

**FORM 2**

**DOCUMENTATION OF CURRENT WILDERNESS INVENTORY CONDITIONS**  
**CYFO**

a. Unit Number/Name: Willow Creek

(1) Is the unit of sufficient size?

Yes   X              No           

**DESCRIPTION OF CURRENT CONDITIONS:**

- size: **7,433 acres**

-land ownership: **BLM**

-location: **T. 56 N., R. 93-94 W**, eastern portion of the CYFO, west slope of Bighorn Mountains and north of Highway 14A

-topography: foothills of the Bighorn Mountains, rock faces, and incised canyons

-vegetation features: Wyoming big sagebrush and bunch grasses; communities of salt desert shrub intermingled with pockets of riparian habitat

-summary of major human uses/activities: livestock grazing

(2) Is the unit in a natural condition?

Yes   X              No               N/A           

Description:

(3) Does the unit have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes                       No   X              N/A           

Description: Nearby highway

(4) Does the unit have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes                       No   X              N/A           

Description:

(5) Does the unit have supplemental values?

Yes                       No                       N/A   X  

Description:

Conclusion

Check One:

The area-or a portion of the area-has wilderness character.

The area does not have wilderness character.

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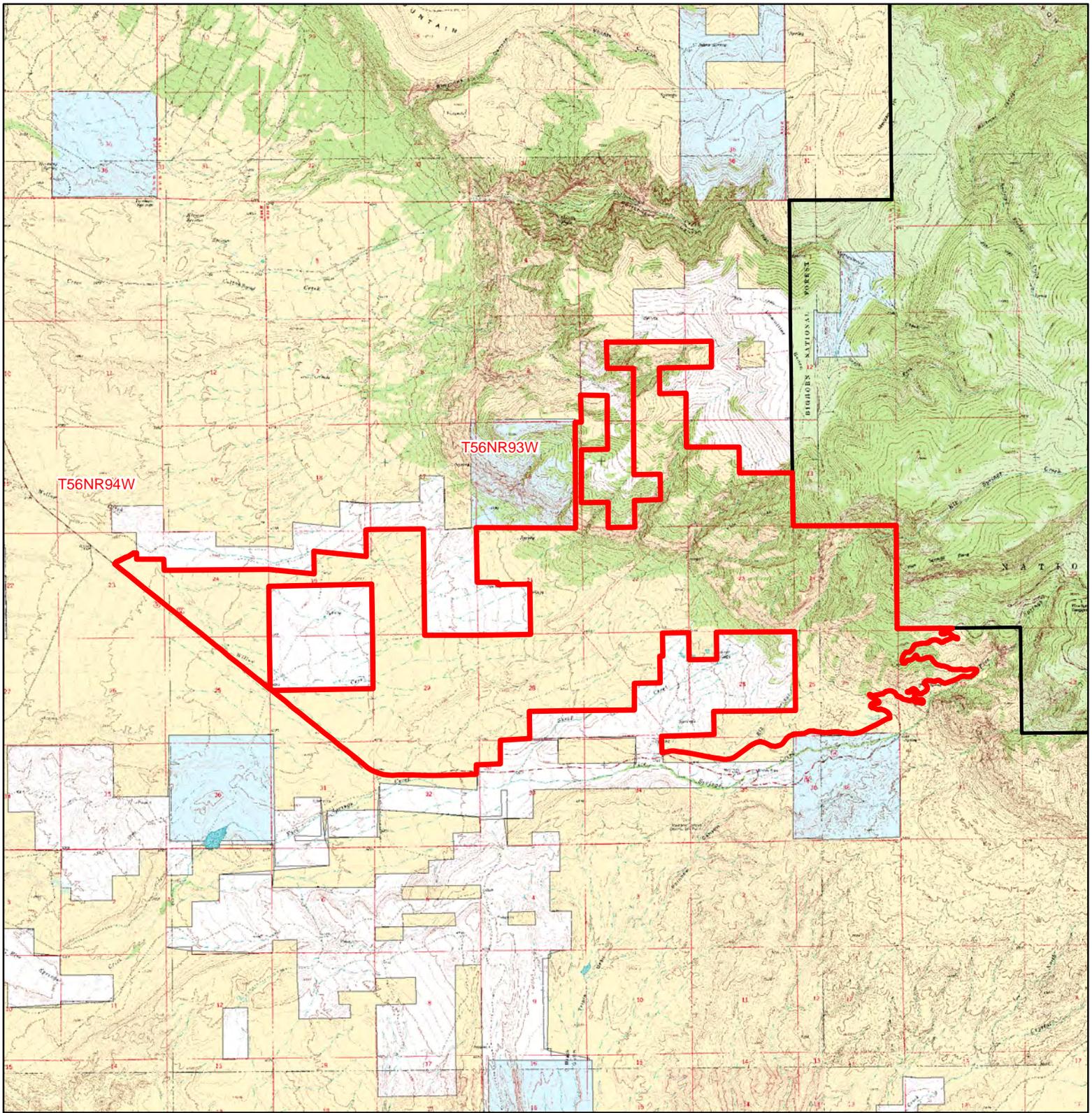
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a. Unit Number/Name: West Stone Barn

(1) Is the unit of sufficient size?

Yes   X   No \_\_\_\_\_

**DESCRIPTION OF CURRENT CONDITIONS:**

- size: **8,489 acres**

-land ownership: **BLM**

-location: **T. 52-53 N., R. 100 W**, central portion of the CYFO, east of Cody, WY and north of Highway 14-16-20

-topography: flat land hills and some badlands

-vegetation features: Wyoming big sagebrush and bunch grasses

-summary of major human uses/activities: livestock grazing

(2) Is the unit in a natural condition?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No   X   N/A \_\_\_\_\_

Description: two-track roads

(3) Does the unit have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ N/A   X  

Description:

(4) Does the unit have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ N/A   X  

Description:

(5) Does the unit have supplemental values?

Yes   X   No \_\_\_\_\_ N/A \_\_\_\_\_

Description: contains Black-tailed prairie dogs

Conclusion

Check One:

The area-or a portion of the area-has wilderness character.

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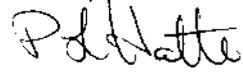
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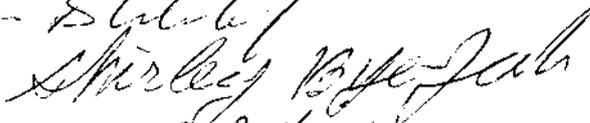
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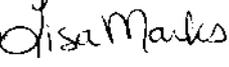
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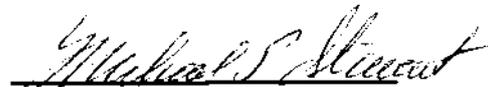
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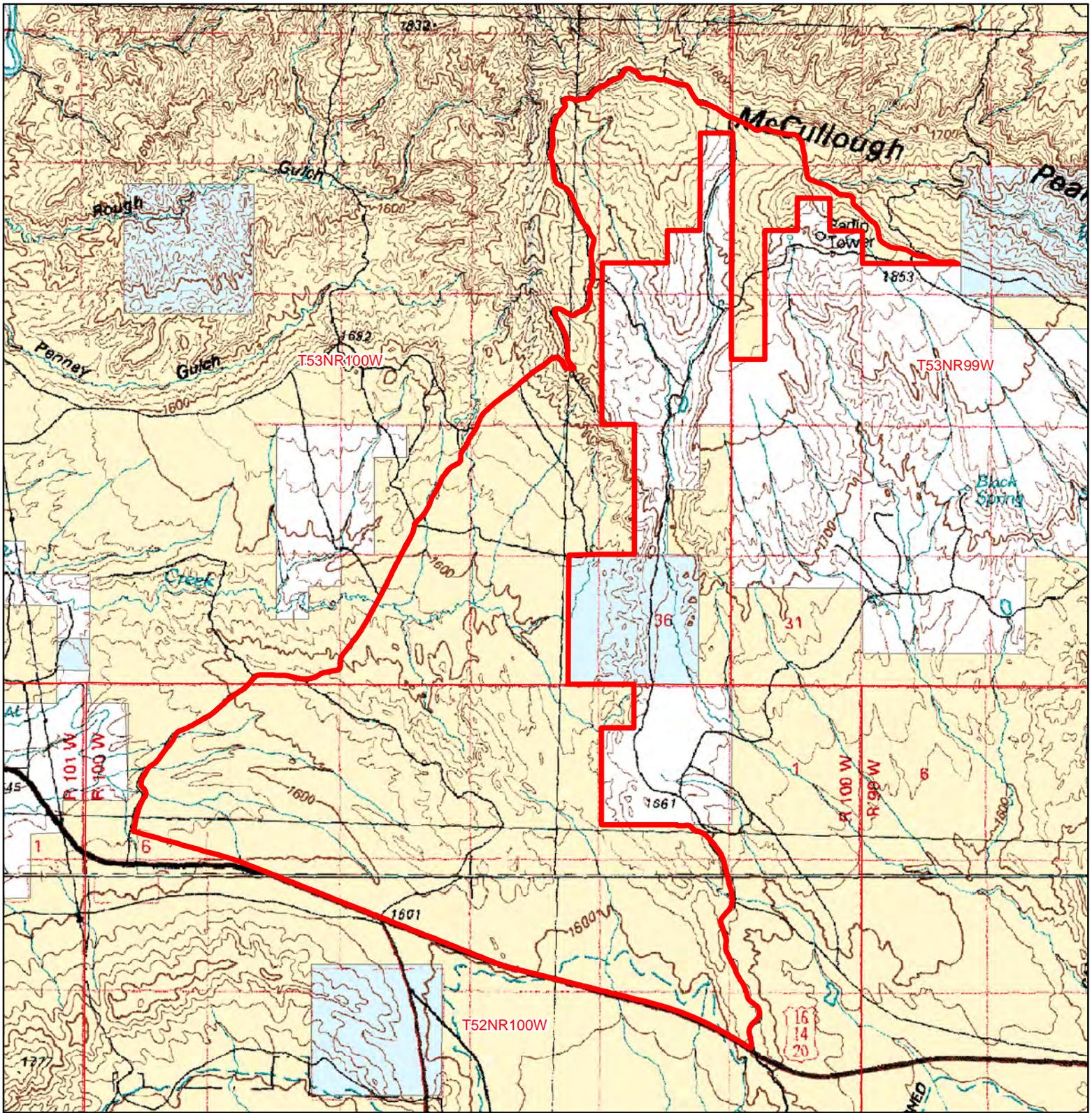


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**Bighorn Basin Planning Area**

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a. Unit Number/Name: West Greybull

(1) Is the unit of sufficient size?

