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0001-CX	Little Anna Road Right-of-Way, MTM- 98641	Lands	T. 8 N., R.3 W., sec. 6, Lot 37 and MS 10883. Jefferson	Mike Wyatt, 406 533-7619	10/2/2008	N	10/15/2008	N
0001-EA	Carbella Mechanical /Manual Seed Collection and Microbial Soil Study	Range	T. 7 N., R. 7 E., Sec. 20	Vickie Anderson, 406-533-7644	10/15/2008	N	04/16/09	Y
0001-DNA	Oil and Gas leases	Minerals	Various	Dave Williams 406-533-7655	10/1/2008	N	10/23/2008	N
0002-EA	Devils Fence Allotment Grazing Permit Renewal	Range	T5N, R2W, Sections 6, 8, 9, 14, 17, 22, and 26; and T5N, R1W, Sections 29 and 30 (Jefferson and Broadwater Counties)	Mark Goertel 406-533-7677	11/17/2008	N	1/12/09	N
0002-EA	Johnny Gulch Allotment Grazing Permit Renewal	Range	T5N, R2W, Sections 1, 14, and 24; T5N, R1W, Sections 5-8, 17-21, 28, and 29; and T4N, R1W, Section 3 (Jefferson and Broadwater Counties)	Mark Goertel 406-533-7677	11/17/2008	N	1/12/09	N

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0002-EA	Keating Individual Allotment Grazing Permit Renewal	Range	T5N, R1W, Sections 4 and 9 (Broadwater County)	Mark Goertel 406-533-7677	11/17/2008	N	1/12/09	N
0002-EA	Keating Gulch Common Allotment Grazing Permit Renewal and Modifications	Range	T5N, R1E, S7, 17, 18; and T5N, R1W, S11-14 and 23-25 (Broadwater County)	Mark Goertel 406-533-7677	11/17/2008	N	1/12/09	N
0002-EA	Beaver Allotment Grazing Permit Renewal	Range	T8N, R1W, Sections 13-15, and 24; and T8N, R1E, Sections 8, 18, and 20 (Broadwater County)	Mark Goertel 406-533-7677	11/17/2008	N	1/12/09	N
0002-EA	Whitehorse Allotment Grazing Permit Renewal	Range	T8N, R1E, Sections 28, 29, and 32 (Broadwater County)	Mark Goertel 406-533-7677	11/17/2008	N	1/12/09	N
0002-EA	Beaver Creek Allotment Grazing Permit Renewal	Range	T8N, R1W, Section 15 (Broadwater County)	Mark Goertel 406-533-7677	11/17/2008	N	1/12/09	N
0002-EA	Kimber Diorite Allotment Grazing Permit Renewal	Range	T8N, R1E, Sections 19, 20, 28-31, and 34 (Broadwater County)	Mark Goertel 406-533-7677	11/17/2008	N	1/12/09	N
0002-EA	Cottonwood Common Allotment Grazing Permit Renewal	Range	T6N, R1W, Section 25 and; T6N, R1E, Section 31 (Broadwater County)	Mark Goertel 406-533-7677	11/17/2008	N	1/12/09	N
0002-EA	Dowdy Ditch Allotment Grazing Permit Renewal	Range	T6N, R1E, Sections 7, 8, 17, 20, 29, and 30 (Broadwater County)	Mark Goertel 406-533-7677	11/17/2008	N	1/12/09	N

