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BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

Winnemucca District Office
705 East 4th Street
Winnemucca, Nevada 89445

In Reply Refer To:

(NV-240)
4160

January 26, 1996

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NOTICE OF AREA MANAGER'S PROPOSED DECISION

Nevada First Corporation
c/o Gary Bengochea
P.O. Box 490
Winnemucca, NV 89446

Dear Mr. Bengochea:

I have received your signed "Acceptance of Terms and Conditions and Request For Grazing Permit" form(s) for the Little Owyhee, Bullhead, Scott Spring, and Bloody Run Allotment(s). I have determined that you are a qualified applicant and that the above listed allotment(s) is/are designated as available for livestock grazing through the Paradise-Denio Management Framework Plan.

I have further determined that the Terms and Conditions which you have accepted are appropriate to achieve the management and resource condition objectives for the allotment(s), and that they will ensure conformance with 43 CFR 4180 (Fundamentals of Rangeland Health).

My proposed decision is to offer you the attached Grazing Permit(s).

Rationale:

The Code of Federal Regulations require (43 CFR 4130.2(a)) that, "Grazing permits or leases shall be issued to qualified applicants to authorize use on the public lands and other lands under the administration of the Bureau of Land Management that are designated as available for livestock grazing through land use plans."

43 CFR 4130.3 states that, "Livestock grazing permits and leases shall contain terms and conditions determined by the authorized officer to be appropriate to achieve the management and

resource condition objectives for the public lands and other lands administered by the Bureau of Land Management, and to ensure conformance with the provisions of subpart 4180 of this part."

Authority: The authority of this decision is contained in Title 43 of the Code of Federal Regulations, which states in pertinent parts:

4100.0-8 "The authorized officer shall manage livestock grazing on public lands under the principles of multiple use and sustained yield and in accordance with applicable land use plans. Land use plans shall establish allowable resource uses (either singly or in combination), related levels of production or use to be maintained, areas of use, and resource condition goals and objectives to be obtained. The plans also set forth program constraints and general management practices needed to achieve management objectives. Livestock grazing activities and management actions approved by the authorized officer shall be in conformance with the land use plan as defined at 43 CFR 1601.0-5(b)."

4130.2(a) "Grazing permits or leases shall be issued to qualified applicants to authorize use on the public lands and other lands under the administration of the Bureau of Land Management that are designated as available for livestock grazing through land use plans. Permits or leases shall specify the types and levels of use authorized, including livestock grazing, suspended use, and conservation use. These grazing permits or leases shall also specify terms and conditions pursuant to 4130.3, 4130.3-1, and 4130.3-2."

4130.2(b) "The authorized officer shall consult, cooperate and coordinate with affected permittees or lessees, the State having lands or responsible for managing resources within the area, and the interested publics prior to the issuance or renewal of grazing permits and leases."

4130.3 "Livestock grazing permits and leases shall contain terms and conditions determined by the authorized officer to be appropriate to achieve the management and resource objectives for the public lands and other lands administered by the Bureau of Land Management, and to ensure conformance with the provisions of subpart 4180 of this part."

4130.3-1(a) "The authorized officer shall specify the kind and number of livestock, the period(s) of use, the allotment(s) to be used, and the amount of use, in animal unit months, for every grazing permit or lease. The authorized livestock grazing use shall not exceed the livestock carrying capacity of the allotment."

4130.3-2 "The authorized officer may specify in grazing permits or leases other terms and conditions which will assist in achieving management objectives, provide for proper range management or assist in the orderly administration of the public rangelands..."

4160.1(a) "Proposed decisions shall be served on any affected applicant, permittee, or lessee and any agent and lien holder of record, who is affected by the proposed actions, terms or conditions, or modification relating to applications, permits and agreements (including range improvement permits) or leases, by certified mail or personal delivery. Copies of proposed decisions shall also be sent certified to the interested publics."

