

United States Department of the Interior

BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

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

In Reply Refer To:

(NV-026.14) 4160

January 31, 1996

CERTIFIED MAIL NO.P383122795 RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

NOTICE OF AREA MANAGER'S PROPOSED DECISION

Mr. Jerry Kelly P.O. Box 885 Lovelock, NV 89419

Dear Mr. Kelly:

I have received your signed "Acceptance of Terms & Conditions and Request For Grazing Permit" form for the Jersey Valley, Hole in the Wall, and Home Station Gap allotments. I have determined that you are a qualified applicant and that the above listed allotments are designated as available for livestock grazing through the Sonoma Gerlach 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 these allotments 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.

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:

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- 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."
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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 Bud C. Cribley, Sonoma Gerlach 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.

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

Sincerely yours,

Bud C. Cribley, Area Manager Sonoma Gerlach Resource Area

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Churchill County Commissioners
Commission for the Preservation of Wild Horses
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Lander County Commissioners
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By Regular Mail

Battle Mountain BLM Carson City BLM

Form 4130-2a (September 1987)

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

GRAZING PERMIT

STATE NV
OFFICE 026
OPERATOR NUMBER 272049
PREFERENCE CODE 03

DATE PRINTED 01/26/96
TERM 03/01/1996 TO 02/28/2006

KELLY, JERRY R.

P. O. BOX 885 LOVELOCK,, NV 89419 BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT SONOMA-GERLACH R.A. 705 EAST 4TH STREET WINNEMUCCA, NV 89445

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	535	CATTLE	11/01	02/28	100	ACTIVE	2111
	535	CATTLE	03/01	03/31	100	ACTIVE	545
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CERTIFIED MAIL NO.P383122797 RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

NOTICE OF AREA MANAGER'S PROPOSED DECISION

Mr. Richard Carter P.O. Box 1677 Winnemucca, NV 89446

Dear Mr. Carter:

I have received your signed <u>"Acceptance of Terms & Conditions and Request For Grazing Permit"</u> form for the Pleasant Valley, Rochester, and Rawhide allotments. I have determined that you are a qualified applicant and that the above listed allotments are designated as available for livestock grazing through the Sonoma Gerlach 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 these allotments 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.

Rationale:

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GRAZING PERMIT

PLEASANT VALLEY
RANCH INC.
RICHARD G. CARTER
P O BOX 1677
WINNEMUCCA, NV 89445-1677

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00119 RAWHIDE	4.0	CATTLE	04/01	10/71	100	ACTIVE	7/0
	40	CATTLE	04/01	12/31	100	ACTIVE	362

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Salvador, Rosa, and Frank Olagaray P.O. Box 597 Thorton, CA 95686

Dear Mr. Olagaray:

I have received your signed "Acceptance of Terms & Conditions and Request For Grazing Permit" form for the Coal Canyon-Poker, Ryepatch, Humboldt House, Prince Royal, Rochester, Star Peak, Rawhide, and Ragged Top allotments. I have determined that you are a qualified applicant and that the above listed allotments are designated as available for livestock grazing through the Sonoma Gerlach Management Framework Plan.

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OLAGARAY, SALVADOR, ROSA, AND FRANK FRANK OLAGARAY P.O. BOX 597 THORTON, CA 95686

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	2000	SHEEF	10/01	10/26	93	ACTIVE	318
00106 RYEPATCH							
	1000	SHEEP	08/06	08/31	100	ACTIVE	171
00112 HUMBOLDT HOUSE							
	1000	SHEEF'	07/16	08/05	77	ACTIVE	106
00115 PRINCE ROYAL							
	2000	SHEEP	06/05	06/14	76	ACTIVE	100
00117 ROCHESTER							
	700	SHEEP	04/01	04/24		ACTIVE	111
	537	SHEEP	03/01	02/28	100	ACTIVE	1289
00118 STAR PEAK							
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	455	CATTLE	04/01	09/30	56	ACTIVE	1533

