skeen seconded that the RAC re-affirms its approval for the following projects:

Reaffirm Support for CIRAC Projects from May 21, 2009

Voting was unanimously yes for each project

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11 projects – CIRAC quorum present: Group A-3 members (one attended by phone),							
Group B-5 members, Group C-4 members.							
Project Name	Type	Funding	Approved?	Status			
SVS Hughes Cr. Monitoring	Streams & Watershed / Forest Ecosystem Health – Monitoring – Sal. Valley Stewardship	\$10,000	YES A-3, B-5, C-4	Completed			
NZ Five Culvert Restoration	Infrastructure Maint./ Restoration NEPA	\$40,000	YES A-3, B-5, C-4	Contracted and NEPA underway.			
Goat Grazing on Noxious Weeds	Noxious Weeds Lemhi CWMA	\$10,000	YES A-3, B-5, C-4	Contracting delays			
Bio-Control Collection Day	Noxious Weeds / Youth Resource Info –Education Lemhi CWMA	\$1,000	YES A-3, B-5, C-4	Dan Bertram - CWMA			
Carlson Lake Fence	Maintenance of existing fence. Range, Recreation/Watershed	\$20,000	YES A-3, B-5, C-4	Partially completed – spent \$13,580 for materials. Balance will be completed 2010			

Green Lake Access	Road/Trail Maintenance, Stream & Watershed	\$15,000	YES A-3, B-5, C-4	Partially completed – Spent \$11,908
NZ Trail Maintenance	Trail Maintenance YEP	\$7,000	YES A-3, B-5, C-4	Contracting delays
NZ Trail & Property Management	Trail Maintenance & Property Management YEP	\$8,000	YES A-3, B-5, C-4	Contracting delays
CT-Charcoal Kilns Fence Replacement	Maintenance of Existing Infrastructure / Protection of Historic Site.	\$5,000	YES A-3, B-5, C-4	Completed - Spent \$4696. Balance \$304 to be returned to Title II fund.
SNRA-Salmon River Rd Weeds	Noxious Weeds	\$10,000	YES A-3, B-5, C-4	Completed - Spent \$9973. Balance \$3 to be returned to Title II fund.
SNRA Three Thinning	Forest Health	\$10,000	YES A-3, B-5, C-4	Completed – spent \$6946 Balance to be r returned to Title II fund.

New Business

With a quorum of members present:

Central Idaho RAC Project Previews for 2010, traditional RAC projects for 2010 were discussed. These are projects the RAC has approved every year for many years.

County Firewood – Fuels Reduction

- Commissioner Wayne Butts* presented a request for funding of \$30,000.00 for the Custer County Fuels Reduction/Firewood project for 2010. This is an increase of \$10,000 which would be dedicated for the Mackay area. Two letters of support from Idaho Helping Hands, were also presented. Mark Stauffer moved and Dan Mulick seconded that the RAC approve the 2010 Custer Firewood/ Fuels Reduction project for \$30,000, the Lemhi Firewood/ Fuels Reduction project for \$30,000, and the Butte Firewood/ Fuels Reduction project for \$11,000. The project was approved with the following yes votes: Group A-3 yes, Group B-5 yes, and Group C-4 yes.
- SNRA Steelhead Season Snow Removal project was discussed and approved unanimously. Earl Skeen moved and Gary Power seconded to approve \$4,900.
 The project was approved with the following yes votes: Group A-3 yes, Group B-5 yes, and Group C-4 yes.
- Steelhead Season -Salmon River Road Portable Toilets discussed and approved unanimously. Gary Power moved and Dick Hauff seconded to approve \$8,000. The project was approved with the following yes votes: Group A-3 yes, Group B-5 yes, and Group C-4 yes.
- A total of \$81,000 in recommended projects.
- YCC Projects were briefly discussed, but not voted on project proposals will be presented at the February meeting.

Discussion of Issues

• Custer County issue with quality of work by non- local contractor on RAC project.

Doug Westfall up proposed road project approval and delay of project approval due to Custer county issue regarding local FS road work completed by a FS contractor from out of the area; who is believed to have completed work that did not meet project specifications.

Lyle discussed Forest Service policy, grants and agreements and turning over maintenance of county roads within forested lands. He stated this would be similar to how Lost River RD has the Lost River Road District complete this type of road work for them. The county portion of the roadwork would be funded through RAC monies. It would also be similar to how firewood is handled.

