Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-100

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Dixie Valley / NV-030-100

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-100	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-100 Acreage: 35,000
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the Dixie Valley unit remain current. Unit boundaries lie within Dixie Valley. Western boundary is Dixie Valley Road (partially paved and gravel); eastern boundary is a well-defined dirt road. "Northern boundary is a combination of property lines, and roads (Dempsey and East Valley Lanes) that are not well defined on 2013 NAIP imagery but are referenced on 100k surface status maps.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X__ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit. Unit boundary lies within the geographic context of Dixie Valley. Numerous springs and hot springs exist in the area and vegetation is scarce in lower part of the unit. Private and DOD lands make up about 25% of the unit acreage. Numerous roads are evident in the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-100

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

__X_ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager)*: Stillwater Field Manager

Name: Teresa J. Knutson Title: _____

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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STILLWATER Inventory
NV-030-100 (Dixie Valley)
BLM
WILDERNESS STUDY AREA
carson_sink2007
DIXIE
STILLWATER RANGE
DIXIE VALLEY
CLAN ALPINE
AREA
Legend
Unit ID
100
Road
BLM Maintenance Roads
Land Status NV
Agency
Bureau of Land Management
Department of Defense
Private
N
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Miles
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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory
NV-030-100 (Dixie Valley)

BLM

Carson City District Office

Legend

Unit ID

100

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   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-101

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Humboldt Marsh / NV-030-101

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-101	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-101 Acreage: 76,800
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below).*

Yes ___X___ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the Humboldt Marsh unit remain current. All boundaries of the unit are well-defined "dirt" roads.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X___ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the Humboldt Marsh unit. Majority of unit is comprised of public lands that lie within Dixie Valley. One small inholding exists in unit along western boundary. Henderson Salt Marsh (Dry) is the unit's lowest point. Sand dunes exist in the southern extent of unit as do several springs. There are a few ancillary roads within the unit. Although most of the unit is covered with geothermal leases, it does not appear from the NAIP 2013 aerial imagery or Google Earth imagery (8/30/2010) that any geothermal related development has been made.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-101

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: Teresa A. Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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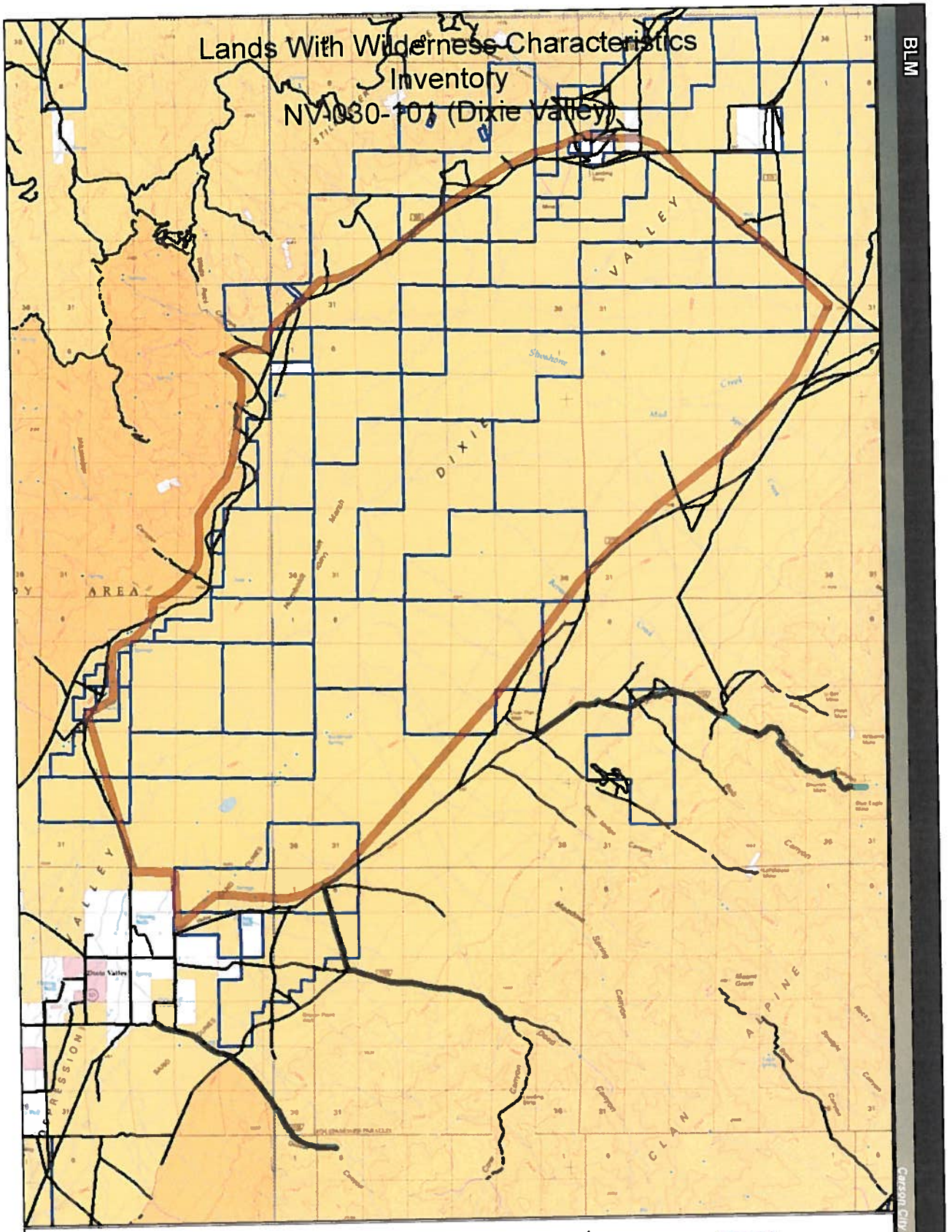
Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory
NV-030-101 (Dixie Valley)



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Unit ID

- 101
- Road
- BLM Maintenance Roads
- Authorized Geothermal Lease

N

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   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes __X____ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-102

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Clan Alpine / NV-030-102
   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-102	Partial	Partial	Partial	Partial	Yes

Form 2

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-102 Acreage: 256,600
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ___X___ No ___
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

1980 Inventory - The Clan Alpine Mountains comprise a large, generally north/south volcanic range noted for a variety of landscapes, vegetation and animal life. The area is located approximately 50 miles east of Fallon, Nevada, just north and west of U.S. Highway 50. Access to the east side of the range is along County Road 376 to the Clan Alpine Ranch, and to the west side from the small settlement of Dixie Valley. The total area intensively inventoried contained 257,000 acres of public land and 320 acres of scattered private lands. These figures are different than the initial inventory due to a more careful assessment of the public land acreage within the area. The following separate subunits shown on Map 4 were identified during the intensive inventory:

Subunit A - This area of 11,560 acres contains a concentration of dead- end geothermal and oil and gas exploration roads. The roads create many small isolated corners of public land located on flat to hilly, low desert shrub landscape. The boundary of the unit is along legal lines near the end of the roads. Although Subunit A is over 5,000 acres, it obviously lacks wilderness quality because of the large number of roads located in close proximity to each other. No further analysis is needed for this subunit.

Subunit B - An area of 3,900 acres around Hoyt and Bernice Canyon is removed from further study due to a concentration of roads and mining activity. The subunit is bordered by Road #102.26 on the north, surface mining scars and private land to the west and mining activity up to the ridge line, just to the south of Bernice Canyon Road 11102.25.

Subunit C - This area between Bob Canyon Road #102.23 and Dyer Canyon Road #102.24 contains an isolated corner of flat desert shrub landscape. The area also contains short dead end roads and ways. Four thousand two hundred and forty acres between the two roads were removed from the inventory. The 1.5 mile boundary on the eastern or "open" end of this subunit lies approximately on the 4800' contour elevation line near where the topography changes from gentle flat to steep hills.

Subunit D - This area between Dyer and Cow Canyon roads is isolated from the bulk of the unit by recent geothermal and mining access Roads 102.21 and 102.20. The area is located on flat to gentle desert shrub landscape. An approximate 2-mile gap exists between the end of Roads 102.20 and the Cow Canyon road (102.16) to the south. The boundary in this area

lies approximately on the 4240' contour level near where the topography changes from gentle to steep hills. Thls subunit will be further analyzed for its wilderness potential. This unit contains 11,240 acres.

Subunit E - Six hundred and fifty acres of isolated flat were removed between Roads 102.15 and 102.15A.

Subunit F - This unit contains 26,260 acres isolated from the bulk of the unit by the Bench Creek Road #3085, the Horse Creek Road #102.36 and short mining spurs 102.4 and 102.2. The unit includes mining activity around the historic mining community of Wonder. This unit will be analyzed further because of its size.

Subunit G – Six hundred and thirty acres of isolated rolling hills between Road 102.6 and the Camp Creek Road are removed from further study.

Subunit H - This area of 1,000 acres between the Alpine and Clan Alpine Ranches is isolated by Road 102.8 and two machine-dug ditches. One ditch flows from Cherry Creek south to Alpine Ranch. The other ditch flows out of Florence Canyon to the Alpine Ranch. The area around the mouth of Florence Canyon contains recent surface mining activity. This area is removed from further study.

Subunit I - This area of 3,570 acres is isolated by Roads 102.27, 102.28, 102.29, 102.29A and the Tungsten Canyon Road located in close proximity to each other. The area contains a concentration of surface mining activity. Short gaps between the roads exist on the northwest side of the subunit. The boundary between the end of Roads 102.27 and 102.29 is located approximately on the 5600' elevation line or near where the topography changes from gentle to steep hills. From the end of Road 102.29, the boundary goes directly north northeast up a small ridge through the NW of Section 21, to the Tungsten Mt. Mine.

Subunit J - This area of 430 acres, isolated by Road 102.30 and County Road 376 is removed from further study.

Unit NV-030-147B2 -Railroad Ridge, Cherry Valley - This area surrounded by the Cherry Creek and War Canyon Roads was removed during the initial inventory.

Summary: A total of 25,980 acres of public land is dropped from further study due to road documentation. The following subunits and main units are of sufficient size to be further analyzed for their wilderness qualities: Main Unit, NV-030-102 (193,520 acres); Subunit D, NV-030-102 (11,240 acres); Subunit F, NV-030-102 (26,260 acres).

2014 Inventory – The "Main Unit" (193,520 acres) constitutes a WSA and will not be evaluated further in this process. The 1980 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the Clan Alpine unit (subunits D, F), as described above, remains current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes Subunit F No Subunit D N/A_____

Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

1980 Inventory - Subunit D - This unit contains a number of recent mining and geothermal exploration routes near the mouths of Granite, Deer Lodge and Meadow Canyons.

Vehicle use along any of these routes would be highly visible throughout the subunit because of a lack of topographic or vegetative screening. The area is relatively flat with low

desert shrub vegetation. It would be difficult for a visitor to move within the subunit without coming in contact with the vehicle routes. Visitors would likely cross these man-made exploration routes several times traveling within the area, or attempting to reach the more attractive mountain features in the main unit to the west. This unit of 11,240 acres should be removed from further study.

Subunit F - This 26,260-acre subunit east of Wonder contains a number of ways, roads, surface diggings, mine shafts and mine dumps. These man-made features are scattered throughout the western half of the subunit. It would be difficult to move within the unit without coming in contact with these mining features, however the scars are relatively isolated from view by moderately dissected topography and scattered pinyon tree vegetation. Most of the scars are old and date back to the early 1900's.The bulk of this subunit appears to be substantially natural and will be further evaluated for its solitude and primitive recreation opportunities.

2014 Inventory - The 1980 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the clan Alpine unit (Subunits D, F).

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No ___Subunit F_____ N/A___

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

1980 Inventory - Subunit F - The size of the subunit (26,260 acres) is sufficient to provide solitude, but is not considered outstanding in comparison to other Nevada and Great Basin roadless units. The configuration is narrow, averaging only 3 miles in width and 10 miles in length. Mining roads protrude into the center of the unit further narrowing the opportunity to move within the unit for an extended period of time (over one day) without contacting the edge of the unit or interior roads. The landscape within this subunit is rolling to steep hills with numerous shallow dry washes and scattered stands of pinyon pine. Elevations vary from 4200' in the far north end near Horse Creek to 7100' on Wonder Mountain in the southern portion of the unit. Although topographic and vegetative screening is good, the subunit lacks the topographic diversity found in the main unit. Users would tend to concentrate at the most interesting features of the area which are the 10-mile long ridge line and two high points, Wonder- 7,121-foot elevation, and Round Mountain - 6,950-foot elevation. Most of the ridge line is readily accessible from existing roads located less than two miles away.

2014 Inventory – The 1980 evaluation, including the conclusion on solitude, remains current for the Clan Alpine unit (Subunit F). It is the conclusion of this evaluation that there are no outstanding opportunities for solitude in the subunit that are superior to its kind. The opportunities for solitude in this subunit are represented throughout the CCDO.

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No ___Subunit F_____ N/A____

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

1980 Inventory – Subunit F - This subunit lacks the scale and overall diversity of the main unit. The landscape is fairly uniform, consisting mainly of rolling pinyon-juniper hills and shallow washes. Dominant features are lacking.There are no springs or streams. This subunit has a low capability for attracting dispersed recreation activities.
Fishing - Hunting: No fishing opportunities are present. Hunting is marginal due to a lack of favorable habitat, such as riparian zones, springs, bitterbrush or mountain mahogany, and low game populations.
Winter Sports: No opportunity. The unit is not high enough to maintain a snowpack.
Hiking/Backpacking/Camping: Opportunities are available, but are limited by the subunit's narrow configuration, lack of water and lack of interesting or dominant features.
Sightseeing - Viewing: Good panoramic views of the surrounding desert and the main Clan Alpine unit are available.The scenic quality of the unit itself is rather common for the Great Basin.
2014 Inventory - The 1980 evaluation, including the conclusion on primitive and unconfined recreation, remains current for Subunit J. It is the conclusion of this evaluation that there are no outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation in the subunit that are superior to its kind. The opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation in this subunit are represented throughout the CCDO.

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-102

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? _F_ Yes _D__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes _F__ No _D__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No __F_ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

__X_ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

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Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

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Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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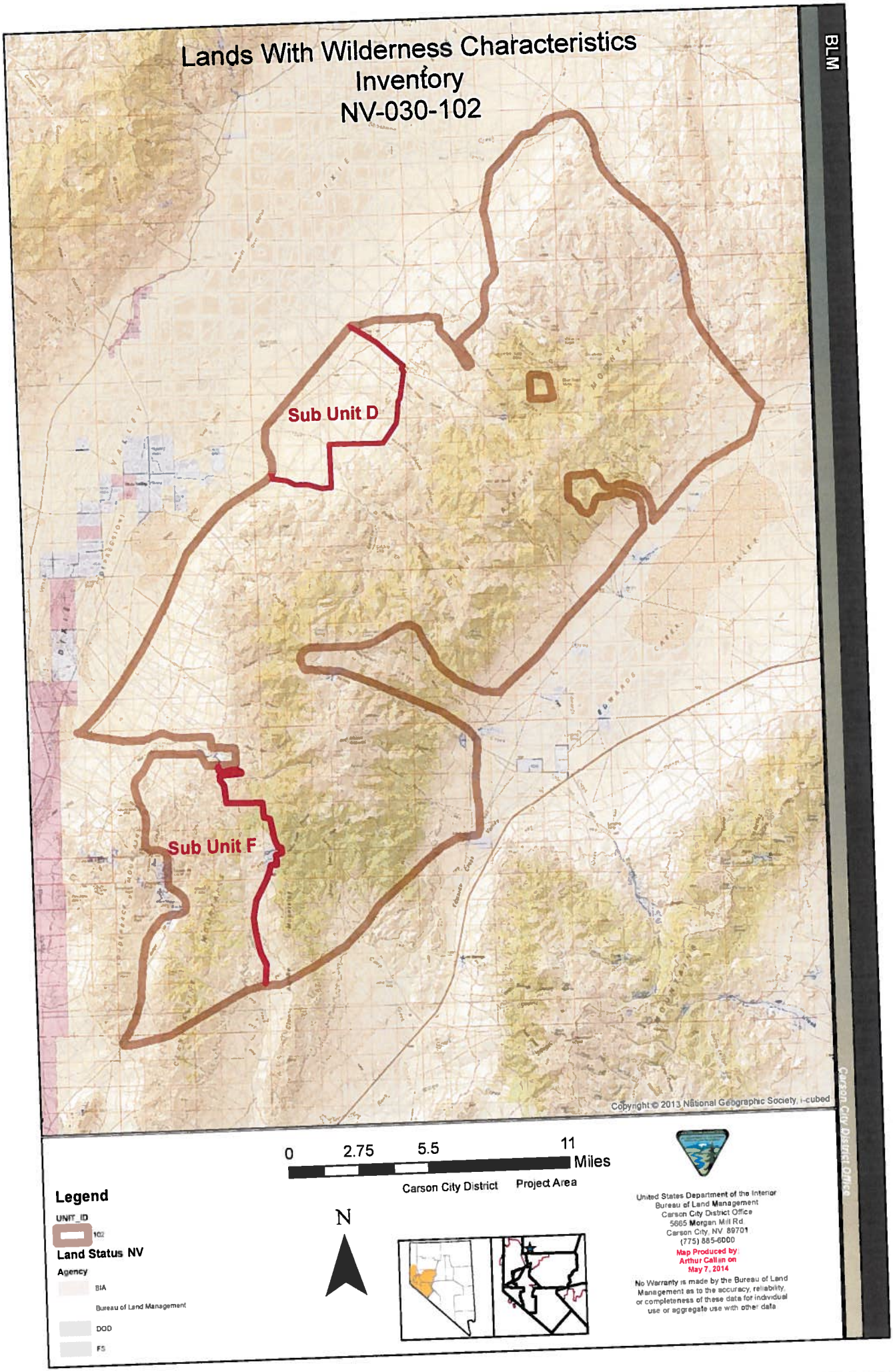

