Roseburg District BLM Planning Update

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Dear Citizen:

The Planning Update is published to provide current information about specific projects and future events planned on the Roseburg District of the Bureau of Land Management. Please send written comments, including the specific project and field office name, to 777 N.W. Garden Valley Blvd., Roseburg, Oregon 97470, during the public comment period. If you wish to save paper and postage, and you have access to the internet, you can find the Planning Update at www.or.blm.gov/roseburg.

Please remember to ask us to remove your name from our mailing list if you no longer wish to receive the Planning Update. For your convenience, you can also find a copy of the Planning Update at the Douglas County Library. Your comments and concerns are welcome and may influence the final decision on these projects.

Thank you for your continued interest.

Sincerely,

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Non-Discretionary Actions Under Reciprocal Right-of-Way Agreements

There are 140 individual agreements and easements that were executed prior to implementation of the Roseburg District Record of Decision and Resource Management Plan (ROD/RMP) (p. 71). These agreements are subject to regulations in effect at the time they were executed or assigned. Discretion on the part of the BLM to object to road construction is limited to one environmental reason - excessive erosion damage.

South River Field Office

- Roseburg Resources Co., Reciprocal Right-of-Way Agreement R-851
  378 feet of Permittee Road Construction and 3,400 feet of Permittee Improvements in Section 33, T. 30 S, R. 4 W. and Sections 5 and 9, T. 31 S., R. 4 W., W.M.
- Roseburg Resources Co., Reciprocal Right-of-Way Agreement R-851
  1,703 feet of Permittee Road Construction and 4,500 feet of Permittee Improvements in Section 9, T. 31 S., R. 4 W., W.M.
- Roseburg Resources Co., Reciprocal Right-of-Way Agreement R-851
  415 Feet of Permittee Road Construction in Section 5 of T. 31 S., R. 8 W. and Section 1 of T. 31 S., R. 9 W. (Dice Creek) 395 feet of Permittee Road Construction in Sections 5 and7 of T. 31 S., R. 6 W., W.M. (Council Creek).

Swiftwater Field Office

- Roseburg Resources Co., Reciprocal Right-of-Way Agreement R-659, two acres of logging tramway across BLM land in Section 13 (SE), T. 20 S., R. 7 W., W.M. This tramway is in Late-Successional Reserve and harvests second-growth trees.
- Roseburg Resources Co., Reciprocal Right-of-Way Agreement R-531, 100 feet of Permittee Road Construction and improvement of BLM Rd. No. 26-2-22.0 to construct a landing in Section 21 (SESE), T. 26 S., R. 2 W., W.M. This construction is in the Matrix and harvests second-growth trees.

Categorical Exclusions

This is a category of actions that federal agencies have determined not to significantly affect the human environment, individually or cumulatively. Neither an EA nor an EIS is required (40 CFR 1508.4).

South River Field Office

- **Access** – Issuance of an O&C unilateral hauling permit to White LLC for use of BLM roads in T. 28 S., R. 3 W.; T. 29 S., R. 3 W.; and T. 29 S., R. 4 W. The action does not confer rights for any road construction, by the permittee, on BLM lands. (OR-105-03-35)

- **Access** – Issuance of a temporary hauling permit to K J Logging, authorizing the use of BLM roads for the transport of timber from private lands. (OR-105-04-01)

- **Salvage** – Salvage of windthrown trees within 400 feet of roads in the Matrix, removal of danger trees, and salvage of windthrown timber from within the road prism in Late-Successional Reserves.

- **Silviculture** – Replanting of 79 acres of previously harvested timber sale units.

Swiftwater Field Office

- **Amendment No. 2 to Reciprocal Right-of-Way R-540B** - This amendment adds BLM lands (Section 29 (NESE), T24S R4W into the agreement area as well as Rosboro Lumber Co. lands in Section 29 (S2NE, S2NW, N2SW, and NWSE); and Section 30 (E2NE); T24S R4W. The proposal provides legal access to a forty-acre parcel of O&C land that previously lacked access (OR-104-03-32).

- **Amendment No. 2 to Reciprocal Right-of-Way R-863 and Amendment 2 to R-374**- This amendment added existing BLM roads into the agreement area for use by Weyerhaeuser Co. for timber hauling (OR-104-03-34).