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ALLOTMENT SUMMARY (AU	3)
01167	PREFERENCE
ALLOT	ACTIVE SUSP TOTAL
00104 COAL CANYON-POK	492 492
00106 RYEPATCH	165 165
00112 HUMBOLDT HOUSE	107 107
00115 PRINCE ROYAL	97 97
00117 ROCHESTER	1400 1400
00118 STAR PEAK	2426 1347 3773
00119 RAWHIDE	0
00131 RAGGED TOP	0

THIS PERMIT; 1. CONVEYS NO RIGHT, TITLE OR INTEREST HELD BY THE UNITED STATES IN ANY LANDS OR RESOURCES AND 2. IS SUBJECT TO (A) MODIFICATION, SUSPENSION OR CANCELLATION AS REQUIRED BY LAND PLANS AND APPLICABLE LAW; (B) ANNUAL REVIEW AND TO MODIFICATION OF TERMS AND CONDITIONS AS APPROPRIATE; AND (C) THE TAYLOR GRAZING ACT, AS AMENDED, THE FEDERAL LAND POLICY AND MANAGEMENT ACT, AS AMENDED, THE PUBLIC RANGELANDS IMPROVEMENT ACT, AND THE RULES AND REGULATIONS NOW OR HEREAFTER PROMULGATED THEREUNDER BY THE SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR.

ACCEPTED:	
SIGNATURE OF PERMITTEE:	DATE
AREA MANAGER:	DATE



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CERTIFIED MAIL NO. P 383 122 800 RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

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Mr. M.J. Burke PO Box 823 Winnemucca, NV 89446

Dear Mr. Burke:

I have received your signed "Acceptance of Terms & Conditions and Request For Grazing Permit" form for the Goldbanks allotment. I have determined that you are a qualified applicant and that the above listed allotment is designated as available for livestock grazing through the Sonoma Gerlach Management Framework Plan.

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- 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 Bud C. Cribley, Sonoma Gerlach 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.

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

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

Sincerely yours,

Bud C. Cribley, Area Manager Sonoma Gerlach Resource Area

Certified CC Richard Heap, NDOW

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BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

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

> In Reply Refer To: (NV-026.12) 4160

January 31, 1996

CERTIFIED MAIL NO.P 383 122 806
RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

NOTICE OF AREA MANAGER'S PROPOSED DECISION

Mr. and Mrs. John Torvick 455 N. Harmon Rd. Fallom, NV 89406

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Torvick:

I have received your signed "Acceptance of Terms & Conditions and Request For Grazing Permit" form for the Pole Canyon allotment. I have determined that you are a qualified applicant and that the above listed allotment is designated as available for livestock grazing through the Sonoma Gerlach 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 this allotment 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.

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"
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- 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:

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- (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,

Bud C. Cribley, Area Manager Sonoma Gerlach Resource Area Certified CC Richard Heap, NDOW
Commission for the Preservation of Wild Horses
Chuck Crisman, Trout Unlimited
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Washoe County Commissioners

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UNITED STATES

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

GRAZING PERMIT

TORVICK, JOHN AND VELLA C/O JOHN TORVICK 455 N. HARMON RD. FALLON, NV 89406 | STATE NV | O26 | OFFICE | O26 | OFERATOR NUMBER | 272034 | PREFERENCE CODE | O3 | DATE PRINTED | O1/26/96 | TERM | O3/01/1996 TO | O2/28/2006

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

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

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S AND CONDITIONS:

ACCURATE ACTUAL USE WILL BE SUBMITTED WITHIN 15 DAYS OF LIVESTOCK BEING REMOVED. ALL LIVESTOCK WILL BE EAR-TAGGED WITH BLM EAR-TAGS AS SPECIFIED IN YOUR YEARLY AUTHORIZATIONS. THE PERMITTEE IS REQUIRED TO PERFORM NORMAL MAINTENANCE ON THE RANGE IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS WHICH HAVE BEEN ASSIGNED. NO SALT AND/OR MINERAL BLOCKS SHALL BE PLACED WITHIN ONE QUARTER (1/4) MILE OF SPRINGS, MEADOWS, STREAMS, AND RIAPARIAN HABITAT. IN THE EVENT THAT TOPOGRAPHY AND/OR AVAILABLE WATER SOURCES DO NOT ALLOW FOR THE 1/4 MILE REQUIREMENT, COORDINATION WILL BE NECESSARY WITH BLM PERSONNEL.