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1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____X___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-103

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Wonder / NV-030-103

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-103	Yes	No	No	No	No

Form 2

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
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Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-103 Acreage: 36,400
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ____X____ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the Wonder unit remain current. Approximately 25% of the unit's acreage was placed under military withdrawal per the Military Withdrawal Act of 1999 for the purpose of military maneuvers.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X___ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the Wonder unit. There are several patented mining parcels within the unit and several well-established roads. The north/south trending Louderback Mountains are located along the eastern section of the unit. Dixie Valley Road (paved) serves as the unit's western boundary. GIS data indicates a presence of noxious weeds in the north east finger of the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X___

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-103

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes __X_ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

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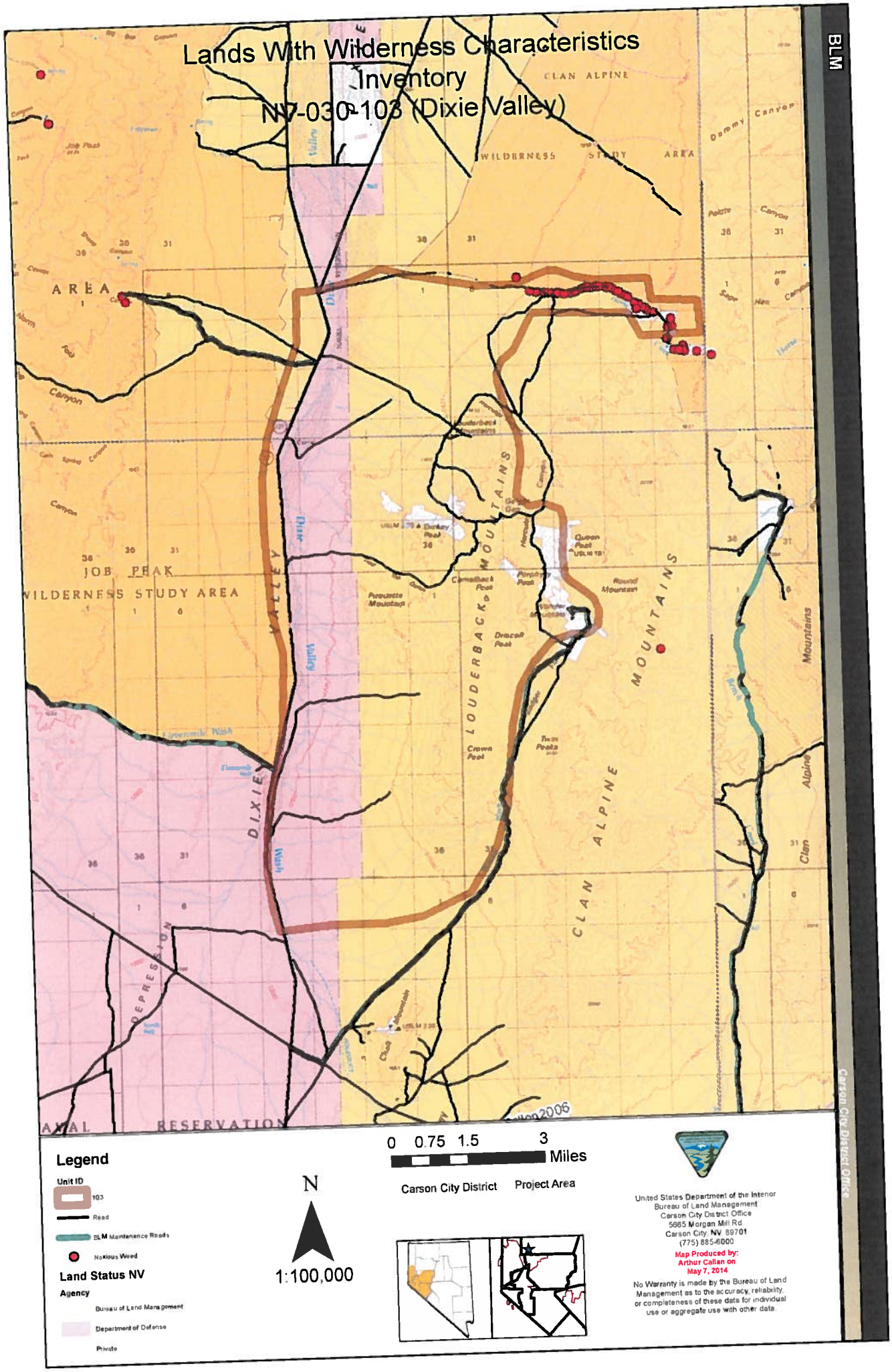
Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory
NV-030-103 (Dixie Valley)



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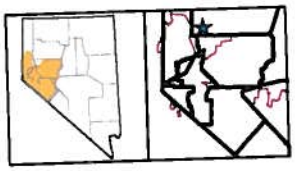

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Form 1

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes __X____ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-104

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Stillwater Range / NV-030-104

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-104	Partial	Partial	Partial	Partial	Yes

Form 2

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-104 Acreage: 113,310
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

1980 Inventory - The Stillwater Range unit consists of rugged, mountainous terrain stretching more than seventeen miles in length and flanked on both the east and west by broad, sagebrush covered flats. It is located about thirty miles northeast of Fallon, Nevada and is bounded on the north by the White Rock and Copper Kettle roads, on the west by county road 399, on the south by the Job Canyon road and on the east by county road 380. The original Stillwater Range Intensive Inventory Unit contained 114,061 acres, of which 751 acres are privately owned. The remaining 113,310 acres are held in public ownership and administered by the BLM. Acreage deleted due to size considerations totaled 1388 acres, resulting in 111,922 acres upon which a complete intensive inventory was conducted.
1980 Inventory Amendment - The Stillwater Range Proposed WSA (NV-030-104), Subunit H, has been split into two parts. The southern portion has been redesignated as Subunit I. An analysis of the wilderness characteristics of this new subunit follows:
Subunit I - The subunit is roughly rectangular in shape and measures approximately 3.5 miles long (north-south) by 7.0 miles wide (east-west). It contains 17,860 acres of public land and 140 acres of patented land. The configuration is relatively cohesive with the exception penetrating into the center of the area. Conclusion: Subunit I contains over 5,000 acres of roadless land.

Amendment Acreage Summary:

- Size of Intensive Inventory Unit	113,310
- Acreage Deleted Due to Road Documentation (Subunits A, B, and E)	-1,388
- Size of Unit After Deletion of Roaded Area	111,922
- Acreage Deleted Due to Lack of Naturalness (Subunits C, D, F and G) (Includes 220 ac. added to Subunit F and 35 roaded ac. in Subunit H)	-2,009
- Total Acreage of Two Subunits Fully Evaluated for the Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics (Subunit H - 92,053 acres) (Subunit I - 17,860 acres)	109,913
- Total Acreage Deleted From the Intensive Inventory Unit	-21,257
- Wilderness Study Area	92,053

2014 Inventory – The 1980 Inventory Amendment identified new road information that segmented the original Subunit H into two separate units, H and I (17,860 acres). Subunit H constitutes the Stillwater Range Wilderness Study Area and therefore will not be carried forward in this evaluation. The 1980 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the remaining Stillwater Range unit (including Subunit I), as described in the 1980 evaluation and amendment, remain current. External new information was also considered in the evaluation.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _X_ No ____ N/A_____

Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

1980 Inventory - An area of 110,133 acres (includes WSA) was determined to be in an essentially natural condition. Portions of the unit heavily impacted by mining activities and roads were deleted, resulting in an area which appears to have been affected by the forces of nature and where the imprint of man's work is substantially unnoticeable. Approximately 1,789 acres were deleted from the unit due to a lack of naturalness. Conclusion: Areas C, D, F, G have been removed from further wilderness consideration.

1980 Inventory Amendment - All of the documented intrusions in subunit "I" have a profound effect upon the solitude and recreational opportunities available to the visitor, however they are spread over the area in such a manner that they are not substantially noticeable from the standpoint of naturalness. Although subunit "I" obviously has been impacted by the works of man, it remains in an essentially natural state.

Conclusion: Subunit "I" is in an essentially natural state where the imprint of man's work is substantially unnoticeable.

2014 Inventory – The 1980 evaluations, including the conclusions on naturalness, remain current for the Job Peak unit; this includes Subunit I. External new information was also considered in the evaluation.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No __X____ N/A___

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

1980 Inventory - Subunit H, the remaining subunit carried forward in the inventory, constitutes the Stillwater Range Wilderness Study Area and therefore will not be discussed further in this evaluation section.

1980 Inventory Amendment – Size: The Subunit I is roughly rectangular in shape and measures approximately 3.5 miles long (north-south) by 7.0 miles wide (east-west). It contains 17,860 acres of public land and 140 acres of patented land. The configuration is relatively cohesive with the exception penetrating into the center of the area.

Natural Screening: Both topographic and vegetative screening varies considerably within the subunit. In general, the lands below the 4400' contour (on both the east and west) are relatively flat, rising gently from the boundary roads until they meet the more highly dissected, mountainous terrain. While this more highly dissected topography does not begin uniformly at the 4,400 foot contour, this contour line provides a suitable basis for comparison between the different types of terrain. Below the 4400 foot contour, topographic relief is minimal to non-existent. Above this contour line the topography is moderately dissected. In the majority of the subunit the topography consists of moderately dissected canyons and low mountainous terrain. There is only one ridgeline running north to south, and a visitor walking this ridgeline frequently can see either one or both of the east and west boundaries. The quality of vegetative screening corresponds closely to the quality of topographic screening. In the flats below the 4400 foot contour and in the lower reaches of the mountainous terrain sagebrush, greasewood and other low shrubs provide minimal vegetative screening. Other visitors in the immediate area are easily discernible. Along the ridgeline, and extending down either side for approximately .75 mile, pinyon-juniper associations predominate. Vegetative screening here is moderate to good. There are no perennial streams in the subunit and no major areas of riparian vegetation.
Ability of the User to Find a Secluded Spot: In many respects the user's ability to find a secluded spot is a function of a unit's size and natural screening potential. Although secluded spots can be found, they are relatively few compared to the size of the area. Most visitors would tend to congregate in the higher elevations where there exists only one ridgeline and few attractive features. The presence of several roads, ways and mining scars in the area tends to further restrict the number of places in which one can experience a feeling of solitude. Although natural screening is generally good along the ridgeline it does not provide an outstanding opportunity for solitude.
Outside Intrusions: The discussion on pages 8 and 9 of the intensive inventory report adequately addresses this point.
Conclusion: 1. Size and configuration of the subunit are sufficient to provide outstanding opportunities for solitude. 2. Natural screening ranges from extremely poor to moderately good. The mountainous portion of the subunit is considerably less dissected than the mountainous portion of subunit H and the alluvial fans provide virtually no screening at all. Natural screening in the subunit is not conducive to an outstanding opportunity for solitude. 3. There are limited opportunities for a visitor in the subunit to find a secluded spot in which to experience a feeling of solitude and isolation. Visitors would avoid the alluvial fans and the numerous imprints of man, and tend to congregate at the higher elevations where screening is generally good. However, opportunities to find a secluded spot are far from outstanding. Conclusion: The subunit does not possess outstanding opportunities for solitude.
2014 Inventory – A communication site is located on the ridgeline along the boundary road for units 127 and 104 (Subunit I). BLM Administrative Road (3101) in Silver Hill Canyon was recently maintained (2014) with heavy equipment. BLM Administrative Road (3102) leading into IXL Canyon (Subunit I) is scheduled to be maintained in the summer of 2014. Hunters and OHV enthusiasts favor the area located between the two WSAs because it provides motorized access into the core of the Stillwaters. The 1980 evaluation, including the conclusion on solitude, remains current for the Stillwater Range unit; this includes Subunit I. New information was also considered in the evaluation. It is the conclusion of this evaluation that there are no outstanding opportunities for solitude in the unit (Subunit I)

that are superior to its kind. The opportunities for solitude in this unit are represented throughout the CCDO.

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No __X__ N/A____

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

1980 Inventory - Subunit H, the remaining subunit carried forward in the inventory, constitutes the Stillwater Range Wilderness Study Area and therefore will not be discussed further in this evaluation section.

1980 Inventory Amendment - Hunting/Trapping: Although the analysis found in the intensive inventory report generally applies to this subunit also, it should be remembered that this portion of the unit has considerably less favorable habitat than subunit H and a proportionately larger number of man-made imprints. Consequently, opportunities also are considerably reduced.

Winter Sports: Opportunities are limited due to spotty snow cover and poor winter access. Snow depths vary considerably from winter to winter and the lower elevations frequently are devoid of snow. The terrain and vegetative cover at the higher elevations restrict both cross country skiing and snowshoeing opportunities. The area is not known for quality opportunities of this type and little such use occurs.

Day Hiking: Day hiking opportunities are fair to poor. There are few interesting features in the subunit and no major destination points. It is less than a three mile walk along the ridgeline (which is accessible by vehicle along either the northern or southern boundary) and the only points of interest are the ruins of old mine workings scattered throughout the subunit. It is unlikely that the area would be favored by day hikers.

Backpacking and Camping: Backpacking opportunities are poor. As noted above, there are few interesting features and no major destination points. The terrain is relatively common and it is unlikely that a visitor would spend more than one night in the subunit. Water is virtually unavailable. Vistas outside the subunit are attractive, however there is little within the subunit itself to intrigue the visitor. Few parties could use the area at one time without experiencing a feeling of crowding.

Mountain or Rock Climbing: The mountainous character of much of the subunit necessitates a certain amount of mountain climbing simply to get around, however; opportunities for this type of activity alone are extremely limited.

Horseback Riding: Opportunities are poor to fair. Both forage and water are severely limited and, as noted above, there are few, if any, features to attract a visitor. Visitors to the area likely would traverse the subunit either along the ridgeline or by crossing over the range. This could be accomplished within a day and would not provide a quality recreational opportunity.

Sightseeing: Sightseeing opportunities are fair. Visitors from the ridge-top out over Carson City and Dixie Valley are vast. However, opportunities in the subunit itself are limited. There is not a great diversity of land forms, vegetation or wildlife and there are no

destination points or major interesting features to attract a sightseer to the subunit. Mining ruins could provide limited sightseeing opportunities.
Conclusion: No single primitive and unconfined recreational opportunity is close to outstanding. Likewise, the opportunities which are available in the subunit do not provide an outstanding opportunity even when combined and their diversity is considered.

2014 Inventory - The 1980 evaluation, including the conclusion on primitive and unconfined recreation, remains current for the Stillwater Range unit (Subunit I). New information was also considered in the evaluation. It is the conclusion of this evaluation that there are no outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation in the unit that are superior to its kind. The opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation in this unit are represented throughout the CCDO.

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-104

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? _X_ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes __X_ No ___ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

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Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: Teresa J. Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

* This form documents information that constitutes and inventory finding on wilderness characteristics. It does not represent a formal land use allocation or a final agency decision subject to administrative remedies under either 43 CFR parts 4 or 1610.5-3.

