

Buffalo Hills Allot L 10-12-00



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4130.6-2(NV022.17)

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Dear Interested Public:

I have received a grazing application for Temporary Nonrenewable (TNR) Use and a Temporary Change In Season of Use on the Buffalo Hills Allotment. As per 43 CFR 4130.3-3 and 4130.6-2, the Bureau is required to consult, cooperate, and coordinate with affected permittees and interested publics prior to the issuance of nonrenewable grazing permits and modifying grazing permits.

The permittee has requested the following livestock use:

250 C	11/01/00 to 11/30/00	=	247 AUM's
250 C	12/01/00 to 12/31/00	=	255 AUM's
250 C	01/01/01 to 01/31/01	=	255 AUM's
250 C	02/01/01 to 02/28/01	=	<u>230 AUM's</u>
			987 AUM's

These areas have historically had very little use and were identified for winter use in the 1993 Buffalo Hills Allotment Evaluation. The areas identified for this use are outside of the HMA boundaries, will not impact riparian zones, and will still allow allotment objectives to be met. Alternative water sources, both hauling and pumping, are identified on the proposed use area map.

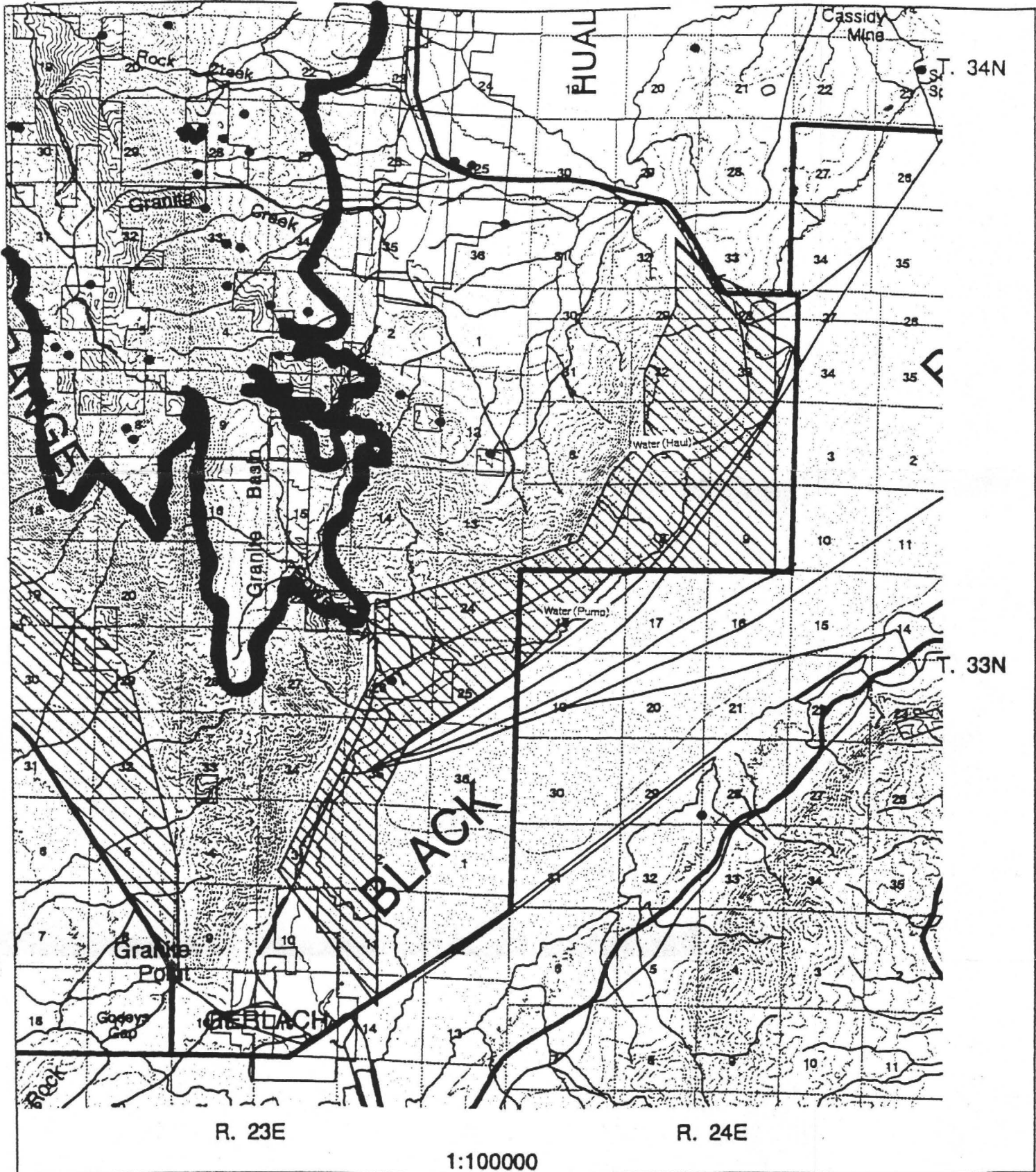
If you have comments or concerns with this proposal, please contact me in writing by October 25, 2000. If comments are not received by this date, I will authorize this request in two month increments, with a field examination being made in mid December prior to the authorization of the January/February use. Please contact Shane Findlay at (775) 623-1500 should you have any questions.

