FORM 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness inventory information on all or part of this area?
No (Go to Form 2) _____ **Yes** __X_____ (If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the names of those areas.):

a) Inventory Source: Montana BLM's Initial Inventory (November 1978 – August 1979)
Montana BLM's Intensive Inventory (August 1979 - November 1980)

b) Inventory Area Name(s)/Number(s): Hawley Creek MT-065-276, Indian Lake MT-065-275 , Third Creek MT-065-282

c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): BLM Montana Wilderness Inventory Maps:
Final Initial Inventory Map (August 1979)
Proposed Wilderness Study Decision Map Lewistown & Miles City Districts (March 1980)
Final Inventory Decision Map Lewistown & Miles City Districts (November 1980)

d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Lewistown/Phillips Resource Area

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:
Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):

Inventory source: Montana BLM's Initial Inventory (November 1978 – August 1979)					
Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? (acres)**	**Naturalness?**	**Outstanding Solitude?**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation?**	**Supplemental Values?**
MT-065-276	YES (12,700 BLM)	--	--	--	--
Comments	The unit meets minimum wilderness characteristics of size, however, it is cut by an existing well used road. Naturalness is impacted by the reservoirs distributed throughout the unit, and the seventeen miles of fencing and six cattleguards. A field examination will be necessary to determine the extent of this impact.				
MT-065-275	YES (20,600)	--	--	--	--
Comments	The unit meets minimum wilderness characteristics of size. The naturalness of the unit is impacted by the road into the unit, the reservoirs, a gas well, contour furrowing, fencing, and cattleguards. A field examination will be necessary to determine the extent of this impact.				
Inventory source: Montana BLM's Intensive Inventory (August 1979 - November 1980)					
MT-065-276					

Comments	Public comments were collected and a site inventory done. An intensive inventory form was not filled out and the area was not recommended further for consideration.				
MT-065-275	YES	YES	NO	NO	YES
Comments	The one parcel of the unit which meets the size criteria does not have sufficient topographic or vegetative screening to provide outstanding opportunities for solitude or unconfined recreation. for this reason the entire unit will not be studied for wilderness.				

FORM 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

a. Area Unique Identifier Hawley Creek - 22 Acreage 64,019
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),* Yes X No _____
(Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.)

This area contains over 5,000 acres of contiguous BLM-administered lands.

Description *(describe the boundaries of the area – wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

The south and southeastern boundaries of this unit are defined by the CMR NWR. The western boundary is marked by private and State lands and the Midale Road. The Blunt Cutacross Road forms a portion of the northern boundary. The remainder of the northern and eastern borders are defined by surrounding State and private lands. There are several State and private inholdings in the unit and the interspersed nature of the surrounding lands give this area an irregular boundary with the southern portion attached only by a ¼ mile wide strip.

During the inventory review it was determined that 3 constructed/maintained roads transect this inventory unit, splitting it into 4 subunits of similar size. All 4 subunits still meet the minimum size criteria for wilderness characteristics. The following analysis refers to the original inventory unit as a whole.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural? Yes _____ No X N/A _____
(Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.)

Description *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

There are 6 plugged and abandoned wells throughout the northern and central portions of the unit.

There are portions of 10 grazing allotments, many miles of fence, many reservoirs especially in the southern portion of the unit, and many miles of vehicular ways. Several of these vehicular ways have been maintained and divide the unit into at least 4 parcels. Pea Ridge Road and various other routes in the southern portion provide access to CMR NWR and receive use throughout the year, especially the spring and fall hunting seasons. King reservoir in the northern portion, PR-20 on the eastern edge and Wapiti Reservoir in the central portion are periodically stocked by FWP and provide recreational fishing opportunities.

There is one mine within the unit.

A right of way for an electrical line has been granted in perpetuity in the following areas: T22N R29E, sec 2, lot 2, SESE, sec. 11, E2E2, sec. 13, NW,S2, sec. 14, NENE, sec. 25, E2; T22N R30E, sec. 17, S2S2, sec. 18, lot 3-4, SESW, S2SE, sec. 19, lots 1-4 NENW, sec. 21, N2NE; T23N R29E, sec. 2, lot 3, SENW, E2NW, sec. 11, E2W2; sec. 14 E2NW. This power line is currently above ground.

A right of way for a buried telephone line has been granted in the following areas: T22N R29E, sec. 5, lot 3, SWNW, W2SW, sec. 8, NWNW, NWSW, sec. 17, SESW, SWSE, sec. 20, W2E2,NESE, sec. 29, NE, N2SE, SESE.

Rights of ways for irrigation facilities have been issued in the following areas: T24N R30E, sec. 16, SE, sec. 17, NWSW, sec. 18 lots 2, 13, NESWN N2SE.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?
Yes_____ No_____ N/A__X____

Description *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation? Yes_____ No_____ N/A__X____
(Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the areas does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.)

Description *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)? Yes_____ No_____ N/A__X____

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: Hawley Creek - 22

Summary

Results of analysis: *(Note: explain the inventory findings for the entirety of the inventory unit. When wilderness characteristics have been identified in an area that is smaller than the size of the total inventory unit, explain why certain portions of the inventory unit are not included in the lands with wilderness characteristics (e.g. the inventory found that certain parts lacked naturalness).)*

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? Yes__X__ No____

2. Does the area appear to be natural? Yes____ No__X__ N/A__X__

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? Yes____ No____ N/A__X__

4. Does the area have supplemental values? Yes____ No____ N/A__X__

Check one:

____ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics.
__X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

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**This form documents information that constitutes an inventory finding on wilderness characteristics. It does not represent a formal land use allocation or a final agency decision subject to administrative remedies under either 43 CFR parts 4 or 1610.5-3.*