Yes   X                        No \_\_\_\_\_

DESCRIPTION OF CURRENT CONDITIONS:

- size: **5,284 acres**

-land ownership: **BLM**

-location: **T. 52 N., R. 94 W.**, south east portion of the CYFO, immediately west of Greybull, WY

-topography: bench land above the Greybull river and south of Dry Creek, small pockets of badlands

-vegetation features: Wyoming big sagebrush and bunch grasses; isolated communities of salt desert shrub in badlands

-summary of major human uses/activities: livestock grazing

(2) Is the unit in a natural condition?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_                      No   X                        N/A \_\_\_\_\_

Description: above ground power line transmission line

(3) Does the unit have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_                      No \_\_\_\_\_                      N/A   X  

Description: Highway nearby

(4) Does the unit have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_                      No \_\_\_\_\_                      N/A   X  

Description:

(5) Does the unit have supplemental values?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_                      No \_\_\_\_\_                      N/A   X  

Description:

Conclusion

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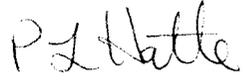
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The area does not have wilderness character.

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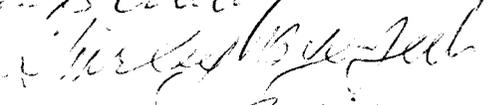
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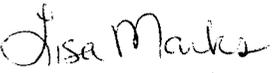
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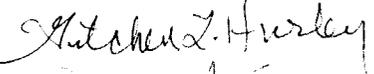
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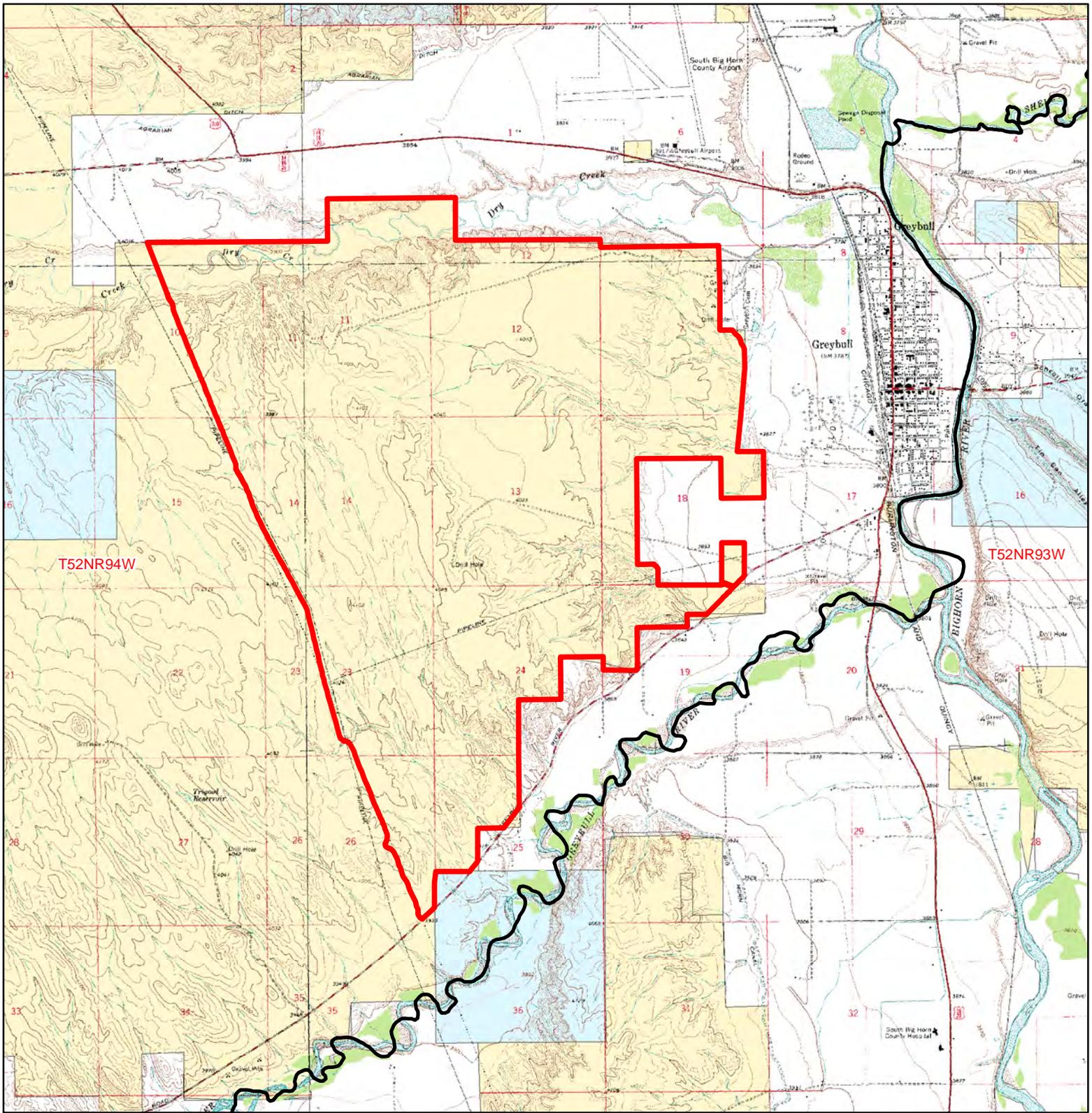
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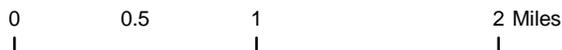
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**Bighorn Basin Planning Area**

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a. Unit Number/Name: West Chapman Bench

(1) Is the unit of sufficient size?

Yes   X              No           

**DESCRIPTION OF CURRENT CONDITIONS:**

- size: **13,780 acres**

-land ownership: **BLM**

-location: **T. 55 N., R. 102 W**, north west portion of the CYFO, east of Highway 120

-topography: flat benchland

-vegetation features: Wyoming big sagebrush and bunch grasses

-summary of major human uses/activities: livestock grazing

(2) Is the unit in a natural condition?

Yes   X              No               N/A           

Description:

(3) Does the unit have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes                       No   X              N/A           

Description: Highway nearby

(4) Does the unit have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes                       No   X              N/A           

Description:

(5) Does the unit have supplemental values?

Yes                       No                       N/A           

Description: Long-billed curlew, mountain plover, and key sage grouse area

Conclusion

Check One:

The area-or a portion of the area-has wilderness character.

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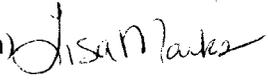
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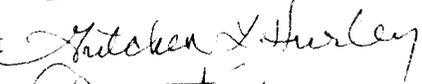
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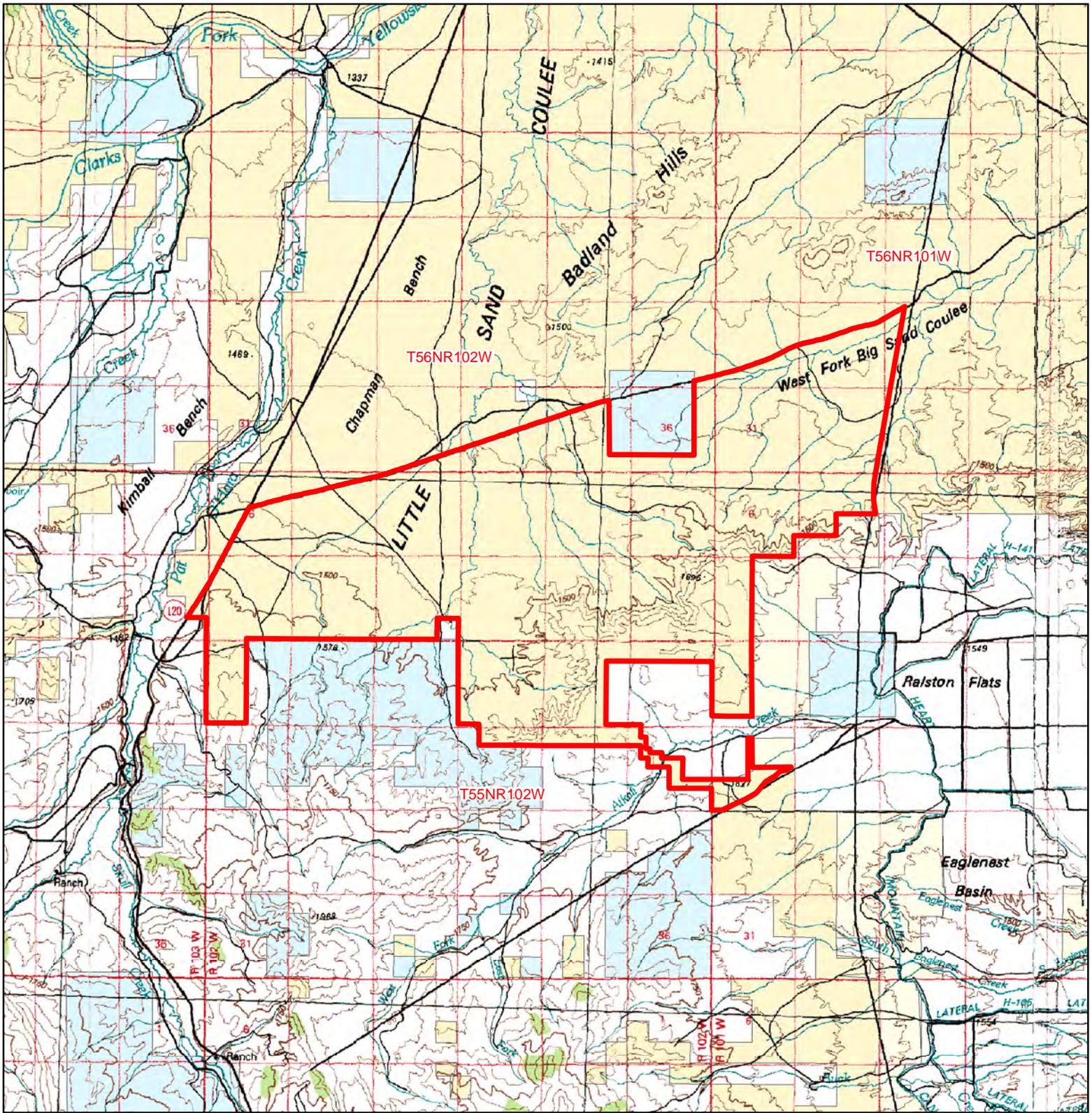
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a. Unit Number/Name: Three Sisters

(1) Is the unit of sufficient size?

Yes   X              No           

**DESCRIPTION OF CURRENT CONDITIONS:**

- size: **25,419 acres**

-land ownership: **BLM**

-location: **T. 52 N., R. 94-95 W**, south central portion of the CYFO, south of Highway 14-16-20, and north of the Greybull river road

-topography: badlands and open flat lands with few pockets of riparian

-vegetation features: Wyoming big sagebrush, bunch grasses, salt desert shrubs, and some riparian

-summary of major human uses/activities: livestock grazing

(2) Is the unit in a natural condition?

Yes                       No   X      N/A           

Description: two-track roads

(3) Does the unit have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes                       No                       N/A   X  

Description:

(4) Does the unit have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes                       No                       N/A   X  

Description:

(5) Does the unit have supplemental values?

