

**RAILROAD LANDS PASTURE
ANNUAL OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS**

This is the annual operating instructions for the 2008 grazing season for the Railroads Lands pasture and will be considered part of the terms and conditions of the grazing permit.

I. Permitted / Authorized Use

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Term Grazing Permit				Authorized use			
On Date	Off Date	No.	H.M.s	On Date	Off Date	No.	H.M.s
6/1	10/31	20	NTE 36	6/1	10/31	20	NTE 36

II. Grazing Schedule and Monitoring Utilization Standards

Actual Grazing Schedule				Allowable Standards	
Unit No.	Unit Name	# head	Dates	Riparian	Uplands
1	Railroad lands	20	6/1 – 10/31	50%	50%

The Railroads Lands Pasture is comprised of 25 acres of USFS administered land that is fenced in common with an undetermined acreage of private land. The pasture contains both upland and riparian areas in mid-seral condition. This pasture is grazed as one unit from June 1 to October 30. Use on the USFS portion of the allotment will not exceed 36 head months.

**** - It is the permittee's responsibility to insure cattle are moved before utilization levels are exceeded.**

III. PERMITTEE MANAGEMENT RESPONSIBILITIES

WHERE A STATE CLOSURE ORDER EXISTS - Any hay or straw used in association with this permit, will be certified and tagged as noxious weed, or noxious weed seed free as directed by the order.

To meet the State of Idaho's provision for trichomoniasis testing, all bulls must be tested at least 45 days prior to the turnout date.

Cattle that die from a contagious disease, or that die at a location where they may contaminate water or become a public nuisance, must be properly disposed of.

At the end of the grazing season, please mail in the actual use booklet that you have received.

IV. IMPROVEMENT MAINTENANCE/CONSTRUCTION

Forest Service is responsible for maintaining the triangle shaped jack fence on the property.

V. ACTION SUMMARY

Watch for weeds, knapweed or leafy spurge, along the highway right-of-way. Please let us know if you see any new infestations or any new species we may not know about. Especially along and in the snow plowing areas along highway 28.

I have reviewed and accepted this Annual Operating Instructions for the 2008 grazing season. Any changes to this Annual Operating Instructions must be approved by the District Ranger.

Permittee	Date
Forest Officer	Date