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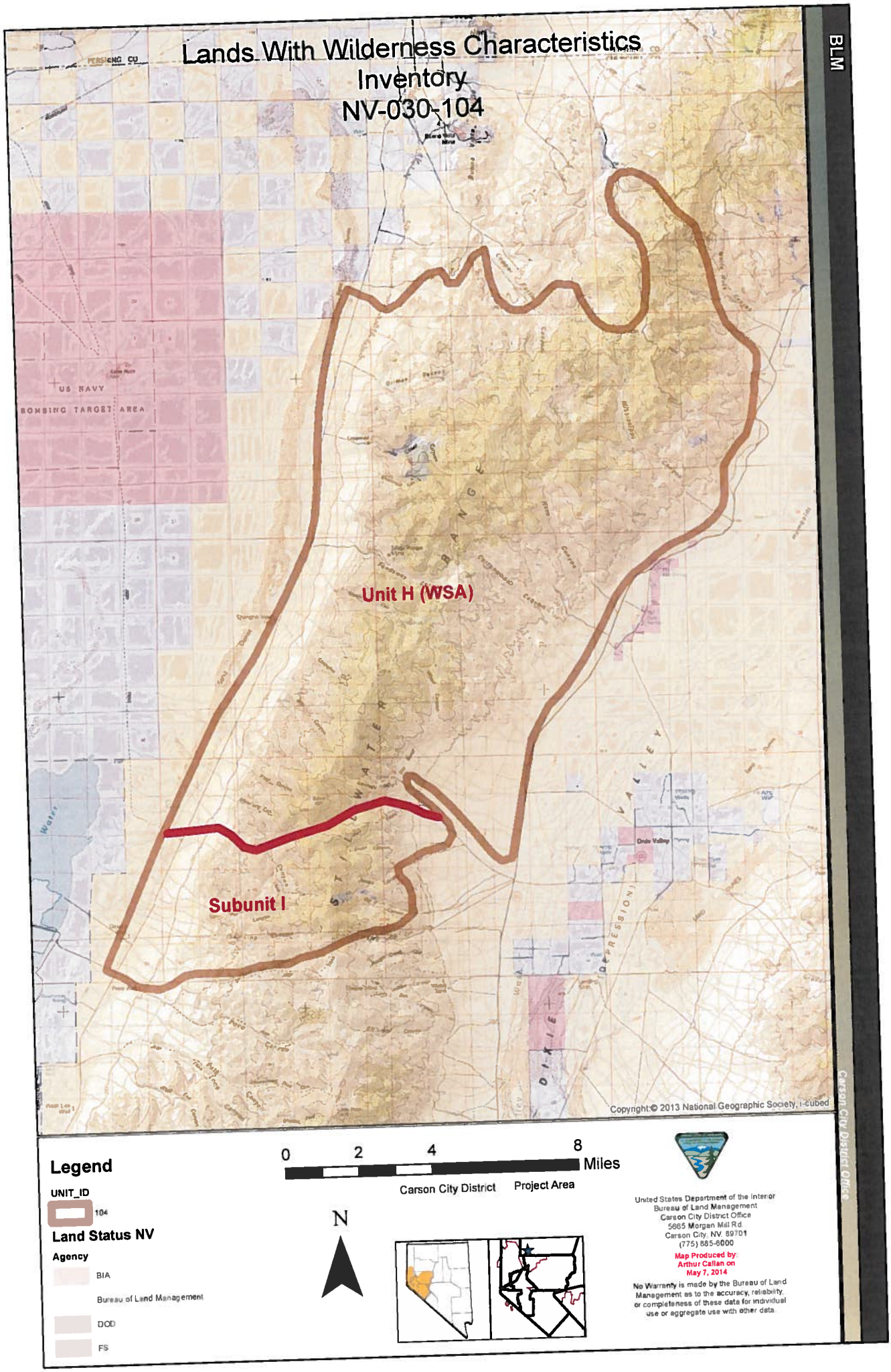

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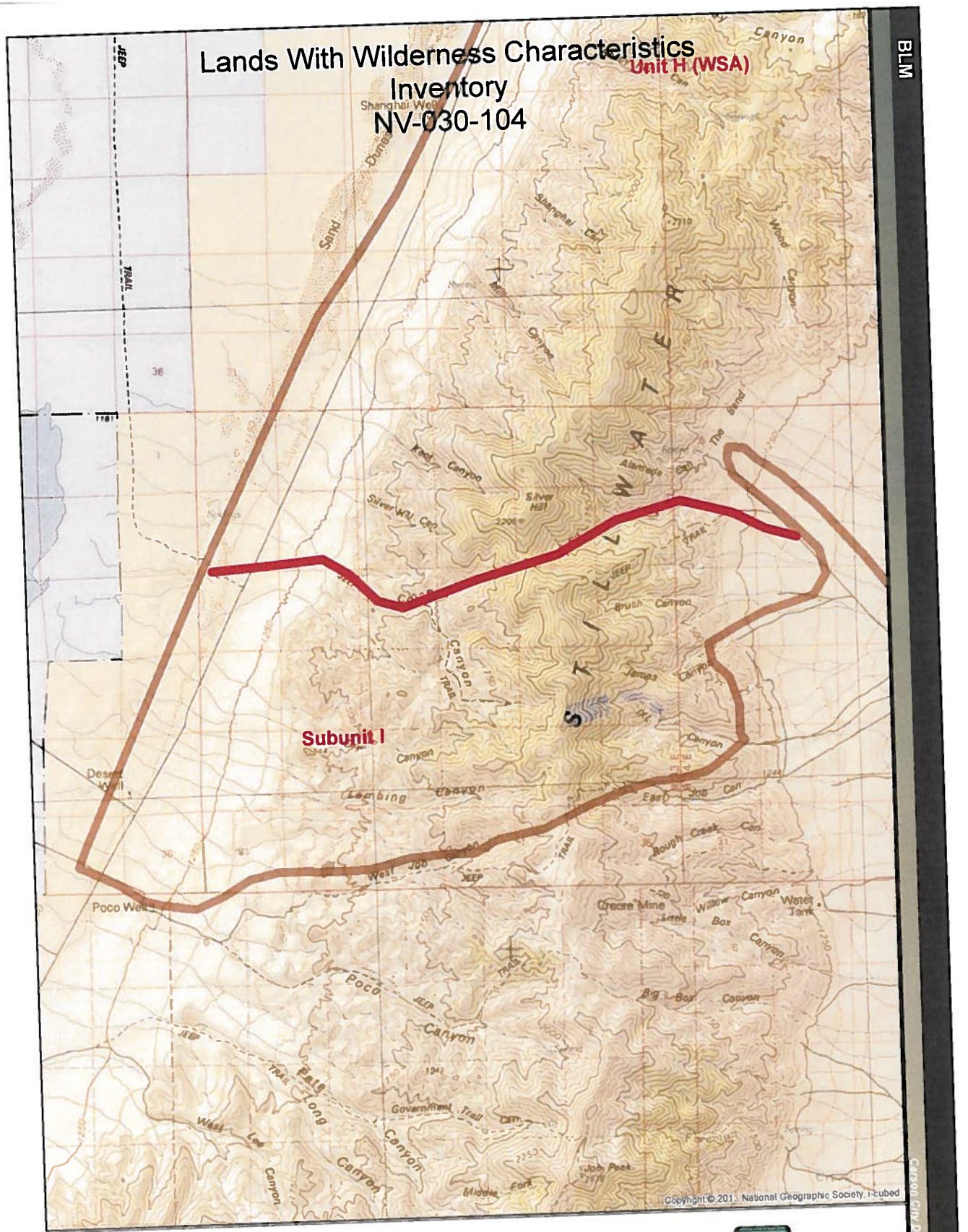

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes__X__*(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-104

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Stillwater Range / NV-030-104

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Carson City District / Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-104	Partial	Partial	Partial	Partial	Yes

Form 2

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-104 Acreage: 113,310

(1) Is the area of sufficient size?

Yes ___X___ No _____

Description:

1980 Inventory – The Stillwater Range unit consists of rugged, mountainous terrain stretching more than seventeen miles in length and flanked on both the east and west by broad, sagebrush-covered flats. It is located about thirty miles northeast of Fallon, Nevada and is bounded on the north by the White Rock and Copper Kettle roads, on the west by county road 399, on the south by the Job Canyon road, and on the east by county road 380. The original Stillwater Range Intensive Inventory Unit contained 114,061 acres, of which 751 acres are privately owned. The remaining 113,310 acres are held in public ownership and administered by the BLM. Acreage deleted due to size considerations totaled 1,388 acres, resulting in 111,922 acres upon which a complete intensive inventory was conducted. **1980 Inventory Amendment** – The Stillwater Range Proposed WSA (NV-030-104), Subunit H, has been split into two parts. The southern portion has been re-designated as Subunit I. Subunit I is roughly rectangular in shape and measures approximately 3.5 miles long (north-south) by 7.0 miles wide (east-west). It contains 17,860 acres of public land and 140 acres of patented land. The configuration is relatively cohesive with the exception penetrating into the center of the area. Subunit I contains over 5,000 acres of roadless land.

- Size of Intensive Inventory Unit	113,310
- Acreage Deleted Due to Road Documentation (Subunits A, B, and E)	-1,388
- Size of Unit After Deletion of Roaded Area	111,922
- Acreage Deleted Due to Lack of Naturalness (Subunits C, D, F and G) (Includes 220 ac. added to Subunit F and 35 roaded ac. in Subunit H)	-2,009
- Total Acreage of Two Subunits Fully Evaluated for the Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics (Subunit H - 92,053 acres) (Subunit I - 17,860 acres)	109,913
- Total Acreage Deleted From the Intensive Inventory Unit	-21,257
- Wilderness Study Area	88,656

2014 Inventory – The 1980 Inventory Amendment identified new road information that segmented the original Subunit H into two separate units: H (92,053 acres) and I (17,860 acres). Subunit H constitutes the Stillwater Range Wilderness Study Area and therefore will not be carried forward in this evaluation. A communication site is located on the ridgeline along the boundary road for Units 104 (Stillwater Range - Subunit I) and 127 (Job Peak). The unit 104 and 127 boundary road provides access to the communication tower from either side of the range. Authorized road maintenance has been approved in the past to a

local 4X4 club. BLM Administrative Road (3102) leading into IXL Canyon (Subunit I) received road maintenance in the summer of 2014.

The 2014 inventory identified 13,354 acres in Subunit I (1980 acreage was 17,860), which constitutes the only polygon within Unit 104 that is not currently a WSA and that has been determined to meet all LWC criteria. External new information from citizen proposals was also considered in the evaluation.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _X_ No ____ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

1980 Inventory – An area of 110,133 acres (includes WSA) was determined to be in an essentially natural condition. Portions of the unit heavily impacted by mining activities and roads were deleted, resulting in an area that appears to have been affected by the forces of nature and where the imprint of man's work is substantially unnoticeable. Approximately 1,789 acres were deleted from the unit due to a lack of naturalness. Areas C, D, F, and G have been removed from further wilderness consideration.
1980 Inventory Amendment – All of the documented intrusions in Subunit I have a profound effect upon the solitude and recreational opportunities available to the visitor, however they are spread over the area in such a manner that they are not substantially noticeable from the standpoint of naturalness. Although Subunit I has been impacted by the works of man, it remains in an essentially natural state where the imprint of man's work is substantially unnoticeable.
2014 Inventory – The intervening four decades since the 1980 inventory have allowed natural processes to reclaim the many ways and related ground disturbances. Impacts to naturalness noted in the 1980 Inventory were unnoticeable in 2014 and 13,354 acres of the unit appeared natural. External new information from citizen proposals was also considered in the evaluation.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes ___X___ No _____ N/A___

Description:

1980 Inventory – Subunit H, the remaining subunit carried forward in the inventory, constitutes the Stillwater Range Wilderness Study Area and therefore will not be discussed further in this evaluation section.

1980 Inventory Amendment –
Size: The Subunit I is roughly rectangular in shape and measures approximately 3.5 miles long (north-south) by 7.0 miles wide (east-west). It contains 17,860 acres of public land and

140 acres of patented land. The configuration is relatively cohesive with the exception penetrating into the center of the area.

Natural Screening: Both topographic and vegetative screening varies considerably within the subunit. In general, the lands below the 4,400-foot contour (on both the east and west) are relatively flat, rising gently from the boundary roads until they meet the more highly dissected, mountainous terrain. While this more highly dissected topography does not begin uniformly at the 4,400-foot contour, this contour line provides a suitable basis for comparison between the different types of terrain. Below the 4,400-foot contour, topographic relief is minimal to non-existent. Above this contour line the topography is moderately dissected. In the majority of the subunit the topography consists of moderately dissected canyons and low mountainous terrain. There is only one ridgeline running north to south, and a visitor walking this ridgeline frequently can see either one or both of the east and west boundaries. The quality of vegetative screening corresponds closely to the quality of topographic screening. Sagebrush, greasewood and other low shrubs provide minimal vegetative screening in the flats below the 4,400-foot contour and in the lower reaches of the mountainous terrain. Other visitors in the immediate area are easily discernible. Along the ridgeline and extending down either side for approximately 0.75 mile, pinyon-juniper associations predominate. Vegetative screening here is moderate to good. There are no perennial streams in the subunit and no major areas of riparian vegetation.

Ability of the User to Find a Secluded Spot: In many respects the user's ability to find a secluded spot is a function of a unit's size and natural screening potential. Although secluded spots can be found, they are relatively few compared to the size of the area. Most visitors would tend to congregate in the higher elevations where there exists only one ridgeline and few attractive features. The presence of several roads, ways, and mining scars in the area tends to further restrict the number of places in which one can experience a feeling of solitude. Although natural screening is generally good along the ridgeline it does not provide an outstanding opportunity for solitude.

Outside Intrusions: The discussion on pages 8 and 9 of the intensive inventory report adequately addresses this point.

Conclusion: Size and configuration of the subunit are sufficient to provide outstanding opportunities for solitude. Natural screening ranges from extremely poor to moderately good. The mountainous portion of the subunit is considerably less dissected than the mountainous portion of subunit H and the alluvial fans provide virtually no screening at all. Natural screening in the subunit is not conducive to an outstanding opportunity for solitude. There are limited opportunities for a visitor in the subunit to find a secluded spot in which to experience a feeling of solitude and isolation. Visitors would avoid the alluvial fans and the numerous imprints of man, and tend to congregate at the higher elevations where screening is generally good. However, opportunities to find a secluded spot are far from outstanding. The subunit does not possess outstanding opportunities for solitude.

2014 Inventory – BLM guidelines for evaluating LWC have changed since 1980. New information from citizen based proposals was considered in the 2014 evaluation where the incredible expanse of solitude exists. The 2014 Inventory documented outstanding opportunities for solitude in the diversity of topographic and vegetative features found within the unit.

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes ___X___ No _____ N/A___

Description:

1980 Inventory – Subunit H, the remaining subunit carried forward in the inventory, constitutes the Stillwater Range Wilderness Study Area and therefore will not be discussed further in this evaluation section.

1980 Inventory Amendment –

Hunting/Trapping: Although the analysis in the intensive inventory report generally applies to Subunit I also, it should be remembered that this portion of the unit has considerably less favorable habitat than subunit H and a proportionately larger number of man-made imprints. Consequently, opportunities also are considerably reduced.

Winter Sports: Opportunities are limited due to spotty snow cover and poor winter access. Snow depths vary considerably from winter to winter and the lower elevations frequently are devoid of snow. The terrain and vegetative cover at the higher elevations restrict both cross country skiing and snowshoeing opportunities. The area is not known for quality opportunities of this type and little such use occurs.

Day Hiking: Day hiking opportunities are fair to poor. There are few interesting features in the subunit and no major destination points. It is less than a three mile walk along the ridgeline (which is accessible by vehicle along either the northern or southern boundary) and the only points of interest are the ruins of old mine workings scattered throughout the subunit. It is unlikely that the area would be favored by day hikers.

Backpacking and Camping: Backpacking opportunities are poor. As noted above, there are few interesting features and no major destination points. The terrain is relatively common and it is unlikely that a visitor would spend more than one night in the subunit. Water is virtually unavailable. Vistas outside the subunit are attractive, however there is little within the subunit itself to intrigue the visitor. Few parties could use the area at one time without experiencing a feeling of crowding.

Mountain or Rock Climbing: The mountainous character of much of the subunit necessitates a certain amount of mountain climbing simply to get around, however opportunities for this type of activity alone are extremely limited.

Horseback Riding: Opportunities are poor to fair. Both forage and water are severely limited and, as noted above, there are few, if any, features to attract a visitor. Visitors to the area likely would traverse the subunit either along the ridgeline or by crossing over the range. This could be accomplished within a day and would not provide a quality recreational opportunity.

