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Eric,

June asked me to forward this information to you. The 124 AUMs that would be removed are largely inaccessible due to topography and haven't been used in over a decade. In addition, there are 22 allotments in the Monument.

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Good afternoon,

We have been asked to elaborate on the statement "adjusts the AUMs permitted slightly" as it relates to the Preferred Alternative, Alternative C in the Proposed Craters of the Moon National Monument and Preserve Plan Amendment for grazing. The difference between the No Action Alternative AUMs (38,187) and the Preferred Alternative AUMs (37,792) is 395.

In Alternative C (the Preferred Alternative):

- 1) 124 AUMs from the Craters allotment would be removed when that portion of the allotment becomes unavailable to grazing,
- 2) There would be a decrease of an additional 155 AUMs due to the adjustment of the Kimama/Poison Lake Allotment boundary that places the area of Kimama Allotment that is within the Monument into the Poison Lake Allotment, and
- 3) There would be a further adjustment of 116 AUMs based on corrections to the authorized AUMs calculated in the original MMP.

I hope this helps with your questions. Please let us know if you need anything further.

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Thanks!

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Thanks!

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