Yes                       No                       N/A   X  

Description: CCC water catchment/reservoir project(s)

Conclusion

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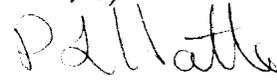
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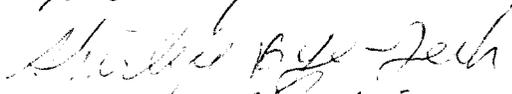
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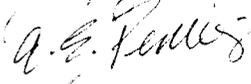
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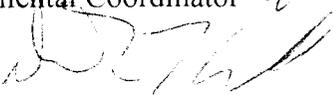
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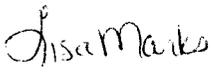
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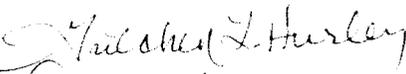
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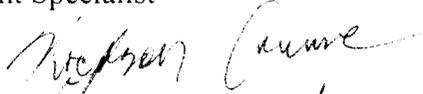


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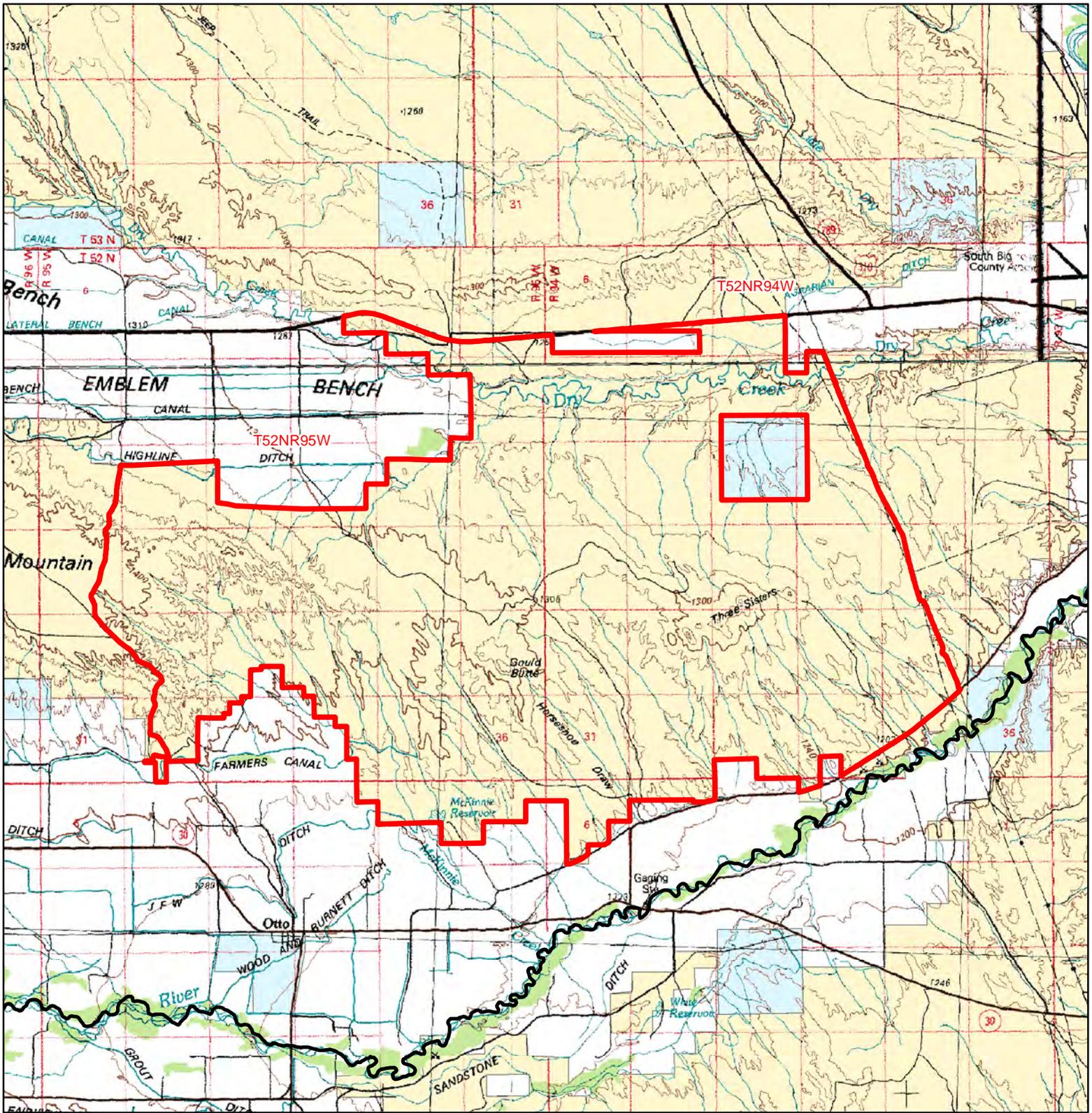
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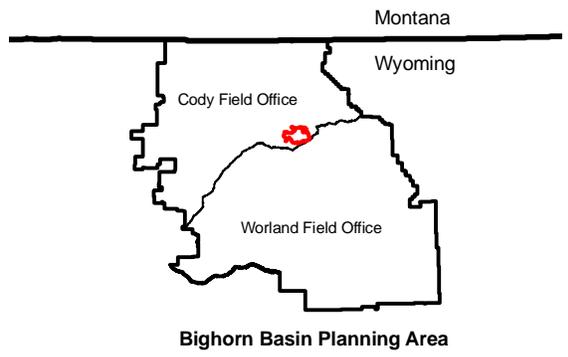
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a. Unit Number/Name: Sunlight

(1) Is the unit of sufficient size?

Yes  X  No \_\_\_\_\_

DESCRIPTION OF CURRENT CONDITIONS:

- size: **7,032 acres**

-land ownership: **BLM**

-location: **T. 53 N., R. 90-91 W**, southeastern corner of the CYFO, west slope of the Bighorn Mountains

-topography: sheer rock faces, deeply incised canyons

-vegetation features: Wyoming big sagebrush, bunch grasses, riparian, mountain mahogany and juniper woodlands

-summary of major human uses/activities: livestock grazing

(2) Is the unit in a natural condition?

Yes  X  No \_\_\_\_\_ N/A \_\_\_\_\_

Description:

(3) Does the unit have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No  X  N/A \_\_\_\_\_

Description:

(4) Does the unit have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No  X  N/A \_\_\_\_\_

Description:

(5) Does the unit have supplemental values?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ N/A  X

Description:

Conclusion

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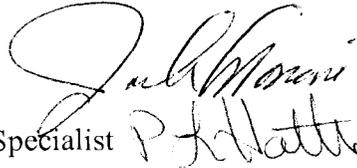
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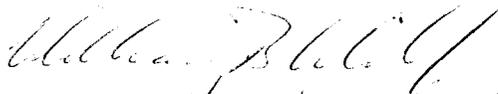
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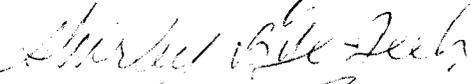
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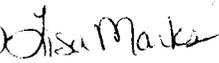
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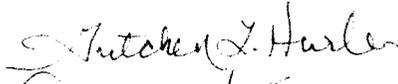
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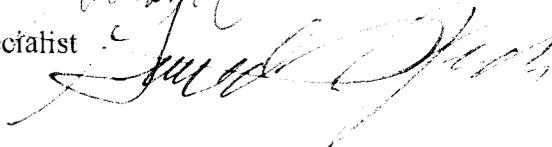


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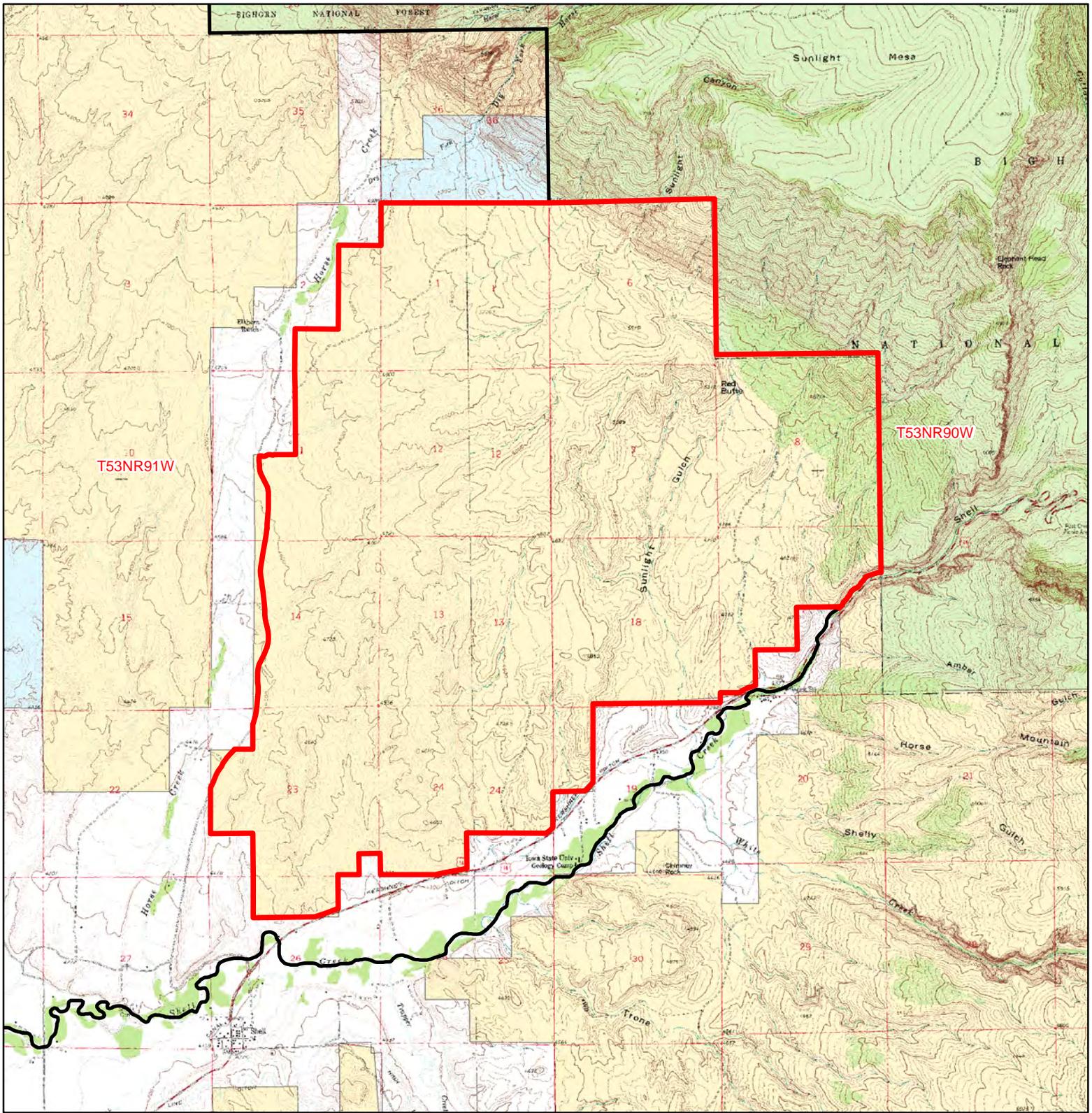
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a. Unit Number/Name: Sand Draw

(1) Is the unit of sufficient size?