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0002-EA	Smith Individual Allotment Grazing Permit Renewal	Range	T6N, R2E, Section 31; and T5N, R1E, Sections 1 and 2 (Broadwater County)	Mark Goertel 406-533-7677	11/17/2008	N	1/12/09	N
0002-EA	Riverside School Allotment Grazing Permit Renewal	Range	T5N, R1E, Sections 2 and 11 (Broadwater County)	Mark Goertel 406-533-7677	11/17/2008	N	1/12/09	N
0002-EA	Ralls Mines Allotment Grazing Permit Renewal	Range	T5N, R1W, Section 25; and T4N, R1W, Section 2 (Broadwater County)	Mark Goertel 406-533-7677	11/17/2008	N	1/12/09	N
0002-EA	Galena Gulch Allotment Grazing Permit Renewal	Range	T6N, R5W, Sections 22-24 (Jefferson County)	Mark Goertel 406-533-7677	11/17/2008	N	1/12/09	N
0002-EA	Farnham Creek Allotment Grazing Permit Renewal	Range	T5N, R4W, Section 14 (Jefferson County)	Mark Goertel 406-533-7677	11/17/2008	N	1/12/09	N
0002-EA	Flood Place Allotment Grazing Permit Renewal	Range	T5N, R3W, Section 32 (Jefferson County)	Mark Goertel 406-533-7677	11/17/2008	N	1/12/09	N
0002-EA	Elkhorn Creek Allotment Grazing Permit Renewal	Range	T5N, R3W, Sections 1-3 and 10-12 (Jefferson County)	Mark Goertel 406-533-7677	11/17/2008	N	1/12/09	N
0002-EA	Dry Creek Allotment Grazing Permit Renewal	Range	T5N, R3W, Section 1; and T5N, R2W, Section 6 (Jefferson County)	Mark Goertel 406-533-7677	11/17/2008	N	1/12/09	N
0002-EA	Log Gulch Allotment Grazing Permit Renewal	Range	T5N, R3W, Section 30 (Jefferson County)	Mark Goertel 406-533-7677	11/17/2008	N	1/12/09	N
0002-EA	Rear Place Allotment Grazing Permit Renewal	Range	T5N, R3W, Section 19 (Jefferson County)	Mark Goertel 406-533-7677	11/17/2008	N	1/12/09	N

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0002-EA	Hi Ore Allotment Grazing Permit Renewal	Range	T7N, R5W, Sections 34-36; and T6N, R5W, Sections 1-3, 9- 11, 14-17, 22, and 23 (Jefferson County)	Mark Goertel 406-533-7677	11/17/2008	N	1/12/09	N
0002-EA	Sugarloaf Allotment Grazing Permit Renewal	Range	T6N, R5W, Sections 11-14 and 23-25; and T6N, R4W, Sections 7, 18, 19, and 30 (Jefferson County)	Mark Goertel 406-533-7677	11/17/2008	N	1/12/09	N
0002-EA	Spokane Creek Allotment Grazing Permit Renewal	Range	T9N, R1W, Section 30 (Broadwater County)	Mark Goertel 406-533-7677	11/17/2008	N	1/12/09	N
0002-EA	Little Butte Allotment Grazing Permit Renewal	Range	T9N, R2W, Section 21 (Jefferson County)	Mark Goertel 406-533-7677	11/17/2008	N	1/12/09	N
0003-EA	Docks and Boat Ramps Upgrades	Recreation	T14N, R3W, Sec. 4 and 23	Brad Rixford	11/3/2008	N	11/15/2008	Y - PPLM
0004-EA	Copper City Allotment Grazing Permit/Lease Renewal	Range	T3N, R2E, Sections 19, 20 and 30; T3N, R1E, Sections 25 and 26; T2N, R1E, Section 2 (Broadwater Co.)	John Sandford 406-533-7639	11/17/2008	N	3/31/09	Y
0004-EA	Avalanche Creek Allotment Grazing Permit/Lease Renewal	Range	T10N, R1E, Sections 14 and 17 (Broadwater Co)	John Sandford 406-533-7639	11/17/2008	N	3/31/09	Y
0004-EA	Hidden Hollow Allotment Grazing Permit/Lease Renewal	Range	T10N, R2E, Section 35; T6N, R5E, Section 34 (Broadwater Co)	John Sandford 406-533-7639	11/17/2008	N	3/31/09	Y

