Native Shrub Propagation Project Sawtooth National Forest

2011 Accomplishments

In 2009 The Sawtooth National Forest used the Native Plant Materials funding to contract with Great Bear Restoration, Inc. (GBR, Inc.) of Hamilton, Montana was to collect local native shrub species seed and materials to propagate for restoration with genetically appropriate materials on the Sawtooth National Forest.

FY09 & 10 the following species were collected:

Bitterbrush (Purshia tridentata) - 4 lbs seed Chokecherry (Prunus virginiana) - 2 lbs seed Shrubby Cinquefoil (Dasiphora fruticosa) - ½ lb seed Wood's rose (Rosa woodsii) - 1 lb seed Snowberry (Symphoricarpos oreophilus) - 1 lb seed Serviceberry (Amelanchier alnifolia) - 1 lb seed Red Osier Dogwood (Cornus stolonifera) - 1 lb seed Sulphur-flw buckwheat (Eriogonum umbellatum) - ½ lb seed Alder (Alnus incana) - ½ lb seed

FY10 & 11 the following species were propagated:

Bitterbrush - 10,395 shrublings

Mountain Big sagebrush* - 4,550 shrublings

Chokecherry - 2,400 shrublings

Shrubby Cinquefoil – 750 shrublings & 750 overwintering

Wood's Rose - 1,750 shrublings Snowberry - 575 shrublings Serviceberry - 1,070 shrublings

Red Osier Dogwood - 400 shrublings

Sulphur-flower buckwheat – 100 seedlings

Alder - 200 shrublings overwintering

* mt big sagebrush seed was collected under a previous contract Lucky Peak Nursery

NFN3 FY10 &11 funding was used to plant shrublings where genetically local native species restoration is a high priority.





Bitterbrush shrublings for restoration of wildlife winter range burned by wildfire

Year Awarded: 2009

Report number: 3 of 3

Project completed: 2011

Expenditures:

FY09- 11 \$39,000: seed collection FY09 and FY10. Shrubling production in FY10 and FY11.

FY10-11 \$10,000: Administrative costs

Total Award: FY09 - \$49,700

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Partners:

Great Bear Restoration, Inc.

Native Landscapes Lucky Peak Nursery

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