Yes   X              No \_\_\_\_\_

**DESCRIPTION OF CURRENT CONDITIONS:**

- size: **13,639 acres**

-land ownership: **BLM**

-location: **T. 54-55 N., R. 96 W**, central portion of the CYFO, southwest of Lovell, WY

-topography: badlands and sandstone outcrops

-vegetation features: Gardner's salt bush interspersed with Wyoming big sagebrush and bunch grasses

-summary of major human uses/activities: livestock grazing

(2) Is the unit in a natural condition?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_            No   X      N/A \_\_\_\_\_

Description: two-track roads

(3) Does the unit have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_            No \_\_\_\_\_            N/A   X  

Description:

(4) Does the unit have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_            No \_\_\_\_\_            N/A   X  

Description:

(5) Does the unit have supplemental values?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_            No \_\_\_\_\_            N/A   X  

Description:

Conclusion

Check One:

The area-or a portion of the area-has wilderness character.

The area does not have wilderness character.

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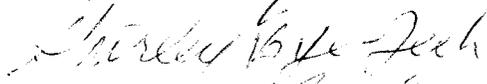
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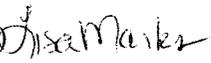
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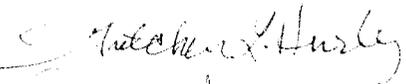
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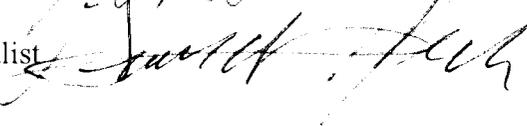


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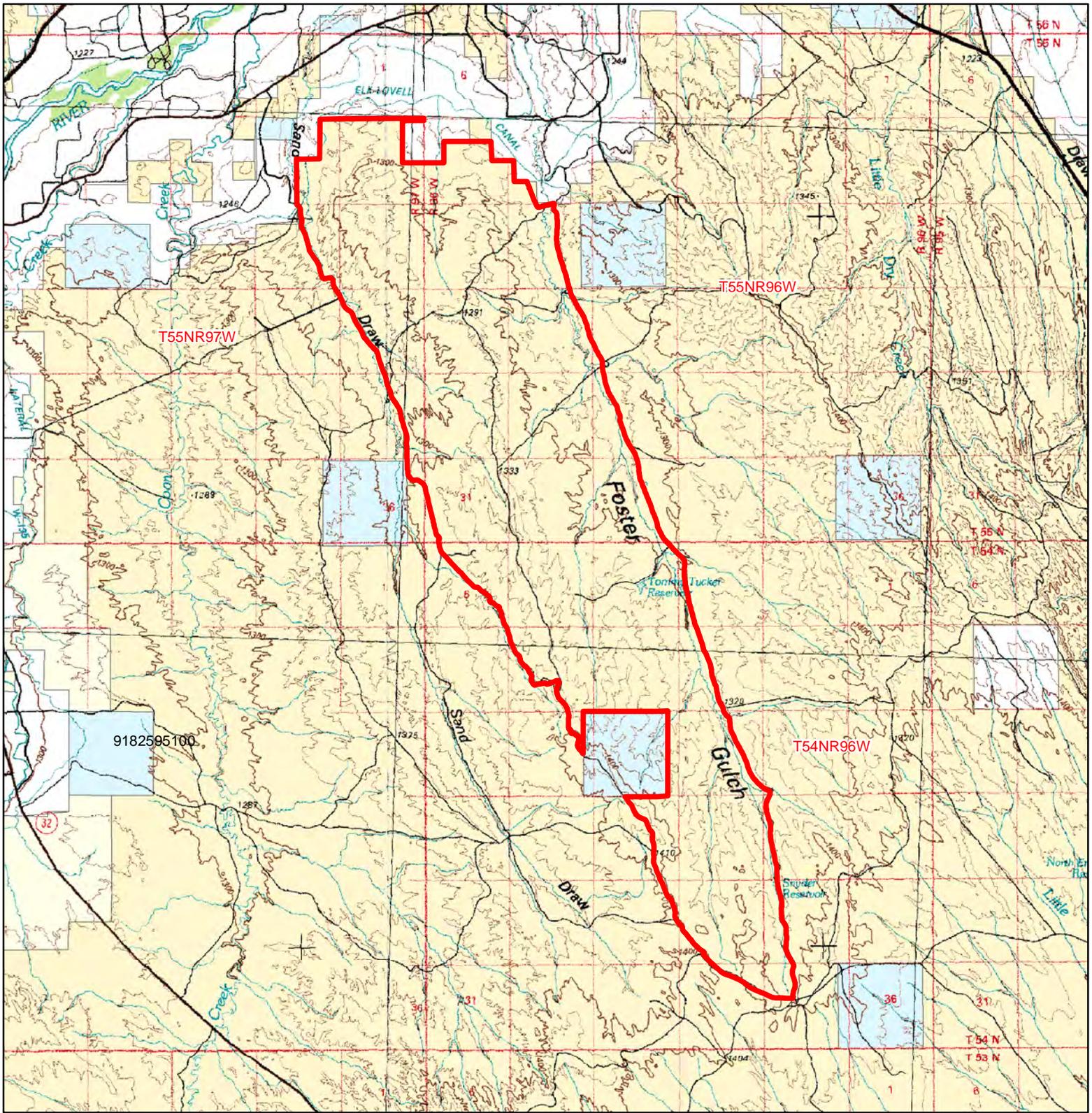
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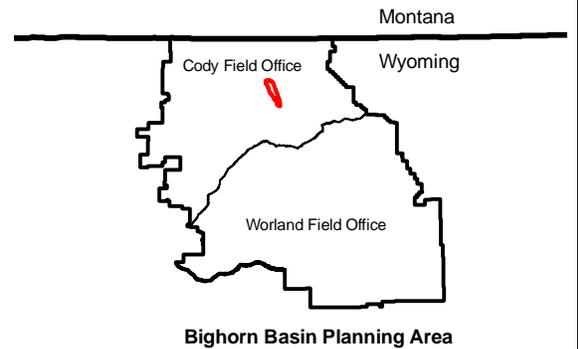
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a. Unit Number/Name: South YU Bench

(1) Is the unit of sufficient size?

Yes   X              No       

DESCRIPTION OF CURRENT CONDITIONS:

- size: **13,464 acres**

-land ownership: **BLM**

-location: **T. 51 N., R. 98-99W**, south central portion of the CYFO, north of the Greybull River road

-topography: table top bench land interspersed with shallow drainages

-vegetation features: Wyoming big sagebrush with bunch grasses, isolated small pockets of juniper

-summary of major human uses/activities: livestock grazing

(2) Is the unit in a natural condition?

Yes                   No   X      N/A       

Description: stock water pipeline

(3) Does the unit have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes                   No                   N/A   X  

Description:

(4) Does the unit have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes                   No                   N/A   X  

Description:

(5) Does the unit have supplemental values?

Yes                   No                   N/A   X  

Description:

Conclusion

Check One:

The area-or a portion of the area-has wilderness character.

The area does not have wilderness character.

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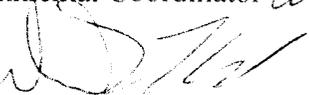
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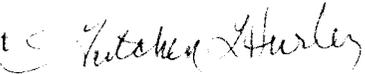
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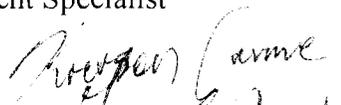


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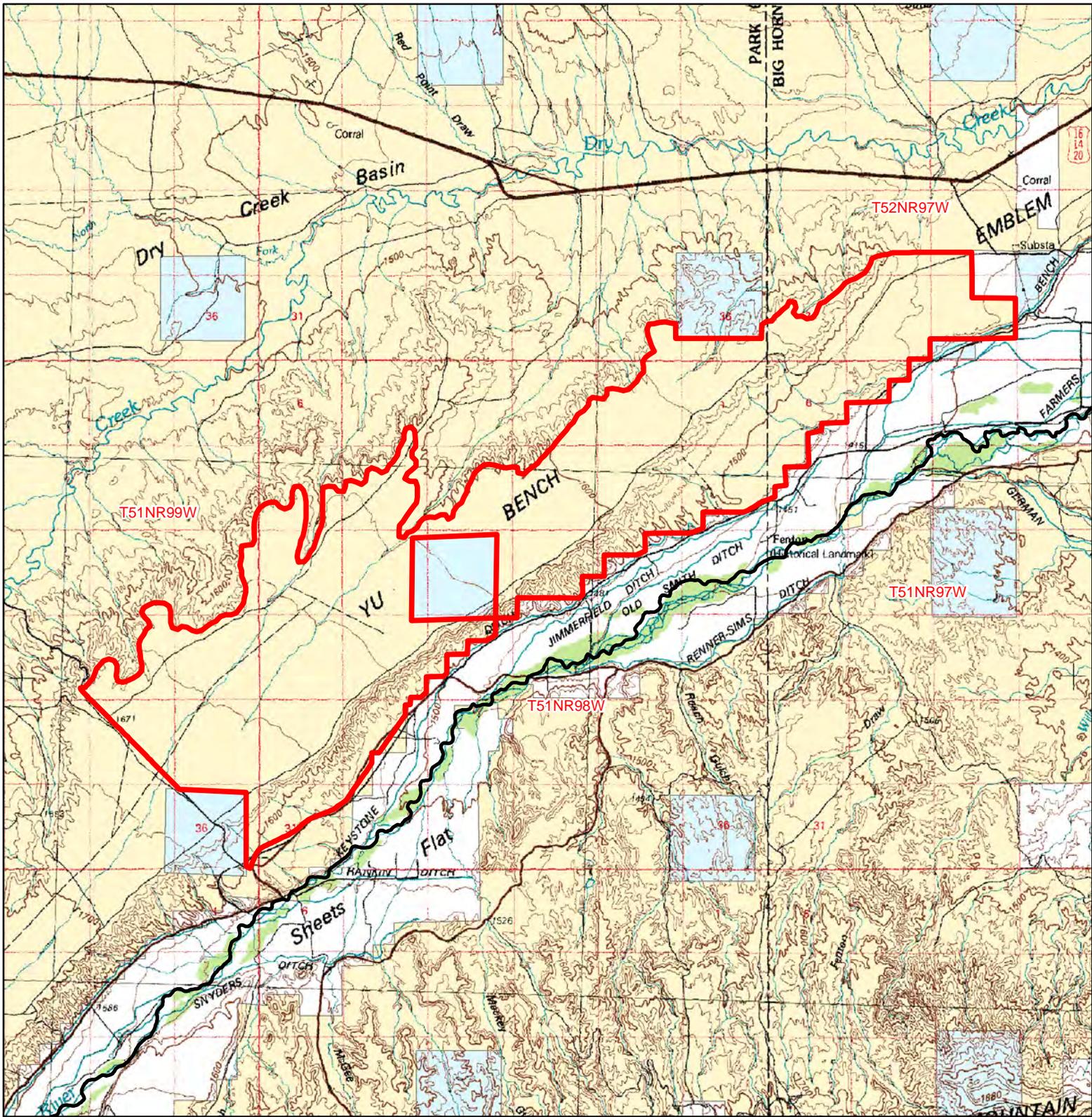
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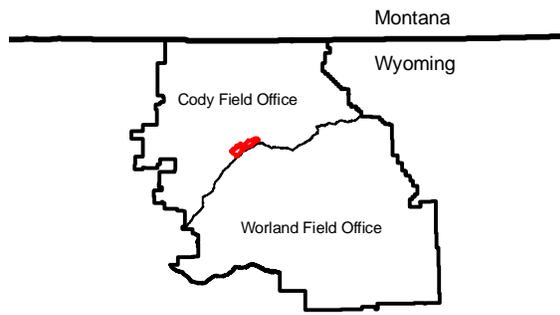
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**CYFO BLM Lands Without Wilderness Characteristics (LWCs)**

