

ENVIRONMENTAL REPORT

The following list of projects are being considered for the next five-year period. This list is not intended to be complete, but reflects some projects anticipated to meet long-range objectives. Funding sources for the projects include 8100 (Range Improvement), 4350 (Wildlife Habitat), and 7120 (Grazing Advisory Board). Additionally, the Jarbidge Resource Area will coordinate with the IDF&G to seek matching funds from the Habitat Improvement Program (HIP) for projects that qualify.

<u>Proposed Projects</u> <u>Livestock Management</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Estimated</u> <u>Fiscal Year</u>	<u>Completed</u> <u>Fiscal Year</u>
Antelope Springs Pipeline	Install 10 miles of water pipeline to improve livestock distribution. MUA 13	93	
Rosevear Pipeline	Install 10 miles of water pipeline to improve livestock distribution. MUA 7	93-94	
Juniper Ranch Pipeline	Install 5 miles of water pipeline to improve livestock distribution. MUA 11	93-94	
Big Draw Lateral	Install 10 miles of water pipeline to improve livestock distribution. MUA 7	93-95	
Notch Butte Pipeline	Install 5 miles of water pipeline to improve livestock distribution. MUA 7	93	
Indian Jim Pipeline	Install 5 miles of water pipeline to improve livestock distribution. MUA 15	93	
Jim Bob Pipeline	Install 5 miles of water pipeline to improve livestock distribution. MUA 11	93	
Jarbidge Storage Tanks	Install 4 50,000 gallon water storage tanks for livestock water systems. MUA 7	93	
Brushfield Water System	Drill a well and install 10 miles of water pipeline to improve livestock distribution. MUA 6	94-95	
Cheatgrass Water System	Install 5 miles of water pipeline to improve livestock distribution. MUA 7	93-94	
Rock Corral Pipeline	Install 8 miles of water pipeline to improve livestock distribution. MUA 11	94	

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China Creek Pipeline	Install 7 miles of water pipe- line to improve livestock distri- bution. MUA 15	94	
Horse Butte Pipeline	Install 5 miles of water pipe- line to improve livestock distri- bution. MUA 12	94	
Coonskin Pipeline	Install 5 miles of water pipe- line to improve livestock distri- bution. MUA 12	94	
<u>Riparian:</u>			
Scotch Trail	Protect about 1.7 miles of riparian zones on the East Fork of the Bruneau River south of Juniper Ranch by constructing about 1.2 miles of gap fence. MUAs 11 & 12	92-93	92
Malat Trail	Improve 6.5 miles of riparian area on East Fork of the Bruneau River by altering grazing, developing water in uplands, and fencing. MUAs 11 & 12	93-94	
Cedar Creek	Improve about 7 miles of riparian zone on Cedar Creek by gap fencing and developing water in uplands. MUA 15	92-95	
Deer Creek	Protect approximately 1.8 miles of riparian zones along Deer Creek by fencing and developing water in uplands. MUA 15	93-96	
Shack Creek	Improve 1.1 miles of riparian zone and fisheries along Shack Creek by changing grazing or fencing. MUA 15	94-96	
Bear Creek	Improve riparian zones and fish habitat along 0.5 miles of Bear Creek by gap fencing and changes in grazing. MUA 15	95+	
Big Flat Creek	Improve riparian zone along 1.6 miles of Big Flat Creek by fencing and changing grazing practices. MUA 15	95+	
Three Creek	Improve 1.2 miles of riparian zones in Three Creek with gap fencing. MUAs 12 & 15	94+	
Antelope Spring	Improve wetland at Antelope Spring by fencing approximately 20 acres around spring head. MUA 15	93	

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N. Fork Salmon Falls Creek	Improve riparian zone along 1.2 miles of stream by changing grazing and fencing. MUA 15	95+	
Diamond A Gap Fence	Construct 3 miles of riparian protecting fence to improve 13 miles of Jarbidge River and portions of Columbet and Dorsey Creeks. MUA 10	94	
East Fork Gap Fences	Improve 6.5 miles of riparian zones by constructing gap fences and water lanes in MUAs 11 & 12	94	
<u>Wildlife:</u>			
Goose Nest Platforms			
Heil Reservoir	Enhance waterfowl nesting habitat at Heil Reservoir. MUA 13	92-94	
Camas Slough	Enhance waterfowl nesting habitat at Camas Slough. MUA 12	92-94	
71-Draw Reservoir	Enhance waterfowl nesting habitat within fenced portion of the reservoir in MUA 12.	92-94	
Isolated Tracts			
Blue Gulch Tract #51 Fence	Construct approximately 2.5 miles of fence to protect vegetation on a 240 acre wildlife tract. MUA 7	93-94	
Bell Rapids Tract #4 Shrub Planting	Establish perennial shrubby vegetation to enhance upland gamebird nesting and winter habitat. MUA 7	93	
Bell Rapids Tract Guzzler	Enhance wildlife habitat by providing a reliable source of drinking water. Tracts 2, 3, 10. MUA 7	93-96	
Grindstone Tract #13 Shrub Planting	Establish perennial shrubby vegetation to enhance upland gamebird nesting and winter habitat. MUA 7	94	
Grindstone Tract #15 Shrub Planting	Establish perennial shrubby vegetation to enhance upland gamebird nesting and winter habitat. MUA 7	95	
Grindstone Tract #16 Shrub Planting	Establish perennial shrubby vegetation to enhance upland gamebird nesting and winter habitat. MUA 7	96	
Grindstone Tract #17 Shrub Planting	Establish perennial shrubby vegetation to enhance upland gamebird nesting and winter habitat. MUA 7	95	

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<u>Livestock Management</u>			
Bell Rapids Fence	Protect 1200 acres on Bell Rapids Tracts #5 and #6 by constructing 5 miles of fence. MUA 7	94	
Grindstone Tract #16 Pond	Enhance waterfowl nesting and brood habitat by building 1 pond on Tract 16. MUA 7	93	
Grindstone Tract #17 Ponds	Enhance waterfowl nesting and brood habitat by building 2 ponds on Tract 17. MUA 7	93	
Shrub Restoration			
9,000 acres (Specific locations not identified to date. Tentatively, sage grouse nesting and winter habitat and mule deer habitat in MUAs 7 and 11.)		94+	