- **Amendment No. 7 to Reciprocal Right-of-Way R-1023** - This amendment adds BLM lands (Section 16 (NENW) and Section 17 (Lots 3 and 5), T25S R4W into the agreement area as well as Swanson Group lands in Sections 8, 9, 16 and 17; T25S R4W. The proposal results in providing legal access to a forty-acre parcel of O&C land that previously lacked access (OR-104-03-35).

- **Rosboro Lumber Co. Road Construction** - This action authorizes 420 feet of road construction and 3200 feet of road improvement on BLM land (25-4-16, NENW). This action occurs in the Matrix land use allocation and harvests 4 MBF of second-growth timber (OR-104-03-37).

- **Swanson Group Road Construction** - This action authorizes 700 feet of road construction on BLM land (24-4-29, NESE). This action occurs in the Matrix land use allocation and harvests 37 MBF of second-growth timber (OR-104-03-36).

- **Lane Mountain Communications Site Maintenance -** This action authorizes the harvest of a 400 ft. circle of second-growth timber around radio towers to clear beam paths from obstruction. This action occurs in the Matrix land use allocation in Section 25, T27S-R4W (OR-104-03-38).

- **Swiftwater Field Office Pruning -** Authorizes 190 acres of treatment that would remove the lower branches of Douglas-fir trees which results in improved wood quality. This action completes the second lift (9-18 feet) on a previous treatment. (OR-104-03-39)

- **Amendment 3 to Right-of-Way Grant OR 44265 -** Authorized the construction of a communications equipment shelter and generator building by the Oregon State police adjacent to their radio tower within the Yellow Mountain Communications Site in Section 27, T. 23 S., R. 6 W. (OR-104-03-40).

New Projects

South River Field Office

An analysis was begun for the proposed salvage of timber burned along Interstate Highway 5 near Canyon Pass, in the summer of 2003. The analysis, named Flea Flicker Fire Salvage, proposes salvage of dead, dying and hazard trees from an estimated 50 acres. The project area is in Sections 14 and 23 of T. 31 S., R. 5 W. on lands allocated as General Forest Management Area. The estimated salvage volume is between 500 and 600 MBF.

An analysis of watershed restoration opportunities was begun. The analysis, titled South River Programmatic Watershed Restoration, will consider a range of projects designed to restore access to and improve the condition of aquatic habitat, and enhance water quality in watersheds throughout the resource area. Projects to be considered include non-commercial riparian vegetation treatments, stream crossing replacements and stream restoration projects. Not included are those projects for which the preparation of an EA or EIS is not required.

Swiftwater Field Office

Land Disposal Sale to Douglas County

This project involves the sale of a narrow strip of land averaging 13 feet in width by 330 feet long (approximately 0.10 acre) in Section 20, T. 25 S., R. 5 W. This parcel consists of the frontage of the Sutherlin BLM Road Maintenance facility that is needed to widen County Road No. 388 (South Calapooya St.).

Status of Previous Planning Update Action Items

South River Field Office

Note: Differences in 5th-field watershed and 6th-field subwatershed names from those identified in previous planning updates reflect changes in boundaries and naming. These changes do not change the project areas from those previously described.

Shively Creek LSR Density Management

Description: This project was previously named LSR Wildlife Habitat Restoration. The project would apply both pre-commercial and commercial density management treatments for the purpose of accelerating the development of late-successional forest habitat conditions in the South Umpqua River/Galesville Late-Successional Reserve.

Location: Shively Creek 6th-field subwatershed in the South Umpqua River 5th-field watershed in T.31S., R.3W., Section 7 and T.31S., R.4W., Sections 11, 12, 13, 15 and 23.

Issue Identification: Ongoing.

Analysis: Environmental Assessment.

Public Review: Unknown at this time.

Decision Date: Unknown at this time.

N. Olalla-Lookingglass Watershed Level Project Plan

Description: The project proposes regeneration harvest of approximately 412 acres within the Matrix, estimated to yield 12,900 mbf of timber equivalent to approximately16,400 hundred cubic feet.

Location: Tenmile Creek and Lookingglass Creek 6th-field subwatersheds in the Olalla-Lookingglass 5th-field watershed. Timber sale units are proposed in T. 28 S., R. 7 W., Sections 8 and 9; T. 28 S., R. 8 W., Sections 21, 25 and 35; and T. 29 S., R. 8 W., Section 3.