Commissioner Wayne Butts* discussed the above road maintenance work. He suggested the county needs to enter into a MOU with the FS for road maintenance work. They know FS specifications, have the ability to meet them, hire locally (county personnel or local contractor) and keep funds locally. He also suggested the money goes to the county up front. This would stimulate the local economy and employment keeping RAC monies locally.

Members discussed the issue and decided to invite Forest Service Engineer Jake Stroemeyer to the next meeting in February, in Salmon, to address these issues and ensure the work is completed to specifications.

YEP projects

RAC members expressed concerns of the YEP projects that were not completed in 2009. The RAC recommended \$120,000 funding for the NZ Resource Monitoring-Mentoring YEP project with just over \$44,000 spent and some monitoring work completed by crew supervisors. The RAC also recommended about \$35,000 for other projects with YEP to be involved which were not done.

Karen Dunlap, Leadore DR, and Steve Adams of YEP discussed problems with getting the YEP agreement approved and in place in a timely manner (ie: county overhead rates, FS supplemental paperwork. etc.) in order to get the YEP work completed and funds spent.

The committee's concerns are getting the project work completed, and ensuring that the dollars that are set aside for youth crews go to youth crews. The RAC recommended that the Forest service and YEP get together and iron out an agreement to get these project completed. It was suggested the YCC costs be compared to YEP cost to determine how each group's monies are allocated.

Review of Project Previews

Review of projects previews submitted to CIRAC before the meeting.

Kent noted that these are the first project previews for new proposals for 2010. The projects were presented by private groups or individuals and one by Custer County. The RAC has about \$1.1 million in new Title II funds for RAC projects this year. No action was taken on these projects.

• Morgan Creek Fence

Gary Chamberlain of Morgan Creek Cattle Association discussed Morgan Creek Fencing Project-This is a 2 mile section of new fence from Lick Creek to Morgan Creek, the construction of this fence will help reduce potential conflicts in Morgan Creek, an area known house sensitive fish species. FS will come up with the materials; Morgan Creek Grazing Association will come up with the labor. They are requesting \$10,000 to cover these labor costs.

Chamberlain will work with the Challis –Yankee Fork District to fill the project proposal (long form) and return to the February meeting to present the proposal.

The group had an extensive discussion regarding past funded fencing projects that did not get completed. For this project, archaeological concerns cleared last week. There are some bull trout concerns and moving cattle in the area. They discussed completing projects without federal involvement (where they seem to get held up by appeal or processes) and the FS procurement processes/limitations. One of the suggestions is to develop a range fencing crews (FS or BLM) to complete new fencing projects through a cooperative agreement.

Removal of Dead Trees Along Highway 75

Custer County Commissioner Wayne Butts* presented a letter to the RAC outlining a Project-Fuels Reduction and Dead Trees Removal project along Highway 75 between Mile Marker 191 and Mile Marker 196. Custer Co. proposes to hire a contractor for \$35,000.00 to remove the dead and dying trees along Highway 75 between these miles markers, 200 feet each side of the road. The trees could be decked for the USFS to sell as they are marketable timber, the limbs could be chipped or piled in small piles to be burned.

The group discussed the project, associated safety issues, potential for funding and support from Wild and Scenic Byway Association and involvement of Idaho Transportation Department. Recommendation is for Commissioner Butts to work with the SNRA to prepare the Project Proposal (long form) and feasibility, etc. to present to the RAC at its next meeting.

• Aspen Inventory,

<u>Salmon Valley Stewardship</u>, requests funding for aspen stand assessment throughout Lemhi County, including the Breaks Project. Proposed funding level

is \$7,500.00 for inventory and to assess conditions of aspen stands on public lands in Lemhi County. Members discussed the project, similar to Hughes Creek Project in 2009, potential for local employment and their need for additional information. RAC will ask Gina Knudson attend the February meeting and present additional information on this project.

Hughes Creek Multiparty Monitoring

<u>Salmon Valley Stewardship</u> requests \$10,000RAC funding for multiparty monitoring of the Hughes Creek Hazardous Fuels Reduction Project, - (approximately 13,000 acres, a 1.26 mile stream restoration project in Hughes Creek, and several hazardous fuels reduction projects on private lands.

