

Division of Natural Resources, Lands & Planning

Program Overview

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Non-Renewable Programs

- Lands & Realty
- Wilderness
- Recreation
- Cultural Resources

Renewable Programs

- Range
- Wild Horses
- Wildlife

Special Legislation

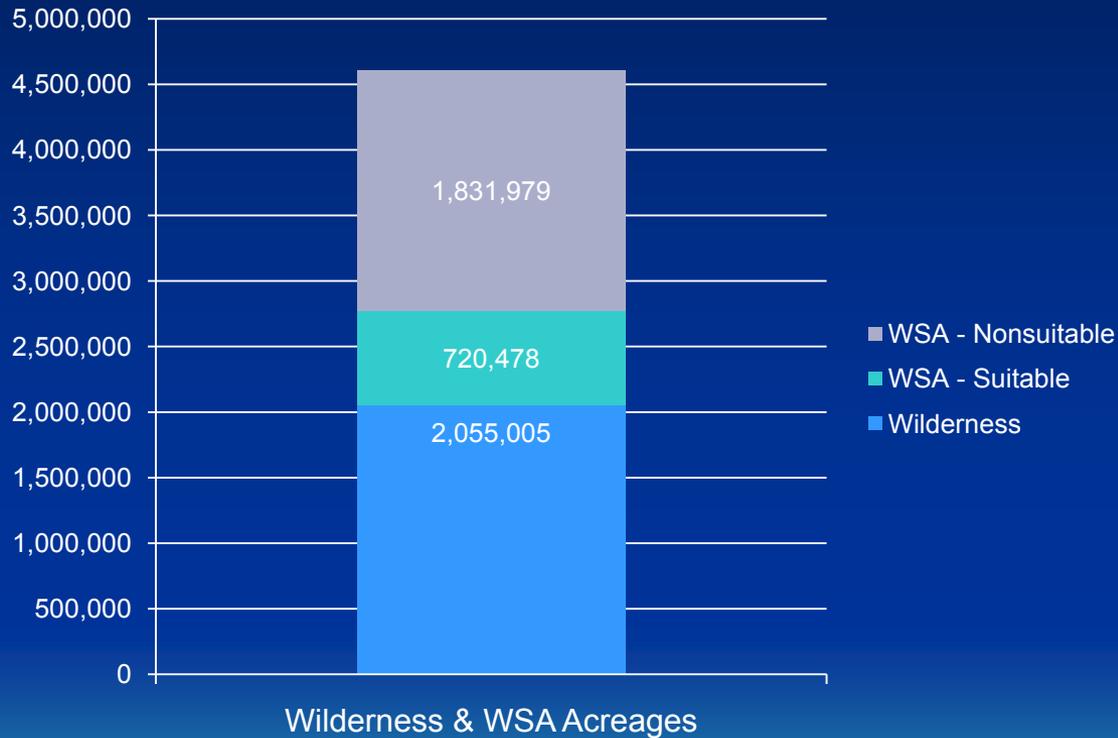


Non-Renewable Resources Lands & Realty Program

Lands & Realty Program Overview			
	FY2007	FY2008	FY2009
Rights-of-Way Actions Taken (each)	580	454	605
Recreation & Public Purpose Leases (acres)	1,834	7,057	582
Acres Sold or Disposed Of	6,800	5,390	1,453
Acres Acquired (SNPLMA) BLM (Fee simple)	740	29,041	1,058
Acres Acquired (SNPLMA) FS (Fee simple)			321
Acres Acquired (SNPLMA) BLM Conservation Easements			816