Issue Identification: Ongoing.

Analysis: Environmental Assessment.

Public Review: Unknown at this time.

Decision Date: Unknown at this time.

Middle South Umpqua/Olalla-Lookingglass Watershed Level Plan

Description: The project proposes regeneration harvest of approximately 530 acres within the Matrix, estimated to yield 15,700 MBF of timber equivalent to approximately 25,200 hundred cubic feet.

Location: Rice Creek, Willis Creek and Judd Creek 6th-field subwatersheds in the Middle South Umpqua River 5th-field watershed, the Olalla Creek and Thompson Creek 6th-field subwatersheds in the Olalla Creek/Lookingglass 5th-field watershed, and the Doe Creek 6th-field subwatershed of the Lower Cow Creek 5th-field watershed. Timber sale units are proposed in T. 29 S., R. 6 W., Sections 28 and 29; T. 29 S., R. 7 W., Sections 13, 23 and 33; T. 29½ S., R. 7 W., Section 33; and T. 30 S., R. 6 W., Sections 5, 7 and 11.

Issue Identification: Ongoing.

Analysis: Environmental Assessment.

Public Review: Unknown at this time.

Decision Date: Unknown at this time.

Can-Can Watershed Level Project Plan

Description: The project proposes regeneration harvest of approximately 489 acres within the Matrix, estimated to yield 14,000 mbf of timber equivalent to approximately 22,000 hundred cubic feet.

Location: Shively Creek and Canyon Creek 6th-field subwatersheds in the South Umpqua 5th-field watershed and . Timber sale units are proposed in T. 30 S., R. 4 W., Section 5; T. 30 S., R. 5 W., Sections 9, 10, 11 and 15; T. 31 S., R. 5 W., Sections 23 and 26; and T. 30 S., R. 6 W., Sections 13 and 25.

Issue Identification: Ongoing.

Analysis: Environmental Assessment.

Public Review: Unknown at this time.

Decision Date: Unknown at this time.

Martin Creek Instream Restoration

Description: The project proposes the placement of instream structures along a 2-mile stretch of Martin Creek, where it passes through lands owned by Roseburg Resources Company, and lands managed by the BLM. The structures would consist of multiple logs and/or boulders, designed to aggrade the stream channel and provide pool habitat for resident and anadromous fish, and other aquatic organisms. The project would also replace a stream-crossing culvert on BLM Road No. 32-7-1.2 that blocks access by fish to approximately one mile of habitat in a side tributary of Martin Creek.

Location: T. 31 S., R. 7 W., Section 35, and T. 32 S., R. 7 W., Sections 1 and 2.

Issue Identification: Complete.

Analysis: Complete.

Public Review: Completed May 15, 2003.

Decision Date: Anticipated in March of 2005.

Commercial Thinning 2003

Description: Commercial thinning and density management of 520 acres of forest stands allocated to Matrix and Riparian Reserves.

Location: Middle Olalla 6th-field subwatershed in the Olalla Creek/Lookingglass 5th-field watershed; Days Creek 6th-field subwatershed in the South Umpqua 5th-field watershed; and Upper South Myrtle 6th-field subwatershed in the Myrtle Creek 5th-field watershed. Proposed units would be located in T. 29 S., R. 7 W., Section 31; T. 29½ S., R. 7 W., Section 31; T. 29 S., R. 3 W., Sections 23, 25 and 35; T. 28 S., R. 2 W., Sections 31and 32; T. 28 S., R. 3 W., Sections 35 and 36; and T. 29S., R. 2W., Sections 5 and 6.

Issue Identification: Complete.

Analysis: Complete.

Public Review: Completed September 1, 2003.

Decision Date: A decision to authorize Wasted Days Commercial Thinning was made on November 18, 2003. Additional decisions are anticipated in fiscal years 2004 and 2005.

Myrtle Creek Watershed Restoration

Description: An assessment of the environmental consequences of watershed restoration projects that would include the replacement of stream-crossing culverts that are at risk of failure and/or blocking passage to fish, road decommissioning, road upgrading, slide stabilization, and installation of in-stream structures to promote habitat complexity.

Location: Throughout the Myrtle Creek 5th Field Watershed.

Issue Identification: Complete.

Analysis: Environmental Assessment Complete.