The group liked the hazard fuels reduction and stream improvement. The decision is to have Gina Knudson attend the February meeting and present information on last year's approved project and provide additional information on this project.

• Conifer Removal from Aspen Stands, Breaks Project

Bob Russell, <u>Lemhi County Economic Development Association</u>, (LCEDA) proposes funding of \$38,000 to accomplish conifer removal in aspen stands on National Forest Lands, following an inventory and assessment of the stands. Target location is the Breaks in the North Fork RD, north of the Salmon River.

The members discussed the project, specific project locations, potential, and moving on to Phase II. Decision is to recommend Bob Russell come to the February meeting to present additional information.

• Resource Inventories, City of Salmon Municipal Watershed, Bob Russell, Lemhi County Economic Development Association (LCEDA). The project proposes to work towards the restoration of the Salmon Municipal Watershed to a healthier and more fire resistant condition is a high priority for the Salmon-Challis NF, Lemhi County, and the City of Salmon. Work would consist of vegetation and heritage inventories and site recordation for the entire watershed. The watershed is located on the Salmon-challis N.F. The request is for \$72,000.

The members discussed project costs, purpose of project, associated political and social issues, project location, priority of project for Lemhi County and the State of Idaho, inability to remove merchantable timber, and the overall management of the watershed. The decision is to get a specialist report from the FS fuels/timber disciplines to incorporate their expertise and opinions for this project.

• Lemhi Cooperative Weed Management Area Herbicide Applications, Daniel Bertram, Lemhi CWMA requests \$30,000 for professional herbicide applicators would be hired to work with Lemhi County, Salmon-Challis N.F. and BLM weed crews to treat Idaho State listed noxious weeds.

RAC had a Bbrief discussion of project and decided to move the project to phase II, (long form) and get more specific information on weed treatment locations.

• Sleighrunner Ridge, Grazing Distribution and Wildlife Watering Lynn Herbst requests \$2,000 to replace about 1,000 ft. of exiting black plastic pipe and an existing head box. The pipeline services one trough that provides water for livestock and wildlife.

RAC recommends Lynn work with the Leadore R.D. to complete the long and come to February meeting with the form and additional information.

• Panther Creek Riparian Fence

Robert Bonnucelli, private land owner on Panther Creek requests \$78,000. The project would build approximately 7,000 feet of fence exclosure to help protect and restore at least 2 miles of fish habitat within and downstream of this project. The project would help protect and restore fisheries and watershed.

A brief member discussion resulted in multiple of questions - concern for such a large funding request on private property, has this project been presented to other potential funding sources? The Tech Team reviewed this and ranked it as high. Adrian will check with the Tech Team and report back to the RAC Group in February.

Seasonal Portable Toilet at Highway 21/FS Road 579

<u>Alison Beechert requests</u> \$900for placement of a temporary (winter season) portable toilet to provide sanitation facility for snowmobilers, skiers and anyone else who stops in, parks in, or uses the existing parking area.

The members discussed this project, the feasibility of the project, and maintenance of use this sanitation facility. The decision is to get additional information, and consider developing a permanent facility at this site. Put it on the back burner for assessment for next year.

Hughes Creek GPS Private Land Vegetation Inventory

The purpose of this project is to inventory vegetation to determine classification for treatments and/or protection; to provide consistency and continuity of information between the Forest Service and 90 acres of private lands in Hughes Creek area.

Karen Drnjevic presented information on the project. Funding is available to complete the fuels reduction work, once the GPS work is compete and the GIS mapping and inventory work is complete. Inventory and GPS information would be shared with other companies and agencies. No specific amount of money was requested.

There was a comment/question as to how Hughes Creek Projects approved in 2009, other Hughes Creek projects proposed for 2010 and this proposed project

tie together. The members discussed the project with Karen and the decision is to have her complete the long form, with complete proposed funding and come to the February meeting.

Close-Out and Round Robin from RAC and Public

Mark Staffer asked about the potential revisit to the Lost River Ranger District regarding Wildhorse project. The RAC felt there is a need to revisit with the District, project development and vote by RAC members.

Adjournment

REMINDER: The next CIRAC meeting will be held Tuesday, February 23, at 5 p.m. in Salmon. The following meeting will be Tuesday, March 23, 2010 at 4 p.m. in Challis.