4160.2 "Any applicant, permittee, lessee, or other affected interests may protest the proposed decisions under Sec. 4160.1 of this title in person or in writing to the authorized officer within 15 days after receipt of such decision."

Protests:

Any applicant, permittee, lessee, or other affected interests may protest the proposed decisions under Sec. 43 CFR 4160.1, in person or in writing to Colin P. Christensen, Paradise-Denio Resource Area Manager, 705 E. Fourth Street, Winnemucca, NV, 89445, within 15 days after receipt of such decision. The protest, if filed, should clearly and concisely state the reason(s) as to why the proposed decision is in error.

In the absence of a protest, the proposed decision will become the final decision of the authorized officer without further notice unless otherwise provided in the proposed decision.

Any applicant, permittee, lessee or other person whose interest is adversely affected by the final decision may file an appeal and petition for stay of the decision pending final determination on appeal under 43 CFR 4160.4, §4.21 and §4.470. The appeal and petition for stay must be filed in the office of the authorized officer, noted above, within 30 days following receipt of the final decision, or 30 days after the date the proposed decision becomes final.

The appeal shall state the reasons, clearly and concisely, why the appellant thinks the final decision is in error.

Should you wish to file a motion for stay, the appellant shall show sufficient justification based on the following standards:

- (1) The relative harm to the parties if the stay is granted or denied.
- (2) The likelihood of the appellant's success on the merits.
- (3) The likelihood of immediate and irreparable harm if the stay is not granted, and
- (4) Whether the public interest favors granting the stay.

As noted above the petition for stay must be filed in the office of the authorized officer.

Sincerely yours,



Colin P. Christensen
Paradise-Denio Resource Area Manager

CC: Certified Copies were sent to the Interested Publics with check marks by their name.

✓P383122719 Natural Resources Defense Council
✓P383122720 Sierra Club-Toiyabe Chapter
✓P383122721 Craig C. Downer
✓P383122722 The Wilderness Society
P383122723 Nevada Outdoor Recreation Association
P383122724 USFWS Sheldon National Wildlife Refuge
✓P383122725 Desert Bighorn Council
✓P383122726 NDOW-Fallon
✓P383122727 Mr. John Marvel
✓P383122728 Nevada Cattlemen's Association
✓P383122729 Resource Concepts, Inc.
✓P383122730 Santa Rosa Ranger District
✓P383122731 Nevada Farm Bureau Federation
✓P383122732 NV Dept. of Wildlife, Region II
✓P383122733 USFWS
✓P383122734 Sagebrush Chapter, Trout Unlimited
✓P383122735 Wild Horse Organ. Assist.
✓P383122736 Animal Protection Institute of America
✓P383122737 Commission for the Preservation
of Wild Horses
✓P383122738 International Society for the Protection
of Mustangs and Burros
✓P383122739 American Horse Protection Assn.
✓P383122740 U.S. Humane Society
P383122742 Ms. Anna Charlton - Rutgers Law School
P383122743 Edie Wilson
✓P383122744 Humboldt County Commissioners
P383122745 Tribal Council - Ft. McDermitt Tribe
✓P383122746 Jim Shepherd
✓P383122747 Area Manager - Elko Resource Area
P383122748 Met Life
P383122749 Stephen A. Moen
P383122750 NORA
P383122751 John Falen
P383122752 American Wildlands
P383122753 Oregon Dept. of Environmental Quality
P383122754 American Fisheries Society
P383122755 High Desert Wilderness Comm.
P383122756 Trout Unlimited of Oregon
P383122757 Oregon Wildlife Federation
P383122759 Oregon Dept. of Fish and Wildlife
P383122760 Audubon Society of Portland
P383122763 FmHA-Ontario,OR
P383122765 Western Farm Credit Bank

P383233766 Intermountain Fed. Land Bank Assoc.
Sierra/Nevada PCA
P383233767 Federal Land Bank of Berkeley
P383233768 Doane Western
P383233769 Nevada First Corporation
P383233771 William Cummings
✓P383233772 Nevada Bighorns Unlimited
✓P383233773 Nevada Land Action Assn.
P383233774 FmHA-Winnemucca

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

STATE NV
OFFICE 024
OPERATOR NUMBER 272187
PREFERENCE CODE 03
DATE PRINTED 12/14/95
TERM 03/01/1996 TO 02/28/2005

GRAZING PERMIT

NEVADA FIRST CORP.

BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT
PARADISE-DENIO R.A.
705 EAST 4TH STREET
WINNEMUCCA, NV 89445

BOX 490
WINNEMUCCA, NV 89446

THIS GRAZING PERMIT IS OFFERED TO YOU BASED ON YOUR RECOGNIZED GRAZING PREFERENCE ON THE PUBLIC LANDS AND/OR OTHER LANDS ADMINISTERED BY THE BLM. YOU ARE AUTHORIZED TO MAKE GRAZING USE TO THE EXTENT OF YOUR ACTIVE GRAZING PREFERENCE AS SHOWN BELOW UPON YOUR ACCEPTANCE OF THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS INCORPORATED HEREIN AND YOUR PAYMENT OF GRAZING FEES.

ALLOT ----- PASTURE -----	LIVESTOCK		GRAZING PERIOD		TYPE		AUM'S -----
	NUMBER	KIND	BEGIN	END	%PL	USE	
00043 BLOODY RUN	606	CATTLE	03/01	06/30	40	ACTIVE	972
	152	CATTLE	11/01	02/28	40	ACTIVE	240

TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

ANY LIVESTOCK OWNED OR CONTROLLED BY YOU MUST BE EAR TAGGED. YOU MUST SUBMIT TO THE BLM A LIST OF PRIVATE EAR TAGS WHICH WILL INCLUDE NUMBERS AND COLORS. ALONG WITH THE LIST OF EAR TAGS YOU MUST SUBMIT THE LIVESTOCK MANAGEMENT AGREEMENTS.

SALT AND/OR MINERAL BLOCKS SHALL NOT BE PLACED WITHIN ONE QUARTER (1/4) MILE OF SPRINGS, STREAMS, MEADOWS, RIPARIAN HABITATS, OR ASPEN STANDS.

THE PERMITTEE IS REQUIRED TO PERFORM NORMAL MAINTENANCE ON THE RANGE IMPROVEMENTS AS PER THEIR SIGNED COOPERATIVE AGREEMENTS/SECTION 4 PERMITS PRIOR TO TURNING OUT IN A PASTURE OR USE AREA SCHEDULED FOR LIVESTOCK USE.

THE PERMITTEE'S CERTIFIED ACTUAL USE REPORT, BY PASTURE/USE AREA, IS DUE 15 DAYS AFTER THE END OF THE AUTHORIZED GRAZING PERIOD.

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% 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.

OPERATOR NUMBER: 272187

ALLOTMENT SUMMARY (AUM'S)

ALLOT	P R E F E R E N C E		
	ACTIVE	SUSP	TOTAL
00043 BLOODY RUN	1213	370	1583

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ACCEPTED:

SIGNATURE OF PERMITTEE: _____ DATE _____

AREA MANAGER: _____ DATE _____

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

: STATE NV
: OFFICE 024
: OPERATOR NUMBER 272171
: PREFERENCE CODE 03
: DATE PRINTED 12/14/95
: TERM 03/01/1996 TO 02/28/2005
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GRAZING PERMIT

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P O BOX 490
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PASTURE	LIVESTOCK		GRAZING PERIOD		TYPE		AUM'S
	NUMBER	KIND	BEGIN	END	%PL	USE	
00040 SCOTT SPRINGS	300	CATTLE	03/01	06/30	24	ACTIVE	289
	137	CATTLE	11/01	02/28	24	ACTIVE	130

TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

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OPERATOR NUMBER: 272171

ALLOTMENT SUMMARY (AUM'S)

ALLOT	P R E F E R E N C E		
	ACTIVE	SUSP	TOTAL
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00040 SCOTT SPRINGS	419	125	544

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ACCEPTED: _____
SIGNATURE OF PERMITTEE: _____ DATE _____

REA MANAGER: _____ DATE _____

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

STATE NV
OFFICE 024
OPERATOR NUMBER 272160
PREFERENCE CODE 03
DATE PRINTED 01/08/96
TERM 04/01/1996 TO 02/28/1997

GRAZING PERMIT

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ALLOT ----- PASTURE -----	LIVESTOCK NUMBER KIND	GRAZING PERIOD BEGIN END	TYPE %PL USE	AUM'S
00033 BULLHEAD	1000 CATTLE	04/01 09/30	100 ACTIVE	6016
	934 CATTLE	10/01 12/15	100 ACTIVE	2334

TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

GRAZING USE WILL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE BULLHEAD ALLOTMENT MANAGEMENT PLAN APPROVED 4-4-85.

A TOTAL OF 8350 AUMS ARE AVAILABLE AS ACTIVE GRAZING USE AS PER CRMP AGREEMENT WITH 3700 AUMS HELD AS TEMPORARY NONUSE UNTIL MONITORING DATA INDICATES THE AUMS ARE AVAILABLE.

THE FINAL MULTIPLE USE DECISION FOR THE BULLHEAD ALLOTMENT WAS ISSUED 08/25/94. THIS DECISION WAS APPEALED 09/28/94. SINCE AN APPEAL WAS FILED AND IN ACCORDANCE WITH CFR 4160.3(D), 6162 AUMS WILL BE AUTHORIZED UNTIL THE APPEAL IS RESOLVED.

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ALLOT	P R E F E R E N C E		
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00033 BULLHEAD	12050	7233	19283

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ACCEPTED:

SIGNATURE OF PERMITTEE: _____ DATE _____

AREA MANAGER: _____ DATE _____

UNITED STATES
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BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

GRAZING PERMIT

STATE NV
OFFICE 024
OPERATOR NUMBER 272207
PREFERENCE CODE 03
DATE PRINTED 12/15/95
TERM 03/01/1996 TO 02/28/2005

NEVADA FIRST CORP.

GARY BENGOCHEA
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ALLOT ----- PASTURE -----	LIVESTOCK		GRAZING PERIOD		TYPE		AUM'S -----
	NUMBER	KIND	BEGIN	END	%PL	USE	
00036 LITTLE OWYHEE	3663	CATTLE	03/01	05/31	100	ACTIVE	11079
	1063	CATTLE	06/01	08/31	100	ACTIVE	3215
	504	CATTLE	09/01	02/28	100	ACTIVE	2999

TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

GRAZING USE WILL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH STIPULATION FOR DISMISSAL OF THE NEVADA FIRST CORPORATION APPEALS SIGNED 02/10/95 AND 02/17/95.

LIVESTOCK USE IS NOT AUTHORIZED IN THE FOLLOWING EXCLOSURES:
LONE WILLOW EXCLOSURE T46N R41E SEC. 1, 12, AND 6,7
MAHOGANY RIDGE EXCLOSURE T46N R41E SEC. 14, 15, 22, 23
ANTELOPE SPRING EXCLOSURE T45N R42E SEC. 28, 29, 33
OWYHEE RESERVOIR #3 EXCLOSURE T47N R41E SEC. 25
OTHER EXCLOSURES AS IDENTIFIED IN THE DISMISSAL

ANY LIVESTOCK OWNED OR CONTROLLED BY THE PERMITTEE MUST BE EARTAGGED THE PERMITTEE MUST SUBMIT TO THE BLM A LIST OF PRIVATE EAR TAGS WHICH WILL INCLUDE NUMBERS AND COLORS.