Public Review: Completed on March 13, 2003. Final FONSI signed on March 14, 2003.

Decision Date: Decisions for the replacement of Lee Creek Culvert #4, Riser Creek Culvert, Tributary to N. Myrtle Creek Culvert, and the Slide Creek Instream Restoration project were issued in early April, 2003. Subsequent decisions in June, 2003, included replacement of Lee Creek Culverts #1 & #2, and Ben Branch Creek Culvert. Additional project decisions are anticipated in fiscal year 2004 and beyond.

South River Commercial Thinning 2002

Description: Commercial thinning and density management of approximately 490 acres of managed second-growth stands in GFMA and Riparian Reserves. The thinning sales are anticipated to yield approximately 6,250 mbf or 10,625 hundred cubic feet of chargeable volume from the Matrix allocations. Approximately 1,890 mbf of non-chargeable timber volume equivalent to 3,200 hundred cubic feet would be derived from density management within Riparian Reserves.

Location: Upper Middle Fork Coquille and Middle South Umpqua River/Rice Creek watershed analysis units. Proposed thinning units would be located in T. 29 S., R. 6 W., Sections 27, 33 and 35; T. 30 S., R. 6 W., Sections 3 and 9; T. 29 S., R. 7 W., Sections 25 and 35; Section 29 of T. 29 S., R. 8 W.; T. 29 S., R. 9 W., Section 13; and T. 30 S., R. 9 W., Sections 13 and 23.

Issue Identification: Complete.

Analysis: Environmental Assessment Complete.

Public Review: Completed on April 9, 2003.

Decision Date: Decisions for Boomerang and Rice Bowl Commercial Thinning Timber Sales were issued on July 29, 2003. A remaining decision on additional thinning units is anticipated in fiscal year 2005.

South River FY 2001 Regeneration Harvest Project Plan

Description: Regeneration harvest of approximately 640 acres allocated as GFMA and Connectivity/Diversity Blocks. The timber sales would be expected to yield approximately 14,900 mbf of timber equivalent to 26,900 hundred cubic feet.

Location: Lower South Umpqua River Watershed, South Umpqua River and Lower Cow Creek watersheds. Proposed timber sale units would be located in T. 27 S., R. 4 W., Sections 33 and 35; T. 28 S., R. 4 W., Sections 3, 5 and 10; T. 30 S., R. 4 W., Sections 3 and 4; T. 31 S., R. 6 W., Sections 27 and 33; and T. 32 S., R. 6 W., Section 3.

Issue Identification: Complete.

Analysis: Environmental Assessment in progress.

Public Review: Unknown at this time.

Decision Date: Unknown at this time.

Middle Fork Coquille Commercial Thinning 2001

Description: Commercial thinning and density management of approximately 1,000 acres of managed second-growth stands in GFMA, Connectivity/Diversity Block and Riparian Reserve land use allocations. The action is expected to result in 4 timber sales yielding approximately 6,000 mbf of timber equivalent to 10,200 hundred cubic feet.

Location: Middle Fork Coquille River watershed. Proposed thinning units would be located in T. 28 S. R. 8 W., Sections 29 and 31; T. 29 S., R. 8 W., Sections 31, 32, and 33; T. 30 S., R. 8 W., Sections 5 and 7; and T. 30 S., R. 9 W., Sec. 1, 2, and 3.

Issue Identification: Complete.

Analysis: Environmental Assessment Complete.

Public Review: Complete.

Decision Date: A decision on Angel Hair Commercial Thinning was issued in January, 2003. Additional decisions are anticipated in fiscal years 2004-2006.

South River Commercial Thinning 2000

Description: Commercial thinning and density management of approximately 300 acres of managed second-growth stands in GFMA and Riparian Reserves. The timber sales would be expected to yield approximately 5,590 CCF of timber.

Location: East Fork and Middle Fork Coquille River, South Umpqua River, and Middle South Umpqua River/Dumont Creek watersheds. Proposed timber sale units would be located in T. 28 S., R. 8 W., Section 19; T. 29 S., R. 3 W., Sections 13 and 24; T. 30 S., R. 3 W., Sections 3 and 4; T. 29 S., R. 2 W., Section 19; and T. 30 S., R. 2 W., Section 9.

Issue Identification: Complete.

Analysis: Environmental Assessment Complete.

