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### **KLAMATH FALLS RESOURCE AREA PLANNING UPDATE Fall 2004**

The primary purpose of this Planning Update is to inform you about activities on the Klamath Falls Resource Area that may be important to the public and to solicit ideas and comments from those who may be affected by multiple-use management programs and decisions. This planning update is organized to make it easy for you to find projects of most interest. Projects have been arranged into categories (i.e., Recent Decisions, New Projects, On-going Projects, and Environmental Education Activities). In addition, each of these categories is sorted by resource topics (e.g., Lands Program, Timber Management, etc.). The table provides a brief description of activities occurring within the Resource Area and gives a location for most projects. (Refer to one of three maps following the table.)

Additional information can be obtained from the contact listed in the project descriptions. If you have questions or concerns about the proposed actions, please call the Klamath Falls Resource Area and ask for the "Contact" person listed or the Resource Area Planner as soon as possible. The earlier you get involved, the more capability we have to take into account your comments and concerns when making final decisions on planned actions. Also be alert for news releases and public notices published in the Herald and News as projects reach stages for public involvement. If you want to provide comments to a specific environmental assessment, please send or deliver your written comments addressed to the Field Manager, Klamath Falls Resource Area, by the close of (or postmarked by) the last day of the comment period.

Thank you for your continued interest in BLM's management of public lands. If you have any questions on this planning update or recommendations as to how it could be improved to make it more useful to you, stop by the office or call (541) 883-6916.

Sincerely,

/s/ *Jon Raby*

Jon Raby, Manager  
Klamath Falls Resource Area

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<b>CX = Categorical Exclusion, DNA = Determination of NEPA Adequacy, EA = Environmental Assessment, EIS = Environmental Impact Statement, DR = Decision Record</b>						
<b>New Projects – Watershed</b>						
Map 1 #12	<b>Spencer Creek Riparian Conifer Treatments</b>	Spencer Creek	Riparian vegetation	DNA in progress	Fall 2005	Bill Johnson
<b>New Projects – Recreation</b>						
Map 1 #10	<b>Topsy Recreation Site Improvements</b> – Campground water system and boat ramp improvements	T40S, R7E, Sec. 6	None	DNA in progress	Fall 2005	Scott Senter
Map 1 #25	<b>Wood River Bridge Deck Replacement</b>	Wood River Property	Wood River Wetlands	Analysis in progress	Summer 2005	Wedge Watkins
Map 1 #25	<b>Lower Wood River Stream Channel Restoration</b>	Wood River Property	Wood River Wetlands	Analysis in progress	Fall 2005	Wedge Watkins
<b>New Projects – Lands/Minerals Management</b>						
Map 1 #2	<b>Gerber Ranch ROW Road Construction</b>	T38S, R14E, Sec. 30	None	EA in progress	Summer 2005	Linda Younger
<b>New Projects – Timber Management</b>						
None	<b>Jenny Creek EA</b> –A variety of forest health and restoration treatments in the Jenny Creek Watershed including commercial timber sales, non-commercial silvicultural treatments and riparian, aspen and road restoration treatments.	Jenny Creek Watershed	Key Watershed	EA in progress	Winter 2004	Mike Bechdolt
None	<b>South Gerber EA</b> –A variety of forest health and restoration treatments in the South Gerber Block area including commercial timber sales, non-commercial silvicultural treatments and riparian, aspen, and road restoration treatments.	South Gerber Block	South Gerber Block	EA completed. Public comment in progress.	Winter 2004	Mike Bechdolt
<b>New Projects – Prescribed Burning and Fuels Treatment</b>						
Map 2 #57	<b>Brady Butte Underburn</b>	Brady Butte	None	CX in Progress	FY 2005	Steve Underwood