*Commissioner Wayne Butts presented five letters to the CIRAC (see attachments).

- Custer County Commissioners; request for additional \$10,000 in the Custer Firewood program (for a total of \$30,000 for 2010). Suggests that funds be advanced on the request instead of cost reimbursement.
- Two support letters for the Custer Firewood program from Challis Helping Hands, one signed by Kathy Butts, President, and one by Betsy Doughty, Secretary.
- Proposal for \$35,000 to remove the dead and dying trees along Highway 75. (This letter will be forwarded to the Stanley office of the SNRA for processing. The County will work with the SNRA to develop the proposal).
- CC of a letter sent to Challis-Yankee Fork District Ranger Kris Martinson, and SCNF Engineer Jake Strohmeyer requesting MOU with Custer County for road maintenance.

Central Idaho Resource Advisory Committee Meeting 5 p.m., February 23, 2010 Salmon, Idaho

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Forest Service: DFO Lyle Powers, RAC Coordinator Kent Fuellenbach, Forest Supervisor – Frank Guzman, Rangers – Kris Martinson, Russ Bacon, Diane Weaver, Kimberly Nelson, Karen Dunlap, Dave Cottle SNRA, Stefani Melvin, Jake Strohmeyer, Russ Camper, Jeri Tavenner Dubois RD C-T

Others In Attendance: Daniel Bertram, Dan Smith, Laurel York Odell, Bob Russell, Glenn Seaberg, Kerrie Cheney, Jay Davis, Wayne Butts, Karin Drnjevic, Steve Adams

Note Taker: Mardi Rhodes

Introduction of RAC members and visitors

Review January 14, 2010 Notes

• Gary England moved to approve minutes of January 14, 2010. Dick Hauff second. All in favor – minutes approved.

DFO Update (Lyle Powers)

• More diverse group this time.

Comments from CIRAC Chair (Bob Cope)

• We have 42 active proposals on the board.

Old Business – Road Maintenance (Jake Strohmeyer)

- Doug Westfall does it make a difference how we go about getting these projects contracted? It will make a difference on how some of the RAC members vote. For instance, can the RAC give the County the money and have the County maintain the roads?
- Jake We can, through a project agreement attached to a Forest Roads agreement, put project money directly through and not use RAC money.
- Kerrie Cheney using the gas tax would take some time (approximately 2 years) to get on the ground.
- Kerrie Cheney some of the problems the County runs into is the Panther Creek road. The rocks that were left in the road hammered the County graders. Jake is looking at modifying the contract to rake the rocks.
- The road maintenance contracts went through IDIQ and were awarded for 3 years.
- Mike England this idea doesn't meet the intent of the legislation. The County would need to contract this back out.

- Wayne Butts from a Custer County standpoint, the County was trying to take RAC money and improve the roads.
- Mike England Contractors have a very hard time getting up to speed on the processes needed to be able to bid on jobs through the Forest Service.
- Cope this is County money, not federal money, and the RAC should not have to go through the grants and agreements process
- Lyle Powers this money DOES have to be distributed through Federal Procurement Law
- Gary Power should be able to pilot project through Custer County and see what happens.

Old Business – YEP (Karen Dunlap/Kimberly Nelson)

• Been working with Steve and Glenn to work through the agreements process. Put together a format to begin working through the figures and think that we have come to an agreement. The figures we are giving to our grants and agreements folks started with 2 of the 4 projects previously discussed. (Slash disposal and Steen Mtn. trail maintenance). Once these two are in place, it will make the other two projects easier, and we will be ready to take on other projects.

RAC Business – RAC Traditional Projects (Cope)

YCC crew \$22,810 (Challis/Yankee Fork/Middle Fork Districts) YCC crew \$22,810 (Lost River District)

• Mark Stauffer motioned to approve, Adrienne Trapani seconded. Approved.

Reviews of Project Previews for 2010

Sawmill Canyon volunteers \$11,100 (Lost River Ranger District)

• Mark Stauffer motioned to approve, Bruce Cole seconded. Motion failed.

Land of the Yankee Fork Partnership Project \$50,000 for 2010 and \$25,000 for 2011 (Challis/Yankee Fork District)

• Gary Power motioned to approve the first year of \$50,000. Dick Hauff seconded. Approved.