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0004-EA	Hunter Creek Allotment Grazing Permit/Lease Renewal	Range	T9N, R2E, Section 16	John Sandford 406-533-7639	11/17/2008	N	3/31/09	Y
0004-EA	Wall Mountain Allotment Grazing Permit/Lease Renewal	Range	T5N, R5E, Section 2; T6N, R5E, Section 34 (Broadwater Co)	John Sandford 406-533-7639	11/17/2008	N	3/31/09	Y
0004-EA	Lower Duck Creek Allotment Grazing Permit/Lease Renewal	Range	T8N, R3E, Section 6 (Broadwater Co)	John Sandford 406-533-7639	11/17/2008	N	3/31/09	Y
0004-EA	Ray Creek Allotment Grazing Permit/Lease Renewal	Range	T7N, R3E, Section 6 (	John Sandford 406-533-7639	11/17/2008	N	3/31/09	Y
0004-EA	Mountain Range Allotment Grazing Permit/Lease Renewal	Range	T3S, R10E, Sections 1	John Sandford 406-533-7639	11/17/2008	N	3/31/09	Y
0004-EA	Airport Allotment Grazing Permit/Lease Renewal	Range	T2S, R10E, Sections 1	John Sandford 406-533-7639	11/17/2008	N	3/31/09	Y
0004-EA	Iverson Creek Allotment Grazing Permit/Lease Renewal	Range	T6N, R3E, Section 20	John Sandford 406-533-7639	11/17/2008	N	3/31/09	Y
0004-EA	Deadman Allotment Grazing Permit/Lease Renewal	Range	T12N, R7W, Sections	John Sandford 406-533-7639	11/17/2008	N	3/31/09	Y

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0004-EA	Lost Horse Creek Allotment Grazing Permit/Lease Renewal	Range	T12N, R6W, Section 3	John Sandford 406-533-7639	11/17/2008	N	3/31/09	Y
0004-EA	Missouri Gulch Allotment Grazing Permit/Lease Renewal	Range	T12N, R6W, Section	John Sandford 406-533-7639	11/17/2008	N	3/31/09	Y
0004-EA	Sevenmile Allotment Grazing Permit/Lease Renewal	Range	T10N, R4W, Section 5 (Lewis & Clark Co)	John Sandford 406-533-7639	11/17/2008	N	3/31/09	Y
0004-EA	Deer Creek Allotment Grazing Permit/Lease Renewal	Range	T12N, R6W, Sections 14 and 26; T12N, R5W, Sections 5 and 19 (Lewis & Clark Co)	John Sandford 406-533-7639	11/17/2008	N	3/31/09	Y
0004-EA	Ten Mile Creek Allotment Grazing Permit/Lease Renewal	Range	T10N, R5W, Sections 24 and 25 (Lewis & Clark Co)	John Sandford 406-533-7639	11/17/2008	N	3/31/09	Y
0004-EA	Wickiup Creek Allotment Grazing Permit/Lease Renewal	Range	T13N, R1E, Section 6; T13N, R1W, Section 12 (Lewis & Clark Co)	John Sandford 406-533-7639	11/17/2008	N	3/31/09	Y
0004-EA	Sieben Creek Allotment Grazing Permit/Lease Renewal	Range	T14N, R4W, Section 34; T13N, R3W, Section 18; T13N, R4W, Sections 2, 3, 4,5, 10, 11,12, 13; T12N, R3W, Sections 27 and 34 (Lewis & Clark Co)	John Sandford 406-533-7639	11/17/2008	N	3/31/09	Y

