

# Idaho Fescue Grow Out

## FY 2007 Accomplishments

This project involved a wildland seed increase for Idaho fescue (*Festuca idahoensis*) for revegetation projects on the Gallatin National Forest in western Montana. Project personnel collected five pounds of Idaho fescue seed in the Bangtail Mountain Range and developed a contract with a local nursery to grow out the seed to 300 pounds over a three year period.

By the end of FY06, the grower had produced 200 pounds of live seed. The grower will complete the grow out for the remaining 100 pounds of seed production for final delivery in October 2007.



Photo by Susan Rinehart

Year Awarded: 2004; \$16,300

Project completion: 2007

Report number: 4 of 4

Expenditures:

- FY07 funding: \$0
- Expend: \$16,300
- Remaining: \$0

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