United States Department of the Interior

BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

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

> In Reply Refer To: (NV-026.12) 4160

January 31, 1996

CERTIFIED MAIL NO. P 383 122 804 RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

NOTICE OF AREA MANAGER'S PROPOSED DECISION

Mr.Arnold Ginsberg PO Box 73 Golconda, NV 89414

Dear Mr. Ginsberg:

I have received your signed "Acceptance of Terms & Conditions and Request For Grazing Permit" form for the Pumpernickel allotment. I have determined that you are a qualified applicant and that the above listed allotment is designated as available for livestock grazing through the Sonoma Gerlach 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 this allotment 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.

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)."
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- 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

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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:

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

Sincerely yours,

Bud C. Cribley, Area Manager Sonoma Gerlach Resource Area

Certified CC Richard Heap, NDOW Craig Downer Commission for the Preservation of Wild Horses Dawn Lappin, WHOA Sierra Club, Toiyabe Chapter Cindy DeWeese, Lone Tree Mine Agri Beef CO. Roger Johnson Rock Creek Ranch Ann Kerstin, Sierra Club

Bob Schweigert, Intermountain Range Consultants

Humboldt County Commissioners

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

GRAZING PERMIT

| STATE NV | O26 | OPERATOR NUMBER 272026 | PREFERENCE CODE 03 | DATE PRINTED 01/26/96 | TERM 03/01/1996 TO 02/28/2006

GINSBERG, ARNOLD

P.O.BOX 73 GOLCONDA, NV 89414 BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT SONOMA-GERLACH R.A. 705 EAST 4TH STREET WINNEMUCCA, NV 89445

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S AND CONDITIONS:

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United States Department of the Interior

BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

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

In Reply Refer To (NV-026.12) 4160

January 31, 1996

CERTIFIED MAIL NO.P 383 122 802 RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

NOTICE OF AREA MANAGER'S PROPOSED DECISION

Coyote Creek Ranch C/O Robert G. Albrecht 2649 Gallery Court Cameron Park, CA 95682

Dear Mr. Albrecht:

I have received your signed "Acceptance of Terms & Conditions and Request For Grazing Permit" form for the Klondike allotment. I have determined that you are a qualified applicant and that the above listed allotment is designated as available for livestock grazing through the Sonoma Gerlach 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 this allotment 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.

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:

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- 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"
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- 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

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Protests:

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

Sincerely yours,

Bud C. Cribley, Area Manager Sonoma Gerlach Resource Area Certified CC R

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GRAZING PERMIT

STATE NV OFFICE 026 I OPERATOR NUMBER 272015 | PREFERENCE CODE | 03

: DATE PRINTED 01/26/96 : TERM 03/01/1996 TO 02/28/2006

COYOTE CREEK RANCH

ROBERT G. ALBRECHT 2649 GALLERY COURT CAMERON PARK, CA 95682

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

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

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ACCURATE ACTUAL USE WILL BE SUBMITTED WITHIN 15 DAYS OF LIVESTOCK BEING REMOVED. THE PERMITTEE IS REQUIRED TO PERFORM NORMAL MAINTENANCE ON THE RANGE IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS WHICH HAVE BEEN ASSIGNED LIVESTOCK NUMBERS AVERAGED OVER THE GRAZING SEASON. NUMBERS WILL VARY YEAR TO YEAR NOT TO EXCEED THE PERMITTED USE. NO SALT AND/OR MINERAL BLOCKS WITHIN ONE QUARTER (1/4) MILE OF SPRINGS, MEADOWS, STREAMS, AND RIPARIAN HABITATS OF ASPEN STANDS. IN THE EVENT THAT TOPOGRAPHY AND/ OR AVAILABLE WATER SOURCES DO NOT ALLOW FOR THE 1/4 MILE REQUIREMENT, COORDINATION WILL BE NECESSARY WITH BLM PERSONNEL PRIOR TO PLACEMENT OF SALT AND/OR MINERAL BLOCKS. ALL CATTLE WILL BE EAR-TAGGED AS SPECIFIED IN YOUR YEARLY AUTHORIZATION. EXCHANGE OF USE AUTHORIZATION IS CONDITIONAL PENDING ANNUAL SUBMISSION OF LEASE RENEWALS.



United States Department of the Interior

BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

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

In Reply Refer To:

(NV-026.14) 4160

January 31, 1996

CERTIFIED MAIL NO.P383122791 RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

NOTICE OF AREA MANAGER'S PROPOSED DECISION

Mr. Robert Vesco P.O. Box 506 Winnemucca, NV 89446

Dear Mr. Vesco:

I have received your signed "Acceptance of Terms & Conditions and Request For Grazing Permit" form for the Pleasant Valley allotment. I have determined that you are a qualified applicant and that the above listed allotment is designated as available for livestock grazing through the Sonoma Gerlach 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 this allotment 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.

Rationale:

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UNITED STATES
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GRAZING PERMIT

| STATE NV | OFFICE 026 | OPERATOR NUMBER 272045 | PREFERENCE CODE 03 | DATE PRINTED 01/26/96 | TERM 03/01/1996 TO 02/28/2006

VESCO, ROBERT C. & DIANA L.

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In Reply Refer To:

(NV-026.14) 4160

January 31, 1996

CERTIFIED MAIL NO.P383122792 RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

NOTICE OF AREA MANAGER'S PROPOSED DECISION

Gary Takacs P.O. Box 191 Winnemucca, NV 89446

Dear Mr. Takacs:

I have received your signed "Acceptance of Terms & Conditions and Request For Grazing Permit" form for the Pleasant Valley allotment. I have determined that you are a qualified applicant and that the above listed allotment is designated as available for livestock grazing through the Sonoma Gerlach 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 this allotment 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.

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."

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COMMISSION FOR THE PRESERVATION OF WILD HORSES

255 W. Moana Lane Suite 207A Reno, Nevada 89509 (702) 688-2626

February 8,1996

Mr. Bud Cribley Sonoma-Gerlach Resource Area Bureau of Land Management 705 East 4th Street Winnemucca, Nevada 89406

Subject: Protests - 10 Year Grazing Permits

272049, 272019, 272040, 272012, 272045, 272015, 272026, 272034

Dear Mr. Cribley:

The Commission for the Preservation of Wild Horses protests the issuance of long term permits in absence of any allotment management plan or functional equivalent conforming to the Sonoma-Gerlach Final Grazing Environmental Impact Statement/Management Framework Plan Decisions. These allotments may directly or indirectly affect wild horse herds within the Winnemucca District.

Federal Regulation Subpart 4120 specifies under Section 4120.2 that such permits must include terms and conditions that prescribe livestock grazing practices to meet specific resource objectives. Furthermore, item (c) allows the public an opportunity participate in the planning and environmental analysis of any proposed decision affecting the administration of grazing.

The proposed decisions to issue ten year term grazing permits did not receive consultation, cooperation or coordination regarding any resource activity plan or environmental document complying with the National Environmental Policy Act, as required by federal regulation. These proposed decisions do not have allotment evaluations, multiple use decisions or environmental assessments. Range monitoring data have not been analyzed to determine actual or potential impacts to wild horses.

Mr. Bud Cribley February 8, 1996 Page 2

We hope there has been oversight in the proposed terms and conditions affecting these permits. If there are any questions, please contact Mr. Roy Leach at 423-5270.

Sincerely,

CATHERINE BARCOMB Executive Director