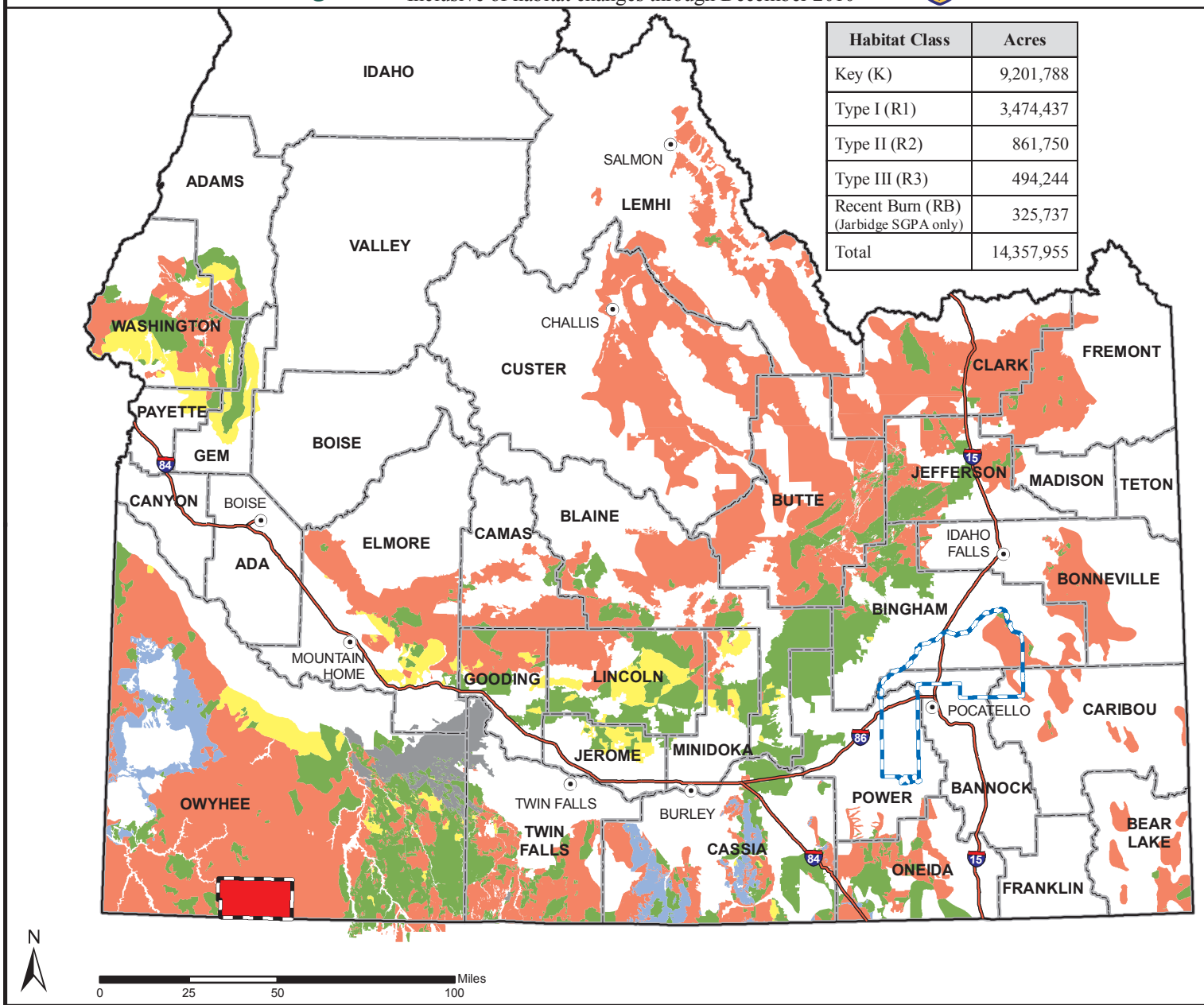
Idaho Sage-grouse Habitat Map 2010

With Idaho Counties

Inclusive of habitat changes through December 2010

Habitat Class	Acres
Key (K)	9,201,788
Type I (R1)	3,474,437
Type II (R2)	861,750
Type III (R3)	494,244
Recent Burn (RB) (Jarbidge SGPA only)	325,737
Total	14,357,955



General Habitat Descriptions

Key Habitat (K) — Areas of generally intact sagebrush that provide sage-grouse habitat during some portion of the year.

Potential Restoration Areas

Type I (R1) — **Perennial Grassland:** Sagebrush-limited areas characterized by perennial grass species composition and/or structure that should provide suitable potential nesting habitat in the future, once sufficient sagebrush cover is re-established (>=10% canopy cover). Includes areas characterized by native and/or introduced perennial bunchgrasses.

Type II (R2) — **Annual Grassland:** Areas dominated or strongly influenced by invasive annuals such as cheatgrass (*Bromus tectorum*), medusahead rye (*Taeniatherum caputmedusae*) or similar species. Areas with sagebrush may be present, but, in general, understories are not suitable for sage-grouse.

Type III (R3) — **Conifer Encroachment:** Areas where junipers (*Juniperus spp.*) and/or other conifer species are encroaching into sage-grouse habitat areas.

Recent Burn — Recently burned areas pending verification. (Jarbidge Sage-grouse Planning Area only.)

- Cities
- Interstate Highway
- County Boundary
- Sage-grouse habitat managed by Shoshone-Bannock Tribes: Fort Hall Indian Reservation
- Key sage-grouse habitat managed by Shoshone-Paiute Tribes: Duck Valley Indian Reservation

Datum: North American Datum 1983
Projection: Idaho Transverse Mercator (IDTM)
Units: Meters

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