Public Review: Complete.

Decision Date: A decision for Hurricane Ruby Commercial Thinning was issued on August 27, 2001. Weaver Road Commercial Thinning was authorized on October 30, 2001, and Leave It to Weaver Commercial Thinning was authorized on June 24, 2003. Authorization for thinning of the remaining units analyzed (E1, E2 and E4) is anticipated in fiscal year 2005 or 2006.

Ragu Timber Sale

Description: Regeneration harvest of approximately 150 acres allocated as GFMA. The timber sale would be expected to yield approximately 6,200 CCF of timber.

Location: Berry Creek 6th-field subwatershed in the Olalla Creek-Lookingglass Creek 5th-field watershed, and the Camas Valley 6th-field subwatershed in the Middle Fork Coquille River 5th-field watershed. Proposed timber sale units would be located in T. 29 S., R. 8 W., Sections 9, 21, 29, and 33; and T. 30 S., R. 8 W., Section 5.

Issue Identification: Complete.

Analysis: Environmental Assessment Complete.

Public Review: Complete.

Decision Date: Unknown at this time.

Dickerson Heights Timber Sale

Description: Regeneration harvest of approximately 180 acres allocated as GFMA and Connectivity/Diversity Blocks. The timber sale would be expected to yield approximately 5,500 MBF of timber equivalent to 8,800 hundred cubic feet.

Location: Olalla Creek 6th-field subwatershed of the Olalla Creek-Lookingglass Creek 5th-field watershed. Proposed timber sale units would be located in T. 29 S., R. 7 W., Sections 3, 9, 11, and 15.

Issue Identification: Complete.

Analysis: Environmental Assessment in progress.

Public Review: Unknown at this time.

Decision Date: Unknown at this time.

Loose Laces Timber Sale

Description: Regeneration harvest of approximately 200 acres allocated as GFMA and Connectivity/Diversity Blocks. The timber sale would be expected to yield approximately 4,550 MBF of timber equivalent to 7,280 hundred cubic feet.

Location: Lower Cow Creek 6th-field subwatershed of the Lower Cow Creek 5th-field watershed. Proposed timber sale units would be located in T. 31 S., R. 6 W., Sections 1, 3, 13 and 15.

Issue Identification: EA OR105-98-04 and FONSI withdrawn and replaced by EA OR105-99-14. Issue identification completed.

Analysis: Environmental Assessment in progress.

Public Review: Unknown at this time.

Decision Date: Unknown at this time.

Swiftwater Field Office

Summit Creek Blowdown

Description: This project, located in Township 20 South, Range 6 West, Section 26, would remove some blowdown logs from Summit Creek and redistribute the logs to provide for instream structures in stream segments where it is found to be lacking within the Upper and Middle Smith River Watersheds. The logs would be stockpiled for current or future stream restoration projects. They are primarily targeted for stream segments with adjacent forests 0 - 30 years of age.

Location: Late-Successional Reserve

Issue Identification: Public input is welcomed.

Analysis: This project has commenced in November 2003.

Public Review: Anticipated by February 2004.

FY 2003 Commercial Thinning Timber Sales

Description: Analysis and design of two commercial thinnings. The two thinnings would be sold separately, but have one environmental assessment (EA) document; Copeland Divide, (Commercial Thinning) Sec. 3, T. 22 S., R. 6 W., W.M.; Sec. 31, T. 21 S., R. 4 W. W.M.; Sec. 7, T. 22 S., R. 4 W. W.M.; and Boyd Howdy (Density Management/Commercial Thinning) Secs. 11, 13, 15, 21, 23, 25 & 27, T. 25 S., R. 2 W., W.M.; Secs. 29 & 30, T. 25 S., R.1W., W.M..

Location: GFMA, Connectivity, and Riparian Reserve.

Issue Identification: Completed.

Analysis: Completed.

Public Review: Completed.

Decision Dates: Copeland Divide - November 18.
Boyd Howdy - To be announced.

Upper Umpqua Watershed Plan

Description: This EA analyzes a variety of potential and continuing projects throughout the watershed. Treatment of forests for fish, wildlife and commercial objectives; treatment or decommissioning of roads; and instream and aquatic enhancement are a few of the types of projects analyzed in this EA.
Location: GFMA, Connectivity, LSR, and Riparian Reserve.
Issue Identification: Completed.
Analysis: Completed.
Public Review: Completed.
Decision Dates: Multiple Decisions - Restoration portion October 8.

