

Governor's Roadless Commission



Idaho Roadless
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AGENDA

Virtual Meeting

November 30-December 1, 2021

All times are Pacific Daylight Time

Public Comment

The public is invited for to provide comment to the Roadless Commission. Comment on a specific project may be provided during that project update. If you wish to comment on a specific project during that projects' update, simply use the "raise your hand" feature and you will be called upon to comment. More general public comment may be provided at the allotted time on the agenda. If you wish to provide comment at the allotted public comment time, you must express your intent to comment in the chat feature and you will be placed on a list and called upon when it is your turn to provide comment. If no members of the public registers for public comment and the Commission has concluded the rest of the agenda items, the Commission may adjourn. Written comment may also be provided by email at Species.Conservation@osc.idaho.gov.

November 30, 2021

Video Teleconferencing Information (Day 1, November 30):

WebEx meeting link:

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Meeting number (access code): 2454 383 0124

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Please note: Links and passwords are for day one only.

Call to Order – 10:00 AM Pacific Time, 11:00 AM Mountain Time

Welcome/IntroductionsJim Caswell

Preliminary Action Items

Review/Approve 5/17-18, 2021 meeting notes Michael Gibson

Annual Report/State UpdateJace Hogg

Reinventory/Theme Change.....Jim Caswell/USFS TBD

Discussion Substantially Altered.....Jim Caswell/USFS TBD

Lunch Break – 12:00 PM Pacific Time, 1:00 PM Mountain Time

Public Comment – 12:30 PM Pacific Time, 1:30 PM Mountain Time

Regular Agenda – Action Items – 1:00 PM Pacific Time, 2:00 PM Mountain Time

USFS Updates (NEPA) Amy Marshall

Project UpdatesUSFS

PROJECT UPDATES and NEW PROJECTS

1. Non-Timber, Roads, or Minerals Small Projects – Amy Marshall – Includes all Forests:

PNF - Payette Lake Trail – East Side

C-TNF - West Fork Mink Trail and Watershed Improvement

S-CNF - Leadbelt Rider’s Camp Corral

2. Idaho Panhandle National Forest – Karl Dekome, Environmental Coordinator

Westside Restoration Update/Status

3. Payette National Forest – Sara Daugherty, Environmental Coordinator

Payette NF Projects with Idaho Roadless Areas.....	Vicinity Map
General landscape burning (Big Creek Fuels and Brush Mtn no BP).....	Update/Status
Rapid River Travel Management.....	Update/Status
East Fork South Fork RAMP.....	Initial Briefing
Railroad Saddle.....	Initial Briefing

4. Boise National Forest – Catherine Blackwell, Forest Planner

Payette-Ola C Allotment Bull Trout Protection.....	Initial Briefing
Southwest Idaho Resilient Landscape (SWIRL).....	Initial Briefing
Tamarack Resort Special Use Permit	Initial Briefing

5. Caribou-Targhee National Forest – Ashly Kula, NEPA Planner

East Palisades Hazardous Fuels Reduction	Update/Status
Caribou Prescribed Fire Restoration.....	Update/Status
Bear Lake West Hazardous Fuels Reduction and Restoration	Update/Status
Caribou Basin Small-Scale Gold Placer Mining	Update/Status
Stone King Vegetation Restoration.....	Initial Briefing
Lower Wells Canyon Road Realignment.....	Initial Briefing

6. Nez Perce-Clearwater National Forest – Zoanne Anderson, Environmental Coordinator

Forest Plan Revision	Update/Status
South Fork Clearwater Mineral POOs	Update/Status
Race Cow	Update/Status
Green Horse	Update/Status
Dixie Comstock.....	Update/Status
Dead Laundry	Update/Status
Lost Toboggan Landscape Prescribed Burn.....	Update/Status
Ohara Wildlife and Fuels Rx	Update/Status
Red Siegel	Update/Status

Adjourn – 4:30 Pacific Time, 5:30 Mountain Time

December 1, 2021 – 8:00 a.m.

Video Conferencing Information (Day 2, December 1)
WebEx meeting link: https://idahogov.webex.com/idahogov/j.php?MTID=m345ba7641a9d5ee3acf727e6cafc40da
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Call to Order – 8:00 AM Pacific Time, 9:00 AM Mountain Time

- Introduction/WelcomeJim Caswell
- Recap of Day 1/Discussion..... Michael Gibson

Public Comment/Discussion – 8:30 AM Pacific Time, 9:30 PM Mountain Time

Regular Agenda – Action Items – 9:30 AM Pacific Time, 10:30 AM Mountain Time

PROJECT UPDATES and NEW PROJECTS

- 7. Payette National Forest – Kevin Knesek, Deputy Forest Supervisor**
 - Stibnite Gold EISUpdate/Status

- 8. Salmon-Challis National Forest – Jeff Hunteman, NEPA Planner**
 - Forest Plan Revision Update/Status
 - Sheep Creek Vegetation Improvement..... Update/Status
 - Bayhorse V2..... Update/Status
 - Big Creek Restoration..... Update/Status
 - S-C Fuels Reduction and Restoration..... Update/Status
 - Darling Creek Initial Briefing
 - Big Gulch Forest Products Initial Briefing
 - Navarre Exploration Drilling..... Initial Briefing
 - BTAC Drilling..... Initial Briefing
 - Pope Shenon Trenching and Drilling..... Initial Briefing

North Zone Vegetation Improvement (No Briefing Paper – Project cancelled and absorbed into other projects)

Kootenai National Forest – No Projects

Sawtooth National Forest – No Projects

Feedback on today's meeting and discussion of future meetings

ADJOURN – 2:00 PM Pacific Time, 3:00 PM Mountain Time