

APPENDIX E—BEST MANAGEMENT PRACTICES FOR WEED PREVENTION—ALTERNATIVES B, C, AND D

Prevention Activity	When	Who is Responsible
1. Check body and undercarriage of off-road vehicles for plant material and clean before leaving weed infested areas.	All Year	Vehicle Driver
2. Ensure that weed prevention is considered in project activities regardless of discipline.	All Year	Project Lead
3. Minimize the creation of sites suitable for weed establishment.	All Year	Staff involved in activity
4. Re-establish vegetation on all disturbed soil from construction, reconstruction, and maintenance activities.	All Year	Project Lead
5. Monitor site(s) for weeds after soil disturbing activities and treat as needed.	All Year	Project Lead/ Weed Crew
6. Buy only noxious weed free seed and conduct required seed testing before use.	All Year	Project Lead
7. Provide noxious weed identification training for field going employees.	Spring	Range Staff
8. Inspect gravel pits and fill sources to identify weed-free sources.	All Year	PI, COR
9. Keep main travel corridors free of noxious weeds to prevent spread	Spring-Summer	Range Staff and others as appropriate
10. Sign recreation sites for weed awareness and weed prevention techniques.	Spring-Summer	Recreation Technicians/Range Staff
11. Mitigate and reduce weed spread during prescribed fire activities. Includes inventory of weeds prior to burning, treat high risk areas before burning, and pre and post treat high risk weed infestations.	Spring-Summer-Fall	Project Lead
12. Ensure revegetation efforts are affective.	All Year	Project Lead
13. Track weeds which may affect known populations of BLM sensitive plants. Work with weed coordinator take potential control measures if necessary	All Year	Ecologist/ Range Staff
14. Use weed free straw or mulch in revegetation activities	All Year	Project Lead

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