THE ANNUAL GRAZING AUTHORIZATION ALONG WITH THE SCHEDULE OF USE OUTLINED IN THE STIPULATION FOR DISMISSAL WILL BE THE ONLY APPROVED USE. ALL OTHER SCHEDULES, FLEXIBILITIES AND TERMS AND CONDITIONS ADDRESSED IN THE 1972 ALLOTMENT MANAGEMENT PLAN, THE 1982 COORDINATED RESOURCE MANAGEMENT PLAN, AND OCTOBER 21-22, 1987 TECHNICAL REVIEW TEAM (TRT)

OPERATOR NUMBER: 272207

RECOMMENDATIONS ARE SUSPENDED UNTIL THE PLANS ARE REVISED.

IF MONITORING AT THE END OF THE GRAZING SEASON IN THE CAPITAL PEAK PASTURE INDICATES THAT UTILIZATION OBJECTIVES WERE NOT MET ON WETLAND RIPARIAN HABITATS, APPROPRIATE CORRECTIVE ACTIONS WILL BE TAKEN THE FOLLOWING YEAR. IF BLM, NFC AND AFFECTED INTERESTS CANNOT AGREE AS TO WHAT THE "APPROPRIATE" MANAGEMENT ACTION OR DAYS SHOULD BE, FIFTEEN (15) DAYS WILL BE TAKEN FROM THE ENDING DATE OF THE SEASON OF USE. SUBSEQUENT ADJUSTMENTS DETERMINED THROUGH MONITORING WILL ALSO BE MADE

THE PERMITTEE WILL NOTIFY THE AUTHORIZED OFFICER PRIOR TO USING THE CALICO PASTURE FOR THE PURPOSE OF TRAILING AND PROCESSING LIVESTOCK.

NO WATER SOURCE, AND ACCOMPANYING SERVICE AREA WILL BE SCHEDULED FOR USE MORE THAN TWO YEARS IN A ROW. THE THIRD YEAR THE AREA WILL BE RESTED.

ADDITIONAL SPRING USE MAY BE AUTHORIZED IF 70% OF THE SCHEDULED WATER SOURCES FOR THE YEAR CONTAIN SUFFICIENT WATER AND UTILIZATION AT THE END OF THE NORMAL USE PERIOD IS LESS THAN 50%.

THE AUTHORIZATION OF ADDITIONAL SPRING USE WILL NOT RESULT IN SCHEDULE USE IN THE ANTELOPE #1, ANTELOPE #2, AND ROCKY SPRINGS PASTURES PAST 07/27 AND USE IN CAPITAL PEAK NOT EXTEND PAST 08/15.

SPRING AND FALL/WINTER USE AREAS WILL BE IDENTIFIED BY NFC AND BLM DURING THE GRAZING APPLICATION PROCESS.

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00036 LITTLE OWYHEE	27800	19663	47463

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ACCEPTED:

SIGNATURE OF PERMITTEE: _____ DATE _____

REA MANAGER: _____ DATE _____



COMMISSION FOR THE
PRESERVATION OF WILD HORSES

255 W. Moana Lane

Suite 207A

Reno, Nevada 89509

(702) 688-2626

February 2, 1996

Mr. Pete Christensen
Paradise-Denio Resource Area
Bureau of Land Management
705 East 4th Street
Winnemucca, Nevada 89406

Subject: 10 year permits - 272160, 272207

Dear Mr. Christensen:

Thank you for consulting the Commission concerning the issuance of the 10 year grazing permits for Bullhead and Little Owhyee Allotments. We appreciate those terms and conditions addressing the specific limitations established in the respective multiple use decisions or stipulated agreements for each of these allotments.

We are assured that wild horses will be in balance with other multiple uses and their habitats through the implementation these actions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Catherine Barcomb".

CATHERINE BARCOMB
Executive Director