Non-Renewable Resources Wilderness Program



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FY2010 Priorities

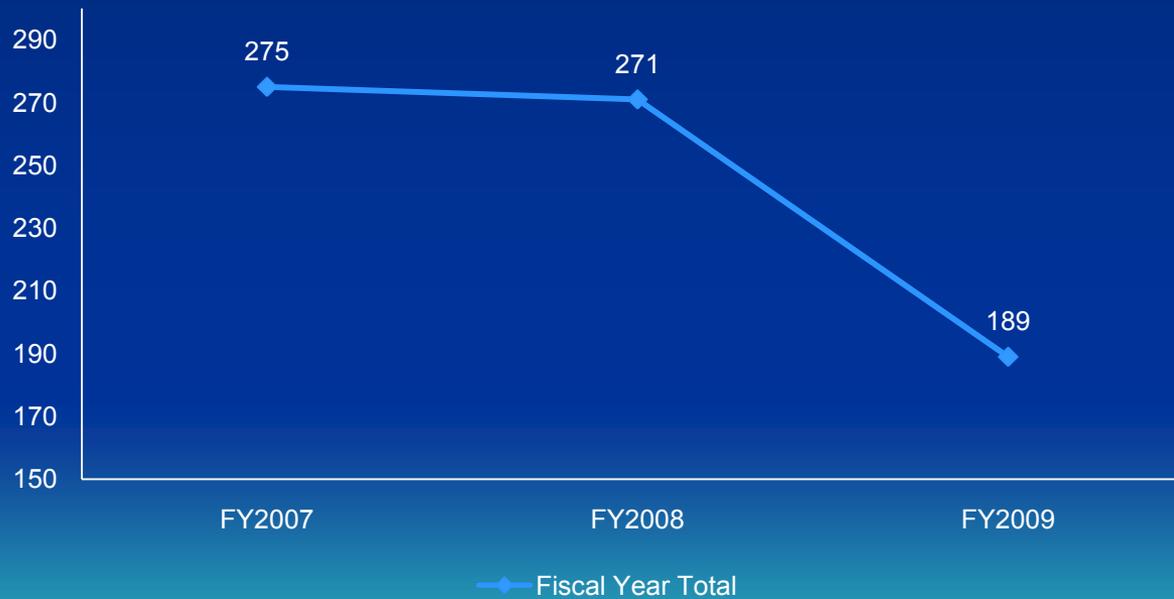
- Monitor and patrol wilderness and WSA's
- Process wilderness/WSA violation cases
- Continue preparation of wilderness management plans for designated areas
- Complete restoration/rehabilitation projects in wilderness and WSAs



Non-Renewable Resources Recreation Program

Special Recreation Permits

Statewide Special Recreation Use Permit Trend



Non-Renewable Resources Cultural Resources Program

Facts

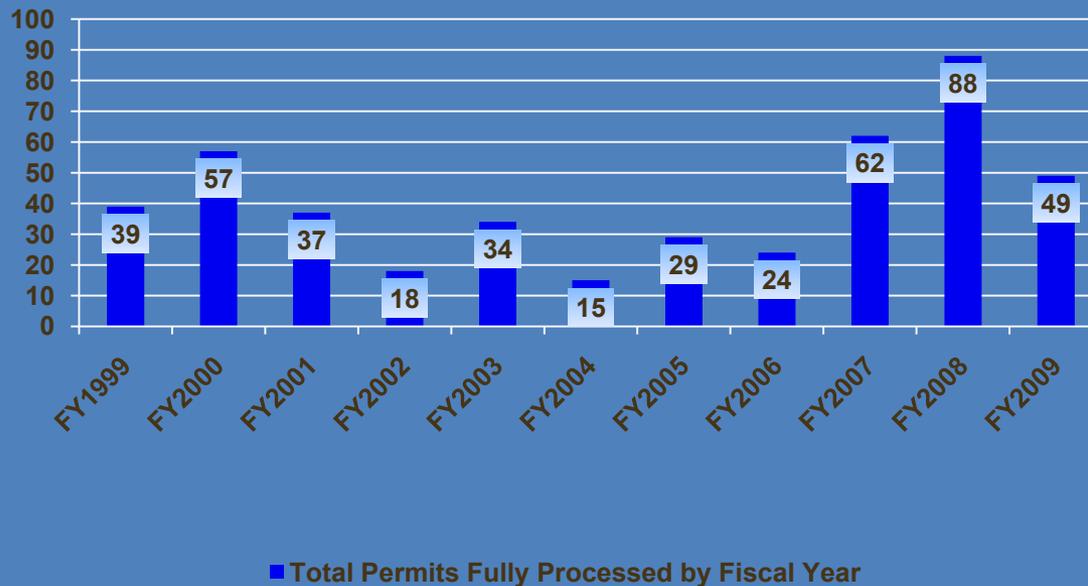
Figures

Measure	Fiscal Year	
	2008	2009
Acres of Class III Inventory Completed	167,580	120,696
Newly Reported Cultural Resources	2,783	2,013
Sites Eligible for National Register of Historic Places	551	491