Galagher Commercial Thinning

Description: This EA analyzes commercial thinning harvest in Sections 9, 17, and 19 of T24S R6W. The analysis area includes portions of the Yellow Creek and Lost Canyon Drainages of the Upper Umpqua Watershed.
Location: GFMA and Riparian Reserve.
Issue Identification: Completed.
Analysis: On-going
Public Review: Anticipated February 2004

Deferred Analyses

The following projects are not presently considered action items. Further work on the environmental assessments has been deferred. At such time as analysis is resumed, it will be noted in the Planning Update.

South River Field Office

North Myrtle Timber Sales

Swiftwater Field Office

Shingle Lane Regen & Commercial Thinning
Watson Mountain
Powell Creek
Pipeline
What-a-Gas
Green Thunder
Bear Hill

Other Assessments

South River Aquatic Restoration Assessment

This is an ongoing planning effort to consolidate all information from data sources, inventories, watershed analysis, etc. The document is currently under management review.

Watershed Analysis Status

South River Field Office

All watershed analyses are currently completed. No revisions of previous analyses are scheduled at this time. Work on water quality restoration plans is continuing.

Swiftwater Field Office

Swiftwater Aquatic Restoration Assessment and Planning Effort (SARAPE)

This is an ongoing planning effort to consolidate all information from data sources, inventories, watershed analysis, etc. This consolidated information would then allow the Swiftwater Field Office to identify problem areas to focus future restoration activities. This effort has been delayed indefinitely.

Elk Creek Watershed Analysis

The watershed analyses of several sixth-field watersheds will be revised and combined into a fifth-field analysis covering the entire Elk Creek Watershed. Estimated completion date - February 1, 2004.