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**Bighorn Basin Planning Area**

**FORM 2**

**DOCUMENTATION OF CURRENT WILDERNESS INVENTORY CONDITIONS**  
**CYFO**

a. Unit Number/Name: South Table Mountain

(1) Is the unit of sufficient size?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No  X

**DESCRIPTION OF CURRENT CONDITIONS:**

- size: **3,198 acres**

-land ownership: **BLM**

-location: **T. 52 N., R. 96 W**, south central portion of the CYFO

-topography: flat table top bench with desert pavement

-vegetation features: Wyoming big sagebrush with bunch grasses

-summary of major human uses/activities: livestock grazing

(2) Is the unit in a natural condition?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No  X  N/A \_\_\_\_\_

Description: bladed road

(3) Does the unit have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ N/A  X

Description:

(4) Does the unit have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ N/A  X

Description:

(5) Does the unit have supplemental values?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ N/A  X

Description:

Conclusion

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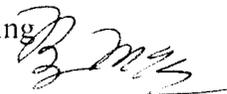
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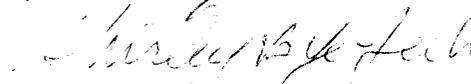
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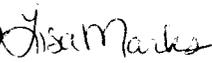
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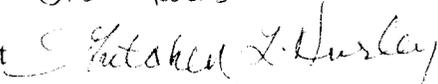
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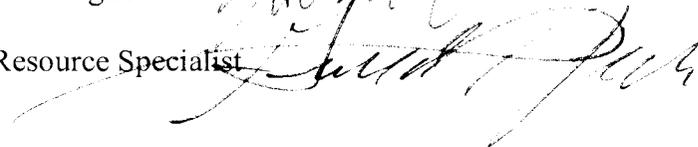


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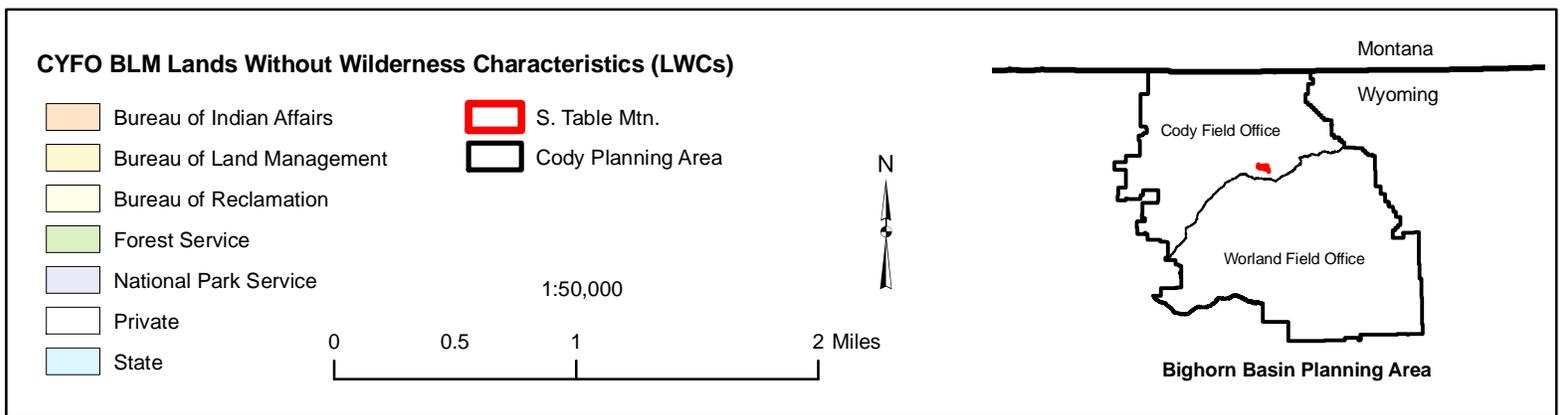
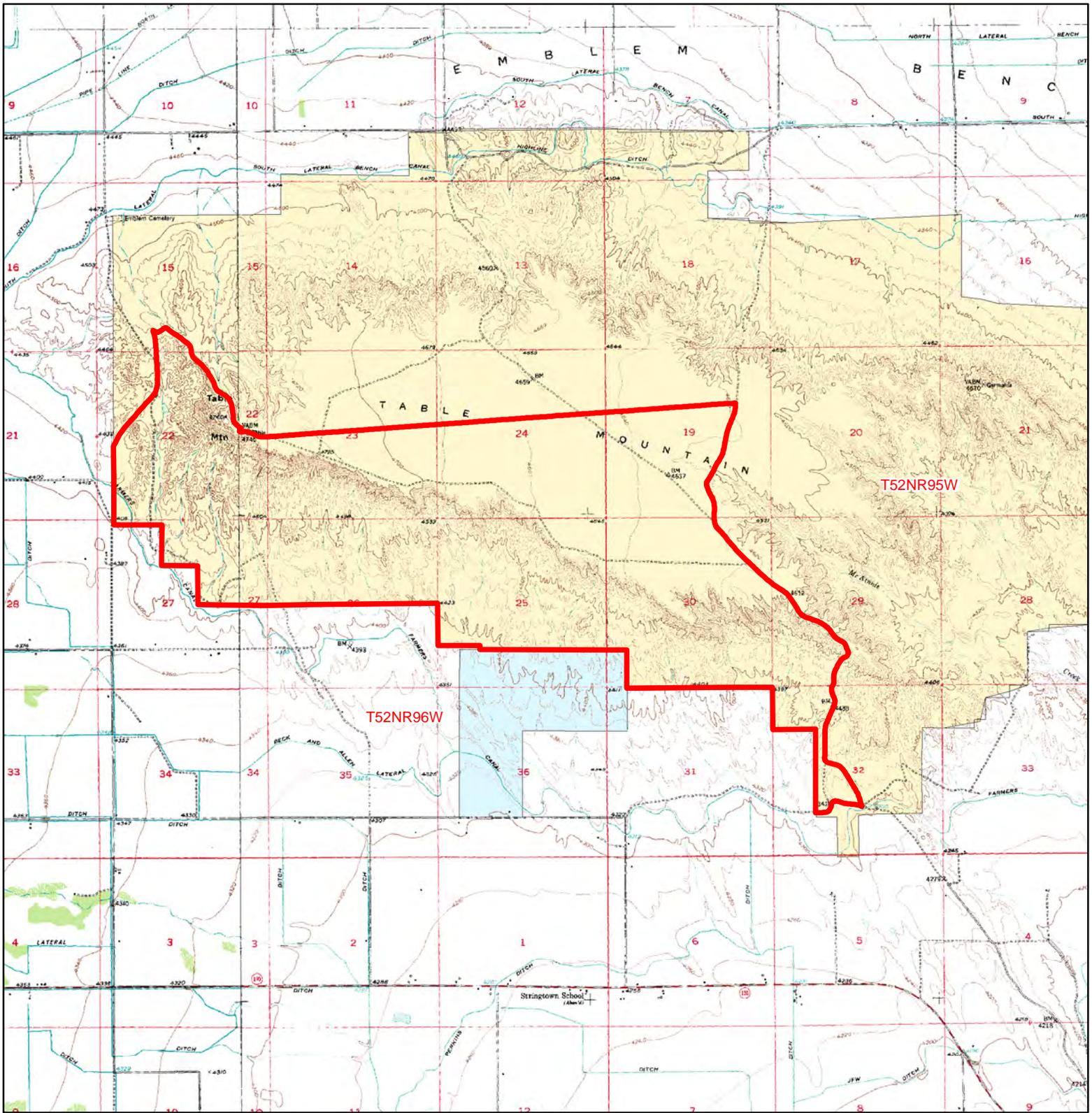
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**FORM 2**

**DOCUMENTATION OF CURRENT WILDERNESS INVENTORY CONDITIONS**  
**CYFO**

a. Unit Number/Name: South Devils Canyon

(1) Is the unit of sufficient size?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No  X

DESCRIPTION OF CURRENT CONDITIONS:

- size: **1,569 acres**

-land ownership: **BLM**

-location: **T. 57 N., R. 93 W.**, northeast corner of the CYFO

-topography: bentonite badlands

-vegetation features: Gardner's salt bush and bunch grasses intermingled with Wyoming big sagebrush

-summary of major human uses/activities: livestock grazing and bentonite mining

(2) Is the unit in a natural condition?

Yes  X  No \_\_\_\_\_ N/A \_\_\_\_\_

Description:

(3) Does the unit have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No  X  N/A \_\_\_\_\_

Description:

(4) Does the unit have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No  X  N/A \_\_\_\_\_

Description:

(5) Does the unit have supplemental values?

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Description:

Conclusion

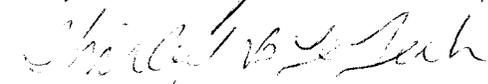
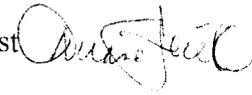
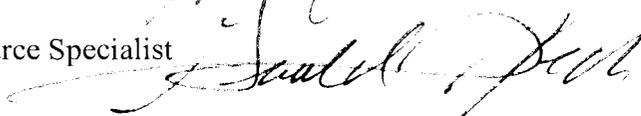
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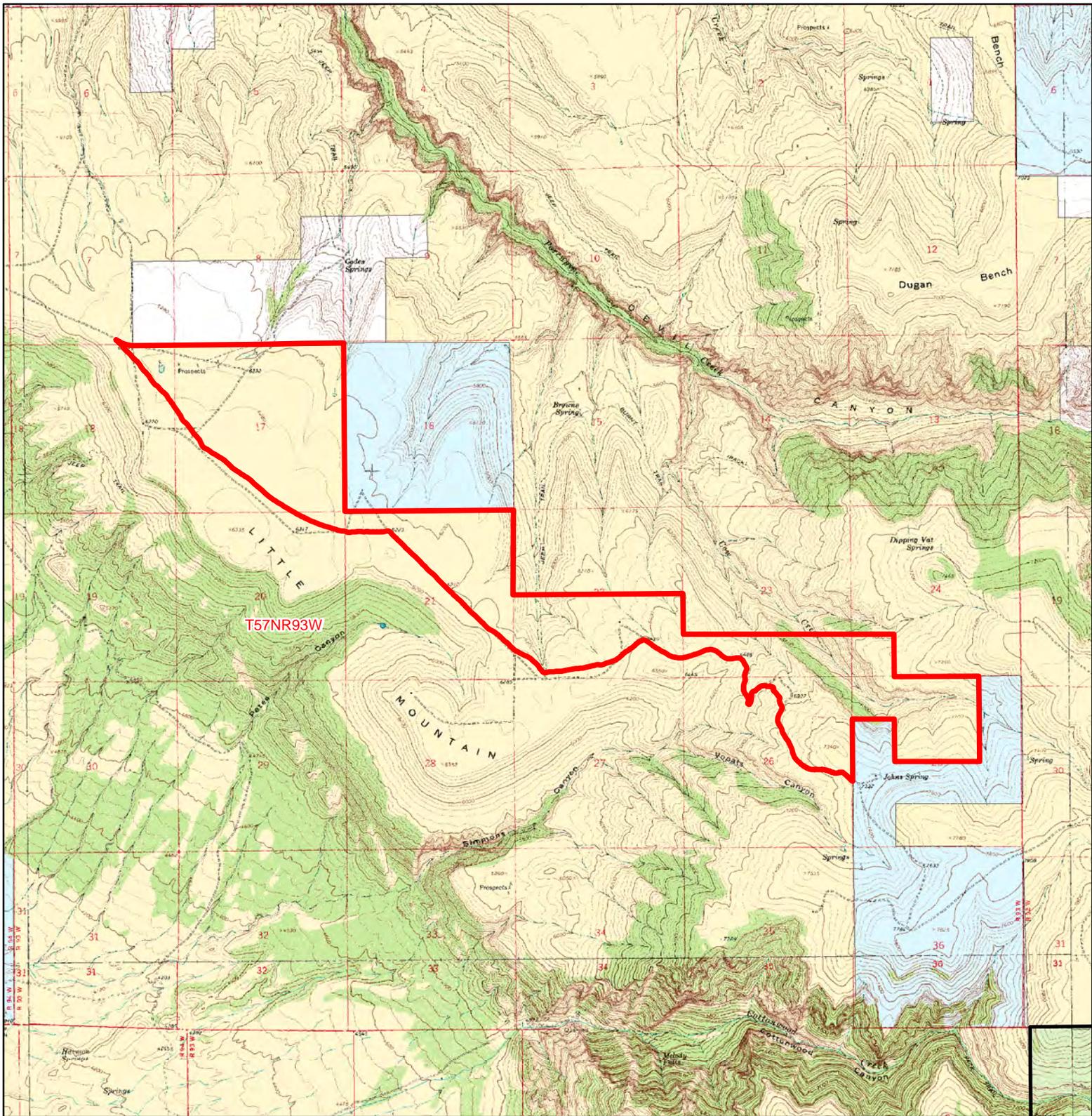
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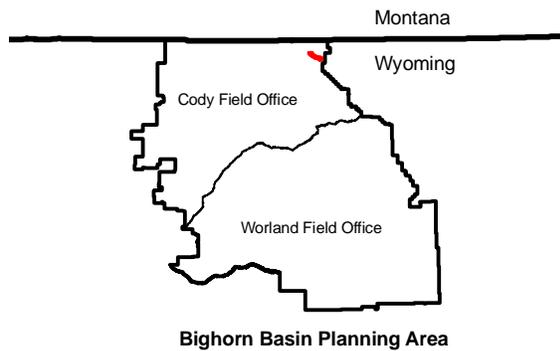
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**CYFO BLM Lands Without Wilderness Characteristics (LWCs)**



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**Bighorn Basin Planning Area**

**FORM 2**

**DOCUMENTATION OF CURRENT WILDERNESS INVENTORY CONDITIONS**  
**CYFO**

a. Unit Number/Name: South Crystal Creek

(1) Is the unit of sufficient size?

Yes   X              No           

**DESCRIPTION OF CURRENT CONDITIONS:**

- size: **10,408 acres**

-land ownership: **BLM**

-location: **T. 54 N., R. 93-94 W**, eastern portion of the CYFO, east of the Bighorn River

-topography: bentonite badlands

-vegetation features: Gardner's salt bush and bunch grasses intermingled with Wyoming big sagebrush

-summary of major human uses/activities: livestock grazing and bentonite mining

(2) Is the unit in a natural condition?

Yes   X              No               N/A           

Description:

(3) Does the unit have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes                       No   X              N/A           

Description:

(4) Does the unit have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes                       No   X              N/A           

Description:

(5) Does the unit have supplemental values?

Yes                       No                       N/A   X  

Description:

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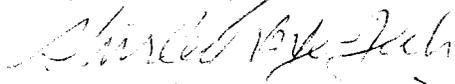
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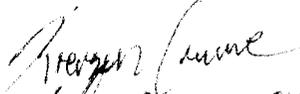


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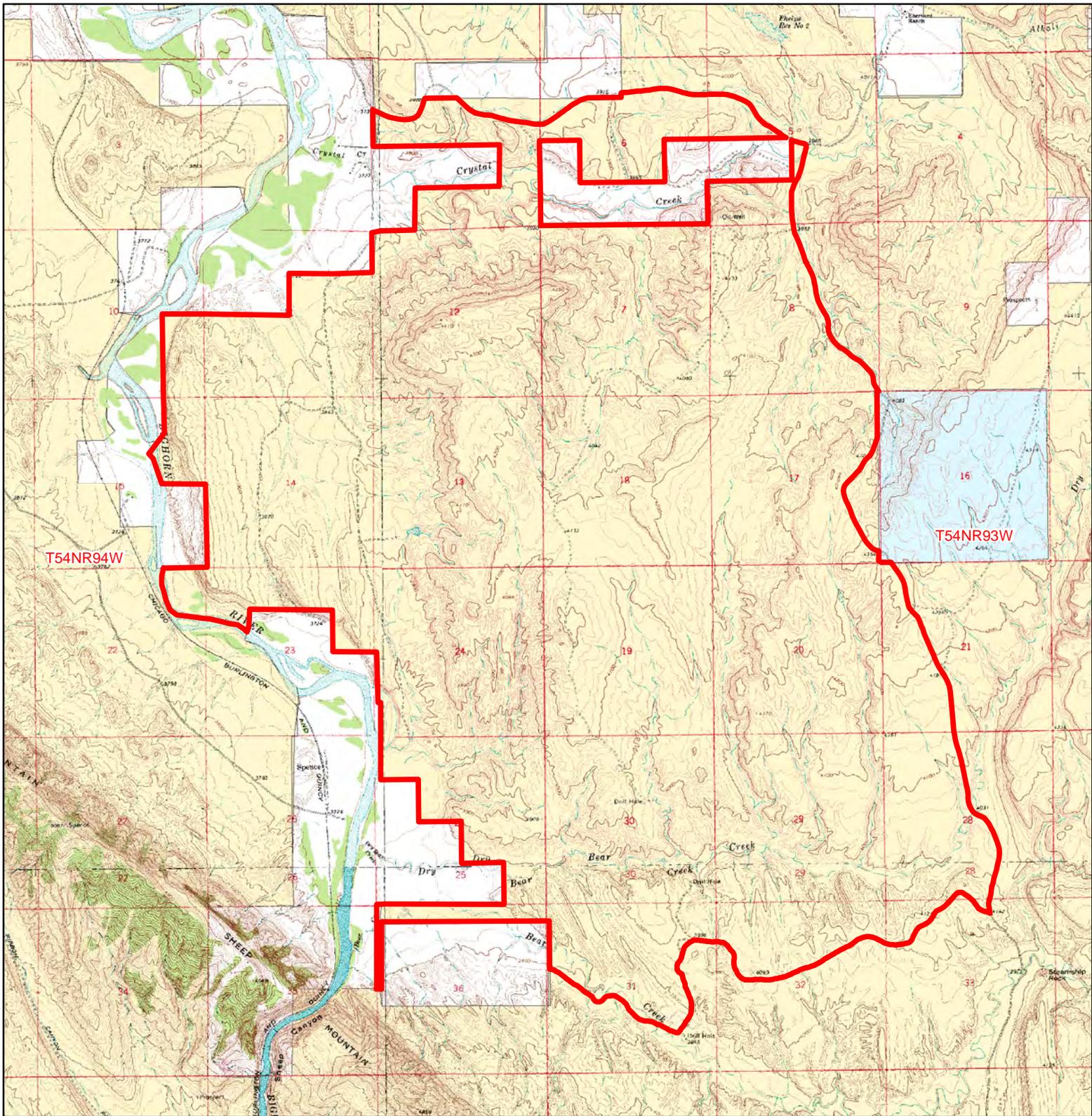
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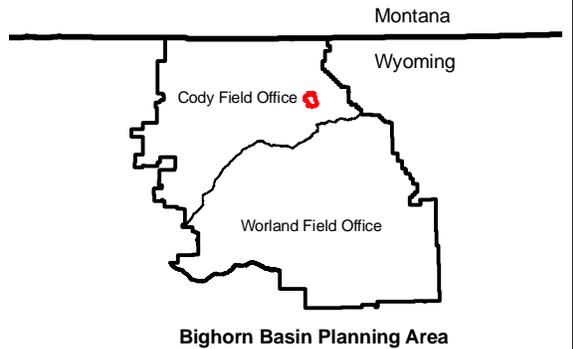
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**CYFO BLM Lands Without Wilderness Characteristics (LWCs)**



**FORM 2**

**DOCUMENTATION OF CURRENT WILDERNESS INVENTORY CONDITIONS**  
**CYFO**

a. Unit Number/Name: Ribbon Canyon

(1) Is the unit of sufficient size?

Yes   X              No           

**DESCRIPTION OF CURRENT CONDITIONS:**

- size: **42,403 acres**
- land ownership: **BLM**
- location: **T. 54-55 N., R. 94-95 W**, eastern portion of the CYFO, south of Highway 14A and west of the Bighorn River
- topography: bentonite badlands and a large colorful striking landform called the Sheep Mountain Anticline
- vegetation features: Gardner's salt bush and bunch grasses intermingled with Wyoming big sagebrush
- summary of major human uses/activities: mining and livestock grazing

(2) Is the unit in a natural condition?

Yes                       No   X      N/A           

Description: Bentonite mining

(3) Does the unit have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes                       No                       N/A   X  

Description:

(4) Does the unit have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes                       No                       N/A   X  

Description:

(5) Does the unit have supplemental values?