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<b>Recent Decisions – Range Management</b>						
7/15/04	Map 1 #17	<b>Pankey Creek Enclosure Fence</b> – Fencing to protect riparian vegetation on Pankey Creek from grazing.	Pankey Creek	Riparian protection	DNA completed. Construction Fall 2004.	Bill Lindsey
<b>Recent Decisions – Timber Management</b>						
8/2/04	Map 1 #8	<b>Surveyor Salvage</b> – Sale is designed to salvage timber mortality from fir engraver beetle outbreaks.	Surveyor Mountain	None	CX completed. Sale to be negotiated in Fall '04	Mike Bechdolt
8/31/04	None	<b>Campbell, Lorella, Van Meter, Swan Lake Juniper Yarding</b> – Yarding/removal of previously cut juniper	Various	None	DNA completed. Implementation 2004-05	Mike Bechdolt
9/14/04	Map 1 #2	<b>Gerber Road Precommercial Thinning</b> – Thinning 2 acres of young pine along Gerber Road.	T39S, R13E, Sec. 2	None	CX completed.	Bill Johnson
<b>Recent Decisions – Riparian Management</b>						
8/23/04	Map 1 #13	<b>Grenada West Riparian Reserve Vegetation Treatments</b> – Understory thinning/removal of juniper.	T40S, R7E, Sec. 7	None	CX completed	Mike Bechdolt
9/2/04	Map 1 #4	<b>Norcross Vegetation Treatments</b> – Monitor effects on vegetative and hydrologic resources from juniper removal.	T39S, R14E, Secs. 10, 11, 14, 15	None	EA and DR completed. Project for Fall 2007.	Steve Hayner
9/17/04	Map 1 #12	<b>Spencer Creek Restoration</b> – Stream enhancement restoration treatments in Spencer Creek	Spencer Creek	Aquatic habitat	EA and DR completed. Project in Fall 2004.	Scott Snedaker
<b>Recent Decisions – Roads and Facilities</b>						
7/20/04	Map 1 #12	<b>Spencer Creek Culvert Replacement</b>	Spencer Hookup Road crossing	Fish passage	EA and DR completed.	Scott Snedaker
<b>Recent Decisions – Lands Program</b>						
7/1/04	Map 1 #43	<b>R.C. Easton Logging Road ROW</b>	T39S, R11E, Sec.29, 30	None	CX completed	Linda Younger
7/1/04	Map 1 #25	<b>Wood River Acquisition/Klamath County Foreclosure</b> - Acquire 30 acres from Klamath County.	T34S, R7 1/2E, Sec 36	Wood River Wetlands	CX completed	Linda Younger
7/29/04	Map 1 #29	<b>Pope-Turner Land Sale Decision</b>	T40S, R11E, Sec.27	None known.	EA and Decision Record completed	Linda Younger
9/1/04	Map 1 #21	<b>Section 1 Quarry Expansion</b> – Authorization for ODOT to expand existing pit to for additional mineral material.	T40S, R6E, Sec. 1, N1/2NW1/4	None	CX completed. Implementation - FY 05	Don Hoffheins
9/15/04	Map 1 #9	<b>Long Lake Drilling</b> – Bureau of Reclamation test hole drilling	T38S, R8E, Sec. 30	None	CX completed. Implementation FY 05	Don Hoffheins

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<b>Recent Decisions – Fire/Fuels Management</b>						
8/16/04	Map 2 #34	<b>South Bly Wildland Urban Interface Fuels Reduction</b>	T37S, R14E, Sec. 9, 10	None	CX completed. Implementation - FY 05	Joe Foran
8/16/04	None	<b>County Workforce PCT Fuels Abatement</b>	Various	None	CX completed. Implementation - FY 07	Joe Foran
8/16/04	Map 2 #46	<b>County Workforce Clover Hookup Fuels Treatment</b>	T38S, R6E, Sec. 24, 25, 27, 33-35	None	CX completed. Implementation - FY 07	Joe Foran
8/16/04	Map 2 #50	<b>County Workforce Pokegama Fuels Treatment</b>	T41S, R5E, Sec. 1, 3, 11, 15	None	CX completed. Implementation - FY 07	Joe Foran
8/16/04	Map 2 #51	<b>County Workforce Muddy Tom Fuels Treatment</b>	T40S,R5E, Sec. 23, 25, 35	None	CX completed. Implementation - FY 07	Joe Foran
8/16/04	Map 2 #52	<b>County Workforce Topsy-Grenada Fuels Treatment</b>	T41S, R6E, Sec.1, 11, 13	None	CX completed. Implementation - FY 07	Joe Foran
8/16/04	Map 2 #52	<b>North Grenada County Workforce Fuels Treatments</b>	T41S, R6E, Sec.1, 11, 13	None	CX completed. Implementation - FY 07	Joe Foran
9/1/04	Map 2 #36	<b>Stukel Mountain Bobcat Slash Piling</b>	Stukel Mountain	None	CX completed. Implementation - FY 09	Joe Foran
9/8/04	Map 2 #19	<b>Big Adobe Mechanical Treatment</b>	T39S, R14E, Sec. 36 T40S, R15E, Sec. 7,8	None	CX completed. Implementation - FY 05	Steve Underwood
9/30/04	Map 2 #54	<b>Lower Midway Juniper Shearing, Yarding, Burning Stewardship Proposal</b>	Lower Midway	None	DNA completed. Implementation - FY 08	Matt Broyles
9/30/04	Map 2 #57	<b>Timber Hill Juniper Shearing, Yarding, Burning Stewardship Proposal</b>	T41S, R14 1/2E, Sec.14	None	DNA completed. Implementation - FY 07	Matt Broyles
9/30/04	Map 2 #53	<b>Bryant Mountain Juniper Shearing, Yarding, Burning Stewardship Proposal</b>	Bryant Mountain	None	DNA completed. Implementation - FY 2010	Matt Broyles
9/30/04	Map 2 #33	<b>Horsefly Prescribed Underburn</b> – underburning ponderosa pine north of Gerber Reservoir	Gerber Block	None	CX completed. Implementation - FY 06	Joe Foran
9/30/04	Map 2 #32	<b>Ben Hall Prescribed Underburn</b> – underburning ponderosa pine north of Gerber Reservoir	Gerber Block	None	CX completed. Implementation - FY 07	Joe Foran