Sightseeing: Sightseeing opportunities are fair. Visitors from the ridge-top out over Carson City and Dixie Valley are vast. However, opportunities in the subunit itself are limited. There is not a great diversity of land forms, vegetation or wildlife and there are no destination points or major interesting features to attract a sightseer to the subunit. Mining ruins could provide limited sightseeing opportunities.

Conclusion: No single primitive and unconfined recreational opportunity is close to outstanding. Likewise, the opportunities that are available in the subunit do not provide an outstanding opportunity even when combined and their diversity is considered.

2014 Inventory – The 2014 inventory of Unit 104 found many outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation in the deep canyons, pinyon forested uplands, and big game hunting in the deep canyons. Outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation include hiking and horseback riding along the ridgeline in continuity with the adjoining WSA to the north, rock-hounding, camping, wildlife viewing, dark skies

(stargazing), and photography. New information from a citizen proposal was also considered in the evaluation.

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No ___X____ N/A_____

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-104

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? __X__ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __X__ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? __X__ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ____ Yes __X__ No ___ N/A

Check one:

__X__ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Lands with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

____ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *SFFO LWC Team*

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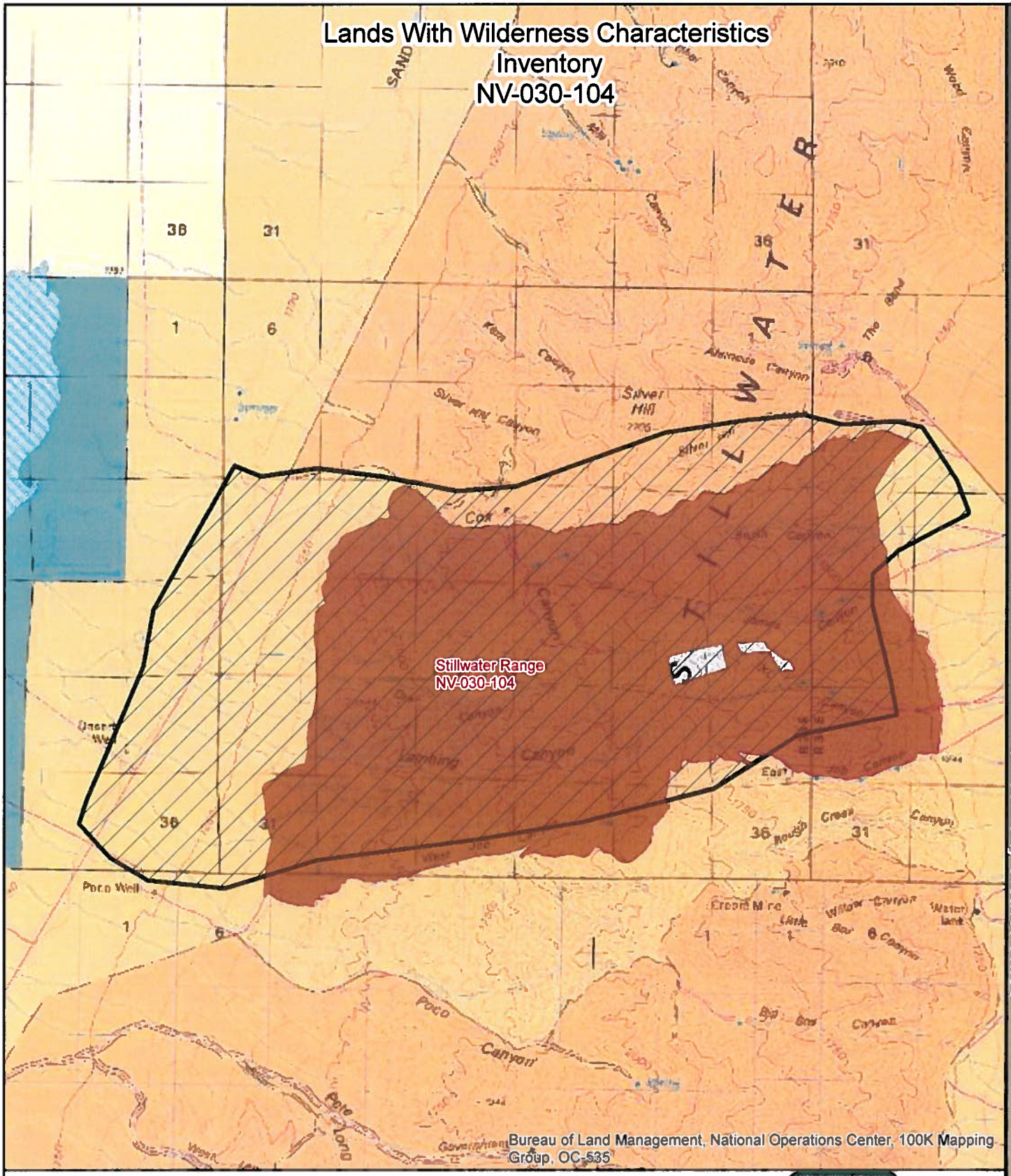

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- LWC
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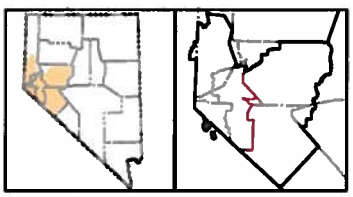

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes __X____ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-105

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): New Pass Range / NV-030-105

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-105	Partial	Partial	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-105 Acreage: 61,500
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

1980 Inventory - The New Pass Mountain Range is an arid range approximately 14 miles long by five miles wide. The main peak reaches an elevation of nearly 9,000 feet, and is flanked by a number of low rolling pinyon woodland covered hills. The unit contains 61,500 acres of public land. After removal of three small, isolated subunits totaling 5,920 acres, 55,580 acres were analyzed for wilderness characteristics.
2014 Inventory - The 1980 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the New Pass Range unit, as described above, remains current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes __X_ No ____ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
1980 Inventory - One subunit totaling 10,640 acres around New Pass Peak and the eastern slope was eliminated due to the visual effects of mining activity. A visitor would not perceive the eastern portion of the unit as natural. The remaining 44,940 acres are substantially natural and contain only a few ways and a fence line.
2014 Inventory – A ROW and related communication site is located on top of New Pass Peak. Several fence enclosures exist in the northern portion of the unit. The 1980 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the New Pass Range unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No __X____ N/A___

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

1980 Inventory - Opportunities for solitude and recreation are not outstanding because of the unit's narrow configuration, penetrating roads and limited opportunity to avoid roads and mining on the east boundary of the unit. The area does not contain a good number of interesting or attracting features, and as a result the opportunity to participate in primitive recreation activities is limited.
2014 Inventory – The 1980 evaluation, including the conclusion for solitude, remains current for the New Pass Range unit. It is the conclusion of this evaluation that there are no outstanding opportunities for solitude in the unit that are superior to its kind. The opportunities for solitude in this unit are represented throughout the CCDO.

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No ___X_____ N/A____
Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

1980 Inventory - Opportunities for solitude and recreation are not outstanding because of the unit's narrow configuration, penetrating roads and limited opportunity to avoid roads and mining on the east boundary of the unit. The area does not contain a good number of interesting or attracting features, and as a result the opportunity to participate in primitive recreation activities is limited.
2014 Inventory - The 1980 evaluation, including the conclusion for primitive and unconfined recreation, remains current for the New Pass Range unit. It is the conclusion of this evaluation that there are no outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation in the unit that are superior to its kind. The opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation in this unit are represented throughout the CCDO.

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-105

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? _X_ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: [signature] Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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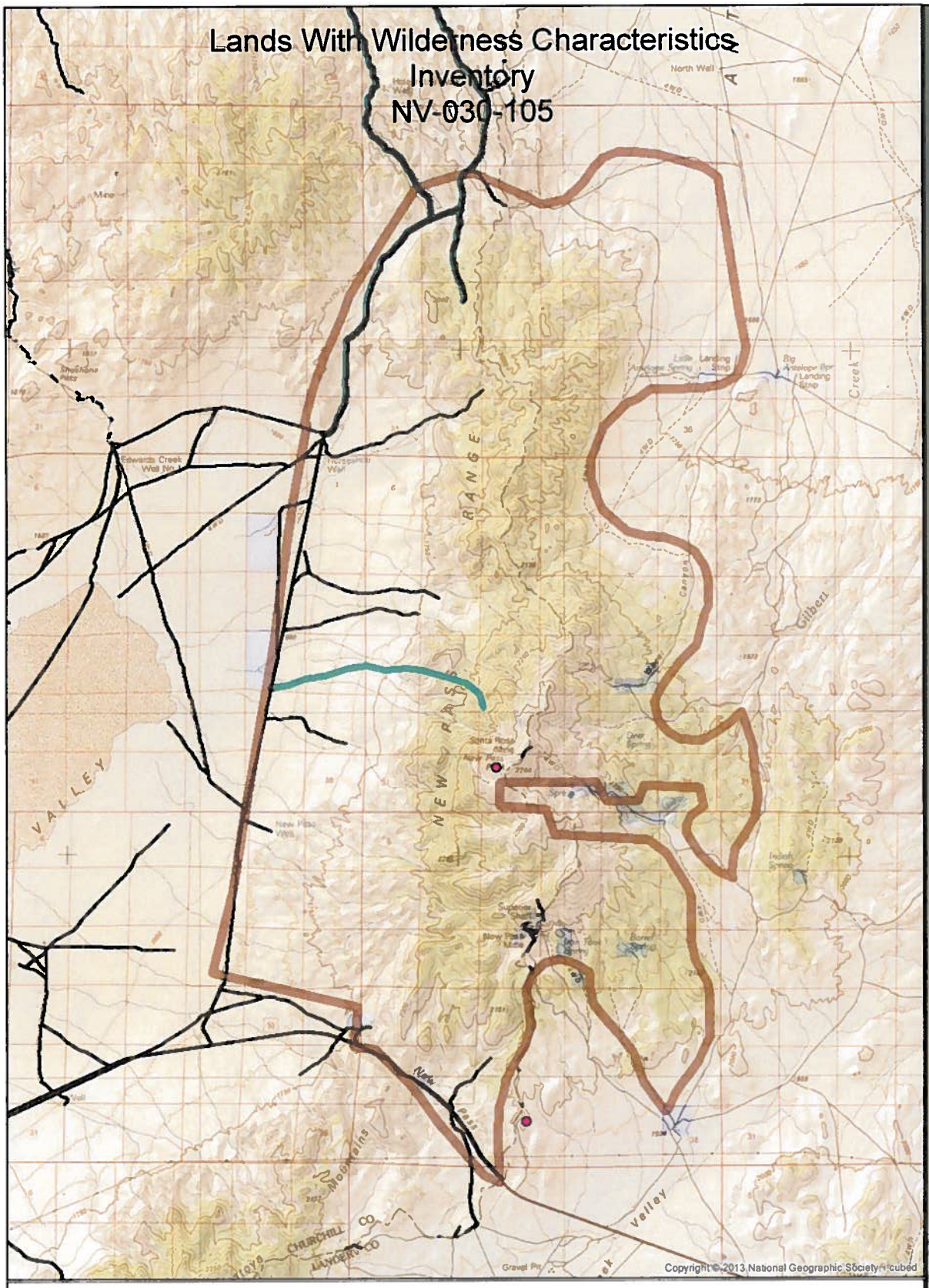
Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory
NV-030-105



BLM

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Legend

UNIT_ID
- 105
- Road
- BLM Maintenance Roads
- Communication Site

Land Status NV

Agency
- BIA
- Bureau of Land Management
- DOD
- FS

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes __**X**____ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-106

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Shoshone Meadows / NV-030-106

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-106	Partial	Partial	Minimal	Minimal	Minimal

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-106 Acreage: 53,000
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

1980 Inventory - The Shoshone Meadows unit is located in the northern foothills of the Clan Alpine Mountain Range, about 65 miles northeast of Fallon, Nevada. It is separated from the main Clan Alpine Range by the Shoshone Pass Road and from the south end of the Augusta Mountains by the Hole-in-the-Wall Pass Road. The west and east boundaries are documented roads. Vegetation is primarily sagebrush community-desert scrub, with pinyon woodland covering about 6,000 acres around the highest point, McCoy Peak. The unit contains 53,000 contiguous acres of public lands. Documented roads separating one 400-acre subunit in Section 2.b, T23N., R. 38E., leaving 52,600 acres for further evaluation. The unit is bisected from west to east by a bladed fenceline right-of-way, separating it into one 14,000-acre subunit north of the line and a 38,000-acre subunit to the south.
2014 Inventory - The 1980 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the Shoshone Meadows unit, as described above, remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes __X_ No ____ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
1980 Inventory - Only one mile-long vehicle way penetrates from the north boundary road into the northern subunit. The southern subunit has about ten miles of ways, and about 5 acres of surface disturbance due to recent prospecting or mining activities. In general, Subunits A and C appear to have been affected primarily by the forces of nature with the imprint of man's work substantially unnoticeable.
2014 Inventory - The 1980 evaluation, including the conclusion for naturalness, remains current for the Shoshone Meadows unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No __X____ N/A___

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

1980 Inventory - Pinyon woodland combined with the mountainous terrain around McCoy Peak offers some screening, and a few secluded spots can be found among the peaks and canyons in the south portion. The northern subunit provides very little opportunities for solitude.
2014 Inventory – The 1980 evaluation, including the conclusion for solitude, remains current for the Shoshone Meadows unit. It is the conclusion of this evaluation that there are no outstanding opportunities for solitude in the unit that are superior to its kind. The opportunities for solitude in this unit are represented throughout the CCDO.

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No __X____ N/A____
Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

1980 Inventory - The unit offers some sightseeing, hiking, hunting, and camping opportunities. There are no significant features that would attract or sustain primitive recreation use.
2014 Inventory - The 1980 evaluation, including the conclusion for primitive and unconfined recreation, remains current for the Shoshone Meadows unit. It is the conclusion of this evaluation that there are no outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation in the unit that are superior to its kind. The opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation in this unit are represented throughout the CCDO.

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-106

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? _X_ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

__X_ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members): Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: Teresa J. Knudson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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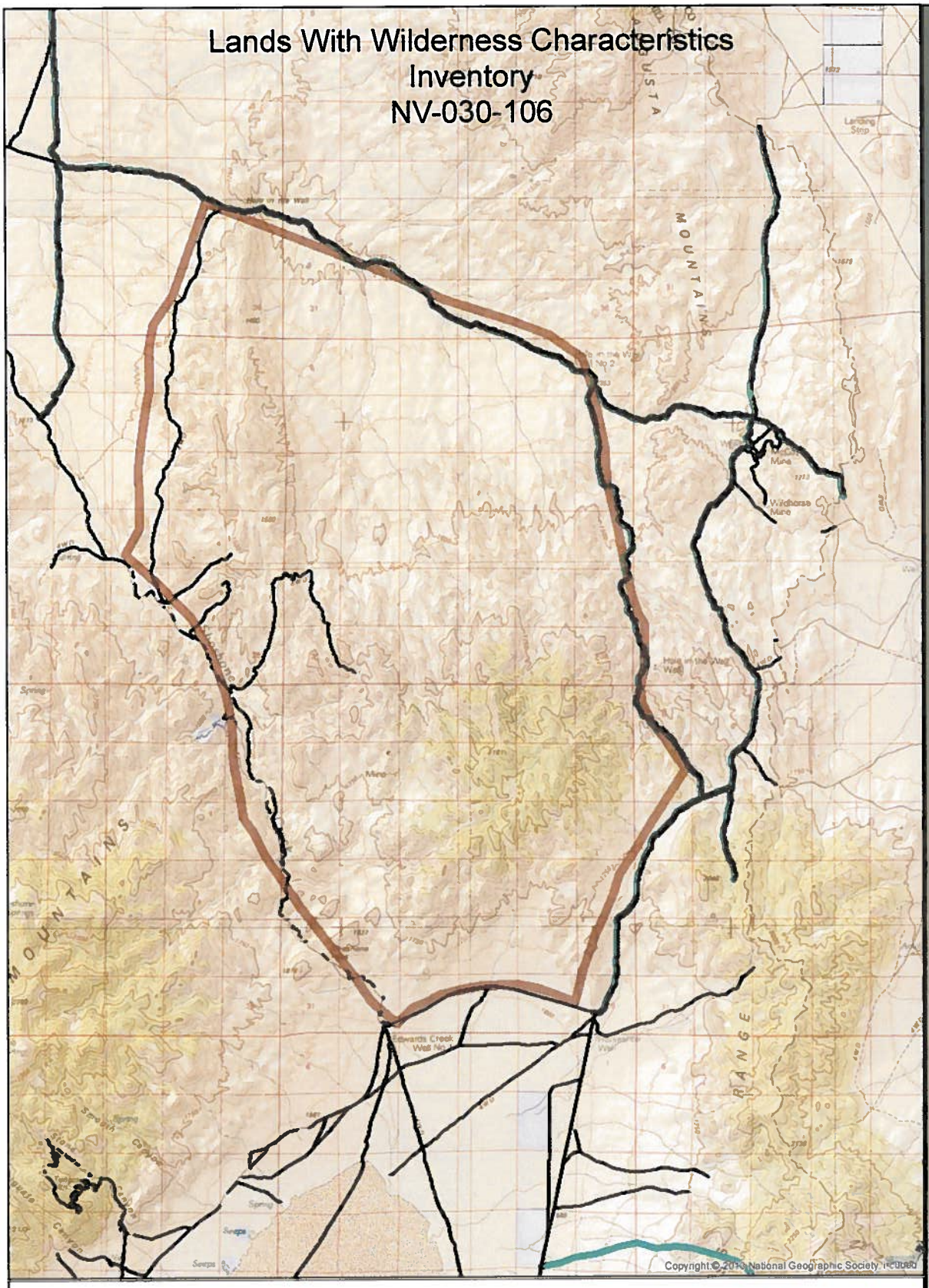
Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-106



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Legend

UNIT_ID
106
Road
BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

Agency
BIA
Bureau of Land Management
DOD
FS

0 1.25 2.5 5 Miles

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-107

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Hole-In-The-Wall / NV-030-107

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-107	Yes	Yes	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-107 Acreage: 6,000
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the Hole-In-The-Wall unit remain current. Landownership is entirely public. The unit is located at the northeast end of the CCDO; north of Highway 50 and west of the county line. A well-defined road constitutes the western edge of the unit boundary and a portion of the north and east boundary as well.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes X___ No ____ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the Hole-In-The-Wall unit. The unit is narrow; about 1.5 miles wide about 6 miles long. Topography is gentle hills under 5,000 feet in elevation. There is a sparse pinyon juniper complex in the southern portion of the unit. There is wildland fire history within the unit. There are several main washes in the unit that appear to provide motorized access into the unit. Aerial imagery (NAIP 2013 and Google Earth 8/30/2010) suggests limited range developments (i.e. fence line, stock tank) in the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No __X____ N/A___

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on solitude, remains current for the unit.