Sincerely yours,




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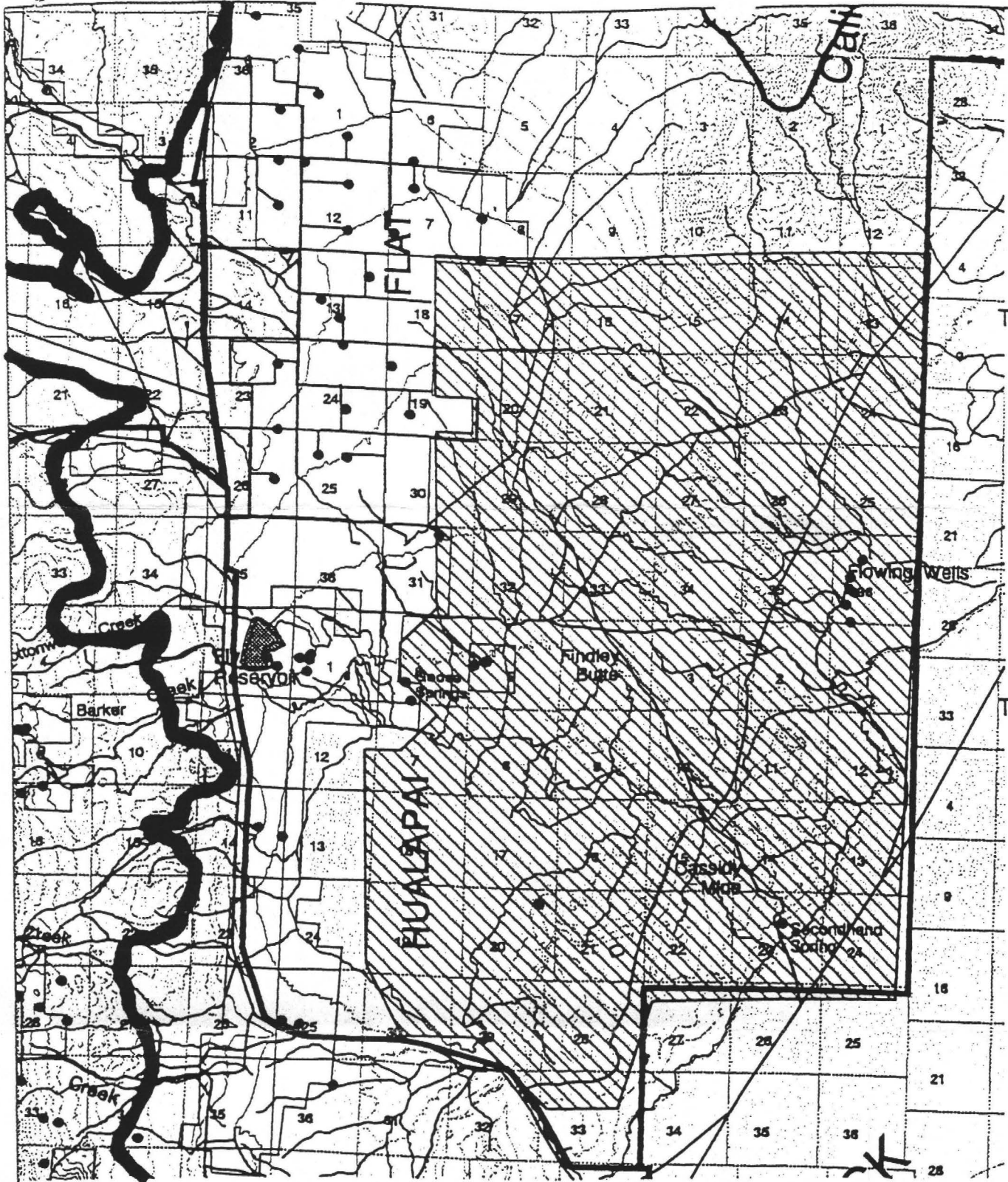


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-  HMA Boundary
-  Allotment Boundary

Area of Proposed TNR








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