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<b>Ongoing Planning/Analysis/Implementation - General</b>						
None	<b>RMP Revision</b> – As per the final settlement agreement to the American Forest Resource Council vs. BLM litigation, the BLM is directed to revise RMPs in western Oregon by December, 2008. The process began in 2003. Project status information will be posted on the District website.	Resource Area Wide	All Resources	Preparation Plan in progress. Developing schedule.	Formal scoping is expected in the first half of calendar year 2005. RMP Revision – FY 2008	Don Hoffheins
Map 1 #28	<b>Upper Klamath River Management Plan DEIS</b> - Develop a management plan in response to Wild and Scenic Rivers Act requirements for river segment approx. 20 miles long encompassing 6,400 acres.	Klamath River - J.C. Boyle Reservoir, Oregon, to Copco One Reservoir, California	Wild and Scenic River designation, Area of Critical Concern, T&E spp.	Draft EIS released 5/16/2003. Comment period closed 8/13/2003.	FEIS - April 2005	Don Hoffheins
None	<b>Late-Successional Reserve (LSR) Assessment</b> – One LSR Assessment prepared to develop management recommendations for all 19 designated Unmapped LSRs in the KFRA to restore/maintain late successional habitat.	BLM lands west of Highway 97 covered by the Northwest Forest Plan	Unmapped Late Successional Reserves.	Analysis is complete.	Revised Draft LSRA pending approval from the Regional Ecosystem Office (REO).	Lou Whiteaker
<b>Ongoing Planning/Analysis/Implementation – Lands</b>						
Map 1 #18	<b>Bly Dump Sale (EA No. OR-014-97-01)</b> - Purpose of this project is to sell Bly Transfer Station to Klamath Co.	Southwest of Bly, Oregon	None Known	Analysis completed.	Pending County Involvement.	Linda Younger
Map 1 #26	<b>COB Energy Transmission Line ROW</b>	South of Bonanza, Oregon	Unknown	Third Party EIS completed. BLM ROD pending.	Fall 2004	Don Hoffheins
Map 1 #25	<b>Wood River (Root) Acquisition</b> – Acquisition of 2.29 acres of land separated from private property by Wood River channel restoration.	T34S, R71/2E, Sec.25	Wood River Wetland	DNA completed	Fall 2004	Linda Younger
Map 1 #3	<b>Bonanza View Dairy Direct Land Sale</b> – Resolve 8.78 acre unintentional trespass.	T39S, R11E, Sec. 21	None	EA/Decision record completed	Fall 2004	Linda Younger
<b>Ongoing Planning/Analysis/Implementation – Vegetation Treatments</b>						
Map 2 #46	<b>Oak Thinning</b> - Thin 100 acres of oak woodland to restore plant communities and reduce potential for stand replacing wildfires and overall fire management costs.	T40S, R6E, Sec.35 T41S,R6E, Sec. 3 and 10 T41S, R5E, Sec. 1	Klamath River Canyon/ ACEC	Analysis in progress.	Analysis completion expected Spring 2005.	Rob Roninger
None	<b>Noxious Weed Treatments</b> – contain/ reduce noxious weed populations using integrated pest management (manual, mechanical, chemical, and biological control methods). Tiered to KFRA Integrated Weed Control Plan (IWCP) and EA-OR-014-93-09.	Weed-infested sites throughout the Klamath Falls Resource Area	None	Tiered to Northwest Area Noxious Weed Control Program EIS	Noxious Weed Treatments occur May - October on a yearly basis.	Lou Whiteaker
Map 1 #7	<b>Bitterbrush Planting</b>	Various locations	Mule deer winter range.	CX completed. Project in progress.	Treatments occur on a yearly basis.	Steve Hayner Greg Reddell
Map 2 #30	<b>Lower Spencer Creek DDRB</b> - 108 acres mechanical treatment.	T.38S, R6E, Sec. 27,34 Off Spencer Hookup Road	Bald Eagles, Survey and Manage species	DNA completed	Pending funding	Steve Underwood
<b>Ongoing Planning/Analysis/Implementation – Livestock Management</b>						
Map 1 #1	<b>Gerber Watershed Riparian Fencing</b> - fencing about 1.5 miles of Long Branch Creek, and 1.7 miles of Antelope Creek as riparian enclosures or riparian pastures. Monitor vegetation and streambank conditions.	Long Branch Creek and Antelope Creek within the Gerber Block	Riparian protection	CX complete	Construction scheduled for Fall 2004	Dana Eckard