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No __X____ N/A____

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on primitive and unconfined recreation, remains current for the unit.

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-107

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? _X_ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

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Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: Teresa J. Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

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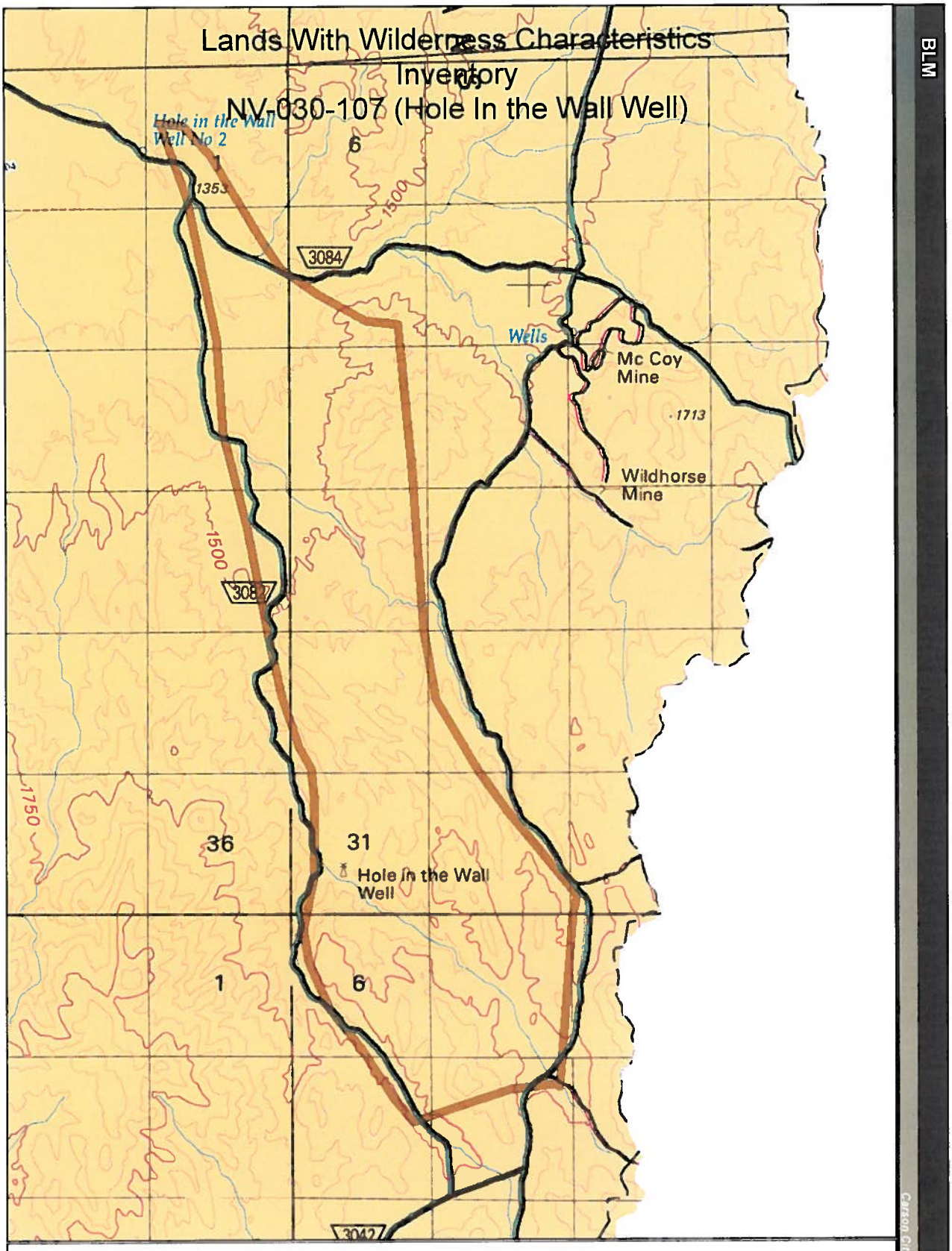

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Unit ID

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Road

BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

Agency

Bureau of Land Management

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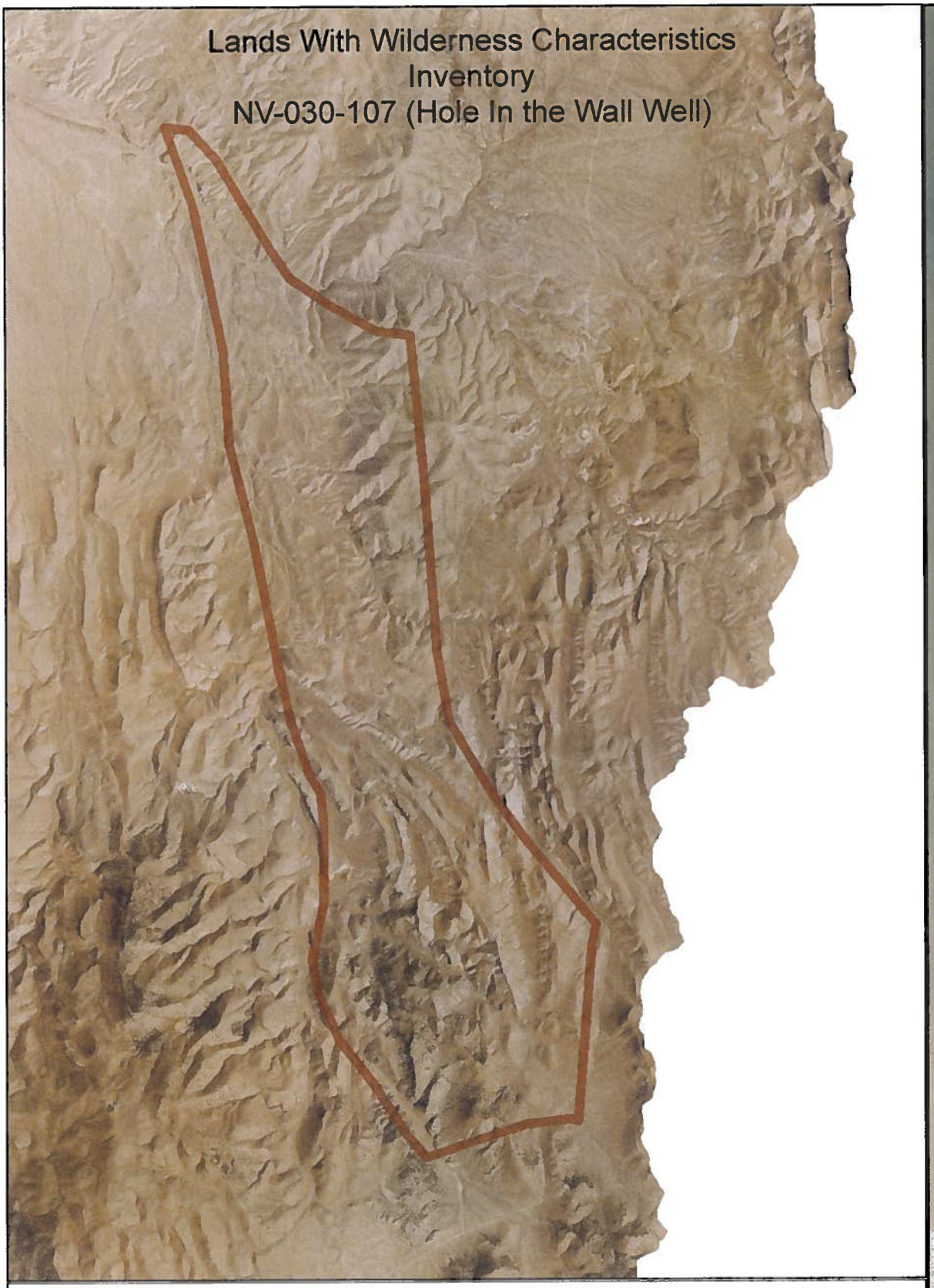

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-109

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Spring Creek / NV-030-109

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-109	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-109 Acreage: 42,000
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ___X___ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the Spring Creek unit remain current. Unit is located at the north end of Dixie Valley. The southern third of the unit is located in Churchill County (CCDO) and the northern two-thirds within Pershing County (WDO). The entire unit is characterized by 10 separate private land parcels, two of which are located in the Churchill County portion. Roads make up the west, east and southern boundaries of the entire unit.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No __X__ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the Spring Creek unit. Aerial imagery (NAIP 2013 / Google Earth 8/30/2010) indicates extensive agriculture development on private land inholdings including maintenance of interior roads.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-109

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

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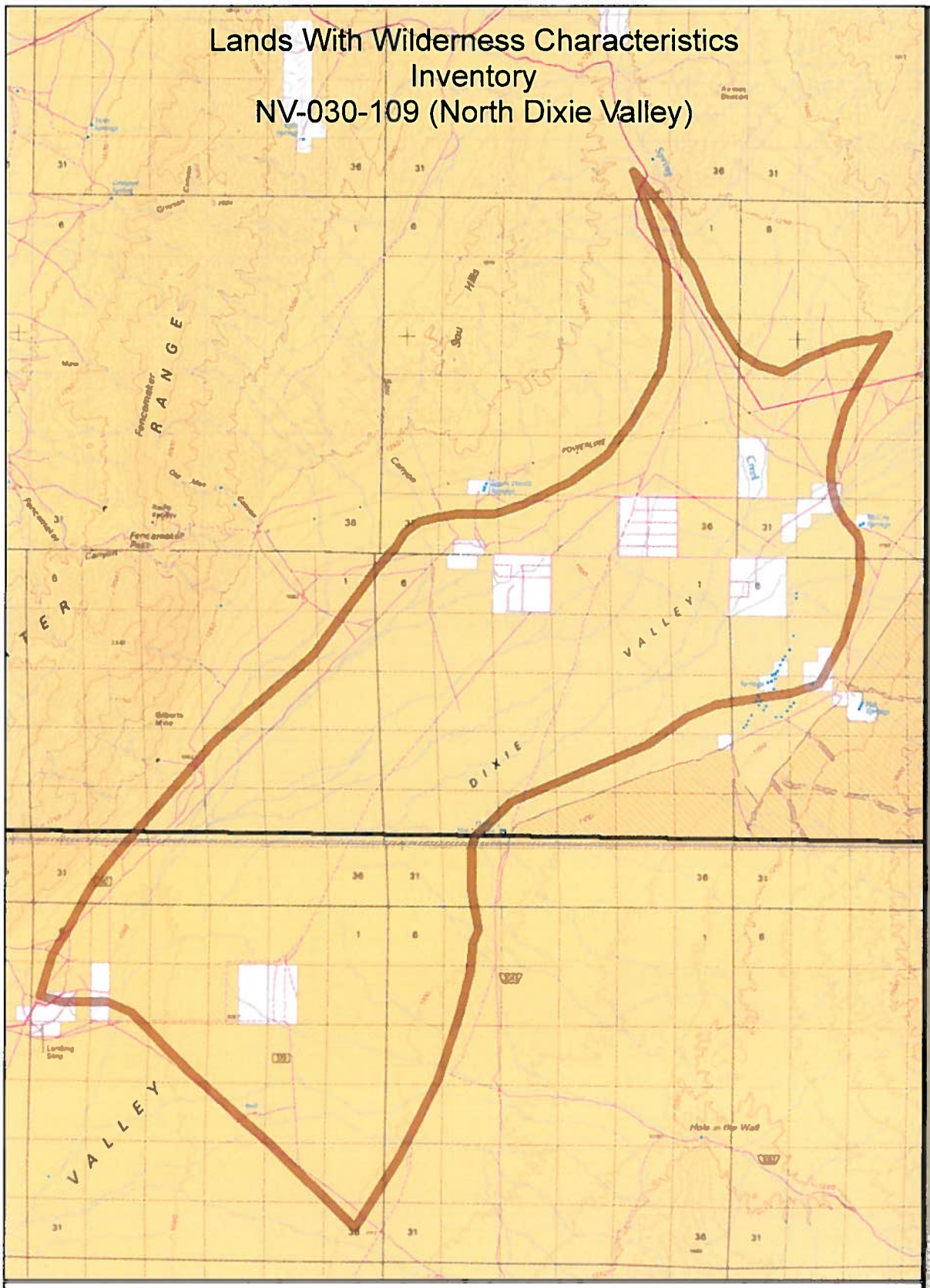
Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory
NV-030-109 (North Dixie Valley)



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Unit ID

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Land Status NV

Agency

Bureau of Land Management

District Office Boundary

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Carson City District Project Area

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District Office Boundary

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes __**X**____ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-110/060-288

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Desatoya Mountains / NV-030-110

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-110/060-288	Partial	Partial	Yes	Yes	Yes

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-110 Acreage: 78,160
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes _Subunit A_ No _Other Subunits_
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.).*

1980 Inventory - The size of unit 110 after removal of the roaded and unnatural areas (Subunits A, B, C, D, E) is 48,150 acres of contiguous public land.
2014 Inventory – Subunit A is approximately 25,600 acres in size. The 1980 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the Desatoya unit as described above, remains current. The 48,150 acres of contiguous public land described above is WSA which will not be analyzed any further in this evaluation. Congressional WSA acreage was established at 51,262 acres (actual).

