

Name: **RFO-B Unit WY-030-26N88W7-2012**

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 _____ Yes (if yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the names of those areas):

a) Inventory Source: BLM Rawlins FO 1979 Wilderness Inventory Hard Copy Files _____

b) Inventory Area Name(s)/Number(s): _ Seven Lakes Initial Inventory WY-030-409 & Ferris Initial Inventory WY-030-407 _____

c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): ___ Bureau of Land Management, Wyoming Wilderness Review Serial No. 66700_____

d) BLM District (s)/Field Office(s): __Rawlins Field Office_____

2. BLM Inventory Finds 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):

Seven Lakes Initial Inventory: The unit consists of approximately 400,000 acres north of the checkerboard and west of U.S. Highway 287. Man's activities are noticeable almost everywhere. Many roads, pipelines, power lines and telephone lines crisscross the area. In spite of the fact that many roadless tracts of 5,000 acres are found in the area, none have wilderness potential.

Ferris Initial Inventory: This unit consists of approximately 43,500 acres southeast of Muddy Gap. The area is rugged, slopes are very steep, rock outcrops of limestone and granite are found throughout the area. It appears to meet the criteria set forth in the 1964 Wilderness Act for wilderness areas.

Inventory Source:

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Area #/Name	Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)	Naturalness? Yes/No	Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No	Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No	Supplemental Values? Yes/No
Seven Lakes Initial Inventory WY-030-409	Yes (400,000 acres)	No	No	No	No
Ferris Initial Inventory WY-030-407	Yes (43,500 acres)	Yes	No	No	No

FORM 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

a. Area Number/Name **RFO-B Unit WY-030-26N88W7-2012** Acreage 7,220.34 (see Table 2 below)

(1) Is the area of sufficient size?

Yes _____ No X

Describe the boundaries of the area (roads, property lines, etc.). If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check “Yes” and describe the exception. If more than one inventory area is involved, list the acres in each and evaluate each area/sub-area separately. In completing steps (1) – (5), use additional space as necessary.

The RFO-B Unit consists of subunits which are small islands of BLM public lands under 5,000 acres which are scattered throughout the northwest corner of the Rawlins Field Office.

See the below legal description and the attached RFO-B Unit Maps:

UNIT	SUBUNIT	TWNSHIP/RANGE	SECT.	UNIT	SUBUNIT	TWNSHIP/RANGE	SECT.
RFO-B	592	T26R88	7	RFO-B	601	T27R89	23
RFO-B	592	T26R88	8	RFO-B	601	T27R89	25
RFO-B	592	T26R89	1	RFO-B	601	T27R89	26
RFO-B	592	T26R89	12	RFO-B	472	T27R89	27
RFO-B	471	T26R89	2	RFO-B	724	T27R89	3
RFO-B	592	T26R89	3	RFO-B	601	T27R89	34
RFO-B	760	T27R88	18	RFO-B	471	T27R89	35
RFO-B	597	T27R89	1	RFO-B	599	T27R89	4
RFO-B	598	T27R89	10	RFO-B	599	T27R89	9
RFO-B	724	T27R89	11	RFO-B	476	T28R88	19
RFO-B	724	T27R89	12	RFO-B	476	T28R89	24
RFO-B	601	T27R89	14	RFO-B	476	T28R89	25
RFO-B	601	T27R89	15	RFO-B	724	T28R89	26
RFO-B	601	T27R89	16	RFO-B	724	T28R89	34
RFO-B	724	T27R89	2	RFO-B	724	T28R89	35
RFO-B	472	T27R89	22	RFO-B	601	T27R89	23
RFO-B	592	T26R88	7	RFO-B	601	T27R89	25
RFO-B	592	T26R88	8	RFO-B	601	T27R89	26
RFO-B	592	T26R89	1	RFO-B	472	T27R89	27
RFO-B	592	T26R89	12	RFO-B	724	T27R89	3
RFO-B	471	T26R89	2	RFO-B	601	T27R89	34
RFO-B	592	T26R89	3				

UNIT	SUBUNIT	ACRES
RFO-B	471	25.44
RFO-B	472	5.84
RFO-B	476	13.00
RFO-B	592	784.89
RFO-B	597	123.74
RFO-B	598	4.17
RFO-B	599	93.00
RFO-B	601	2,458.68
RFO-B	724	3,546.14
RFO-B	745	0.44
RFO-B	760	10.22
RFO-B	777	154.72
TOTAL		7,220.34

DESCRIPTION OF CURRENT CONDITIONS: (Include acreage, land ownership, location, topography, vegetation and summary of the major human uses/activities)

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes No N/A

Description:

(3) Does the area or the remainder of the area (if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturality and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes No N/A

Description:

(4) Does the area or the remainder of the area (if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturality and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes No N/A

Description:

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

Yes No N/A

Description:

Summary of Analysis

Area Name and/or Number: RFO-B Unit WY-030-26N88W7-2012

Summary

Results of analysis:

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? Yes No
2. Does the area appear to be natural? Yes No N/A
3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities of solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? Yes No N/A
4. Does the area have supplemental values? Yes No N/A

Check one:

_____ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

___X_ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

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