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<b>Ongoing Planning/Analysis/Implementation – Watershed Restoration</b>						
None	<b>Gerber/Willow Valley Riparian Conifer Treatments</b> – removing invasive juniper from riparian areas in the Gerber Block	Gerber/ Willow Valley Watersheds	Riparian, critical sucker habitat	DNA completed.	Fall 2004	Joe Foran
Map 1 #15	<b>Upper Spencer Creek Road Treatments</b> – Obliteration, decommissioning, realignment, improvement of roads and stream crossing removal.	Upper Spencer Creek T38S, R6E Sections 15 and 23	Riparian Reserves DDRBs	EA/DR completed.	Fall 2004	Scott Snedaker Brian McCarty
Map 1 #12	<b>Spencer Watershed Riparian Fence Reconstruction</b>	Spencer Creek	Riparian Protection	CX completed	Fall 2004	Scott Snedaker
<b>Ongoing Planning/Analysis/Implementation – Wildlife/Fisheries</b>						
Map 1 #43	<b>Willow Valley Habitat Enhancement</b>	Willow Valley Reservoir	Warm water fisheries	CX completed.	Implementation in 2004/2005. ODFW lead.	Scott Snedaker
<b>Ongoing Planning/Analysis/Implementation – Timber Sales</b>						
Map 1 #5	<b>Stateline Salvage</b> – Sale is designed to salvage timber mortality from fire and other factors.	South Gerber Block	None known	CX completed. Sale negotiated in July '04	Winter 2004	Mike Bechdolt
Map 1 #13	<b>FY 04 - Matchbox Title II Service Contract/Timber Sale</b> –Forest Health Density Management/Understory Thinning of overstocked mixed conifer stands on approximately 300 acres, designed under the Secure Rural Schools and Community Self-Determination Act of 200 – Public Law 106-393. Service contract to thin, yard, and deck trees from overstocked mixed conifer stand. Timber sale contract to sell decked material.	Chase Mountain Area T.40S..R.7E., Sec. 9	Matrix	EA and DR completed.	Advertised for sale	Mike Bechdolt
Map 1 #14	<b>Buck Again Timber Sale</b> –An estimated 700 acres is designed for treatment in the Spencer Creek watershed near Buck Lake.	T38S., R5E., Sec.13, 15, 23, 25 and 26	Riparian Reserves District Designated Reserves/ Matrix	Analysis and sale preparation in progress.	Proposed sale date: Summer 2005	Mike Bechdolt
Map 1 #16	<b>Chew Timber Sale</b> – Approximately 1,000 acres density management understory reduction adjacent to and south of Hwy 66 west of Klamath Falls. Sale analyzed under the Topsy/Pokegama/Hamaker EA (#OR-014-98-01).	T40S, R6E, Secs. 1, 11, 14 T40S, R7E, Secs. 3 and 5	None	Analysis and sale preparation in progress.	Proposed sale date Spring 2005	Mike Bechdolt
<b>Ongoing Planning/Analysis/Implementation – Roads and Facilities</b>						
Map 1 #77	<b>Sediment Traps</b> – 30 sediment traps on BLM, USFS, and private land	Spencer Creek Watershed and Gerber Block	None	DNA completed. Sediment traps installed.	Monitoring in progress.	Barb Machado
Map 2 #70	<b>Juniper Chip Road</b> – Using juniper debris for biomass or by-product in Oshea (FTZ 95/71), and Norcross Springs.	T 39 & 40S, R13, 14, 14½E	None Known	EA completed	Stewardship contract being developed.	Joe Foran
Map 1 #6	<b>Gerber Washrack</b> – Installation of facility at Gerber Guard Station for washing equipment to control the spread of noxious weeds and overhead filling of tankers.	Gerber Guard Station	Noxious weed prevention	CX completed.	Pending funding.	Bob Crumrine/ Brian McCarty
Map 1 #25	<b>Wood River Wetlands Project</b> – Remaining projects: interpretive signs and trail system, surface rock dike roads from bridge to 7-mile Canal, group interpretive site, and complete riverbank restoration below bridge.	Wood River Property 25 miles north of Klamath Falls, Oregon	Wetlands	Upper Klamath Basin and Wood River Wetland RMP/EIS; decision signed June 16, 1995.	Pending funding	Wedge Watkins

