

# Native Shrub Propagation Project Sawtooth National Forest

## 2012 Accomplishments

In 2009 the Sawtooth National Forest was awarded Native Plant Material funding to collect local native shrub species seed and materials to propagate genetically appropriate materials for restoration projects on the Sawtooth National Forest. Over the past 3 years Great Bear Restoration, Inc. of Hamilton, Montana collected and propagated shrublings for restoration projects.

### Species Collected & Propagated 2009 -2012:

**Bitterbrush** (*Purshia tridentata*) - 10,000 shrublings  
**Chokecherry** (*Prunus virginiana*) -2,000 shrublings  
**Shrubby Cinquefoil** (*Dasiphora fruticosa*) -1,500 shrublings  
**Wood's Rose** (*Rosa woodsii*) -1,500 shrublings  
**Snowberry** (*Symphoricarpos oreophilus*) -1,000 shrublings  
**Serviceberry** (*Amelanchier alnifolia*) - 2,000 shrublings  
**Mtn. Big Sagebrush** (*Artemisia tridentata* ssp. *vaseyana*) -7,500 shrublings  
*\* mt big sagebrush seed was collected under a previous contract Lucky Peak Nursery*

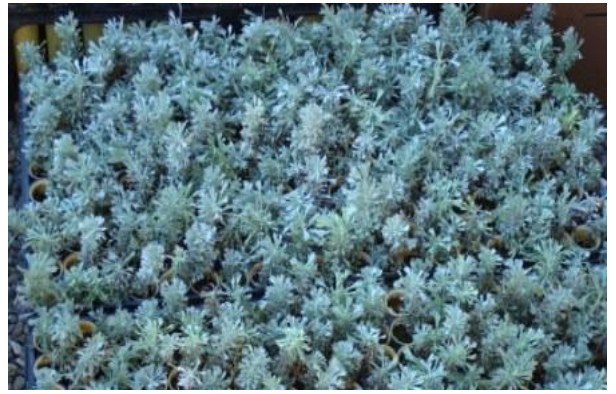
### Shrublings Expected in 2013:

**Thin leaf Alder** (*Alnus incana*)  
**Kinnikinnick** (*Arctostaphylos uva-ursi*)  
**Grouse whortleberry** (*Vaccinium scoparium*)

Native Plant Material funds were used in 2010 & 2011 to plant shrublings in areas where native species restoration is a high priority within burned areas.



*Bitterbrush shrubling planted in burn area*



*Mountain Big Sagebrush shrublings*

**Year Awarded:** 2009

**Report number:** 4 of 4

**Project completed:** 2013

**Expenditures:**

\$39,000: seed collection &  
shrubling propagation

\$10,700: Administrative costs

**Total Award:** \$49,700

**Total Expenditures:** \$49,700

**Partners:**

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