

WILDERNESS CHARACTERISTICS REVIEW

Date of Submission: N/A

Date(s) of Field Office Review: 02/06-07/07

Submitter: N/A

Name of Area to be Reviewed: Monticello Field Office

BLM Field Office(s) Affected: Monticello

EVALUATION

1.) Was new information submitted by a member of the public for this area?

YES _____. NO X.

2.) If new information was submitted, describe the submission. For example, did the submission include a map that identifies the specific boundaries of the area(s) in question; a narrative that describes the wilderness characteristics of the area and documents how that information differs from the information gathered and reviewed in prior BLM inventories; photographic documentation; etc?

The areas reviewed were derived from a GIS Data Layer provided by the Utah Wilderness Coalition (UWC). Additional materials such as maps, photographs, or narratives were not included.

3. As a result of interdisciplinary review of relevant information (which may include aerial photographs, state and county road information, road maintenance agreements, documentation from prior BLM inventories, field observations, maps, master title plats, evidence presented as new information by a proponent, etc.), do you conclude:

N/A a) the decision reached in previous BLM inventories that the area lacks wilderness characteristics is still valid.

(or)

N/A b) some or all of the area has wilderness characteristics as shown on the attached map.

4. Describe your findings regarding specific wilderness characteristics and provide detailed rationale.

The attached list identifies polygons that are larger than one acre, but less than 100 acres in size. These polygons generally consist of discrepancies (including road setbacks) between existing GIS data layers, including Wilderness Study Areas (WSA), Wilderness Inventory Areas (WIA), and the UWC proposal. After comparing the GIS data layer with WSA and WIA inventory files, it has been determined that these polygons are considered to be mapping errors resulting from the fact that the data provided by the UWC has not been vertically integrated.

Some of these discrepancies may be addressed, via realignments, etc., when the wilderness character review areas are vertically integrated with existing BLM data layers. The remaining discrepancies will not be corrected because current BLM policy does not allow for the vertical integration of externally produced data.

The remaining polygons are areas that are contiguous to units determined not to possess wilderness characteristics during the 1999 Inventory. Because no substantial restoration has occurred since 1999, it has been determined that wilderness characteristics are still not present in these areas.

5. Document all information considered during the interdisciplinary team review (e.g. aerial photographs, state and county road information, road maintenance agreements, documentation from prior BLM inventories, field observations, maps, master title plats, evidence presented as new information by a proponent, etc.)

*Utah Wilderness Coalition (UWC) GIS Data Layer Proposal (2005)
 GIS Aerial Photography (NAIP 2006: San Juan County north and south)
 BLM 1999 Utah Wilderness Inventory
 BLM 1999 Utah Wilderness Inventory Revised
 Utah Wilderness Report to Congress (1995)*

Attachments:

- *Complete List of Units*
- *Regional Maps*

6. List the members of the interdisciplinary team and resource specialties represented.

NAME	RESOURCE (S) REPRESENTED
Gary Torres	Planner, NEPA Coordinator
Brad Colin	Recreation, OHV, Wilderness
Paul Leatherbury	GIS

Field Office Manager _____ Date _____

This determination is part of an interim step in BLM’s internal decision-making process and does not constitute a decision that can be appealed.

NAME	ACRES	REASON	DECISION
Arch Canyon	3.93	Digitizing error	N/A
Bridger Jack Mesa	1.20	Digitizing error	N/A
Bridger Jack Mesa	2.03	Digitizing error	N/A
Bridger Jack Mesa	1.16	Digitizing error	N/A
Bridger Jack Mesa	1.37	Digitizing error	N/A
Bridger Jack Mesa	1.47	Digitizing error	N/A
Bridger Jack Mesa	1.69	Digitizing error	N/A
Bridger Jack Mesa	8.00	Digitizing error	N/A
Butler Wash	6.55	Digitizing error	N/A
Butler Wash	1.07	Digitizing error	N/A
Butler Wash	3.25	Digitizing error	N/A
Butler Wash	5.99	Digitizing error	N/A
Butler Wash	1.25	Digitizing error	N/A
Butler Wash	1.33	Digitizing error	N/A
Butler Wash	3.17	Digitizing error	N/A
Butler Wash	1.94	Digitizing error	N/A
Butler Wash	2.12	Digitizing error	N/A
Butler Wash	5.16	Digitizing error	N/A
Butler Wash	2.55	Digitizing error	N/A
Butler Wash	1.53	Digitizing error	N/A
Butler Wash 1	16.79	Digitizing error	N/A
Butler Wash 2	62.25	Digitizing error	N/A
Butler Wash 3	11.49	Digitizing error and Road setback	N/A
Butler Wash 4	10.22	Digitizing error	N/A
Butler Wash 5	22.85	Digitizing error	N/A
Comb Ridge	2.43	Digitizing error	N/A
Comb Ridge	2.73	Digitizing error	N/A
Comb Ridge	4.15	Digitizing error	N/A
Comb Ridge	5.50	Digitizing error	N/A
Comb Ridge	1.44	Digitizing error	N/A
Comb Ridge	2.84	Digitizing error	N/A
Cross Canyon	1.18	Digitizing error	N/A
Cross Canyon	2.48	Digitizing error	N/A
Cross Canyon	1.74	Digitizing error	N/A
Cross Canyon 1	4.76	Road setback	N/A
Cross Canyon 2	2.03	Road setback	N/A
Dark Canyon	3.52	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon	6.32	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon	1.01	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon	5.55	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon	2.70	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon	1.23	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon	1.20	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon	1.63	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon	9.85	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon	3.37	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon	1.81	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon	3.29	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon	5.74	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon	2.78	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon	2.65	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon	2.06	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon	2.53	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon	1.51	Digitizing error	N/A

