

Bureau of Land Management
Northeast California Resource Advisory Council

Field Tour and Business Meeting

Wednesday and Thursday

August 24-25, 2011

Susanville, California

AGENDA

Wednesday, Aug. 24

Time	Topic	Leader
10 a.m.	Field Trip <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Convene at the BLM Eagle Lake Field Office, 2950 Riverside Drive, Susanville.• Tour Dry Valley and Smoke Creek Areas• Lunch in the field	Ken Collum
6 p.m.	Social Time and Dinner, White House, Janesville	

Thursday, Aug. 25

8 a.m.	Opening Business <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Introductions• Approve agenda• Approve minutes from last meeting	Nancy Huffman
8:30 a.m.	BLM Leadership Reports <ul style="list-style-type: none">• California State Director• Northern California District Manager Nancy Haug• Questions and answers	Nancy Haug
9 a.m.	Field Trip Review <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Observations, comments• RAC recommendations	Ken Collum

9:30 a.m.	<p style="text-align: center;">Alternative Energy</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Status of wind energy proposals • Developments in Medicine Lake geothermal proposals 	<p style="text-align: center;">Tim Burke Charlie Wright</p>
10 a.m.	<p style="text-align: center;">Break</p>	
10:15 a.m.	<p style="text-align: center;">Sage Grouse Conservation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • BLM strategy to develop broad conservation measures, amend resource management plans 	<p style="text-align: center;">Jennifer Mata</p>
11 a.m.	<p style="text-align: center;">Public Comments</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Everyone is welcome to address the council. A time limit could be established to accommodate all speakers. 	<p style="text-align: center;">Nancy Huffman</p>
11:30 a.m.	<p style="text-align: center;">Wilderness</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Summary of BLM national direction 	<p style="text-align: center;">Marisa Williams</p>
Noon	<p style="text-align: center;">Working Lunch (food to be delivered)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Status of PG&E divestiture • Status of Ruby Pipeline 	<p style="text-align: center;">Tim Burke Allen Bollscheweiler</p>
12:45 p.m.	<p style="text-align: center;">Wild Horse and Burro Program Updates</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Status of High Rock Complex • Plans for Devil’s Garden Herd Territory Gather • Status of BLM national strategy 	<p style="text-align: center;">Allen Bollscheweiler Amy Dumas</p>
1 p.m.	<p style="text-align: center;">Stewardship Contracting</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Program summary • Field Office examples 	<p style="text-align: center;">Wade Salverson</p>
1:30 p.m.	<p style="text-align: center;">Field Managers’ Reports</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Questions, answers on written reports 	<p style="text-align: center;">Managers</p>
2 p.m.	<p style="text-align: center;">Closing Business</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Set next meeting, agenda topics, adjourn 	<p style="text-align: center;">Nancy Huffman</p>