

ALLOTMENT MANAGEMENT PLAN MONITORING COMPLIANCE WITH STANDARDS AND OBJECTIVES

District: Montpelier Ranger District	Allotment: Paris-Liberty
Year: 2013	INFRA #:

This allotment is being managed under the Annual Operating Instructions.

Applicable standards are found in the AMP.
Applicable standards are found in the Caribou Forest Plan.

Yes: No:
Yes: * No:
*replaced by AOI

	Permitted	Actual
Livestock Numbers	755	714
Season of Use	6/24-9/22	6/24-9/22

This allotment was inspected on the following dates:

Field inspection: 6/12, 6/19, 7/11, 8/8, 8/9, 8/14, 9/11

Contact: 3/27, 6/13, 7/24, 9/19, 10/07

3/27- Present at the Annual meeting were: Marvin Beck, Weston and Mark Parker, Rao Passey, Wayne Transtrum, Chad and Nancy Hulme, Joe Lewis, Roger Hymas, Philip and Wendon Ward, Stacey Larsen, Max Bunderson, Kevin parker and me. Kevin discussed the 2012 season and went over the compliance report. Use on the allotment was in compliance. Kevin said no early on due to FS direction that we stay with the June 24 date and that the north end fence (RAC funded) needs to be completed before the cattle turn out on the allotment. Rao Passey gave a detailed report on water improvements. In summary: Rao said the added troughs in midnight were an added benefit. The trough below Midnight needs overflow worked on. A trough can be placed in Dry Basin using the spring at Green Pass. The spring does need some head box work. Huckleberry spring needs new trough and pipeline. Materials wanted for 2012 are 4 troughs with floats. This would cover Huckleberry, Dry Basin and Neiber and spare to replace older troughs. They like the Burley Iron works troughs and requested the over flow out top end rather than the bottom. The bottom end of the Neiber Fence will be cut off and tied together higher up. In order to do this the permittee need to put in a trough. Kevin said they needed to clean up the old material and use it on the allotment as needed. They discussed taking a backhoe about 50 yards to the west of Neiber Spring. Dry Basin pond was not completed last year, by the time they could get to the site it was too dry to risk taking equipment up there. They will get it done this year. Other material requested was: 2 rolls of 1" pipe, plastic culvert material for headbox. Weston said he had pipe available. The permittees may look at putting a trough at the bottom end of Green basin where the old FS guard station was. Kevin warned water is short this year at 60% of normal. Kevin went over the riparian and upland standards and told them to continue to get more use out of Mill canyon. Kevin said to let him know of any new patches of noxious weeds they come across. Stacey mentioned there was a patch of Dyers woad above Liberty Creek that he had pulled a few years ago. JR

6/11- I drove through the allotment today and did a pre-season range readiness check. I drove up