Renewable Resources Range

Grazing Permit/Lease

Total Permits Fully Processed State-wide by Fiscal Year

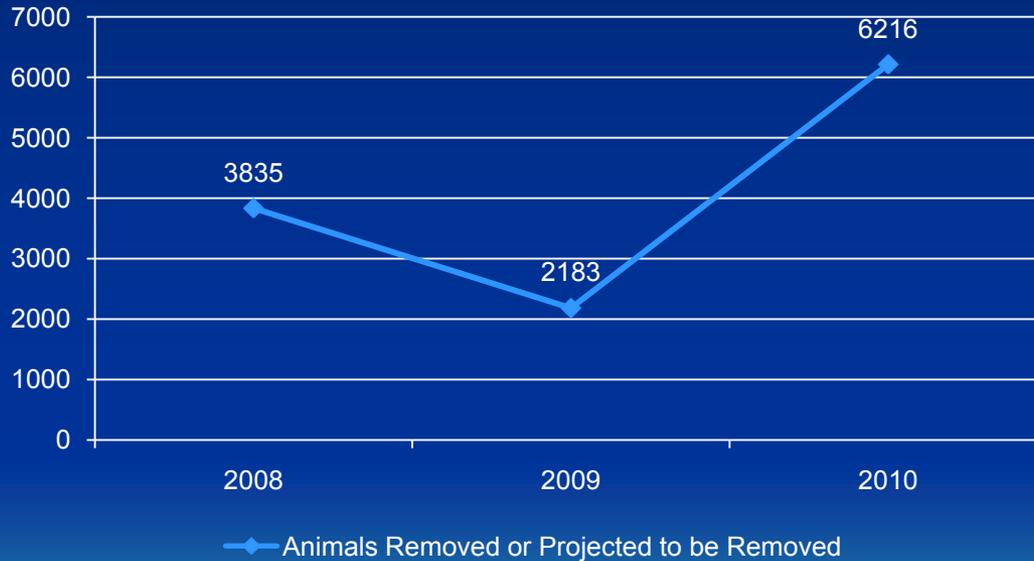


Renewable Resources

Wild Horses & Burros



Animals Removed or Projected to be Removed



Renewable Resources

Wild Horses & Burros

Projected Population - July 1, 2009 to July 1, 2010	
Animals as of July 1, 2009 (after 2009 foaling)	21,000
Animals removed Aug 1, 2009 to date	1,201
FY2010 Remaining Gather Targets	5,394
Animals Remaining before 2010 foaling	14,405
2010 Foaling Number (20%)	2,881
Projected Animals at July 1, 2010	17,286

Renewable Resources

Wildlife

Sage-Grouse

- U. S. Fish & Wildlife Service's 12-month finding has been postponed to February 2010
- BLM Nevada continues to address sage-grouse as outlined in the RMPs
- BLM Nevada continues to participate in implementation of the Nevada Sage-Grouse Conservation Plan



T/E Species

- Desert Tortoise
- Lahontan Cutthroat Trout

Special Legislation

Southern Nevada Public Land Management Act

- **Round 10**
 - Signed by Secretary Sept. 4, 2009
 - \$80 million for projects & \$30 million for Lake Tahoe commitment
- **Round 11**
 - Projected \$15 million for projects and \$8 million for Lake Tahoe commitment
 - Nominating entities limited to 2 projects per category

Lincoln County Land Act

- **Lincoln County Archeological Initiative**
 - Round 2 approved by the BLM Director on Oct. 21, 2009
 - 6 projects totaling \$856,000
 - Round 3 project nomination period just closed
- **Meadow Valley Land Acquisition**



Special Legislation

Omnibus Public Lands Act of 2009

- **Provisions for land disposal, consolidation and acquisition in Carson City.**
- **Amended SNPLMA to:**
 - **Carson City to nominate PTNA projects**
 - **BLM and Forest Service to nominate Conservation Initiative projects in the Carson River floodplain**
 - **Extended the deadline for acquisition and development of the Washoe County regional park from 2011 to 2015**