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No X____ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
1980 Inventory - Area A - The flat topography on the west side of the initial unit has a concentration of numerous dead end roads, jeep trails, fences and major land treatments. Roads Nos. 110.2, 3078, 110.4, 110.S, 3049, 110.6, 3047, 3107, 110.7 and 110.9 penetrate into the unit two to four miles, and dead end at the base of the mountains. The roads are located to one mile apart, except for an area between Willow Creek and Rock Creek near Sec. 10, T. 17 N., R. 37 E. Here, a three mile gap between roads contains an unnatural brush spraying and grass seeding (No. 0267). There are a number of other land treatments located in this area, including a brush control and seeding, (Nos. 279/280) a plowing and seeding, (No. 263) and a ripping and seeding treatment (No. 271). Because of the concentration of roads and unnatural features, this entire area of 25,600 acres was dropped from further consideration without analyzing solitude or recreation opportunities.
2014 Inventory - The 1980 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the Desatoya unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-110

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes __X_ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members): Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: Teresa J. Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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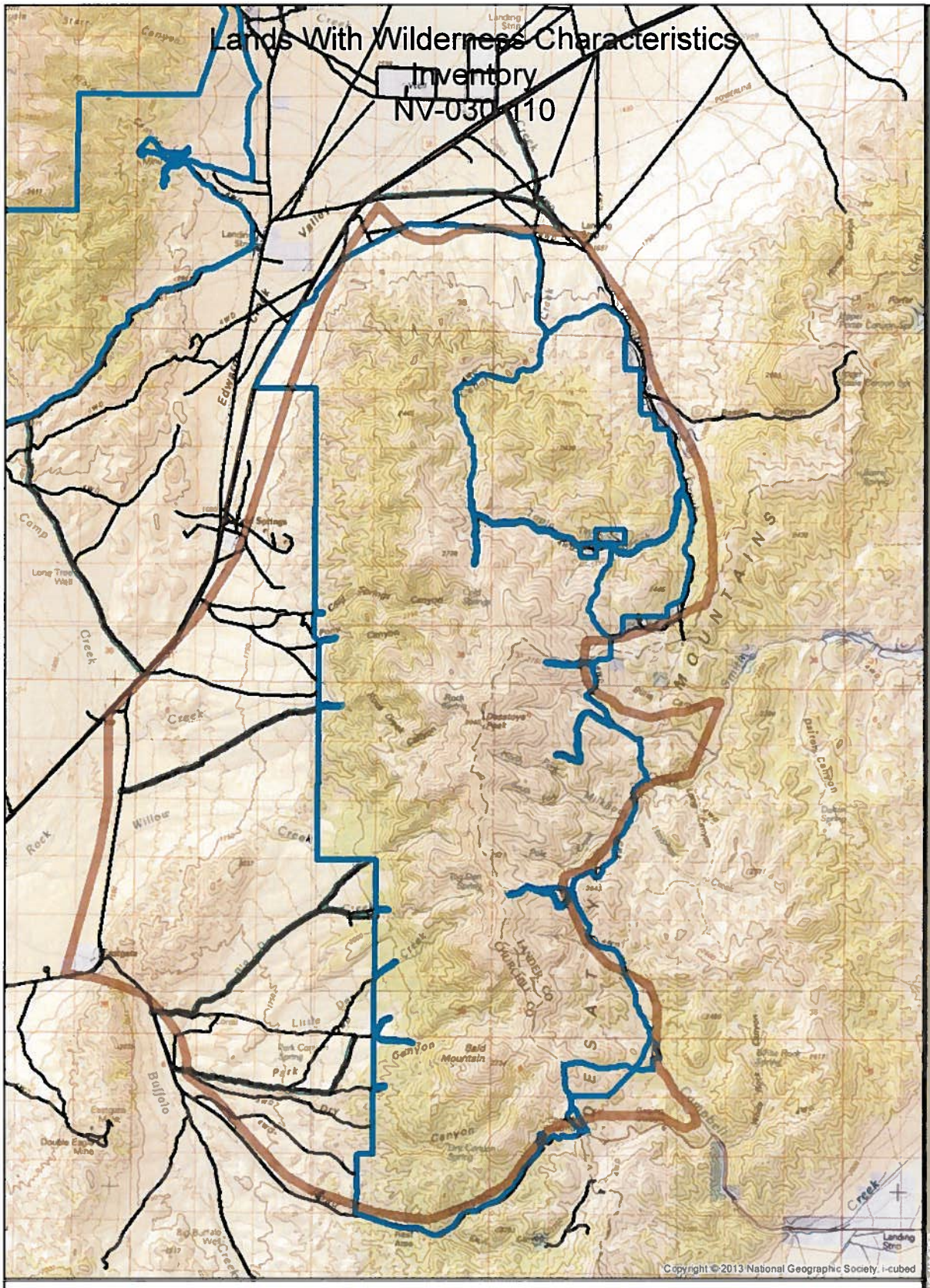
Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory
NV-030-110



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- 110
- WCA
- Road
- BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

Agency
- BIA
- Bureau of Land Management
- DOD
- FS

0 1.25 2.5 5 Miles

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   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-111

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Edwards Creek Valley / NV-030-111

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-111	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-111 Acreage: 67,500
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the Edwards Creek Valley unit remain current. Highway 50 constitutes the southern boundary whereas well-established dirt roads make up the remaining boundaries.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No __X__ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the Edwards Creek Valley unit. Unit is characterized as low valley with playa making up about 20% of the unit. The unit has approximately 13 separate private inholdings with several agriculture developments within the unit along the east and southern boundaries. Numerous roads occur within the unit. Geothermal leases are located within the unit along the north boundary. There are no apparent geothermal developments that stand out on imagery (NAIP 2013 / Google Earth 8/30/10).

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X_

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-111

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes __X_ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

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Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

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Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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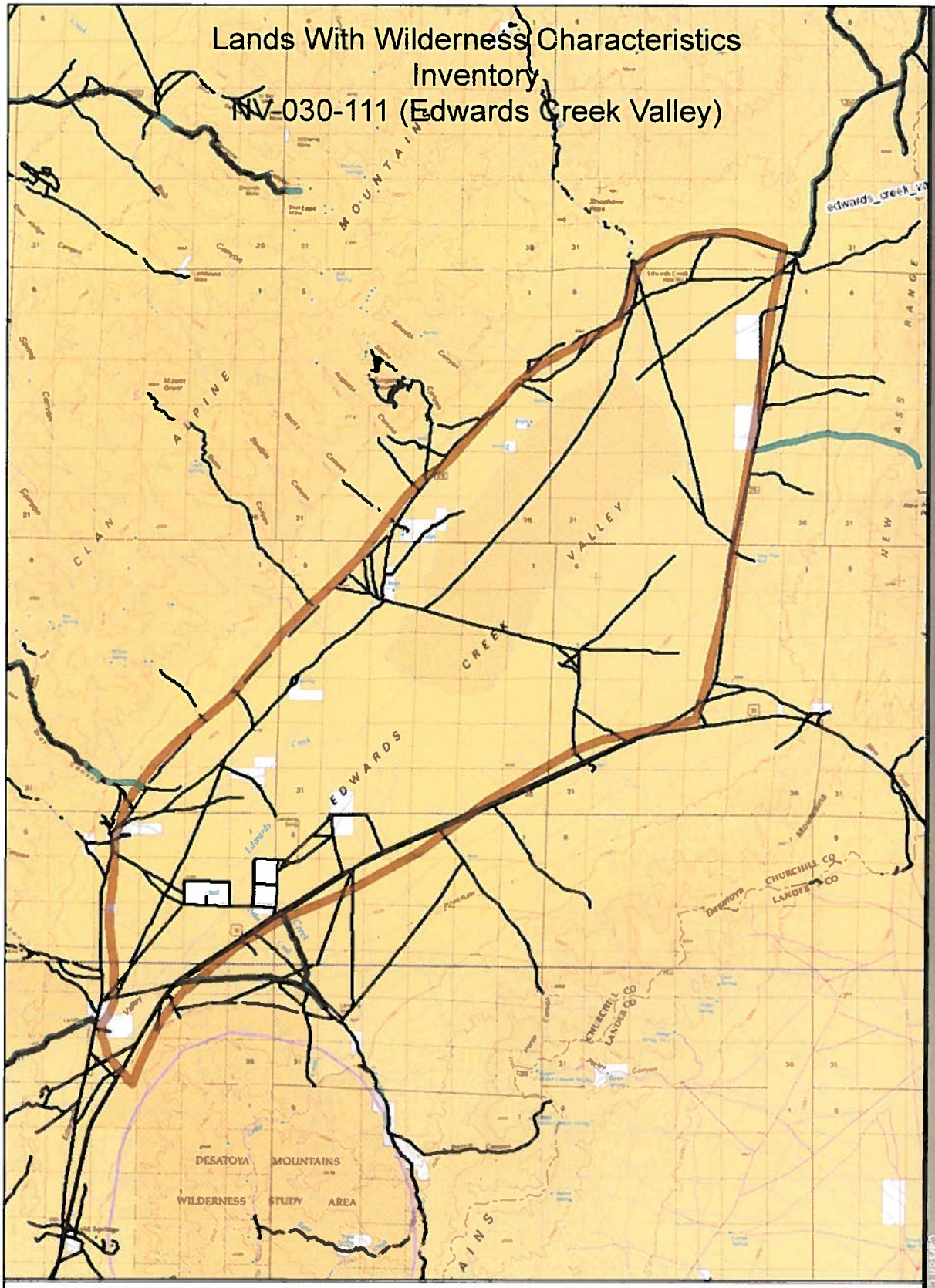

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Unit ID

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Road

BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

Agency

Bureau of Land Management

0 1.5 3 6 Miles

Carson City District Project Area

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1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-112

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Chalk Mountain / NV-030-112

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-112	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-112 Acreage: 31,000
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - Approximately 10% of the unit's acreage was placed under military withdrawal per the Military Withdrawal Act of 1999 for the purpose of military maneuvers. All four boundaries are defined by roads. Highway 50 constitutes the southern boundary, Dixie Valley Road (paved and dirt roads make up the western boundary, a power line road defines the northern boundary, and a well-established dirt road is the east boundary. Aside from the withdrawal, the 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No __X__ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - There is a patented mining parcel located on Chalk Mt. and a private land parcel on the southern boundary. There are several well-established roads within the unit including one on BLM's maintenance schedule. The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-112

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

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Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

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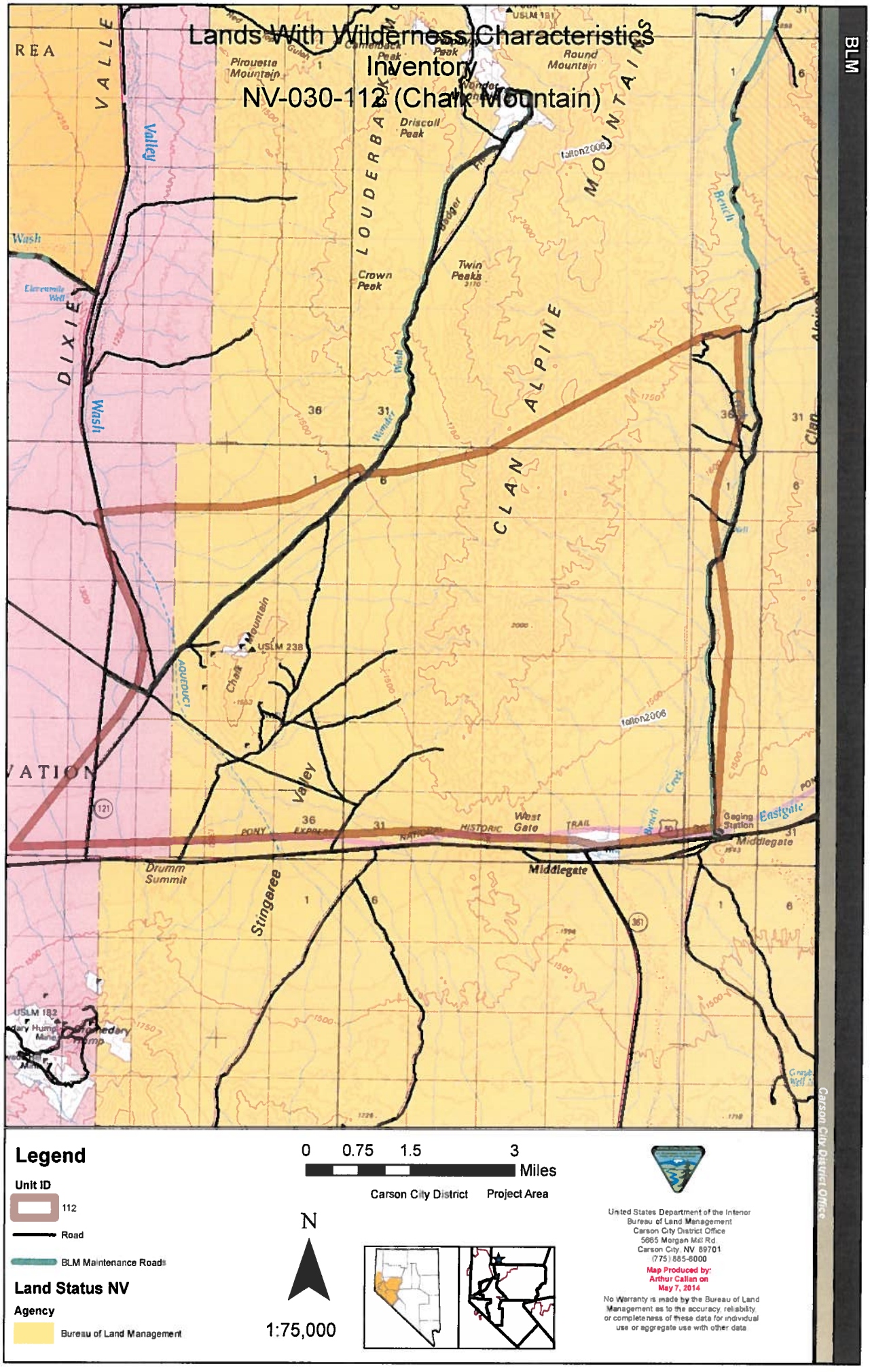
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Land Status NV
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Bureau of Land Management
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Carson City District
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Eastgate
West Gate
Stingaree
Valley
Wash
Crown Peak
Twin Peaks
Driscoll Peak
Round Mountain
Pirouette Mountain
Louderback Mountains
Clan Alpine Mountains
Dixie Valley
USLM 238
USLM 182
USLM 181
Gaging Station
Pony Express Trail
Historic
Aqueduct
Creek
Fallon2006

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory
NV-030-112 (Chalk Mountain)

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1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-113

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Eastgate

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-113	Yes	Yes	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-113 Acreage: 6,500
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ___X___ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current. Unit is triangular in shape. Highway 50 defines the western boundary, State Route 722 defines the southern boundary, and a well-established dirt road makes up the eastern boundary. Two private land parcels exist within unit; one at White Rock spring and the other at Eastgate.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes X___ No ___ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit. There is landing strip located within the SW corner of the unit boundary. In this SW area there is a well-established dirt road and numerous surface disturbances apparently associated with this access. There are numerous washes in the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No ___X___ N/A___

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on solitude, remains current for the unit.

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No ___X_____ N/A____

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on primitive and unconfined recreation, remains current for the unit.