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Dark Canyon	3.61	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon	6.21	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon	1.93	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon	1.96	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon	5.84	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon	1.44	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon	1.51	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon	1.01	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon	4.52	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon	1.21	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon	2.33	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon	1.73	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon	3.51	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon	4.14	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon	4.87	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon	7.25	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon	2.01	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon	2.56	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon	1.57	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon	1.16	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon	6.47	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon	7.16	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon	1.57	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon	3.10	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon	2.11	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon	1.70	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon	3.64	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon	5.75	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon	8.85	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon	6.97	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon	6.79	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon	3.02	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon	1.88	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon	1.84	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon	1.70	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon	2.34	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon	8.28	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon 4	11.60	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon 5	14.96	Digitizing error	N/A
Dark Canyon 14	34.79	Road setback	N/A
Dark Canyon 15	18.16	Digitizing error and Road setback	N/A
Dark Canyon 17	19.92	Digitizing error and Road setback	N/A
Dark Canyon 18	15.57	Digitizing error and Road setback	N/A
Dark Canyon 19	21.95	Road setback	N/A
Dark Canyon 20	36.71	Road setback	N/A
Dark Canyon 21	13.35	Digitizing error	N/A
Demons Playground	1.88	Digitizing error	N/A
Demons Playground	1.066	Digitizing error	N/A
Demons Playground	1.22	Digitizing error	N/A
Demons Playground	2.03	Digitizing error	N/A
Demons Playground	1.31	Digitizing error	N/A
Demons Playground	1.93	Digitizing error	N/A
Demons Playground	2.61	Digitizing error	N/A
Demons Playground	1.62	Digitizing error	N/A
Demons Playground	4.21	Digitizing error	N/A