Yes                       No                       N/A   X  

Description:

Conclusion

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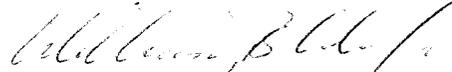


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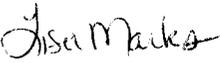
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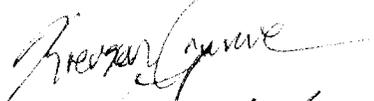


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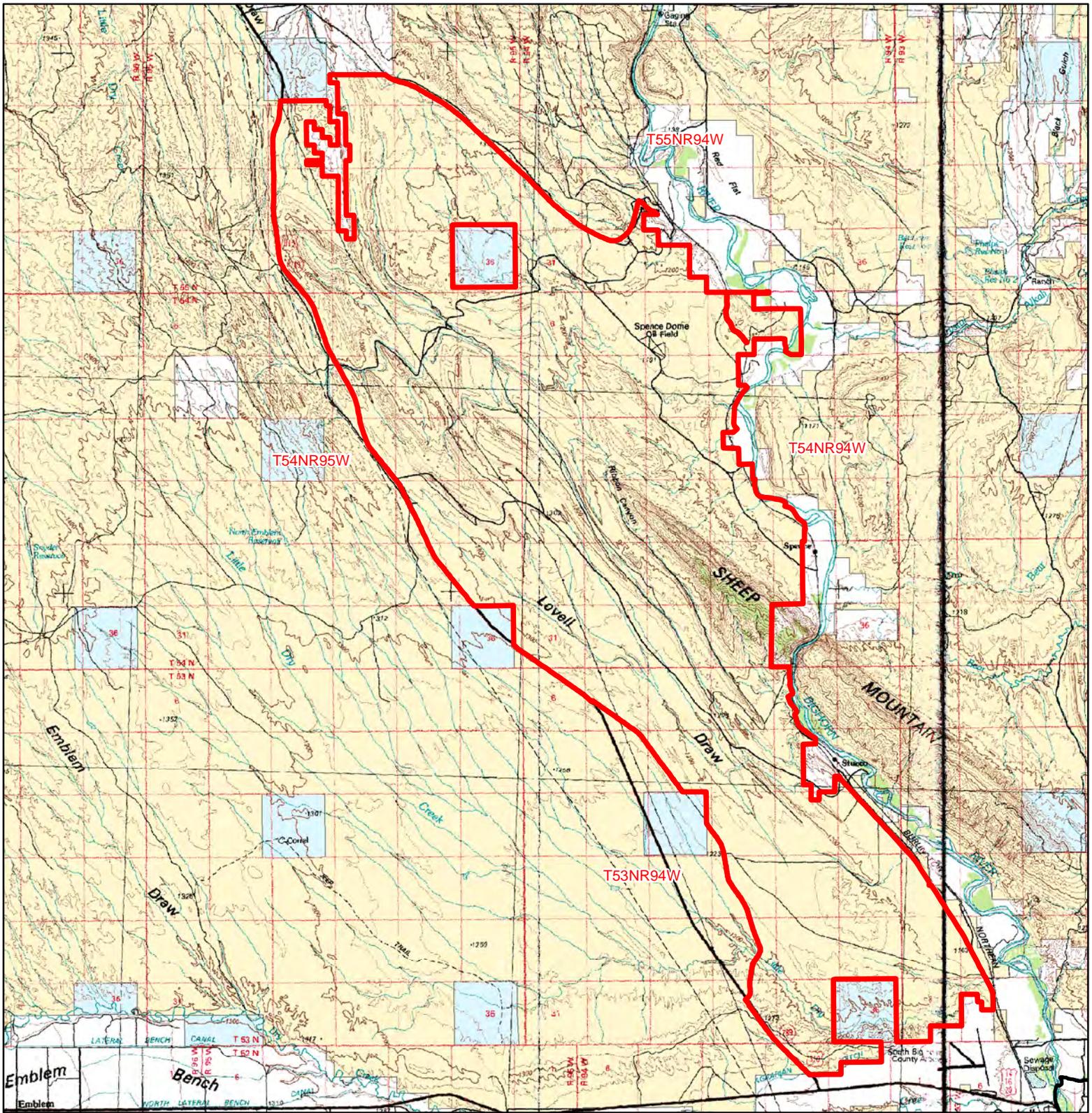
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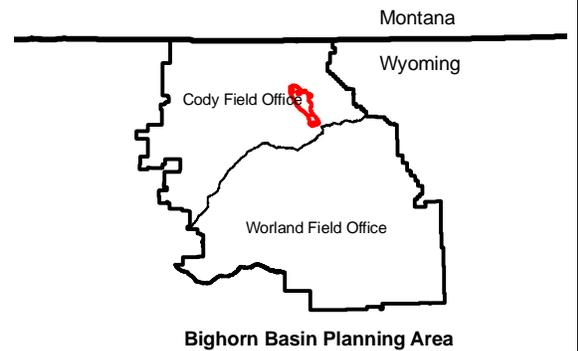
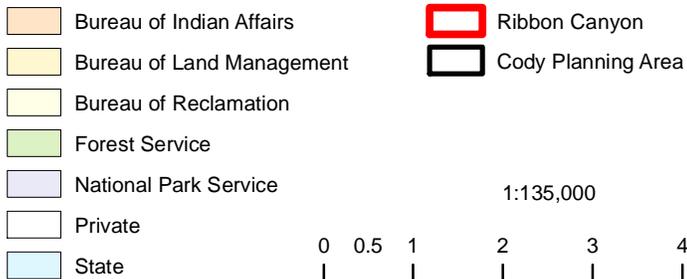
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**CYFO BLM Lands Without Wilderness Characteristics (LWCs)**



**FORM 2**

**DOCUMENTATION OF CURRENT WILDERNESS INVENTORY CONDITIONS**  
**CYFO**

a. Unit Number/Name: Red Flat

(1) Is the unit of sufficient size?

Yes   X              No           

DESCRIPTION OF CURRENT CONDITIONS:

- size: **19,237 acres**

-land ownership: **BLM**

-location: **T. 55 N., R. 93-94 W**, eastern portion of the CYFO, south of Highway 14A and east of the Bighorn River

-topography: bentonite badlands and red Chugwater sandstone formation

-vegetation features: Gardner's salt bush and bunch grasses intermingled with Wyoming big sagebrush

-summary of major human uses/activities: mining and livestock grazing

(2) Is the unit in a natural condition?

Yes                       No   X      N/A           

Description: Bentonite mining in north, truck hauling, noisy, no solitude

(3) Does the unit have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes                       No                       N/A   X  

Description:

(4) Does the unit have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes                       No                       N/A   X  

Description:

(5) Does the unit have supplemental values?

Yes                       No                       N/A   X  

Description:

Conclusion

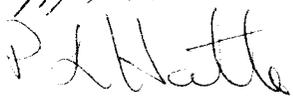
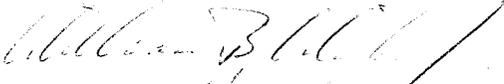
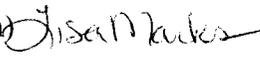
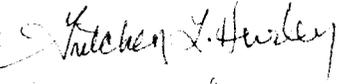
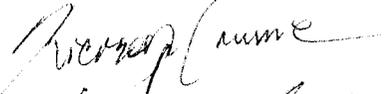
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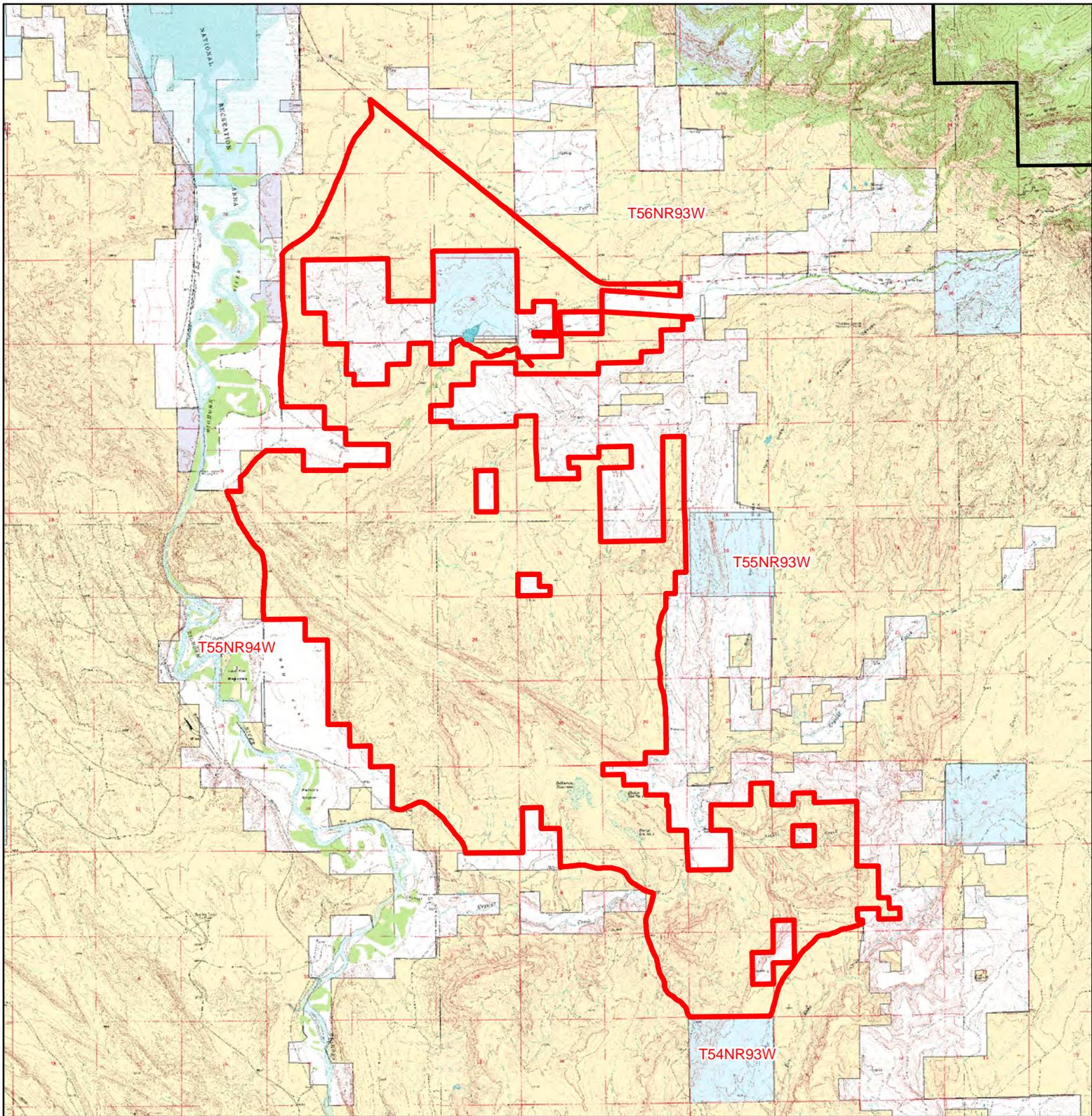
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**CYFO BLM Lands Without Wilderness Characteristics (LWCs)**



**FORM 2**

**DOCUMENTATION OF CURRENT WILDERNESS INVENTORY CONDITIONS**  
**CYFO**

a. Unit Number/Name: Red Canyon

(1) Is the unit of sufficient size?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No X \_\_\_\_\_

DESCRIPTION OF CURRENT CONDITIONS:

- size: **3,523 acres**

-land ownership: **BLM**

-location: **T. 54 N., R. 91 W**, eastern portion of the CYFO, foothills of Bighorn Mountains

-topography: juniper escarpments, rock walls, and deep canyons

-vegetation features: juniper woodlands, riparian, and Wyoming big sagebrush and bunch grasses

-summary of major human uses/activities: livestock grazing

(2) Is the unit in a natural condition?