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0004-EA	Confederate Gulch Allotment Grazing Permit/Lease Renewal	Range	T10N, R2E, Sections 26, 27, 29, 33, 34, 35; T9N, R2E, Sections 3, 4, 5, 9 (Broadwater Co.)	John Sandford 406-533-7639	11/17/2008	N	3/31/09	Y
0004-EA	Little Hellgate Allotment Grazing Permit/Lease Renewal	Range	T10N, R1E, Sections 5 and 6 (Broadwater & Lewis and Clark Counties)	John Sandford 406-533-7639	11/17/2008	N	3/31/09	Y
0004-EA	Big Hole Allotment Grazing Permit/Lease Renewal	Range	T2N, R13W, Section 34 (Deer Lodge & Beaverhead Counties)	John Sandford 406-533-7639	11/17/2008	N	3/31/09	Y
0005-EA	Divide Creek Riparian Pasture	Range	T1N, R9W, Section 4 (Silver Bow Co)	John Sandford 406-533-7639	11/24/2008	N	3/31/09	Y
0006-EA	Eighorn Highway Fence	Range	T2S, R 9W, Section 10 (Silver Bow Co)	John Sandford 406-533-7639	11/24/2008	N	3/31/09	Y
0002-CX	Missouri Gulch Grazing Lease Transfer	Range	T12N, R6W, Section 15 (Lewis & Clark Co)	John Sandford 406-533-7639	1/14/2009	N	3/31/09	Y
0003-CX	Sawlog Cattleguard	Range & Recreation	T1N, R13W, Section 17 (Beaverhead Co)	John Sandford 406-533-7639 or Pat Zurcher 406-533-	1/23/2009	N	6/3/09	Y
0002-DNA	Blue Cloud Grazing Lease Renewal	Range	T9N, R4W, Sec 6-7 & T10N, R4W Secs 29, 30, and 32	Tanya Thrift 406- 533-7650		N	2/15/09	Y
0007-EA	BFO Hazarsous Mine Opening Closures 2009	AML	T12N R6W S35, 36; T2S R9W S1; T2S R8W S16;	Joan Gabelman 406 533-7600	1/29/2009	N	2/30/09	N
0008-EA	Maiden Rock Hazardous Mine Opening Closures	AML	T2S R9W	Joan Gabelman 406 533-7600	2/18/2009	N	3/30/2009	N
0009-EA	Spokane Bay Site Project Plan	Recreation	T10N, R2W, Sec 1, NE1/4NW1/4	Brad Rixford 406-533-7637	2/6/2009	N	3/15/2009	N

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0003-DNA	Tebay Pipeline Reconstruction	Range	T2N, R4W, Sec. 1, 12, 13, 24, and 25.	Mark Goertel 406-533-7677	11/17/2008	N	3/31/09	N
0004-DNA	Ogilvie Gulch Lease Renewal	Range	T. 9 N., R. 4 W., Sec. 6 and 7, and T. 10 N., R. 4 W., Sec. 29, 30.	Tanya Thrift 406-533-7650		N	3/16/2009	Y
00010-EA	LaMarche Creek Stock Tank	Range	T2N, R13W, Sec 22	John Sandford 406-533-7639	3/6/2009	N	6/30/09	Y
00011-EA	Butte Weed Management Plan Revision	Weeds	All Eight Counties in Butte Field Office	Lacy Decker 406-533-7651	3/1/2009	N	6/30/2009	N
0012-EA	Cattle/Horse Conversion	Range	T. 9 N, R. 3 W, Sec. 2	Tanya Thrift 406-533-7650	3/2/2009	N	3/23/2009	Y
0006-CX	Kelly Grazing Lease Transfer	Range	T1N, R8W, Sec 6	John Sandford 406-533-7639	1/6/2009	N	3/31/09	Y
0007-CX	Hay Canyon Riparian Enclosure	Range	T4N, R4W, Sec. 30	Mark Goertel 406-533-7677	4/3/2009	N	4/14/09	N
0008-CX	Abegail, Fescue, Interstate, Schriner Enclosure Modifications	Range	T6N, R1E, Sec. 3 T7N, R1W, Sec. 25 T2N, R6W Sec. 23 T6N, R1E, Sec. 6	Vickie Anderson 406-533-7644	4/6/2009	N	5/4/2009	Y
0009-CX	Northwestern Energy ROW Renewal MTM-042873	Lands	T11N, R4W Sec. 23 T11N, R4W Sec. 26	Kelly Acree 406-533-7621	4/24/2009	N	5/30/2009	N

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