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To: District Managers: Lakeview, Salem, Eugene, Roseburg, Medford and Coos Bay
From: Deputy State Director for Resources Planning Use and Protection
Subject: Extension of Interim Road Maintenance Fees Schedule from
March 1, 2007, through January 1, 2011

Please reference Information Bulletin (IB) No. 2005-139, subject: New Interim Road Maintenance Fees Schedule from July 1, 2005, through March 1, 2007, dated June 20, 2005. This IB extends the Districts' authorization to use the Interim Road Maintenance Fees Schedule. The Districts are authorized to use the current Interim Road Maintenance Fees Schedule for Timber Sales and Permittee haul to January 1, 2011.

Historical analysis has shown that a minimum of five years of records are required to reflect a complete Bureau of Land Management (BLM) haul road maintenance cycle in order to collect sufficient, pre haul, active haul, post haul, and custodial maintenance for each haul road. Since retaining Road Maintenance Fee (RMF) data will begin with Fiscal Year (FY) 2006, interim road maintenance fees will be extended to 2011, in order to obtain a minimum of five years of road maintenance data. In addition, in order to capture all the maintenance within the road maintenance haul cycle, once a road has active haul on it, all maintenance costs on the road will be collected and put back into the RMF model indefinitely, or until it is determined that the road will no longer be used for haul. Roads with active haul in FY 2005 will become the base road list that will be tracked in RMF for FY 2006.

The interim fee schedule can be found on the Oregon/Washington Engineer web site at <http://web.eng.or.blm.gov>, Engineering Programs section, Road Maintenance Fees, Interim Road Maintenance Fees.

If you have any questions, please call Don Weckner, Civil Engineer Technician, at (503)808-6101.

Districts with Unions are reminded to notify their unions of this Information Bulletin and satisfy any bargaining obligations before implementation. Your servicing Human Resources Office or Labor Relations Specialist can provide you assistance in this matter.

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