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Dear Debra:

Your term permit (#2704446) expired on 11/16/2005. In accordance with Sec. 325, Title III, H.R. 2691, Department of the Interior and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2004 (P.L. 108-108), which was enacted on November 10, 2003, your grazing permit can now be renewed under Section 402 of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976, as amended (43 U.S.C. 1752), title III of the Bankhead-Jones Farm Tenant Act (7 U.S.C. 1010 et seq.), or , if applicable, section 510 of the California Desert Protection Act (16 U.S.C. 410aaa-50). In accordance with Public Law 108-108 the terms and conditions contained in the expired or transferred permit have been incorporated into your new permit and shall continue in effect under the renewed permit until such time as the Secretary of the Interior completes processing of this permit in compliance with all applicable laws and regulations, at which time this permit may be canceled, suspended, or modified, in whole or in part, to meet the requirements of such applicable laws and regulations.

The issuance of the permit would be for a period of ten years beginning November 16, 2006, and ending November 17, 2015 in accordance with the dates of your grazing lease. Permitted use on the Mill Spring Allotment is 341 active AUMs of cattle use. The season of use for the Mill Spring West Pasture is from May 16 to June 30. The season of use for the Mill Spring East Pasture is from April 1 to September 30. The signed "Acceptance of Terms and Conditions" form was received on 4/6/2006. (See the enclosed Acceptance of Terms and Conditions Agreement for details.)

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 Mill Spring allotment for the 2006 grazing year (list at end of this letter).

You meet all of the qualifications for the 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 and 4110.2-2.

The terms and conditions outlined in the enclosed acceptance form are those that have historically appeared on previous annual licenses and permits authorizing grazing use on the allotment. The terms and conditions of livestock grazing outlined for the Mill Spring Allotment was developed through consultation, cooperation and coordination with the interested public during the allotment evaluation process. The terms and conditions outlined are also consistent with the Egan Resource Management Plan (RMP), Final Environmental Impact Statement (FEIS), and subsequent Record of Decision (ROD).

The geographic portion of the Mill Spring Allotment is located within the Moriah Wild Horse Herd Management Area.

If you have any questions please contact *Craig Hoover*, Rangeland Management Specialist, at (775) 289-1889. 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,

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William E. Dunn Assistant Field Manager Renewable Resources

1 Enclosure

1. Acceptance of Terms and Conditions Offer

Interested Public Mailing List (2006) Permit renewal for Mill Spring Allotment

cc:

Curtis Baughman, NDOW Steve Foree, NDOW Lincoln Co. Commissioners Betsy Macfarlan, ENLC John McLain, RCI Nevada State Clearinghouse Katie Fite, Western Watersheds Project

## ACCEPTANCE OF TERMS & CONDITIONS and REQUEST FOR GRAZING PERMIT

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I (we) Dusty and Debra Youren., agree to accept the Terms & Conditions listed below and request that I (we) be offered a Grazing Permit to graze the allotment(s) in which I (we) have a grazing preference.

ALLOTMENT Number Name		LIVESTOCK Number & Kind		GRAZING PERIOD Begin End		% PL	Typ e Use	, <sup>NN</sup> AUMs Susp Actv	
10109	Mill Spring Mill Spring West Pasture Mill Spring East Pasture	40	C C	05/16 4/1	06/30 9/30	100	A	77	341

## **Terms and Conditions:**

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

- 1. Livestock numbers identified in the term grazing permit are a function of seasons of use and permitted use for each allotment. Deviations from those livestock numbers and seasons of use may be authorized on an annual basis where such deviations would not prevent attainment of the Multiple-Use Objectives for the allotment.
- 2. Deviations from specified grazing use dates will be allowed when consistent with Multiple-Use Objectives. Such deviations will require an application and written authorization from the authorized officer prior to grazing use.
- 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 patrimony (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. The authorized officer is requiring that an actual use report (Form 4130-5) be submitted within 15 days after completing your annual grazing use.
- 5. The payment of your grazing fees is due on or before the date specified in the grazing bill. This date is generally the opening date of your allotment. If payment is not received within 15 days of the due date, you will be charged a late fee assessment of \$25 or 10 percent of the grazing bill, whichever is greater, not to exceed \$250. Payment with Visa, MasterCard or American Express is accepted. Failure to make payment within 30 days of the due date may result in trespass action.
- 6. Grazing use 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 Sub-part 4180 - Fundamentals of Rangeland Health and Standards and Guidelines for Grazing Administration.
- 7. If future monitoring data indicates that standards and guidelines for grazing management are not being met, the permit will be reissued subject to revised terms and conditions.

## **Additional Terms and Conditions:**

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

- 1. Signed actual statements for the period 3/1 to 2/28 are due yearly by 3/31. Issuance of grazing licenses is dependent upon receipt of actual use.
- 2. In accordance with Sec. 325 In accordance with Sec. 325, Title III, H.R. 2691, Department of the Interior and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2004, (P.L. 108-108), which was enacted on November 10, 2003, this grazing permit or lease is renewed under Section 402 of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976, as amended (43 U.S.C. 1752), title III of the Bankhead-Jones Farm Tenant Act (16 U.S.C. 1010 et seq.), or, if applicable, section 510 of the California Desert Protection Act (16 U.S.C. 410aaa-50). In accordance with Public Law 108-108, the terms and conditions contained in the expired permit have been incorporated into the new permit and shall continue in effect under the renewed permit until such time as the Secretary of the Interior completes processing of this permit in compliance with all applicable laws and regulations, at which time the permit may be canceled, suspended, or modified, in whole or in part, to meet the requirements of such applicable laws and regulations.

3. Livestock will be herded in the west pasture to prevent drift into the Indian George Allotment. Active use in the west pasture will be 60 AUMs with 203 AUMS mandatory non use until the fence line is constructed.

Signed: Dusty Youren Dusty Youren Signed: Debra Youren Debra Youren

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Date: <u>April 1,06</u> Date: <u>March 06</u>