Lost Rivers 2010 Noxious Weed Abatement Project \$21,200

• Bart Wojciechowski motioned to approve \$20,200 (no educational materials). Mike England seconded. Approved.

Birch Creek Cooperative Spray Days \$2,000 (Dubois District)

• Dan Mulick motioned to approve. Jerry Hamilton seconded. Approved.

ATV Cattle Guards in Butte County \$2,322.51 (Butte County)

• Dan Mulick motioned to approve. Jerry Hamilton seconded. Approved.

Hazard Tree Removal and Scenery Improvement along Highway 75 from Milepost 191 to 196. \$35,000 (SNRA)

- State needs to amend their SUP with the Forest Service
- Bart Wojciechowski motioned to approve. Mike England seconded. Approved.

Sawtooth Valley Allotment Fence Upgrade Project \$2,500 (SNRA)

• Gary Power motioned to approve. Earl Skeen seconded. Approved.

Salmon River Drainage Weed Treatment Project \$10,000 (SNRA)

• Gary Power motioned to approve. Earl Skeen seconded. Approved.

Hunter Season Campground Maintenance and Bathroom Cleaning Project \$5200 (SNRA)

• Gary Power motioned to approve. Earl Skeen seconded. Approved.

Park Creek Winter Sports Trailhead Project \$7500 (SNRA)

• Gary Power motioned to approve. Earl Skeen seconded. Approved.

Meyers Cove Exclosure Repair/Reconstruction \$20,000 (Salmon-Cobalt District)

• Contingent upon utilization of the allotment. Gary Power motioned to approve. Bart seconded. Approved.

Hughes Creek Private Land Vegetative Inventory \$9450 (North Fork District)

• Adrienne Trapani motioned to approve. Doug Westfall seconded. Motion failed.

NEXT MEETING MARCH $23^{\rm rd}$ AT 4:00 pm IN CHALLIS

Central Idaho Resource Advisory Committee Meeting 4 p.m., March 23, 2010 Challis, Idaho

RAC Members In Attendance: <u>Group A</u> - Jerry Hamilton, Doug Westfall, Bart Wojciechowski <u>Group B</u> - Dick Hauff, Gary Power, Dan Mulick, Bert Doughty <u>Group C</u> - Earl Skeen, Mark Stauffer, Adrianne Trapani, Mike England

Forest Service: DFO Frank Guzman, RAC Coordinator Kent Fuellenbach, Rangers – Russ Bacon, Diane Weaver, Kimberly Nelson, FS Employees - Jake Strohmeyer, Russ Camper

Note Taker: Mardi Rhodes

Introduction of RAC members and visitors

Review February 23, 2010 Notes

• Mike England moved to approve minutes of February 23, 2010. Bart Wojciechowski second. All in favor – minutes approved.

DFO Update (Frank Guzman)

• Hoping to get some projects approved today.

Comments from CIRAC Acting Chair (Mark Stauffer)

• We have a full quorum, thank you.

Review Projects

Salmon Municipal Watershed – Vegetation, Fuels, and Archaeological Resource Inventories \$72,000 (\$46,000 FY 2010 - \$26,000 FY 2011)

- Adrienne Trapani motioned to approve, Dick Hauff second
- Project Approved

Aspen Inventory on North Zone Vegetation Projects \$7,500

- Adrienne Trapani motioned to approve, Dan Mulick second
- Mark Stauffer and Earl Skeen voted no
- Project Rejected

Conifer Removal from Aspen Stands, Breaks Project \$38,000

- Adrienne Trapani motioned to approve, Jerry Hamilton second
- Doug Westfall voted no
- Project Rejected

Lemhi CWMA Herbicide Applicators \$30,000

- Earl Skeen motioned to approve, Dan Mulick second
- Project Approved

Hughes Creek Multiparty Monitoring \$10,000

- Mike England motioned to approve, Adrienne Trapani second
- Bart Wojciechowski voted no
- Project Rejected

Trail Creek Dust Abatement \$49,500

- Dan Mulick motioned to approve, Earl Skeen second
- Dick Hauff, Mike England, and Adrienne Trapani voted no
- Project Rejected