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-113

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? _X_ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes __X_ No ___ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

Check one:

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__X_ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

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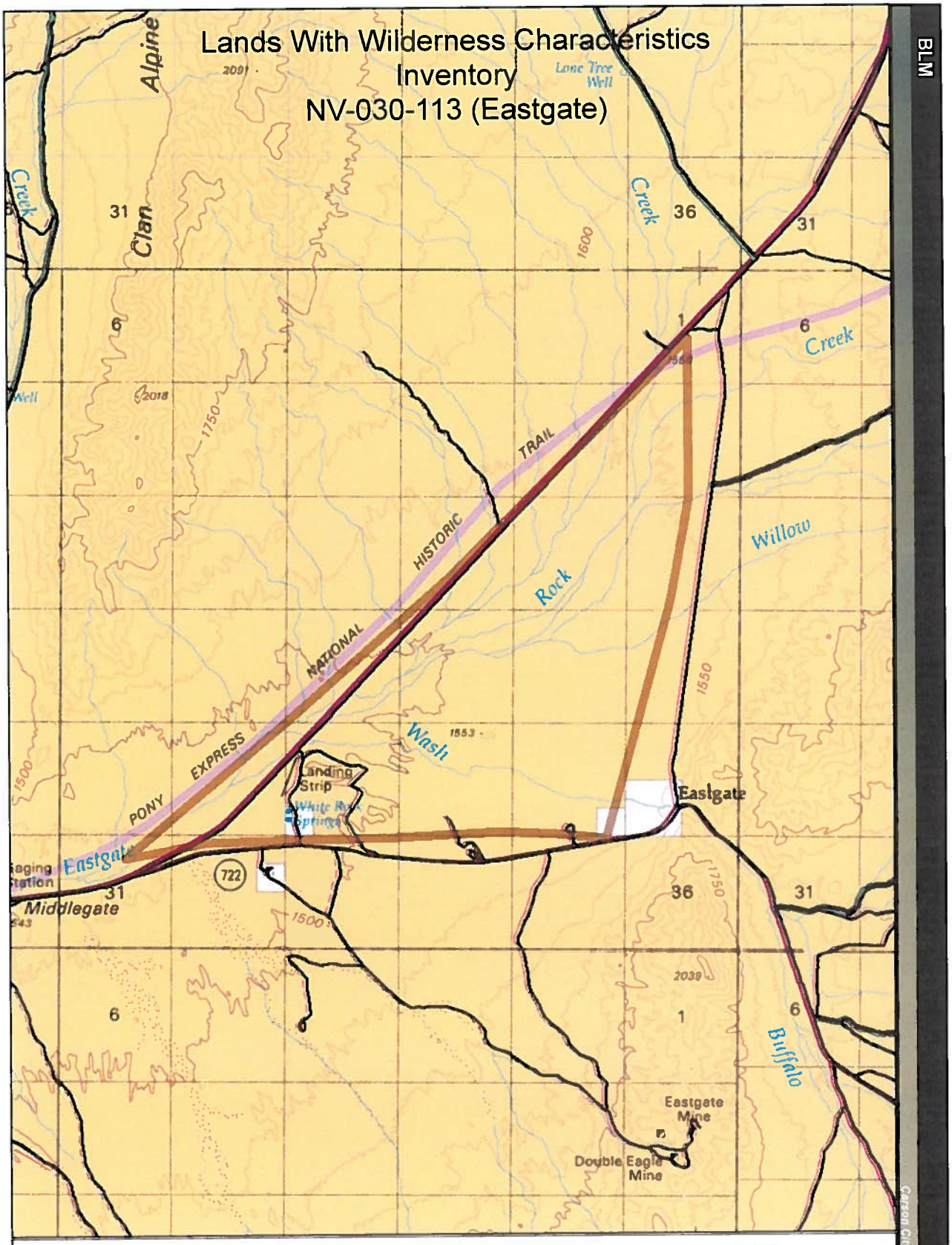

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Road

BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

Agency

Bureau of Land Management

0 0.5 1 2 Miles

Carson City District Project Area

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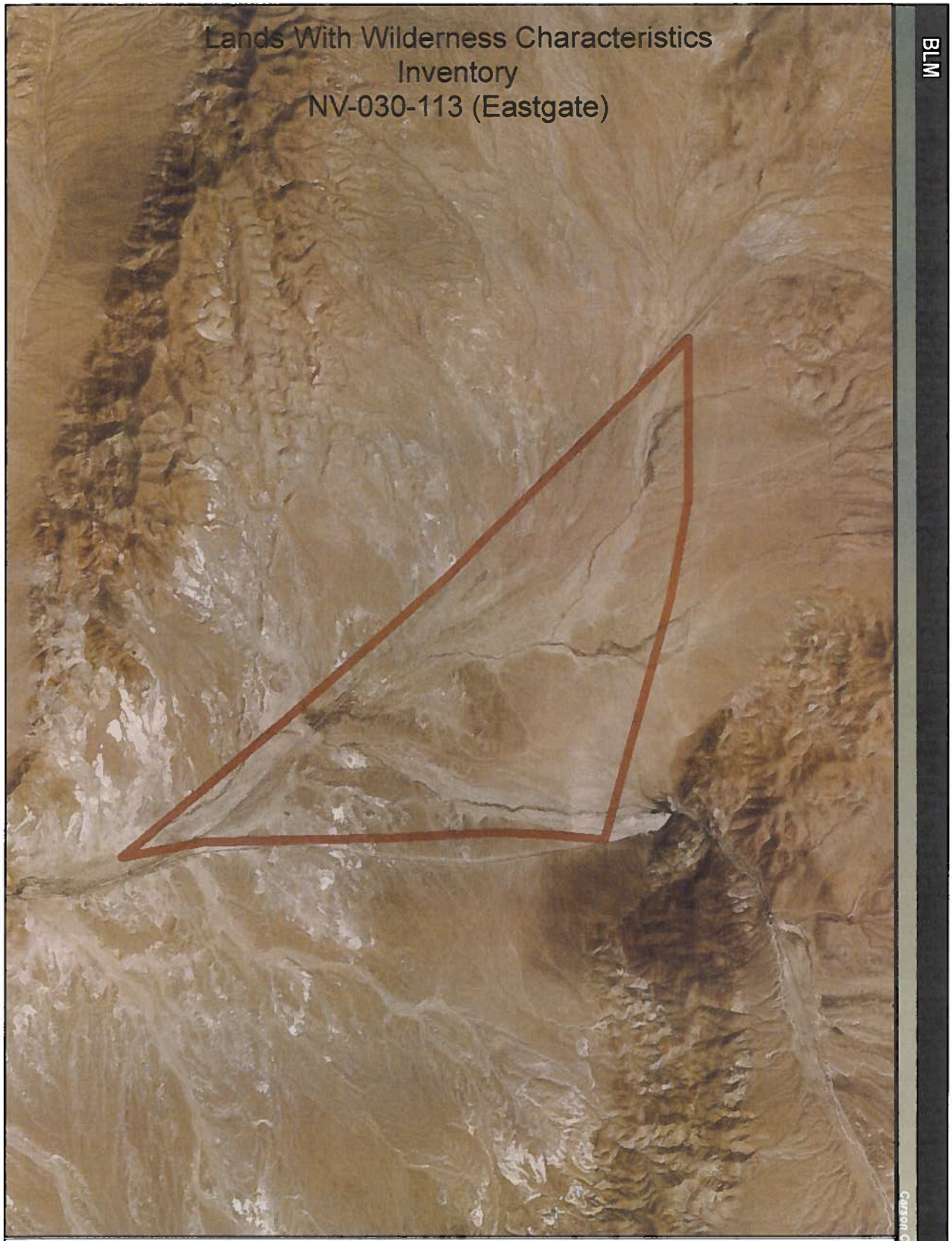

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   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-114

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Stage Station

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-114	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-114 Acreage: 12,800
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ___X___ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current. The unit irregularly shaped and is located partially in Edwards Creek Valley and the southern end of the Clan Alpine Mountain Range. Highway 50 comprises the eastern boundary and well-established dirt roads define the western, northern, and eastern boundaries. The unit is primarily public lands.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No __X__ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit. A power line road runs through the upper third of the unit in an east-west direction. Aerial imagery (NAIP 2013 / Google Earth 8/30/10) indicates there are several other well-defined dirt roads in the unit including several fence lines. One well-established dirt road leads to a material site located within the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-114

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes __X_ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: [signature] Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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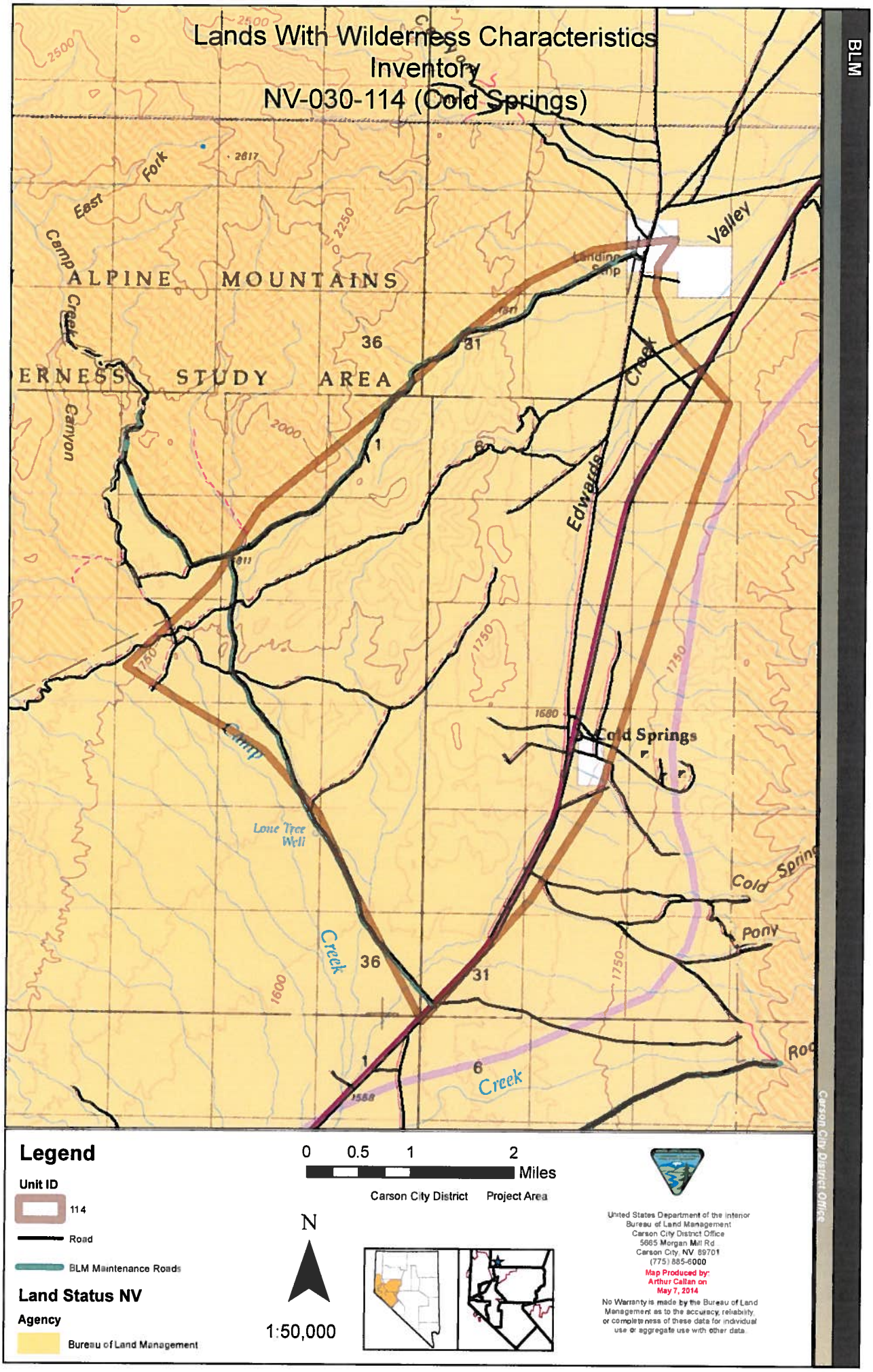
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BLM Maintenance Roads
Land Status NV
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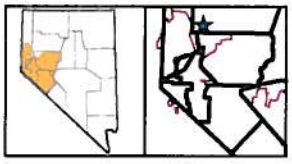

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-115

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Mudhole Canyon

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-115	No	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-115 Acreage: 4,800
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes _____ No ___X_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below. NOTE: Although the GIS "LWC intensive boundary" data set has been geo-referenced, there remain some irregularities with the intensive data set compared with base data. This is due to the generalized boundary data that was prepared in the late 1970's.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current. Unit is located in the Stillwater Range. Mountain Well Road defines the western and southern boundaries. Sheep Canyon Road defines the northern boundary and Ripley Spring Road makes of the eastern boundary. The unit is all public land with Job Peak WSA to the north. It is not clear why the north "appendage" was included in this unit as Mountain Well Road, a well-established dirt road, clearly runs through the unit as delineated, effectively "lopping" off the appendage.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No ____ N/A___X_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-115

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? __ Yes _X__ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: Teresa J. Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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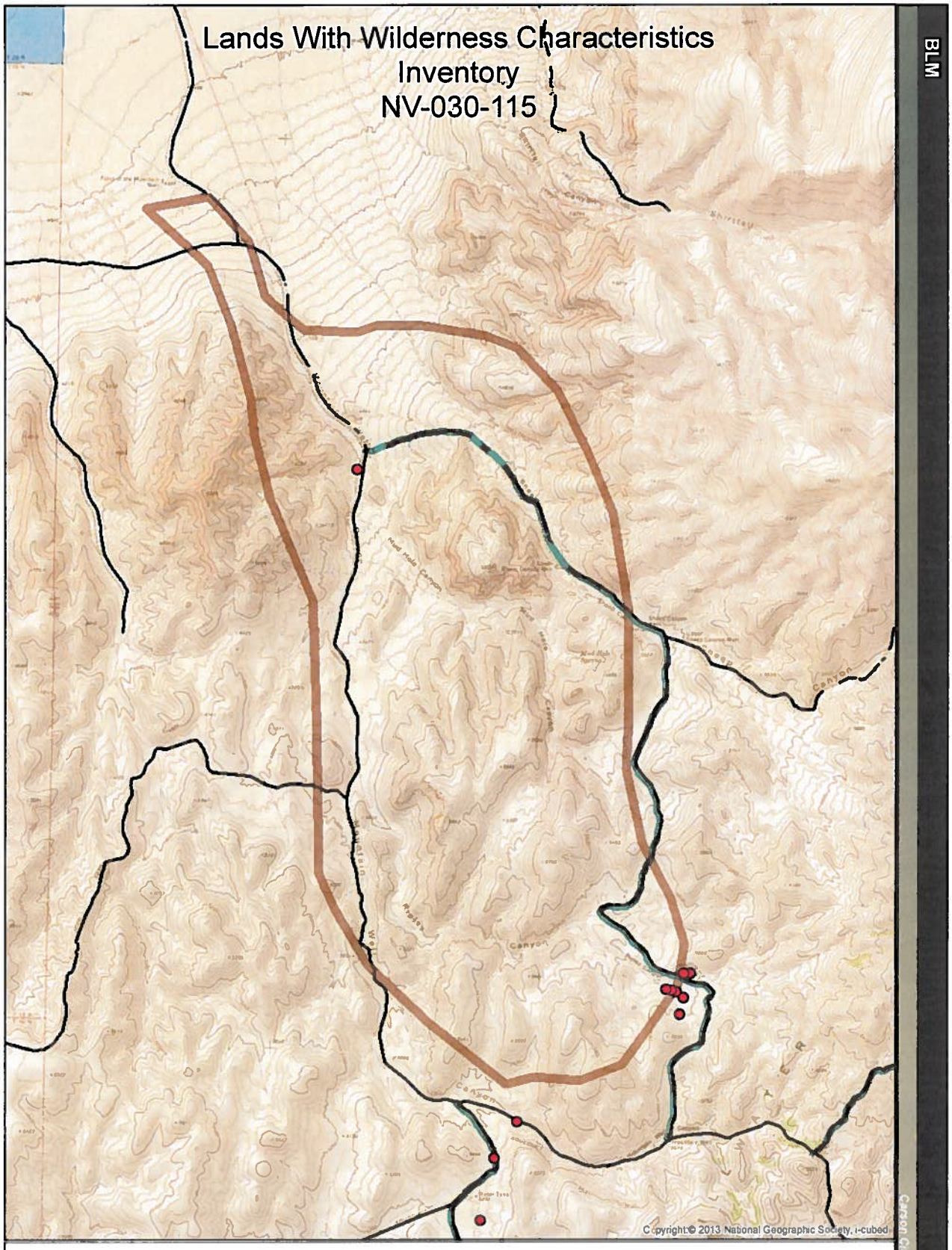

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-116

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Mountain Well / NV-030-116

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-116	Yes	Yes	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-116 Acreage: 26,500
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*
1979 Inventory – The unit was determined to meet size criteria.
2014 Inventory - The unit is located east of Lahontan Valley, west of the Stillwater Range and north of Highway 50. Well-established roads comprise most of the unit's boundary, with the Stillwater National Wildlife Refuge property line delineating the NW portion of the boundary. Job Peak WSA is located to the NE. The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the Mountain Well unit remain current. External new information was also considered in the evaluation.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _X_ No ____ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
1979 Inventory – The unit appears to have met naturalness criteria.
2014 Inventory - Public land dominates this unit. The western edge of the boundary is lowlands with the remainder of the unit mountainous. There are at least three roads that enter the unit from the peripheral road system. GIS range data identifies several range developments in the northern section of the unit including a fence line in the southern portion. There is an active material site located within the north part of the unit. Several competitive motorcycle races have been conducted within the southern portion of the unit over the past ten years. These events tend to expose the area to local and regional riders that come back to explore the area. The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, does not remain current for the mountain well unit. The unit appears to be in a natural condition. External new information was also considered in the evaluation.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No ___X____ N/A___

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

1979 Inventory – Opportunities for solitude are not considered outstanding.
2014 Inventory – The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on solitude, remains current for the unit. New information was also considered in the evaluation. It is the conclusion of this evaluation that there are no outstanding opportunities for solitude in the unit that are superior to its kind. The opportunities for solitude in this unit are represented throughout the CCDO.

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No ___X____ N/A____

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

1979 Inventory - Opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation are not considered outstanding.
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on primitive and unconfined recreation, remains current for the unit. New information was also considered in the evaluation. It is the conclusion of this evaluation that there are no outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation in the unit that are superior to its kind. The opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation in this unit are represented throughout the CCDO.