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Demons Playground 1	47.73	Digitizing error and Road setback	N/A
Demons Playground 2	10.10	Road setback	N/A
Fish/Owl Creek Cyns	4.64	Digitizing error	N/A
Fish/Owl Creek Cyns	6.58	Digitizing error	N/A
Fish/Owl Creek Cyns	3.54	Digitizing error	N/A
Fish/Owl Creek Cyns	9.31	Digitizing error	N/A
Fish/Owl Creek Cyns	2.16	Digitizing error	N/A
Fish/Owl Creek Cyns	7.93	Digitizing error	N/A
Fish/Owl Creek Cyns	2.47	Digitizing error	N/A
Fish/Owl Creek Cyns	9.16	Digitizing error	N/A
Fish/Owl Creek Cyns	5.75	Digitizing error	N/A
Fish/Owl Creek Cyns 1	1.79	Road setback	N/A
Fish/Owl Creek Cyns 4	45.15	Road setback	N/A
Fish/Owl Creek Cyns 5	26.36	Digitizing error	N/A
Fish/Owl Creek Cyns 6	14.12	Road setback	N/A
Fish/Owl Creek Cyns 7	25.45	Road setback	N/A
Fish/Owl Creek Cyns 8	11.91	Road setback	N/A
Fish/Owl Creek Cyns 9	12.85	Road setback	N/A
Fort Knocker	3.15	Digitizing error	N/A
Fort Knocker	5.59	Digitizing error	N/A
Fort Knocker	5.09	Digitizing error	N/A
Fort Knocker	4.42	Digitizing error	N/A
Fort Knocker	1.27	Digitizing error	N/A
Fort Knocker	2.00	Digitizing error	N/A
Fort Knocker	2.64	Digitizing error	N/A
Gooseneck	1.17	Digitizing error	N/A
Gooseneck 1	1.65	Digitizing error	N/A
Gooseneck 2	16.57	Digitizing error	N/A
Gooseneck 3	2.75	Digitizing error	N/A
Grand Gulch	5.71	Digitizing error	N/A
Grand Gulch	4.16	Digitizing error	N/A
Grand Gulch	4.19	Digitizing error	N/A
Grand Gulch	2.11	Digitizing error	N/A
Grand Gulch	6.71	Digitizing error	N/A
Grand Gulch	2.20	Digitizing error	N/A
Grand Gulch	7.38	Digitizing error	N/A
Grand Gulch	3.36	Digitizing error	N/A
Grand Gulch	5.95	Digitizing error	N/A
Grand Gulch	3.16	Digitizing error	N/A
Grand Gulch	1.65	Digitizing error	N/A
Grand Gulch	3.86	Digitizing error	N/A
Grand Gulch	2.09	Digitizing error	N/A
Grand Gulch	2.32	Digitizing error	N/A
Grand Gulch	3.08	Digitizing error	N/A
Grand Gulch	1.02	Digitizing error	N/A
Grand Gulch 2	35.33	Digitizing error	N/A
Grand Gulch 3	29.47	Digitizing error	N/A
Grand Gulch 4	16.99	Digitizing error	N/A
Grand Gulch 5	18.82	Digitizing error	N/A
Grand Gulch 6	18.44	Digitizing error	N/A
Grand Gulch 7	15.37	Road setback	N/A
Grand Gulch 8	12.07	Road setback	N/A
Grand Gulch 9	37.73	Road setback	N/A
Grand Gulch 11	74.61	Road Setback	N/A
Grand Gulch 12	11.11	Road setback	N/A

NAME	ACRES	REASON	DECISION
Hatch\Lockhart\Har10	12.72	Road setback	N/A
Hatch\Lockhart\Har12	23.22	Road setback and contiguous to NWC	N/A
Hatch\Lockhart\Har13	12.86	Road setback and contiguous to NWC	N/A
Hatch\Lockhart\Har14	42.89	Road setback and contiguous to NWC	N/A
Hatch\Lockhart\Har15	58.90	Road setback and contiguous to NWC	N/A
Hatch\Lockhart\Har16	30.70	Road setback and contiguous to NWC	N/A
Hatch\Lockhart\Har17	10.31	Road setback and contiguous to NWC	N/A
Hatch\Lockhart\Har18	10.89	Road setback and contiguous to NWC	N/A
Hatch\Lockhart\Har19	15.15	Digitizing error	N/A
Hatch\Lockhart\Har20	10.84	Digitizing error	N/A
Hatch\Lockhart\Har21	11.24	Digitizing error	N/A
Hatch\Lockhart\Har22	19.43	Road setback	N/A
Hatch\Lockhart\Hart	2.71	Digitizing error	N/A
Hatch\Lockhart\Hart	9.29	Digitizing error	N/A
Hatch\Lockhart\Hart	2.82	Digitizing error	N/A
Hatch\Lockhart\Hart	2.37	Digitizing error	N/A
Hatch\Lockhart\Hart	1.10	Digitizing error	N/A
Hatch\Lockhart\Hart	4.423	Digitizing error	N/A
Hatch\Lockhart\Hart	2.86	Digitizing error	N/A
Hatch\Lockhart\Hart	3.44	Digitizing error	N/A
Hatch\Lockhart\Hart	2.40	Digitizing error	N/A
Hatch\Lockhart\Hart	2.54	Digitizing error	N/A
Hatch\Lockhart\Hart	1.27	Digitizing error	N/A
Hatch\Lockhart\Hart	5.03	Digitizing error	N/A
Hatch\Lockhart\Hart	2.45	Digitizing error	N/A
Hatch\Lockhart\Hart	1.27	Digitizing error	N/A
Hatch\Lockhart\Hart	6.25	Digitizing error	N/A
Hatch\Lockhart\Hart	2.96	Digitizing error	N/A
Hatch\Lockhart\Hart	4.44	Digitizing error	N/A
Hatch\Lockhart\Hart	8.36	Digitizing error	N/A
Hatch\Lockhart\Hart	1.46	Digitizing error	N/A
Hatch\Lockhart\Hart	1.37	Digitizing error	N/A
Hatch\Lockhart\Hart	1.38	Digitizing error	N/A
Hatch\Lockhart\Hart	2.36	Digitizing error	N/A
Hatch\Lockhart\Hart	2.60	Digitizing error	N/A
Hatch\Lockhart\Hart	1.60	Digitizing error	N/A
Hatch\Lockhart\Hart	1.72	Digitizing error	N/A
Hatch\Lockhart\Hart	2.59	Digitizing error	N/A
Hatch\Lockhart\Hart	1.27	Digitizing error	N/A
Hatch\Lockhart\Hart	4.35	Digitizing error	N/A
Hatch\Lockhart\Hart	1.58	Digitizing error	N/A
Hatch\Lockhart\Hart	3.91	Digitizing error	N/A
Hatch\Lockhart\Hart	2.40	Digitizing error	N/A
Hatch\Lockhart\Hart	1.10	Digitizing error	N/A
Hatch\Lockhart\Hart	7.04	Digitizing error	N/A
Hatch\Lockhart\Hart	3.25	Digitizing error	N/A
Hatch\Lockhart\Hart	3.04	Digitizing error	N/A
Hatch\Lockhart\Hart	1.39	Digitizing error	N/A
Hatch\Lockhart\Hart	3.54	Digitizing error	N/A
Hatch\Lockhart\Hart	2.03	Digitizing error	N/A
Hatch\Lockhart\Hart	4.78	Digitizing error	N/A
Hatch\Lockhart\Hart	3.63	Digitizing error	N/A
Hatch\Lockhart\Hart	3.03	Digitizing error	N/A
Hatch\Lockhart\Hart	7.95	Digitizing error	N/A
Hatch\Lockhart\Hart	5.66	Digitizing error	N/A