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<b>Ongoing Planning/Analysis/Implementation – Roads and Facilities (continued)</b>						
Map 1 #6	<b>Gerber Area Recreation Improvements - (RMP ROD EIS 6-2-95, pp. 49-50)</b> - Project falls under corrective maintenance, improvement or replacement in the Klamath Falls RMP including: rocking and chip-sealing/paving road system and campsites, picnic tables, barrier posts, camp host RV holding tank, hydrants, Barnes Valley Boat Ramp access road.	Gerber Reservoir Recreation Site	T&E Species (suckers and bald eagles)	Projects in compliance with the KFRA RMP. Determination of NEPA Adequacy completed and approved on 10/28/99.	FY 2005 (pending funding) – Miller Creek-Potholes trail to be constructed	Scott Senter
Map 1 #6	<b>Gerber Area Primitive Camp and Day Use Sites Recreation Improvements.</b> Improvements to update or improve existing facilities to provide an enhanced recreational experience and satisfy visitor needs.	Stan H Spring, Potholes, Miller Creek, Frog Camp, Pitchlog Creek, Wildhorse, Basin, Rock Creek and Willow Valley Reservoir	T&E Species (suckers)	DNA completed. Implementation as funding permits.	FY 2005-sidewalks and picnic tables to be installed at Willow Valley Reservoir.	Scott Senter
<b>Ongoing Projects – Prescribed Burning and Fuels Treatment</b>						
None	<b>Naylox Fuel Reduction Units</b> - Fuels treatment project to reduce hazardous fuels in the Klamath Falls wildland urban interface.	Various Units N. & East of Klamath Falls	None	CX completed	Project scheduled FY 2008	Joe Foran
Map 2 #31	<b>Keno Wildland Urban Interface Fuels Reduction</b> - Fuels treatment project to reduce hazardous fuels in the Keno wildland urban interface.	Keno, Oregon	None	CX completed	Project in FY 2006	Joe Foran
Map 2 #22	<b>Dorris Wildland Urban Interface (WUI)</b> – Fuels treatment project to reduce hazardous fuels in the Dorris wildland urban interface.	Around the town of Dorris	None	CX completed	Implementation in 2004- 2005	Yanu Gallimore
Map 2 #37	<b>Miller Creek Mechanical Treatment</b> – Proposal to use mechanical piling instead of prescribed burning of approximately 100 acres.	T39S, R13E, Sec. 14 & 23	ACEC	Analysis and DR completed.	Project delayed	Joe Foran
None	<b>Ben Hall 1 &amp; 2, Gerber Potholes, Schnipps, and FTZ 95-71 Juniper Yarding</b> - to remove juniper boles in previously treated areas to reduce fuel accumulation and promote commercial use of juniper.	Various	Fuel treatment, juniper utilization	DNA completed.	Project ongoing	Mike Bechdolt
Map 2 #39	<b>Stukel 98-1 Mechanical Treatment</b> - Mechanical piling instead of prescribed burning of approximately 500 acres.	T40S, R10E, Sec. 10, 11, 14, 23, 24	None Known	Project tiers to EA #OR-014-94-09.	Project ongoing	Joe Foran
Map 2 #11	<b>Fuels Maintenance Treatments #2 (KCER -00-03)</b> Treat approximately 1,200 acres to remove fire-prone brush, excessive levels of hazardous fuels (less than 6" in diameter), and small conifers that are ladder fuels and threats to over story trees by crown fire.	Klamath Falls Resource Area, east of Hwy 97. See Prescribed Fire Map for locations.	None Known	Analysis completed.	Multiple year implementation – ongoing.	Dale Brush
Map 2 #40	<b>Stukel 98-2 Prescribed Burn</b> - Prescribe burn approx. 3,000 acres to: Reintroduce fire to restore plant communities, while reducing the potential for stand-replacement wildfires and overall fire management costs.	T40S, R10E, Sec. 12, 13, 24 T40S, R11E, Sec. 7 & 18	Bald Eagle	Analysis Completed Project tiers to EA #OR-014-94-09.	Project delayed until the Spring 2005	Joe Foran
Map 2 #62	<b>Mechanical Slash Treatment Project</b> – Mechanical treatments (shearing, chipping, or grinding) to reduce fuels and control vegetation on approx. 12,000 acres.	Multiple Locations Resource Area Wide	None	Second DNA completed.	Projects tasked out over a three year period – ongoing.	Joe Foran

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<b>Ongoing Projects – Prescribed Burning and Fuels Treatment (continued)</b>						
Map 2 #38	<b>Stiles Spring Prescribed Burn</b> - Project purpose to burn approximately 1,000 acres to: Reintroduce fire to restore sustainable function and structure to plant communities, while reducing the potential for stand-replacement wildfires, and reducing overall fire management costs.	T37S, R10E, Sec. 3-5, 9-11, 14, 15	Wildlife Habitat	Analysis and DR Completed.	Remainder delayed until the Spring 2005	Joe Foran
Map 2 #63	<b>Stukel 98-7 &amp; 9 Prescribed Burns</b> – Prescribe burn approximately 525 acres to: reintroduce fire to restore plant communities, reduce overall fire management costs and the potential for stand-replacing wildfires.	T40S, R11E, Sec 5 & 6	Bald Eagle	Analysis Completed Planned project tiers to EA #OR-014-94-09	Remainder Fall and Spring 2005	Steve Petrick-Underwood
Map 2 #64	<b>Stateline/ Holbrook Prescribed Burns</b> – Prescribe burn approximately 4,000 acres to reduce fuel loading and risk of catastrophic wildfire.	T.40S, R15 E., T.41S, R15E.	None	Initiated Winter 2001	1,732 acres – FY 2003 Remainder Fall 2009	Joe Foran
Map 2 #65	<b>Big Adobe Prescribed Burn</b> – Prescribe burn approximately 6,700 acres to reduce fuel loading and risk of catastrophic wildfire (includes Wild Midway Rx Burn)	T41S, R15E	Riparian	Initiated Winter 2001	Fall and Spring 2005	Joe Foran
Map 2 #45	<b>Upper Swan Prescribed Burn</b> - Project purpose: burn approximately 98 acres to restore sustainable function and structure to plant communities, reduce potential for stand-replacement wildfires and overall fire management costs.	T37S, R10E, Sec. 24 & 25 T37S, R11.5E, Sec. 31	Bald Eagle	Analysis Completed Planned projects tier to EA #OR-014-94-09.	Project delayed.	Joe Foran
Map 2 #49	<b>Range-Juniper Treatment</b> – Hazardous fuel reduction, using mechanical and prescribed fire methods.	T40S, R12E, Sec. 11	Wildlife forage/ habitat	DNA completed	ongoing 2-3 year implementation	Joe Foran