Yes X \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ N/A \_\_\_\_\_

Description:

(3) Does the unit have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No X \_\_\_\_\_ N/A \_\_\_\_\_

Description:

(4) Does the unit have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No X \_\_\_\_\_ N/A \_\_\_\_\_

Description:

(5) Does the unit have supplemental values?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ N/A X \_\_\_\_\_

Description:

Conclusion

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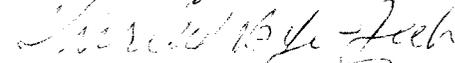
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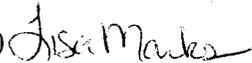
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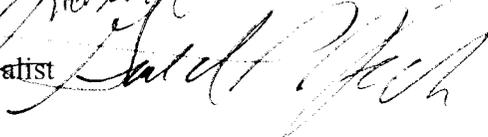


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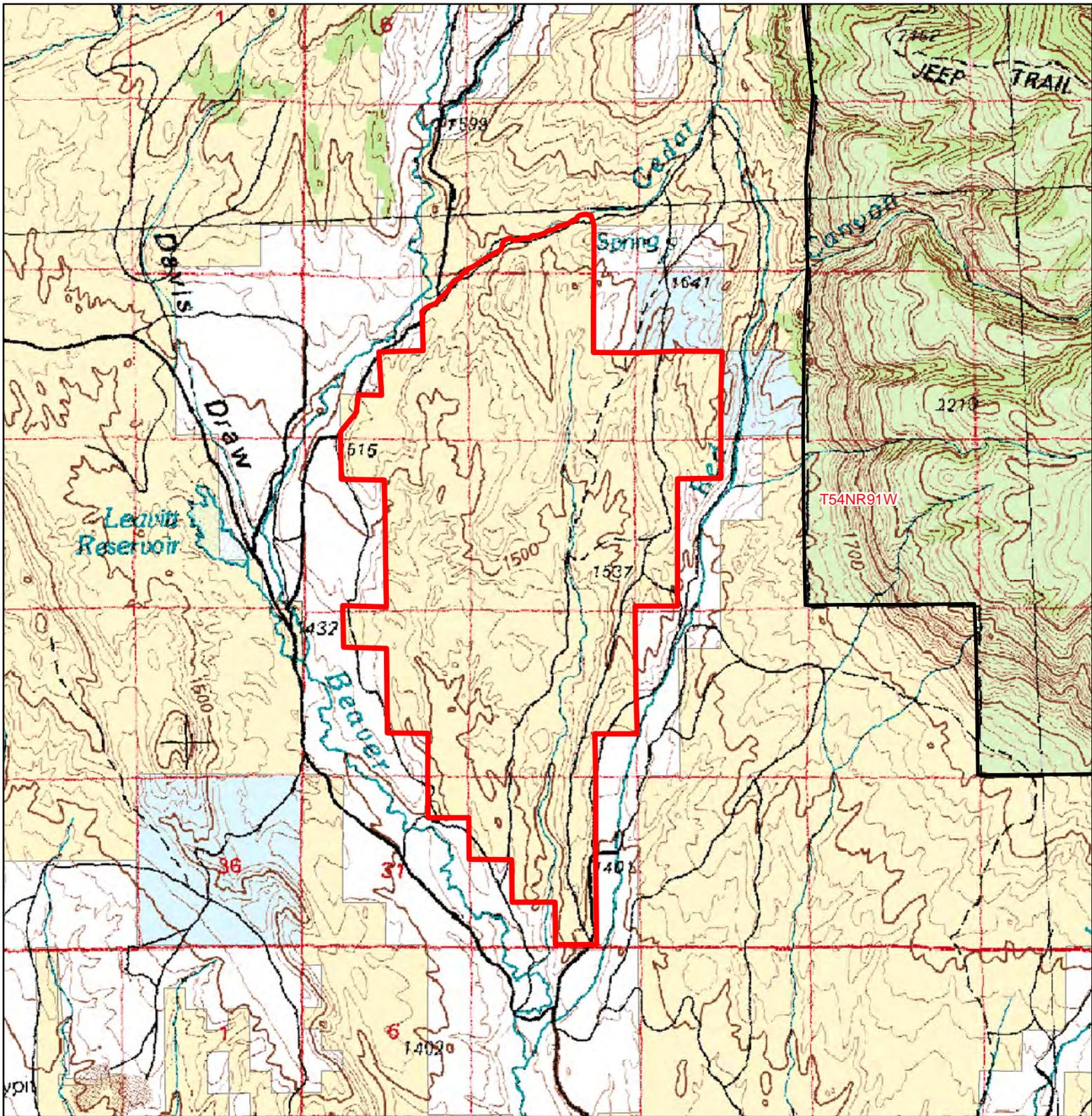
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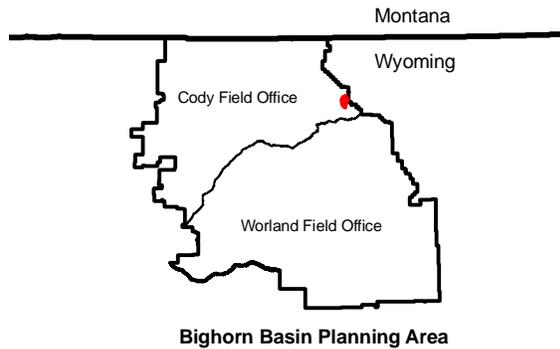
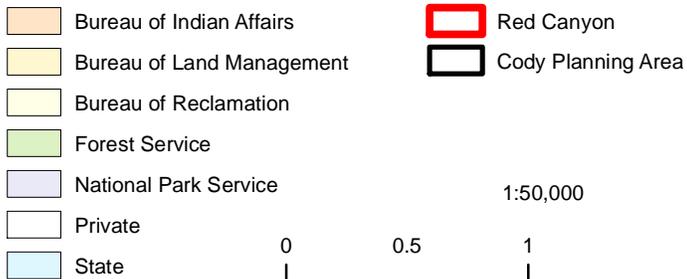
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**CYFO BLM Lands Without Wilderness Characteristics (LWCs)**



**FORM 2**

**DOCUMENTATION OF CURRENT WILDERNESS INVENTORY CONDITIONS**  
**CYFO**

a. Unit Number/Name: Rawhide Creek

(1) Is the unit of sufficient size?

Yes   X              No \_\_\_\_\_

**DESCRIPTION OF CURRENT CONDITIONS:**

- size: **6,259 acres**

-land ownership: **BLM**

-location: **T. 48-49 N., R. 102 W**, southern portion of the CYFO, west of Meeteetse, WY

-topography: foothills of the Absaroka Range with plateaus and riparian areas

-vegetation features: riparian and Wyoming big sagebrush and bunch grasses

-summary of major human uses/activities: livestock grazing and Pitchfork Oil Field

(2) Is the unit in a natural condition?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_            No   X      N/A \_\_\_\_\_

Description: inside the Pitchfork Oil Field

(3) Does the unit have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_            No \_\_\_\_\_            N/A   X  

Description:

(4) Does the unit have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_            No \_\_\_\_\_            N/A   X  

Description:

(5) Does the unit have supplemental values?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_            No \_\_\_\_\_            N/A   X  

Description:

Conclusion

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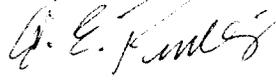
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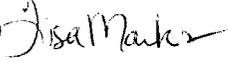
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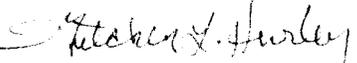
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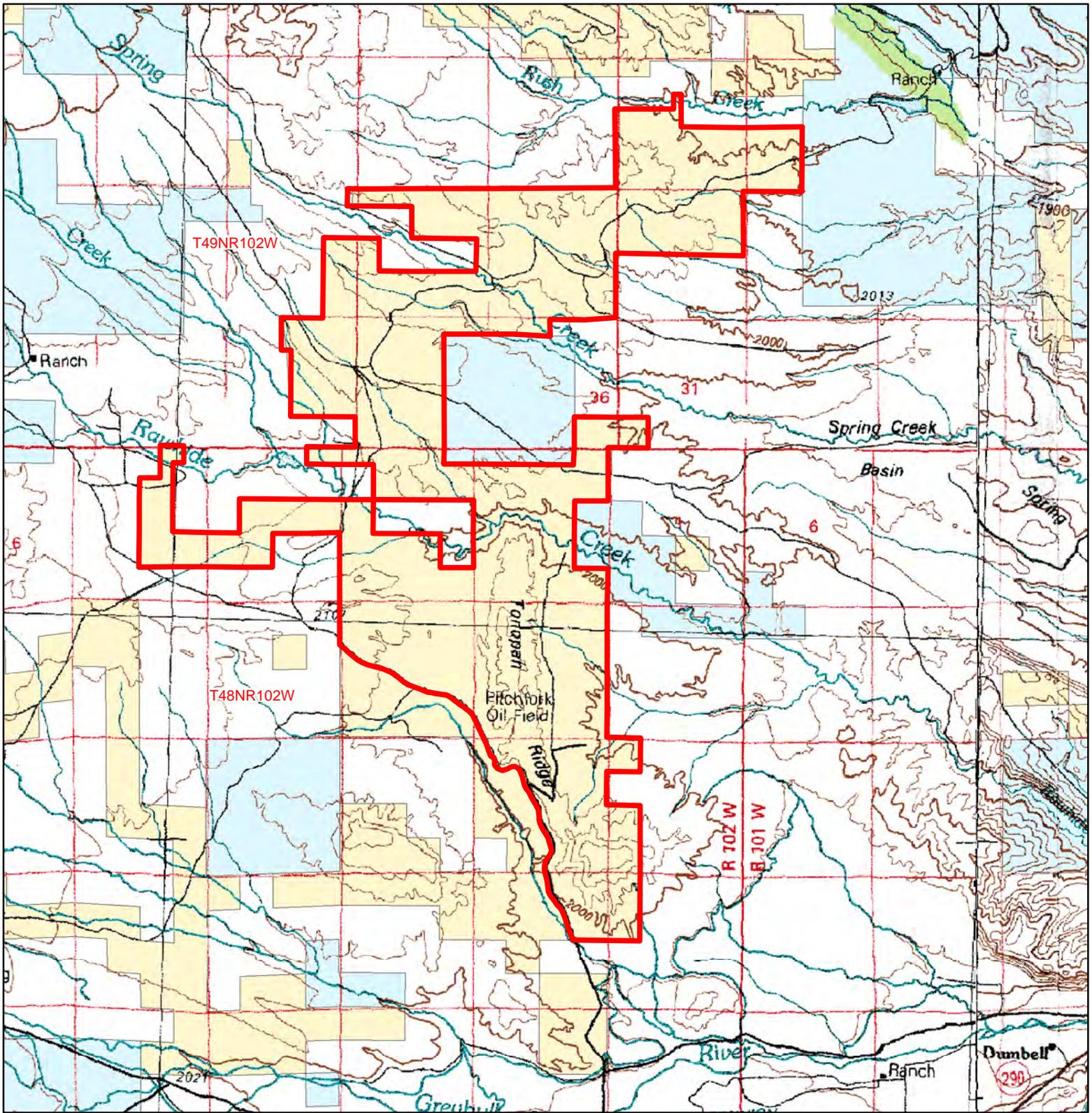


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