

**Lower Snake River District (LSRD) Resource Advisory Council (RAC)
BLM-Lower Snake River District Office
Tuesday, August 24, 2004
9:00 a.m. until 3:30 p.m.**

Agenda
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- 9:00 - 9:10am** Introductions, Opening Remarks and certification of minutes from May 2004 meeting – LSRD RAC Chairman Don Weilmunster and Glen Secrist, District Manager, LSRD-BLM
- 9:15 – 9:30** Report on Juniper Management Workshop co-hosted by RAC and BLM, July 22, 2004 – Don Weilmunster, Brenda Richards, Gil Green
- 9:30 - 10:30** Hot Topics – New Ideas on Monitoring, up-coming field trips and report on BLM-ID Organizational Refinement – Glen Secrist
- 10:30 – 10:45** BREAK
- 10:45 – 11:45** Candidate Conservation Agreement for Slickspot Peppergrass – Mitch Jaurena, Associate Field Manager, Four Rivers Field Office
- Public Comments**
- 12:00 – 12:10pm** BREAK and Lunch set-up
- 12:10–1:00** Lunch – Review of LSRD Charter
- Discussion on representing RAC on other working groups, advisory boards and voting
- 01:00 - 2:00** Subcommittee Reports
- Sage-Grouse Habitat Management – Dr. Platts
 - Update on status of Idaho State Strategy and State Working Group
 - Resource Management Plans – Gil Green
 - Review of Public meetings held in June and July
 - Analysis of Bruneau and NCA Draft Alternatives on August 20th and 27th

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- **Rangeland Standards and Guidelines – Brenda Richards**
 - **Information Memorandum on BLM-Idaho’s review on Rangeland Standards and Guidelines**
- **OHV & Transportation Management – Sandra Mitchell**
 - **Meeting planned to review Route Designation Maps and Reports**

2:00 – 2:15 BREAK

2:15 – 3:15 District Fire Manager and Field Office Reports

- **LSRD -Fire Update – Rosemary Thomas, District FMO**
 - **Update on District Draft Fire Management Plan – JR Epps**
 - **Update on Normal Year Fire Rehab Plan**
 - **Update on Fire Situation to date for 2004**
- **Owyhee Field Office – Jenna Whitlock**
 - **Issues Update - including grazing settlements**
 - **Status on Juniper Management Project**
- **Jarbidge Field Office – Bill Baker (Acting)**
 - **Issues Update – including temporary non-renewable forage**
 - **Status of Brown’s Bench Wind Energy Proposal**
- **Four Rivers Field Office – Deb Epps, NIFC, (Acting, FM)**
 - **Issues Update –**

Public Comments

3:20 – 3:30 Follow-up Actions

- **Review dates for meetings in Fiscal Year 2005**
 - **First Meeting during last week of October?**
 - **Locations**
 - **Identify agenda items for next meeting**

3:30 Adjourn