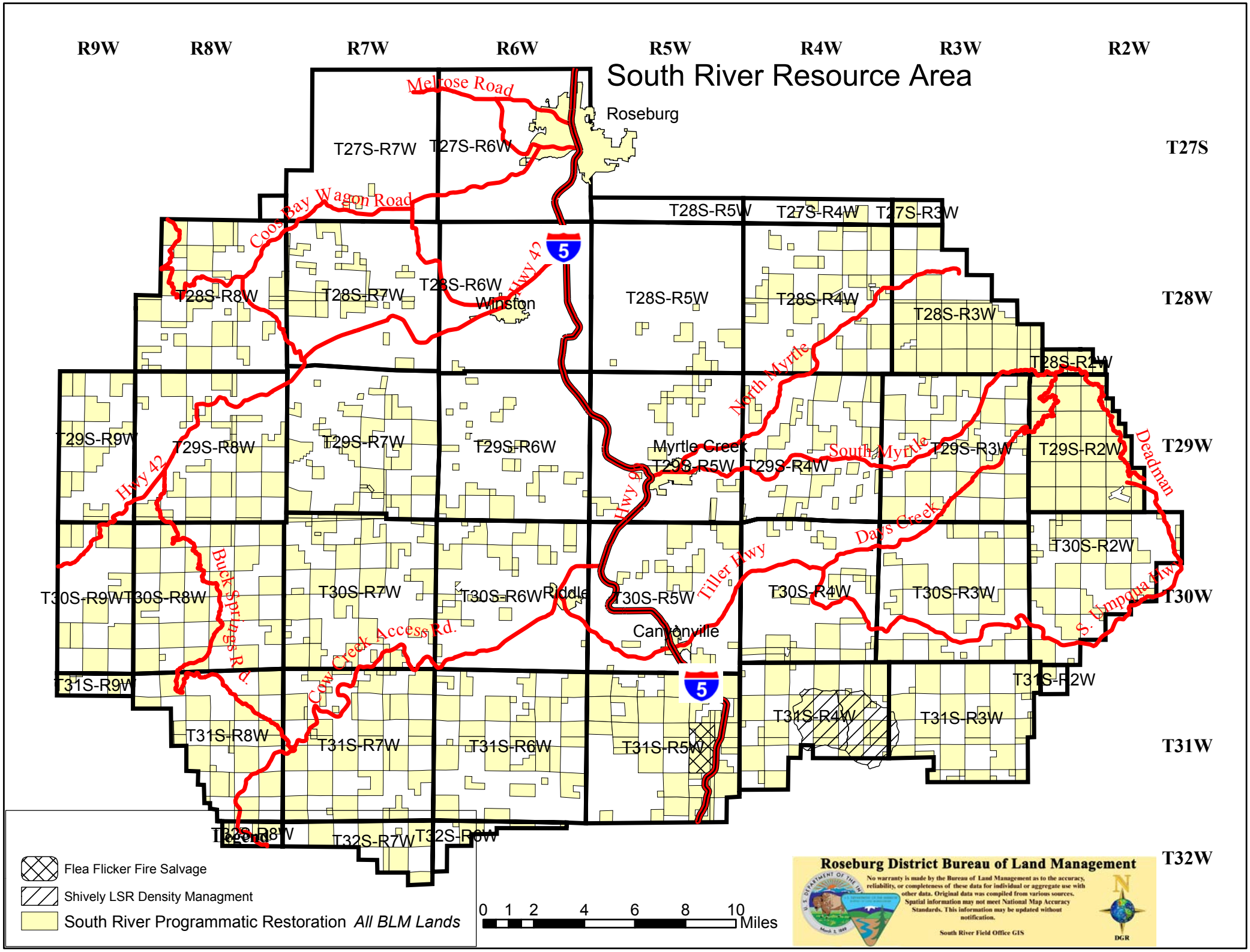
Recreation

Roseburg District has completed initial construction on two new campgrounds that will serve group use camping and day-use activities. Reservations will be available for up to one year in advance for either facility. Potential groups include family reunions, company outings, church activities, scout campouts, association or other campouts. Each site will accommodate approximately 100 people.

The Lone Pine group reservation campground is located across from Millpond Campground five miles up Rock Creek Road. It's 11 campsites, a volleyball area, group fire ring and will be rented for under $100 a night. The large pavilion at Millpond can also be rented.

The new Eagleview Campground is located where the old Campfire Girls facility operated for 40 years on the lower Umpqua River, one mile downstream from BLM's Tyee Campground. The 10- campsite campground has a pavilion, group use fire-ring area and will also be available for a similar rate.

Fees have not been finalized. Both sites should be open by Memorial Day weekend in 2004. Reservations may be made for either after January 1, 2004. For more information, contact Ron Murphy, Recreation Planner at 541 464-3265.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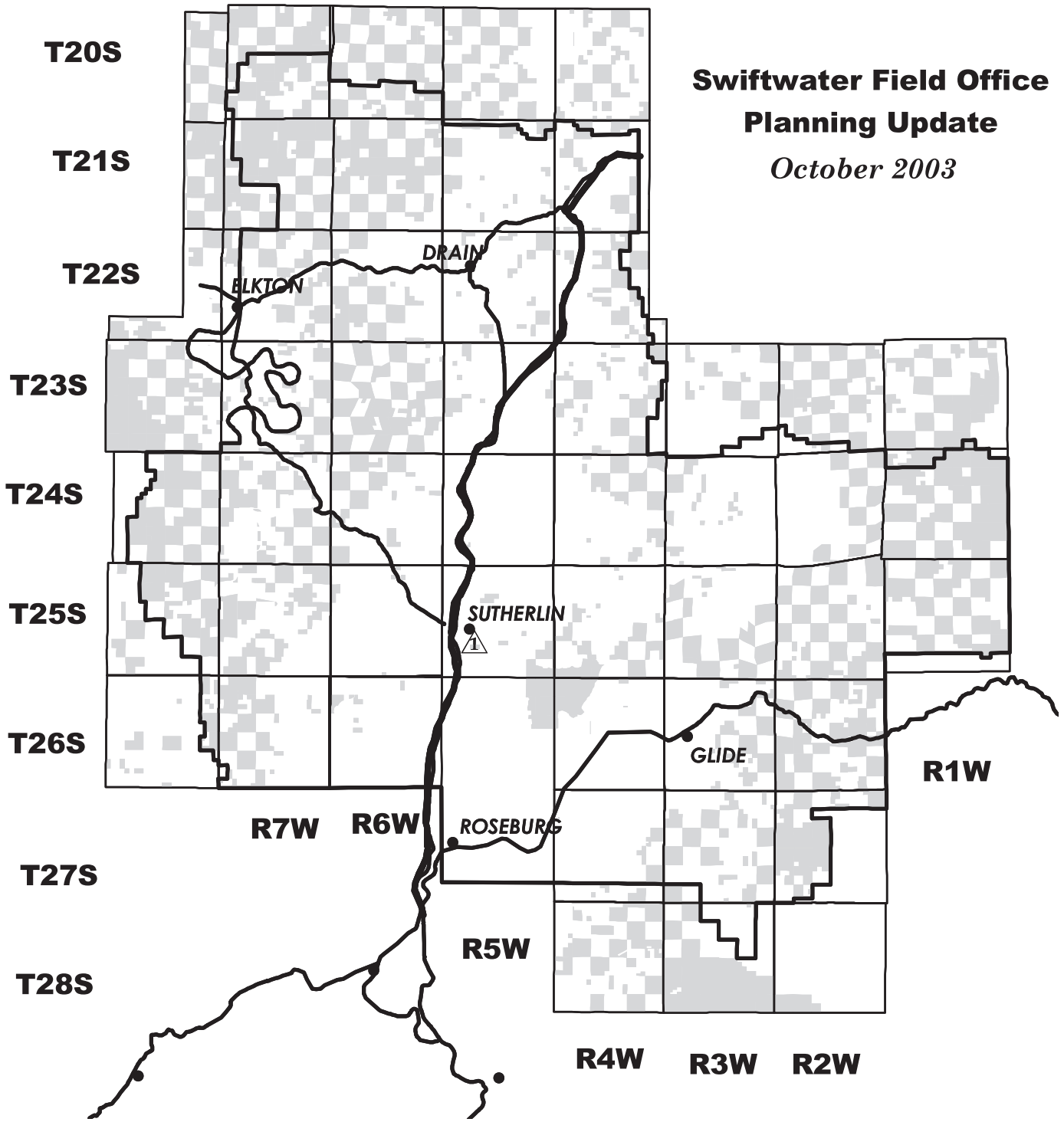

