

Resource Management Plan/Environmental Impact Statement Format

CHAPTER 1 – Introduction

- Purpose and Need
- Overview of Plan
- Scope of plan/issues not addressed

CHAPTER 2 – Affected Environment

- Vegetation
- Wildlife
- Visual/Scenic
- Wilderness
- Recreation
- Cultural
- Paleo
- Water Quality
- Health/Safety
- Legal requirements/permits

CHAPTER 3 – Alternatives

- Description/rationale/use of ecological subregions

SAMPLE TABLE
GOALS – COMMON TO ALL ALTERNATIVES

	Alternative 1 Intensive Management	Alternative 2	Alternative 3 Hands-Off
Vegetation	Area-wide objectives Subregion 1 objectives P Subregion 2 objectives Subregion 3 objectives	Area-wide objectives Subregion 1 objectives Subregion 2 objectives P Subregion 3 objectives	Area-wide objectives Subregion 1 objectives Subregion 2 objectives Subregion 3 objectives P
Recreation	Area-wide objectives Subregion 1 objectives Subregion 2 objectives P Subregion 3 objectives	Area-wide objectives Subregion 1 objectives P Subregion 2 objectives Subregion 3 objectives P	Area-wide objectives Subregion 1 objectives Subregion 2 objectives Subregion 3 objectives

P = Preferred Alternative. The preferred alternatives for the different management objectives could be selected from the different alternatives in a “menu” approach.

CHAPTER 4 – Environmental Impacts

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Vegetation	Area-wide objectives Subregion 1 objectives Subregion 2 objectives Subregion 3 objectives	Area-wide objectives Subregion 1 objectives Subregion 2 objectives Subregion 3 objectives	Area-wide objectives Subregion 1 objectives Subregion 2 objectives Subregion 3 objectives
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