Portable Toilet – Cape Horn X-C Ski Trailhead \$900

- Dan Mulick motioned to approve, Doug Westfall second
- Project Approved

Forest Wide Travel Plan Implementation – Road Opening \$48,000

- Bart Wojciechowski motioned to approve, Mike England second
- Project Approved

Forest Wide Roadside Brushing \$70,000

- Dan Mulick motioned to approve, Bert Doughty second
- Project Approved

Dust Abatement and Stabilization (Cape Horn, Yankee Fork, Deep Creek areas) \$85,000

- Bert Doughty motioned to approve, Jerry Hamilton second
- Mike England voted no
- Project Approved

Mine Hill Road Improvement \$54,000

• Project Rejected, no motion

South Zone Road Blading \$10,000

- Bart Wojciechowski motioned to approve, Earl Skeen second
- Project Approved contingent on pushing the money through the County

North Zone Aquatic Mentoring \$16,128

- Gary Powers motioned to approve, Adrienne Trapani second
- Doug Westfall voted no
- Project Rejected

North Zone Range Fence Crew Lead \$27,858

- Bart Wojciechowski motioned to approve, Dan Mulick second
- Mike England voted no
- Project Approved

North Fork Weed Management \$25,000

• Bart Wojciechowski motioned to approve, Adrienne Trapani second

- Doug Westfall voted no
- Project Rejected

Moose Creek Channel Restoration \$44,035

- Doug Westfall motioned to approve, Dick Hauff second
- Mike England abstained
- Project Approved

Newland Dumpsters \$4,500

- Mike England motioned to approve, Earl Skeen second
- Project Approved

North Zone Weed Control \$100,000 (\$20-\$30,000 increments)

- Jerry Hamilton motioned to approve \$60,000, Adrienne Trapani second
- Doug Westfall voted no
- Project Rejected

Salt Creek Guzzler (\$22,500)

- Gary Power motioned to approve \$15,000, Adrienne Trapani second
- Bart Wojciechowski voted no
- Project Rejected

Sawmill Guard Station – Staffing and Vehicle \$7,000

- Earl Skeen motioned to approve, Mike England second
- Project Approved

Copper Basin Guard Station – Staffing and Vehicle \$11,100

• Project Rejected, no motion

Lemhi Mountains Bighorn Sheep Study \$36,000

- Adrienne Trapani motioned to approve, Jerry Hamilton second
- Doug Westfall voted no
- Project Rejected

Big Lost Sage Grouse Survey \$30,850

- Bart Wojciechowski motioned to approve, Earl Skeen second
- Doug Westfall voted no
- Project Rejected

Big Lost Mountain Whitefish Restoration \$25,000

- Bart Wojciechowski motioned to approve, Adrienne Trapani second
- Doug Westfall voted no
- Project Rejected

Sawmill Canyon Bull Trout Restoration \$5,000

• Dan Mulick motioned to approve, Earl Skeen second

- Doug Westfall voted no
- Project Rejected

Basin Butte Lookout Toilet \$40,000

- Adrienne motioned to approve, no second
- Project Rejected

Biological Controls for Invasive Plants \$10,000

- Earl Skeen motioned to approve, Bart Wojciechowski second
- Doug Westfall voted no
- Project Rejected

Horseshoe Mine Interpretive Enhancement \$25,000

- Adrienne Trapani motioned to approve, Dan Mulick second
- Doug Westfall voted no
- Project Rejected

Sheep Bridge Replacement – Cape Horn \$10,000

- Dan Mulick motioned to approve, Earl Skeen second
- Project Approved

Culvert removal in FCRNR Wilderness \$30,000

- Dan Mulick motioned to approve \$18,000, Gary Power second
- Dick Hauff, Mike England and Earl Skeen voted no
- Project Rejected

Encroachment Road Clearing – Challis Yankee Fork and Middle Fork Ranger Districts \$5,000

- Dan Mulick motioned to approve, Bart Wojciechowski second
- Project Approved

New Projects

2010 North Zone Trail Maintenance \$61,867

- Earl Skeen motioned to approve, Adrienne Trapani second.
- Project Approved

2010 North Zone Trail and Property Maintenance Project \$17,800

- Bert Doughty motioned to approve, Jerry Hamilton second
- Project Approved

Lemhi, Custer & Butte Counties Community Projects \$400,000

Next Meeting April 20th at 1:00 in Challis