U.S. Department of the Interior Bureau of Land Management

RESTORATION LANDSCAPE

Upper Salmon River



The Bureau of Land Management is infusing \$161 million for ecosystem restoration and resilience on the nation's public lands, as part of the Biden-Harris Administration's Investing in America agenda. The proposed work will focus on 21 "Restoration Landscapes" across 11 western states, restoring public lands, strengthening communities and local economies, advancing climate resilience and furthering our commitment to Tribal collaboration and partnership.

This is Idaho's core cold water refugia, where the BLM manages over 3,000 miles of streams that connect headwaters to river corridors. These aquatic systems are critical habitat for salmon, steelhead and bull trout. Lynx, wolverine, grizzly bear and greater sagegrouse inhabit the uplands. The ecological services these lands provide are central to the health and wellbeing of local communities and Tribal partners. Projects will replace culverts to improve stream connectivity, restore riparian habitat, treat invasive annual grasses, reduce fuels, increase diversity of grasses and forbs, and enhance the health and resiliency of whitebark pine stands. Improving aquatic connectivity and water-saving practices and upgrading water conveyance systems will benefit all residents, recreators, fish and wildlife.

This effort will complement \$520,000 of funding from the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law.

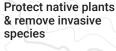
Restoration Features



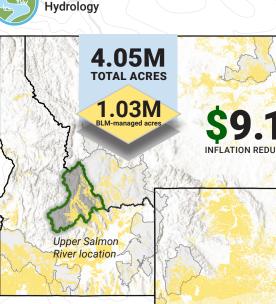
Restore Riparian/ Wetland

Restore Streams/





Conduct Fire/Fuels Treatments



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