
KEMMERER DRAFT
RESOURCE MANAGEMENT PLAN AND
ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENT

APPENDIX B

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Forage Reserve Allotments

Program Criteria

The program would require voluntary relinquishment of grazing privileges to accommodate the specific use. Permittee/lessee use of forage reserve allotments will be voluntary. There are no exceptions to the voluntary provisions in this program.

Priority Criteria for Use of Forage Reserve Area

1. For deferment of prescribed burns conducted in accordance with approved allotment management plans
2. For temporary deferment of critical riparian areas in allotments where an approved management plan is in place
3. On allotments subject to wildfire
4. On allotments subject to insect infestation
5. To any Kemmerer Field Office permittee/lessee.

When one or more – allocate to

1. Operator making the highest contribution to the allotment being deferred
2. Operator who has not used the forage reserve most recently.

Forage reserve allotment offered 3 years out of 4.

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