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<b>Rangeland Health Standards Assessments – in progress</b>						
These assessments compare the monitoring information collected against the five Standards for Rangeland Health and propose management changes if current grazing use is not meeting the Standards, or not making significant improvement towards meeting them. Changes are implemented through the grazing decision or agreement process.						
Map 3 #35	<b>Fields Allotment (#0893)</b>	South Langell Valley	None Known	Assessment in progress	FY 2005	Dana Eckard
Map 3 #41	<b>Yainax Allotment (#0861)</b>	North of Bonanza	None Known	Assessment in progress	FY 2005	Bill Lindsey
Map 3 #47	<b>Klamath Forest Estates Allotment (#0862)</b>	North of Bonanza	None Known	Assessment in progress	FY 2005	Bill Lindsey
Map 3 #56	<b>Masten Allotment (#0842)</b>	North of Bonanza	None Known	Assessment in progress	FY 2005	Dana Eckard
Map 3 #68	<b>Adams Allotment (#0800)</b>	East of Bonanza	None Known	Assessment in progress	FY 2005	Dana Eckard
Map 3 #71	<b>Hungry Hollow Allotment (#0830)</b>	North of Bonanza	None Known	Assessment in progress	FY 2005	Dana Eckard
<b>Rangeland Health Standards Assessments – completed*</b>						
Map 3 #20	<b>Williams Allotment (#0892)</b>	East of Bonanza	None Known	Assessment completed	October 2003	Bill Lindsey
Map 3 #48	<b>Cheyne Allotment (#0811)</b>	North of Bonanza	None Known	Assessment completed	December 2003	Bill Lindsey
Map 3 #48	<b>McCartie Allotment (#0860)</b>	North of Bonanza	None Known	Assessment completed	December 2003	Bill Lindsey
Map 3 #58	<b>Kellison Allotment (#0834)</b>	North of Bonanza	None Known	Assessment completed	March 2004	Dana Eckard
Map 3 #55	<b>Haskins Allotment (#0826)</b>	North of Bonanza	None Known	Assessment completed	March 2004	Dana Eckard
*A total of 41 Rangeland Health Standards Assessments have been completed to date, 5 have been completed in FY 2004.						

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<b>Presentations/Environmental Education Programs/Tours (Calendar Year to Date)</b>				
<b>What Was Presented</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Where</b>	<b>Group / Age</b>	<b># of People</b>
Miller Creek Presentation	1/7/04	Lorella Grange	Adults-Langell Valley Irrigation District	10
Archaeological Resources Protection Act	1/14/04	Klamath Community College	Adults	25
Cultural Resource Management in the KFRA	1/22/04	Klamath County Historical Society	Adults	25
Klamath Falls BLM Management	2/3/04	Upper Klamath Basin Science Workshop	Scientists and Managers	300+
Wildlife in Winter	2/17/04	Peterson Elementary	3rd Grade Students and Adults	30
Bald Eagle/Waterfowl	2/19/04	Ferguson Elementary	3rd Grade Students and Adults	25
Landscaping for Birds	4/3/04	Klamath Community College	Adults	85
Spencer Creek Culvert Replacement Scoping	4/5/04	Keno Elementary School	Adults	7
Wood River Wetland	4/19/04	Oregon Institute of Technology	Adults	8
Wood River Wetland Restoration	4/21/04	Wood River Wetland	Adults	8
Birding and Habitat	4/24/04	Klamath Community College	Adults	25
Wetland Ecology	4/27/04	Wood River Wetlands	6th Grade Students (Peterson Elementary)	30
Restoration, Wildlife, Botany	5/5/04	Wood River Wetlands	Girl Scouts and Parents	15
Operation Indian Rocks	5/14/04	University of Nevada – Las Vegas	Adults	40
Archaeological Resources Protection Act	5/15/04	Las Vegas	All ages	1,500
Whitewater Rafting	5/19/04	Henley High School	High School Juniors and Seniors	20
Protection of Sacred Sites	5/21/04	Twenty-one Palms, CA	Native Americans & Federal Agency Reps	50
Wetland Ecology	6/2/04	Running Y	5th and 6th graders	100
Birds and Mammals	6/2/04	Rocky Point	3rd and 4th graders	85
Modeling Klamath Fisheries	6/9/04	Arcata, CA	Lower Klamath Basin Science Workshop	300+
Watershed Wonders	8/18/04	Wood River Wetlands	Ages 9-15 (Girl Scouts)	20
Native American Coordination & Consultation Tour	8/19/04	Klamath River Canyon	Adult Tribal Members	2

