

## FY08 ACCOMPLISHMENTS

**NAME OF FEE PROJECT:** AZ12- TFO SPECIAL  
**RECREATION PERMITS PROGRAM**

**STATE:** AZ

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**DESCRIPTION (PLEASE PROVIDE AN OVERALL DESCRIPTION OF THE TYPES OF SITES AND SERVICES THAT ARE INCLUDED IN THIS FEE PROJECT – CAMPGROUNDS, CABINS, TOURS, VISITOR CENTERS, SPECIAL USES PERMITS, ETC.)**

The 2008 Tucson Field Office Special Recreation Permit program authorized use of public lands in connection with commercial recreational use, competitive events, and organized group. Permits were primarily for use of primitive roads and trails for commercial sightseeing tours by 4WD and ATV. The program generated approximately \$3,823 in fee revenues.

**FEE SCHEDULE**

Special Recreation Permit fees for commercial uses, competitive events, and organized groups are collected in accordance with the national fee schedule established by the BLM Director. Deductions for use on non-public land is allowed in accordance with permit regulations, depending on the type of use and use area.

**SPECIFIC ACCOMPLISHMENTS THIS YEAR (PLEASE PROVIDE SPECIFIC EXAMPLES THAT ADDRESSES THE ENTIRE FEE PROGRAM SUCH AS CAMPGROUND IMPROVEMENTS, VISITOR SERVICES, ETC.)**

Fee revenues collected under the program were used in 2008 to purchase traffic counters for use in monitoring activities, supplies and equipment to install signing, and complete minor maintenance and repair projects. Management activities benefitting the program were funded with other funds.

**Visitor Services, Interpretation:** Staff provided pre-application work with applicants and permit processing services.

**Repair, Maintenance, and Facility Enhancement:** Recreation revenues were used for supplies and equipment to install signing.

**Law Enforcement – Public Use and Recreation:** Patrols were provided in use area while recreation revenues were used to purchase traffic monitoring devices.

**PROJECTS/ACTIVITIES PLANNED FOR NEXT YEAR (FY09):**

Fee revenues will be expended to produce visitor information for the permit use area, assist with signing and implementation of travel management plans in activities subject to permit program requirements.