Swiftwater Field Office
Planning Update
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Legend

- Interstate 5
- Major Oregon Highways
- Towns

Abbreviations and Definitions

BO - Biological Opinion.

CF - Cubic feet.

CCF - Hundred cubic feet.

CX or Categorical Exclusion - Actions which do not have significant effects on the environment and for which an Environmental Analysis (EA) or an Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) is not required.

EA - Environmental Assessment – This is a concise public document that briefly provides evidence and analysis of a proposed Federal action. It is used to determine whether further analysis needs to be done for an Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) or a Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI).

IDT - Interdisciplinary Team - A team is a group of resource specialists, whose participation is determined by the issues relating to the project proposal, and who conduct environmental analysis.

LSR – Late-Successional Reserves - One of the seven Federal land designations set forth in the Northwest Forest Plan. These reserves will maintain a functional, interactive, late-successional and old-growth forest ecosystem. Approximately 81% of the Roseburg District BLM is reserve.

Matrix Lands - One of the seven Federal land designations set forth in the Northwest Forest Plan. Most timber harvest contributing to the Allowable Sale Quantity takes place in this area. Approximately 19% of the Roseburg District BLM is matrix.

MBF - Thousand board feet.

MMBF - Million board feet.

NEPA - National Environmental Policy Act - A federal law which sets the systematic interdisciplinary analysis to achieve integrated consideration of physical, biological, economic, and other sciences to provide for an informed decision. The process provides for public participation in the development, review and revision of certain activities on Federal Lands.

NWFP - Northwest Forest Plan - A common name for the Record of Decision for Amendments to Forest Service and Bureau of Land Management Planning Documents Within the Range of the Northern Spotted Owl (April 1994). It is also used to refer to the Standards and Guidelines for Management of Habitat for Late-Successional and Old Growth Forest Related Species with the Range of the Northern Spotted Owl which accompanies the Record of Decision.

O&C Lands - Revested Oregon and California Railroad Lands.

Resource Management Plan (RMP) - A land use plan prepared by the BLM in accordance with the Federal Land Policy and Management Act (FLPMA).

Scoping - An early and open part of environmental analysis that allows interested public and other Federal, state and local agencies the opportunity to provide issues, concerns and opportunities relative to proposed project actions. Scoping is required by regulation for Environmental Impact Statements.