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<b>Yearly Scheduled Events</b>				
<b>Event/Activity</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>Contact(s)</b>	<b># of Participants (Employees/Public*)</b>
Bald Eagle Conference	February 12	Oregon Institute of Technology	Steve Hayner	2/ 200
American Fisheries Society Meeting	February 18	Sun River, Oregon	Scott Snedaker	1/450
Klamath Watershed Conference	February 24 - 26	Oregon Institute of Technology	Wedge Watkins	2/ 200
Society of American Archaeologists	April 1	Montreal, Canada	Tim Canaday	1/ 2000
Earth Day	April 17	Jefferson Square Mall	Greg Reddell	12/ 780
Wilderness & Horse Packing Clinic	April 30 - May 2	Klamath County Fairgrounds	Tonya Pinckney/Scott Senter	7/ 2000
International Migratory Bird Day	(IMBD)			
IMBD Pre-event Classes	April 24	Klamath Community College	Steve Hayner	1/ 85
IMBD Educator Workshop	April 16	OSU-Klamath Co. Extension	Steve Hayner	1/ 20
IMBD Event	May 8	Veteran's Park	Steve Hayner	500
National Free Fishing Day	June 11, June 12	Goodlow Pond, Fourmile Quarry	Scott Snedaker	3/ 25, 10/ 300
RAP Camp	June 14 -18	Camp Esther Applegate	Scott Senter	5/48
Klamath County Fair	August 5-8	Klamath County Fairgrounds	Pinckney/Senter	8/1000
National Public Lands Day	September 18	Gerber Reservoir	Scott Senter	4/13
Sixth Grade Forestry Tour	September 21-23	Clover Creek Educational Area	Bill Johnson	2/1000

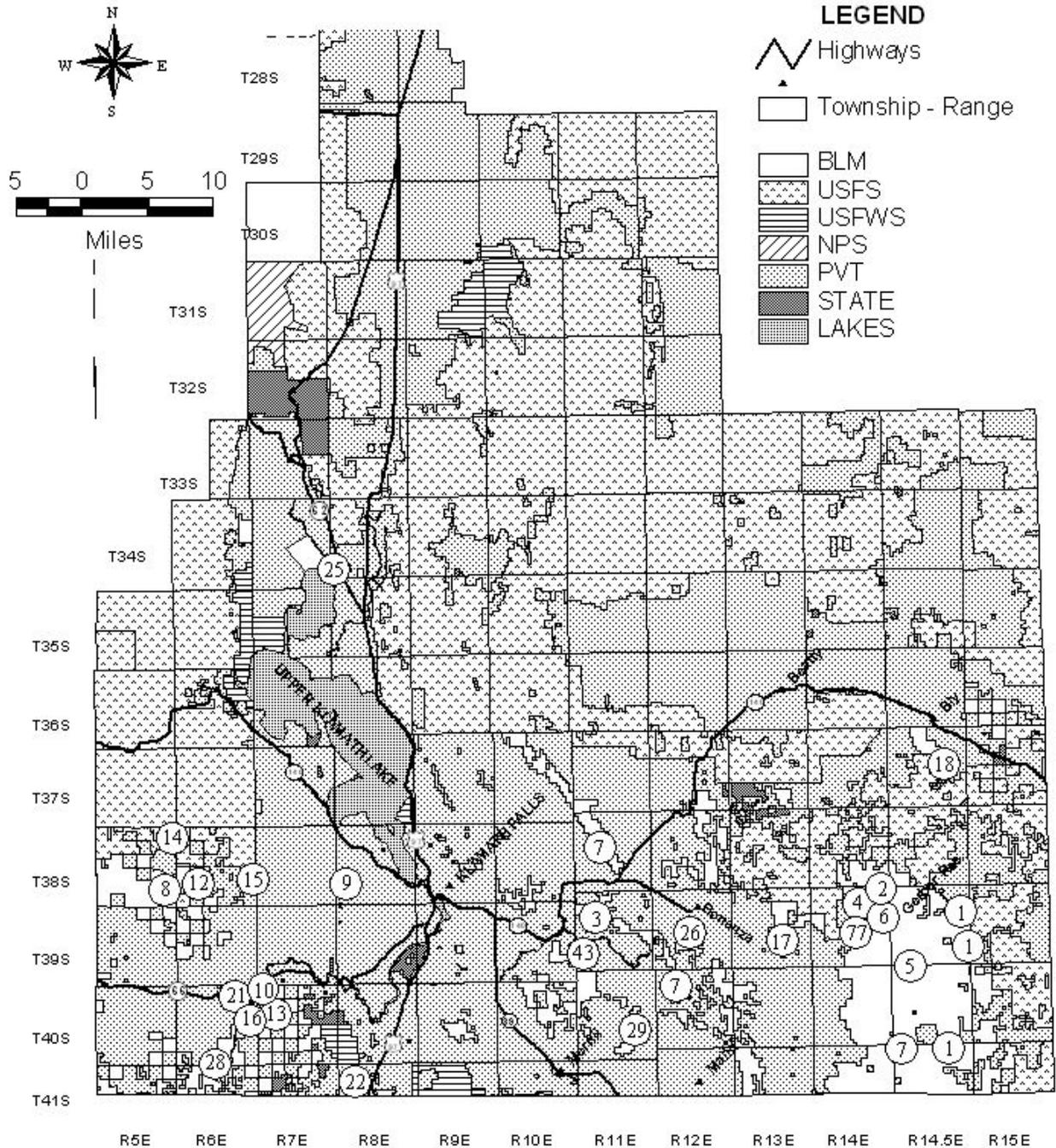
\*Numbers of public participants for large events are estimated.