NAME	ACRES	REASON	DECISION
Horsethief Point	3.58	Digitizing error	N/A
Indian Creek	7.09	Digitizing error	N/A
Indian Creek	8.43	Digitizing error	N/A
Indian Creek	4.58	Digitizing error	N/A
Indian Creek	7.59	Digitizing error	N/A
Indian Creek	4.57	Digitizing error	N/A
Indian Creek	3.88	Digitizing error	N/A
Indian Creek	5.74	Digitizing error	N/A
Nokai Dome	6.87	Digitizing error	N/A
Nokai Dome	2.92	Digitizing error	N/A
Nokai Dome	2.76	Digitizing error	N/A
Nokai Dome	3.09	Digitizing error	N/A
Nokai Dome	8.41	Digitizing error	N/A
Nokai Dome	2.44	Digitizing error	N/A
Nokai Dome	4.95	Digitizing error	N/A
Nokai Dome	5.28	Digitizing error	N/A
Nokai Dome	3.00	Digitizing error	N/A
Nokai Dome	1.64	Digitizing error	N/A
Nokai Dome 2	6.66	Road setback	N/A
Nokai Dome 3	67.47	Road setback	N/A
Nokai Dome 4	11.92	Highway setback	N/A
Nokai Dome 5	13.81	Digitizing error	N/A
Nokai Dome 6	28.26	Road setback	N/A
Nokai Dome 7	18.80	Road setback	N/A
Nokai Dome 8	22.35	Road setback	N/A
Red Rock Plateau	8.83	Digitizing error	N/A
Red Rock Plateau	3.47	Digitizing error	N/A
Red Rock Plateau	2.24	Digitizing error	N/A
Red Rock Plateau	2.14	Digitizing error	N/A
Red Rock Plateau	1.88	Digitizing error	N/A
Red Rock Plateau	1.58	Digitizing error	N/A
Red Rock Plateau	1.46	Digitizing error	N/A
Red Rock Plateau	8.47	Digitizing error	N/A
Red Rock Plateau	3.02	Digitizing error	N/A
Red Rock Plateau	2.07	Digitizing error	N/A
Red Rock Plateau	1.62	Digitizing error	N/A
Red Rock Plateau	9.05	Digitizing error	N/A
Red Rock Plateau	4.56	Digitizing error	N/A
Red Rock Plateau	3.46	Digitizing error	N/A
Red Rock Plateau	1.14	Digitizing error	N/A
Red Rock Plateau	1.06	Digitizing error	N/A
Red Rock Plateau	1.26	Digitizing error	N/A
Red Rock Plateau	1.16	Digitizing error	N/A
Red Rock Plateau	2.12	Digitizing error	N/A
Red Rock Plateau	8.78	Digitizing error	N/A
Red Rock Plateau	1.09	Digitizing error	N/A
Red Rock Plateau	4.12	Digitizing error	N/A
Red Rock Plateau	2.49	Digitizing error	N/A
Red Rock Plateau	9.45	Digitizing error	N/A
Red Rock Plateau	8.52	Digitizing error	N/A
Red Rock Plateau	2.03	Digitizing error	N/A
Red Rock Plateau	8.25	Digitizing error	N/A
Red Rock Plateau	3.48	Digitizing error	N/A
Red Rock Plateau	1.08	Digitizing error	N/A
Red Rock Plateau	6.33	Digitizing error	N/A

