



Post and Pole Cutting Information for Idaho BLM



Pocatello and Upper Snake Field Offices

- ◆ **PERMITS:** (all permits are for personal use only—no-commercial sales)
 - ⇒ You must have a permit to cut /remove any forest products.
 - ⇒ Your permit must be with you while cutting or hauling products.
 - ⇒ You may only purchase one permit per person for the maximum allowed amount. You may purchase one permit for posts and another permit for poles.
 - ⇒ You may cut any tree species with your permit. (Juniper, Doug Fir, Lodge Pole, etc.)
 - ⇒ All loads must be visibly tagged while hauling.
- ◆ **PRICING:**
 - ⇒ Permits for posts or poles are sold for \$15.00. This allows you to get a maximum of 50. If you get less, it is still \$15.00.
- ◆ **SIZE:**
 - ⇒ The general size for poles is 4 inches in diameter and up to 16 feet long.
 - ⇒ The general size for posts is 8 inches in diameter by 8 feet long.
 - ⇒ Cutting trees over 8 inches in not authorized.
- ◆ **CUTTING AREAS:**
 - ⇒ All BLM land within the field offices boundaries that is not closed due to a restriction is open for cutting. Please verify the area you would like to go with your local office. Please see your local office or our website for specific areas.
 - ⇒ BLM cannot authorize access through private land.
- ◆ **OTHER CUTTING REGULATIONS:**
 - ⇒ Post/Poles may be live or dead trees. Please do not leaves stumps higher than 12 inches
 - ⇒ Please pile your limbs/slash. Do not leave in road ways, ditches, etc.