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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

MANAGEMENT FRAMEWORK PLAN
FINAL DECISIONS - STEP 3

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Decision #1 - FM-1.2

Continue to maintain the lookout facility on Big Southern Butte.

Reasons

The lookout facility provides detection capability for approximately 50% of the Little Lost-Birch Creek Planning unit. The lookout is a valuable tool in the detection and prevention of the large fires.

In addition to the coverage of the Little Lost-Birch Creek Planning unit, the lookout provides 100% detection capability for the Big Desert Planning unit.

Note: Attach additional sheets, if needed

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Decision #2 - FM-2.1

Establish fire management plans for Hawley Mountains and Donkey Hills to allow for limited suppression on fires meeting planning criteria.

Reasons

These areas have a history of low fire occurrence and due to the steep rugged terrain access is very limited. Most fires are extinguished naturally rather than by suppression crews. Fire management plans will allow us to monitor these fires and take suppression action if extreme conditions warrant.

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Decision #3 - FM-3.3

Prescribed burning for management objectives should begin in the planning unit by 1981.

Reasons

These areas will be identified and planning will be completed by 1981. Prescribed burning can be one of the most economical and environmentally sound practices to achieve range improvement.

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Recommendations which were Rejected

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- Recommendation - FM-1.1 - Not a land use decision.
- Recommendation - FM-1.3 - Plan has been prepared.
- Recommendation - FM-3.1 - Not a land use decision.
- Recommendation - FM-3.2 - Not a land use decision.
- Recommendation - FM-3.4 - Not a land use decision.

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