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Red Rock Plateau	2.55	Digitizing error	N/A
Red Rock Plateau	2.65	Digitizing error	N/A
Red Rock Plateau 3	28.73	Road setback	N/A
Red Rock Plateau 4	21.55	Road setback	N/A
Red Rock Plateau 5	22.79	Road setback	N/A
Red Rock Plateau 6	77.30	Road setback	N/A
Red Rock Plateau 7	51.95	Road setback	N/A
Red Rock Plateau 8	15.84	Road setback	N/A
Red Rock Plateau 9	20.53	Road setback	N/A
Red Rock Plateau 10	10.68	Road setback	N/A
Red Rock Plateau 11	10.62	Digitizing error	N/A
Road Canyon	3.150	Digitizing error	N/A
Road Canyon	1.76	Digitizing error	N/A
Road Canyon	6.37	Digitizing error	N/A
Road Canyon	5.46	Digitizing error	N/A
Road Canyon	6.04	Digitizing error	N/A
Road Canyon	1.39	Digitizing error	N/A
Road Canyon	3.35	Digitizing error	N/A
Road Canyon	8.24	digitizing error	N/A
Road Canyon 2	16.20	Road setback	N/A
Road Canyon 3	14.87	Road setback	N/A
Road Canyon 4	13.29	Digitizing error	N/A
Road Canyon 5	26.04	Digitizing error	N/A
Road Canyon 6	20.63	Digitizing error	N/A
Road Canyon 7	28.07	Road setback	N/A
San Juan River	1.451	Digitizing error	N/A
San Juan River	1.65	Digitizing error	N/A
San Juan River	3.16	Digitizing error	N/A
San Juan River	1.61	Digitizing error	N/A
San Juan River	4.46	Digitizing error	N/A
San Juan River	3.16	Digitizing error	N/A
San Juan River	2.13	Digitizing error	N/A
San Juan River	2.71	Digitizing error	N/A
San Juan River	1.53	Digitizing error	N/A
San Juan River	2.33	Digitizing error	N/A
San Juan River	7.01	Digitizing error	N/A
San Juan River	5.26	Digitizing error	N/A
Tin Cup Mesa	6.63	Digitizing error	N/A
Tin Cup Mesa	5.78	Digitizing error	N/A
Tuwa Canyon	30.61	Road setback	N/A
Tuwa Canyon	1.04	Digitizing error	N/A
Tuwa Canyon	2.09	Digitizing error	N/A
White Canyon	6.52	Digitizing error	N/A
White Canyon	6.78	Digitizing error	N/A
White Canyon	6.84	Digitizing error	N/A
White Canyon	5.25	Digitizing error	N/A
White Canyon	6.03	Digitizing error	N/A
White Canyon	5.65	Digitizing error	N/A
White Canyon	2.26	Digitizing error	N/A
White Canyon	8.20	Digitizing error	N/A
White Canyon	3.88	Digitizing error	N/A
White Canyon	2.18	Digitizing error	N/A
White Canyon	7.62	Digitizing error	N/A
White Canyon	1.01	Digitizing error	N/A
White Canyon	3.85	Digitizing error	N/A

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White Canyon	2.28	Digitizing error	N/A
White Canyon	1.13	Digitizing error	N/A
White Canyon	1.22	Digitizing error	N/A
White Canyon	9.40	Digitizing error	N/A
White Canyon	1.72	Digitizing error	N/A
White Canyon	3.02	Digitizing error	N/A
White Canyon	1.06	Digitizing error	N/A
White Canyon	7.28	Digitizing error	N/A
White Canyon	1.16	Digitizing error	N/A
White Canyon	1.71	Digitizing error	N/A
White Canyon	3.34	Digitizing error	N/A
White Canyon	2.27	Digitizing error	N/A
White Canyon	8.66	Digitizing error	N/A
White Canyon 12	14.03	Digitizing error	N/A
White Canyon 13	30.56	Road setback	N/A
White Canyon 16	24.43	Digitizing error	N/A
White Canyon 19	3.52	Road setback	N/A