# MAP 1

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### Miscellaneous Project Locations

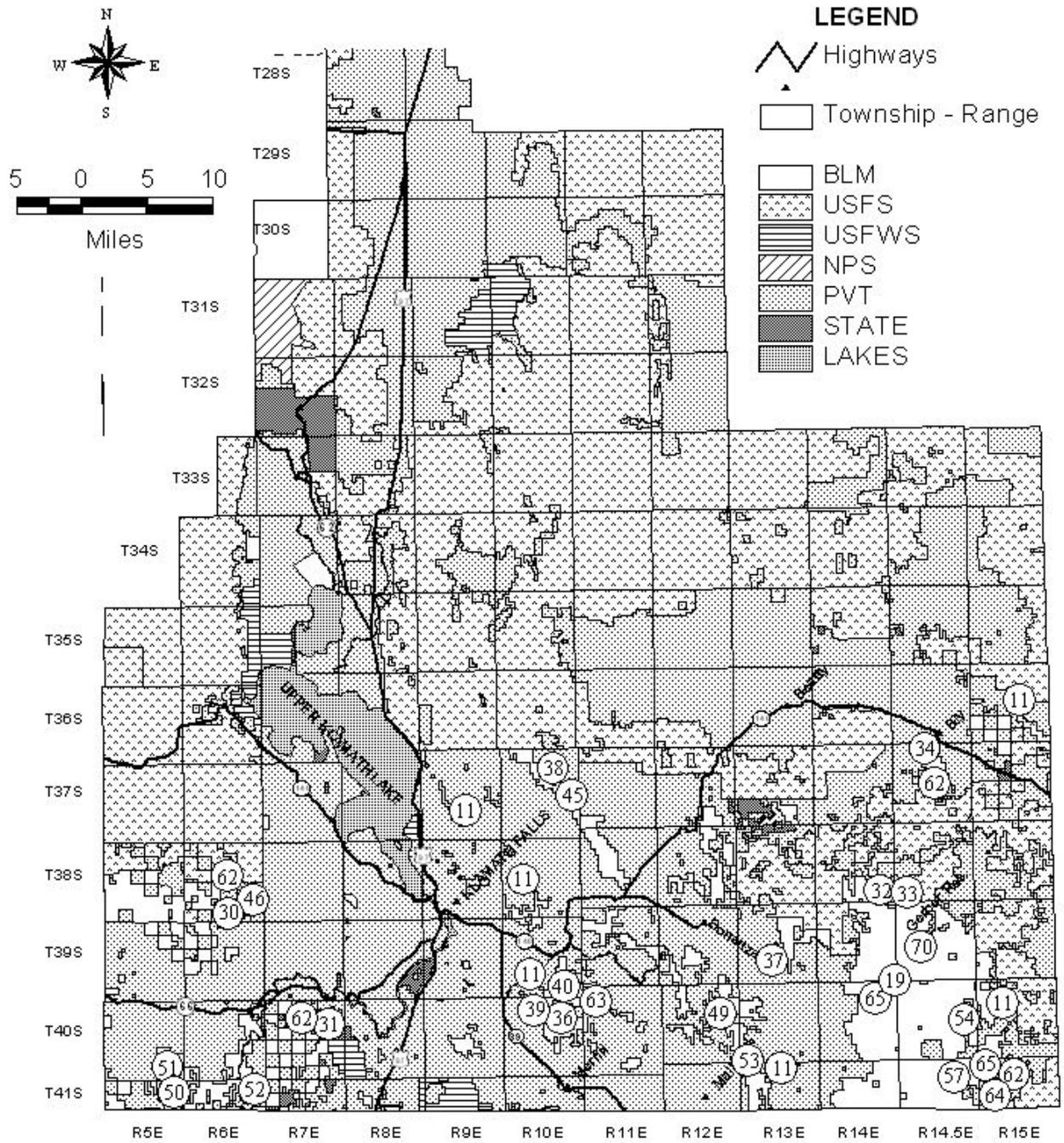


# MAP 2

## Klamath Falls Resource Area

### Fall 2004 Planning Update

### Prescribed Fire and Fuels Treatment Projects



# MAP 3

## Klamath Falls Resource Area Fall 2004 Planning Update Grazing Project Locations

