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## How to Submit Comments

### Resource Management Plans for Western Oregon

#### **Overview**

The BLM will be collecting comments from employees and members of the public from April 24, 2015, to August 21, 2015. The comments that will be most useful in the planning process:

- Present new information relevant to the analysis;
- Present reasonable alternatives other than those analyzed in the Draft RMP/EIS;
- Make suggestions, with a reasoned basis, for the development of a proposed RMP;
- Question, with a reasoned basis, the adequacy of, methodology for, or assumptions used for the analysis; or
- Question, with a reasoned basis, the accuracy of information in the Draft RMP/EIS

Comments that are simply votes in support of or opposition to a particular alternative, or position statements in support of or opposition to particular BLM policies or proposals, without providing reasons, are less useful in the planning process.

#### ***If you'd like to submit comments:***

Mail: RMPs for Western Oregon  
Bureau of Land Management  
P.O. Box 2965  
Portland, Oregon 97208

Or by electronic mail (email) to: [blm\\_or\\_rmpwo\\_comments@blm.gov](mailto:blm_or_rmpwo_comments@blm.gov)

Comments by mail must be postmarked before August 21, 2015. Comments by email must be received before August 21, 2015.

All information in your comments including your address, phone number, email address, or other personal identifying information (PII) is maintained as a BLM record. Although your information is sensitive and protected from public access, it may be made available under a Freedom of Information Act request. You may request in your comment that your PII information be withheld from public review although the agency is unable to guarantee full protection of such information. Please consider all information you may want to include in your comments.

The Resource Management Plans (RMP) for Western Oregon will determine how the BLM-administered lands in western Oregon will be managed to further the recovery of threatened and endangered species, to provide for clean water, to restore fire-adapted ecosystems, to produce a sustained yield of timber products, to coordinate management of lands surrounding the Coquille Forest with the Coquille Tribe, and to provide for recreation opportunities.

For more information, please visit the BLM's Resource Management Plans of western Oregon website at <http://www.blm.gov/or/plans/rmpswesternoregon/index.php>.