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Pleasant Valley Enterprises
C/O Mr. Gail Norman
Star Route Box 670
Trout Creek, Utah 84083

Dear Mr. Gail Norman,

Your base property lease with Mr. Rex Claridge expires on October 31, 1999 on the Mallory Springs Allotment (No Selective Management Category). The signed "Acceptance of Terms and Conditions" form was received on September 30, 1999. I propose to offer you a term permit for the period 1999 to 2009 for the Mallory Springs Allotment.

The new grazing regulations require the authorized officer to consult, cooperate, and coordinate (CCC) with affected permittees, the State agencies responsible for managing resources within the area, and the interested public prior to the issuance of grazing permits (43 CFR 4130.2(b)). Therefore, a copy of this letter and a copy of the acceptance form will be sent to individuals, groups or organizations that have expressed an interest in the management of livestock grazing on the Mallory Springs Allotment.

You meet all of the qualifications for a grazing permittee outlined in 43 CFR 4110.1, and this offering and issuance of a permit complies with the regulations governing issuance of permits outlined in 43 CFR 4110.2-1, 4110.2-2 and 4110.3-2.

The terms and conditions outlined in the enclosed acceptance form are those which have historically appeared on previous annual licenses and permits authorizing grazing use in this allotment. The terms and conditions outlined are also consistent with the Schell Resource Area Management Framework Plan (MFP), the Schell Draft Grazing Environmental Impact Statement and the subsequent Record of Decision.

An Environmental Assessment has been completed for issuance of this proposed term permit. The proposed grazing use is within the array of options identified for the alternatives and proposed action as analyzed in the Schell Draft Grazing Environmental Impact Statement.

The Mallory Springs Allotment is located within the Moriah Wild Horse Herd Management Area.

If we propose to change the terms and conditions of these grazing permits, following the comment period, we will keep you and other interested parties informed. If we determine that it is necessary to offer you this permit via proposed decision, it will be sent to the interested public and will include a 15-day period for protest and a 30-day period for appeal.

In Reply Refer To:
4120 (NV 04200)

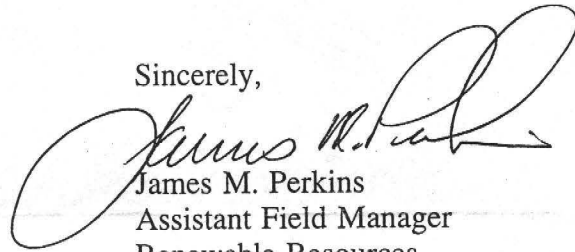
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The interested public is being asked to provide comments by October 31, 1999. Any comments in writing should be sent to James M. Perkins, Assistant Field Manager-Renewable Resources at the above address.

If you have any questions please contact the Ely Field Office, at (775) 289-1800. If you would prefer to discuss this matter in person, please call to set up an appointment with us so that we may respond to any questions you may have.

Sincerely,



James M. Perkins
Assistant Field Manager
Renewable Resources

1 Enclosure

1. Acceptance of Terms and Conditions Offer

CC: Nevada State Clearinghouse

Mr. Steve Foree, NDOW

Mr. Curt Baughman, NDOW

Mr. Mike Podborny, NDOW

White Pine County Commissioners

Nevada Cattlemen's Association

Mr. John McLain, RCI

US Fish and Wildlife Service

Mr. Glen Terry

Ms. Laurel Etchegaray, Nevada Woolgrower's Association

Commission for the Preservation of Wild Horses

Mr. Lee R. Tilman

ACCEPTANCE OF TERMS AND CONDITIONS
and
REQUEST FOR GRAZING PERMIT

I, Gail Norman agree to accept the Terms & Conditions listed below and request that I be offered a Grazing Permit to graze the allotment in which I have a grazing preference.

ALLOTMENT NUMBER	NAME	LIVESTOCK NUMBER	KIND	GRAZING PERIOD BEGIN	END	%PL	TYPE USE	AUM's
10118	Mallory	240	Sheep	03/01	05/31	100	Active	254
	Springs	63	Cattle	06/01	08/30	100	Active	191
		216	Sheep	09/01	02/28	100	Active	495

Terms and Conditions:

In accordance with 43 CFR 4130.3-2, the following terms and conditions will be included in the grazing permit for Mallory Springs Allotment.

1. The authorized officer is requiring that an actual use report (form 4130-5) be submitted within 15 days after completing your annual grazing use.
2. If payment is not received within 15 days of the due date, you will be charged a late fee assessment of \$25.00 or 10 percent of the grazing bill, whichever is greater, not to exceed \$250.00. Failure to make payment within 30 days of the due date may result in trespass action.
3. Pursuant to 43 CFR 10.4(G) the holder of this authorization must notify the authorized officer by telephone, with written confirmation, immediately upon discovery of human remains, funerary objects, sacred objects, or objects of cultural partimony (as defined at 43 CFR 10.2). Further, pursuant to 43 CFR 10.4 (C) and (D), you must stop activities in the immediate vicinity of the discovery and protect it from your activities for 30 days or until notified to proceed by the authorized officer.
4. Grazing will be in accordance with the Northeastern Great Basin Area Standards and Guidelines for grazing administration as developed by the Northeastern Great Basin Resource Advisory Council and approved by the Secretary of the Interior on February 12, 1997. Grazing use will also be in accordance with 43 CFR subpart 4180 - Fundamentals of Rangeland Health and Standards and Guidelines for grazing administration.

Gail Norman
Signature of Permittee

9/30/99
Date