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-116

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? _X_ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: Teresa J. Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 04 2014

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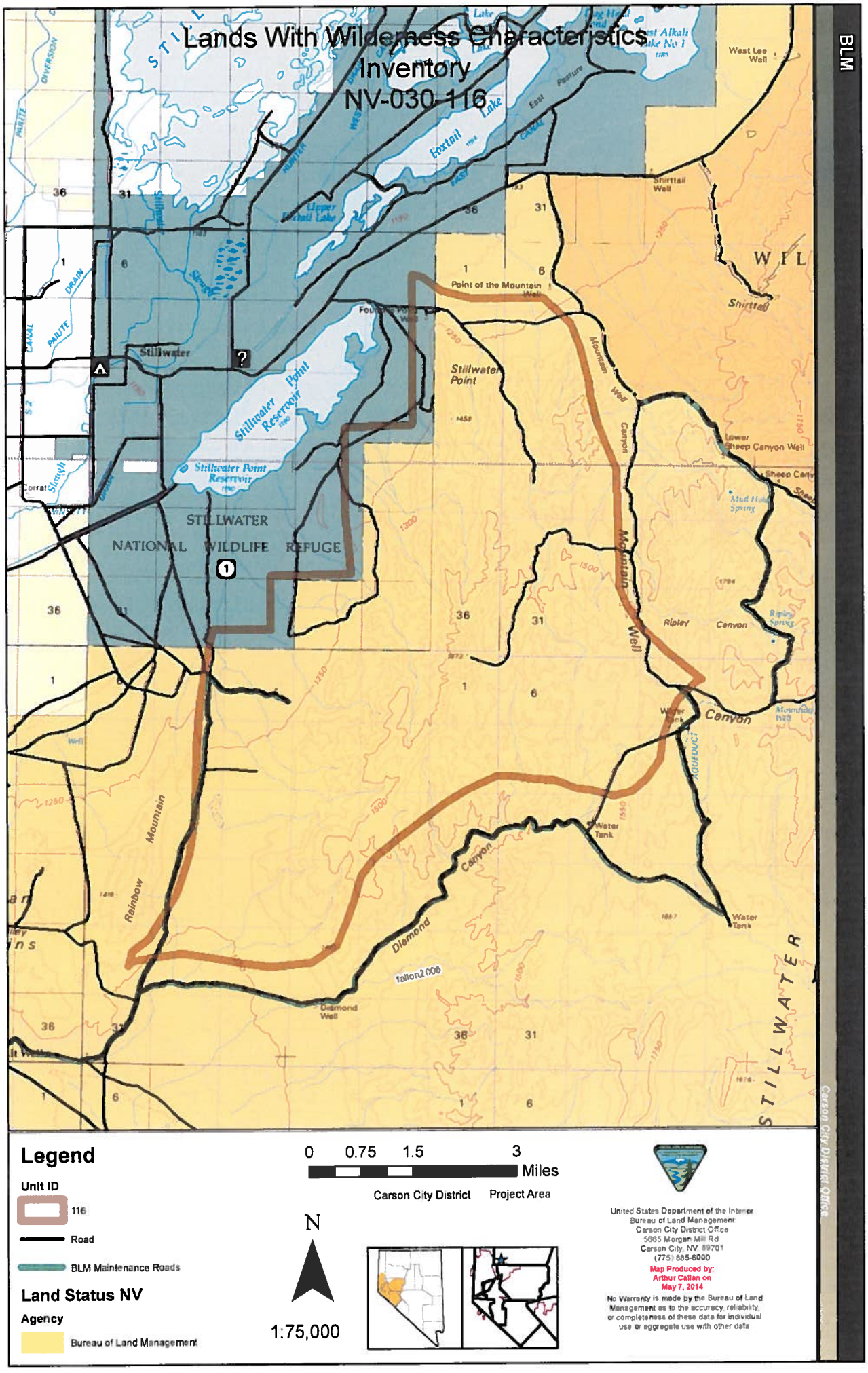
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Inventory
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BLM
Stillwater
Stillwater Point Reservoir
Stillwater Point
STILLWATER
NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE
Point of the Mountain Well
Mountain Well Canyon
Ripley Canyon
Water Tank
Diamond Canyon
Diamond Well
Rainbow Mountain
Shirttail Well
West Lee Well
Lower Sheep Canyon Well
Sheep Canyon
Mud Hole Spring
Ripley Spring
Mountain Well
Carson City District Office
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Unit ID
116
Road
BLM Maintenance Roads
Land Status NV
Agency
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0 0.75 1.5 3 Miles
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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-116

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Unit ID

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____ Yes_X_

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-116

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Mountain Well / NV-030-116

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Carson City District / Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-116	Yes	Yes	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-116 Acreage: 26,698 (adjusted)

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ___X___ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

1979 Inventory – The unit consisted of 26,500 acres of public land and was determined to meet size criteria.
2014 Inventory – The unit is located east of Lahontan Valley, west of the Stillwater Range and north of Highway 50. Well-established roads comprise most of the unit's boundary, with the Stillwater National Wildlife Refuge property line delineating the NW portion of the unit boundary. Job Peak WSA is located to the NE. The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the Mountain Well unit have been revised and the new area is now 26,698 acres.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes __X__ No ____ N/A____

Description:

1979 Inventory – The unit appears to have met naturalness criteria.
2014 Inventory – The 1979 inventory finding remains current.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes __X__ No ____ N/A____

Description:

1979 Inventory – Opportunities for solitude are not considered outstanding.
2014 Inventory – BLM guidelines for evaluating LWC have changed since 1980. It is the conclusion of this evaluation that outstanding opportunities for solitude in the unit do exist.

The mountainous terrain rising up from the Carson Sink and the diversity in topographic relief offer many areas to find outstanding opportunities for solitude within the unit.

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No __X__ N/A____

Description:

1979 Inventory – Opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation are not considered outstanding.
2014 Inventory – The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on primitive and unconfined recreation, remains current for the unit. New information from citizen groups was also considered in the evaluation. It is the conclusion of this evaluation that there are no outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation in the unit that are superior to its kind.

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No __X__ N/A___

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-116

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? _X_ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? _X_ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? _____ Yes _X_ No ___N/A

Check one:

_X_ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Lands with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

____ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *Perry Wickham*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: Teresa J. Knutson Title: _____

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-116

BLM

Carson City District Office

Mountain Well
NV-030-116

STILLWATER NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE

Stillwater

Stillwater Point Reservoir

Bureau of Land Management, National Operations Center, 100K Mapping Group, OC-535

0 0.75 1.5 3 Miles

N

Legend

- LWC
- LWC 1980 Instensive
- Bureau of Indian Affairs
- Bureau of Land Management
- Bureau of Reclamation
- California County
- Department of Defense
- Department of Energy
- Fish and Wildlife Service
- Forest Service
- National Park Service
- Nevada State Lands
- Park
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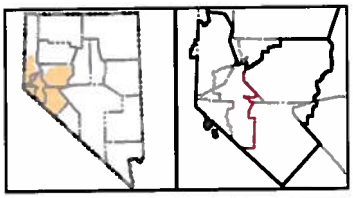

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Mountain Well
NV-030-116

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- LWC
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- Bureau of Indian Affairs
- Bureau of Land Management
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- Forest Service
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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes__X__*(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-117

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Diamond Canyon / NV-030-117

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Carson City District / Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-117	Partial	Yes	Minimal	Minimal	Yes

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-117 Acreage: 60,200 (adjusted)

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ___X___ No _____

Description:

1980 Inventory – The Diamond Canyon Unit is located 20 miles east of Fallon, Nevada, just north of State Highway 50. The unit consists mostly of dry desert hills dissected by shallow washes. The southeastern portion of the unit includes Sand Mountain Dunes, a popular off-road vehicle area. The unit is bordered on the southwest by U. S. Highway 50, on the west by BLM road 309S, on the north by BLM road 3046, on the east by county road 800 and BLM road 3093, and on the southeast by a power line. The District's initial inventory recommended that the unit be dropped due to a lack of interesting or attractive features, and the existing off-road vehicle uses at Sand Mountain. Public comments received suggested that the unit be intensively inventoried because of the large size (65,000 acres). The State Director's final decision was to conduct an intensive inventory. The initial inventory area contained 65,000 acres of contiguous public lands. This acreage was reduced early in the intensive inventory phase due to documentation of roads which caused portions of the unit to be dropped. The Bureau's Wilderness Inventory Handbook defines a road as a route which has been "improved and maintained by mechanical means to insure relatively regular and continuous use". A route that appeared to have been created and maintained solely by the passage of vehicles was not designated a road. Roads to the interior of the unit were removed from the unit by indenting the border to follow the road up one side and down the other side. Ways which were not defined as a road and were not substantially noticeable were left within the unit. Where a portion of the unit was found to be separated or isolated from the bulk of the unit by roads, that portion was evaluated for wilderness on its own merits. Areas found to be less than 5,000 acres due to documentation of roads were also found to lack wilderness characteristics. Those areas dropped from further wilderness evaluation because of roads include:

Area A: Road #117.1 isolated a narrow area of Eight Mile Flat, a dry lake bed, from the rest of the unit. 2,000 acres were removed from intensive inventory.

Area B: This area at the southern end of Sand Mountain contains roads #117.3, 117.4, and recreation developments. An 80-acre area around an historic Pony Express Station in Sec. 32, T. 17 N., R. 32 E. has been fenced off and signed. Toilets, low standard camping access roads, and dirt parking areas are found at the end of road #117.4. Because of this concentration of roads and improvements, 1,110 acres were removed from the intensive inventory.

Area C: Two constructed roads (117.10 and 117.9) isolate this area of 1,200 acres from the rest of the unit.
Area D: Road #117.7 on the east side of the unit provides access to several mining scrapes and small pits. 400 acres were removed from the inventory, including the road and associated mining activity.
Area E: Road #117.5 at the far south end of the unit also provides access to several mining scrapes and small pits. 250 acres were removed from the inventory.
Summary: The size of the unit after removal of roaded areas was 60,050 acres.
2014 Inventory – Since 1980, the Sand Mountain area has been designated a "recreation area", Sand Springs, located within the recreation area, has been designated a desert study area, the main access road to the area has been paved, and a fee station building has been installed. The 1980 unit boundary has been adjusted by cherry-stemming out the Sand Mountain Recreation Area (4,800 acres) that includes the three other features. With this unit boundary adjustment the unit acreage is reduced to 60,200 acres. Other than this acreage reduction, the unit boundaries and size recommendations for the Diamond Canyon unit, as described above in the 1980 evaluation, remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes __X__ No ____ N/A____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

1980 Inventory – Unnatural features include approximately 12 miles of jeep trails, two windmills, five water developments (troughs, tanks, or small reservoir), seven miles of fence, and two small mining diggings. The pipeline shown in Sections 27, 26, and 25, T. 18 N., R. 32 E., is buried in a wash and is not noticeable. These man-made intrusions are scattered around the edge of the unit. Less than 5% of the unit is visually impacted. The Sand Mountain Dunes, located in the southern portion of the unit is a popular off-road vehicle area. The dune is approximately four miles long and one mile wide. On any given weekend, five to twenty sand vehicles can be seen travelling on the dunes. The noise can be heard for several miles around the dune. On a normal spring or fall weekend, 100 people are camped around the end of road #117.4. Over 10,000 people, mostly off-road vehicle enthusiasts, visit the dune annually. The physical impacts (vehicle tracks) left on the dune are visible for several days because of the barren, exposed, steep side-slopes. There are two active leases for testing military and off-road vehicle equipment at the southern end of the dunes. If for some reason the dune area was closed to vehicle activity, the dune would return to a natural condition in a very short period. Winds would cover up most tracks with sand. Because off-road vehicle impacts are temporary, the Sand Mountain Dune will be evaluated along with the rest of the unit for wilderness qualities.
Summary: 60,050 acres are considered in a substantially natural condition.
2014 Inventory – Two 3809 Mineral Notices were issued within the last 15 years inside the unit, but it is unclear whether or not any surface disturbing activities were conducted. The 1980 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes __X__ No ____ N/A_____

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

1980 Inventory – Solitude in the Nevada desert is commonplace. Much of the state consists of large, roadless natural areas. In this inventory importance is placed on the meaning of outstanding which by dictionary definition means, "Standing out among others of its kind, conspicuous, prominent, superior to others of its kind, distinguished, excellent". The inventory team felt that it was not enough to show that solitude could be experienced. To be outstanding, the area should have excellent or unique qualities and contain features that would attract visitors to the area to seek solitude. Solitude is defined in the Bureau's Wilderness Handbook as "the state of being alone or remote from others, isolation; a lonely or secluded place". The handbook identified factors that influence solitude including size, configuration, natural screening, and the ability to find a secluded spot.

Size and Configuration: The area's size of 60,050 acres and generally oval shape are conducive to an outstanding experience of solitude.

Natural Screening: Greater landscape and vegetative diversity increases any given land units ability to screen visitors and maintain a feeling of seclusion for a large number of people. The majority of this unit is monotonous rolling desert hills. The drainages are generally wide and shallow. Only a small portion of the unit (approximately 5,000 acres) around Borax Hill contains varied topography with moderately deep winding washes and steep slopes. This area does provide good topographic screening. The unit on the whole lacks the scale and overall topographic diversity to offer outstanding opportunities for solitude. Vegetation throughout the unit is low desert shrubs and grasses, and provides very little screening.

Ability to Find a Secluded Spot: Users would tend to concentrate at the only dominant feature of the area, Sand Mountain. This area is easily accessible by vehicle on road #117.4. Transient highway travelers and nearby Fallon residents often stop at Sand Mountain to participate in day use activities such as hiking, picnicing, and sliding on the dune. This concentration of use at the focal point of the unit would severely limit the ability to find secluded spots and avoid other users. The small area of moderately dissected topography to the northwest of Sand Mountain would provide a variety of secluded spots because of approximately 20 miles of shallow to moderately deep washes. Much of the rest of the unit is open rolling hills that would not provide good opportunities for finding secluded spots because of the lack of natural screening previously mentioned.

Summary: Although visitors could readily experience solitude due to the areas' large size, the situation is not considered outstanding. Most of the unit is common Great Basin dry rolling hills, lacking significant topographic or vegetative diversity. This is an area where a few users could easily experience solitude as they could in much of the Nevada Desert or Great Basin. Except for Sand Mountain, it is not an area that would attract visitors and disperse them to a wide variety of interesting secluded spots. Sand Mountain Dune, the key feature of the area, is readily accessible by vehicle. The area does not have outstanding opportunities for solitude.

2014 Inventory – BLM guidelines for evaluating LWC have changed since 1980. It is the conclusion of this evaluation that outstanding opportunities for solitude in the unit do exist. The mountainous terrain and the diversity in topographic relief offer many areas to find outstanding opportunities for solitude within the unit.

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No ___X___ N/A____

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

1980 Inventory –

Landscape and Key Features: Except for Sand Mountain, the area lacks the scale or landscape diversity necessary to attract recreation use. The area is totally dry and not high enough to maintain a snow pack. Along with Sand Mountain, the unit includes some moderately dissected terrain and steep slopes, but is rather monotonous without any significant resources or recreation features. Sand Mountain is an outstanding geological feature within the region. It has a high capability for viewing, exploration, and interpretation.

Recreation Activities: Hunting is very limited because of no large game species and low populations of small game. The area lacks the water and vegetation that attracts game species.

Viewing/Sightseeing: Except for Sand Mountain, the area generally lacks variation, color, and contrasts. Water and vegetative variety is lacking. The Sand Mountain Dunes area does provide good to outstanding opportunities to view flowering desert plants and interesting sand dune formations. The white dunes create a high visual contrast with the surrounding brown mountains.

Hiking/Backpacking/Horseback Riding: Opportunities are limited due to a lack of water and interesting features. Again, Sand Mountain would be an interesting place to participate in these activities, but the dunes are readily accessible to day use from a vehicle.

Nature Study: The Sand Mountain Dunes are an outstanding geological feature and provide excellent opportunities for nature study.

Summary: The area lacks outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation activities because only Sand Mountain shows a high capability to attract recreation users, but is readily accessible by vehicle.

2014 Inventory – BLM guidelines for evaluating LWC have changed since 1980. The 1980 evaluation, including the conclusion on primitive and unconfined recreation, remains current for the Diamond Canyon unit. New information from citizen groups was also considered in the evaluation. It is the conclusion of this evaluation that there are no outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation in the unit that are superior to its kind.

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No ___X___ N/A_____

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-117

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? _X_ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? _X_ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ____ Yes _X_ No ___ N/A

Check one:

_X_ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Lands with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

___ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

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Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: Teresa J. Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 04 2014

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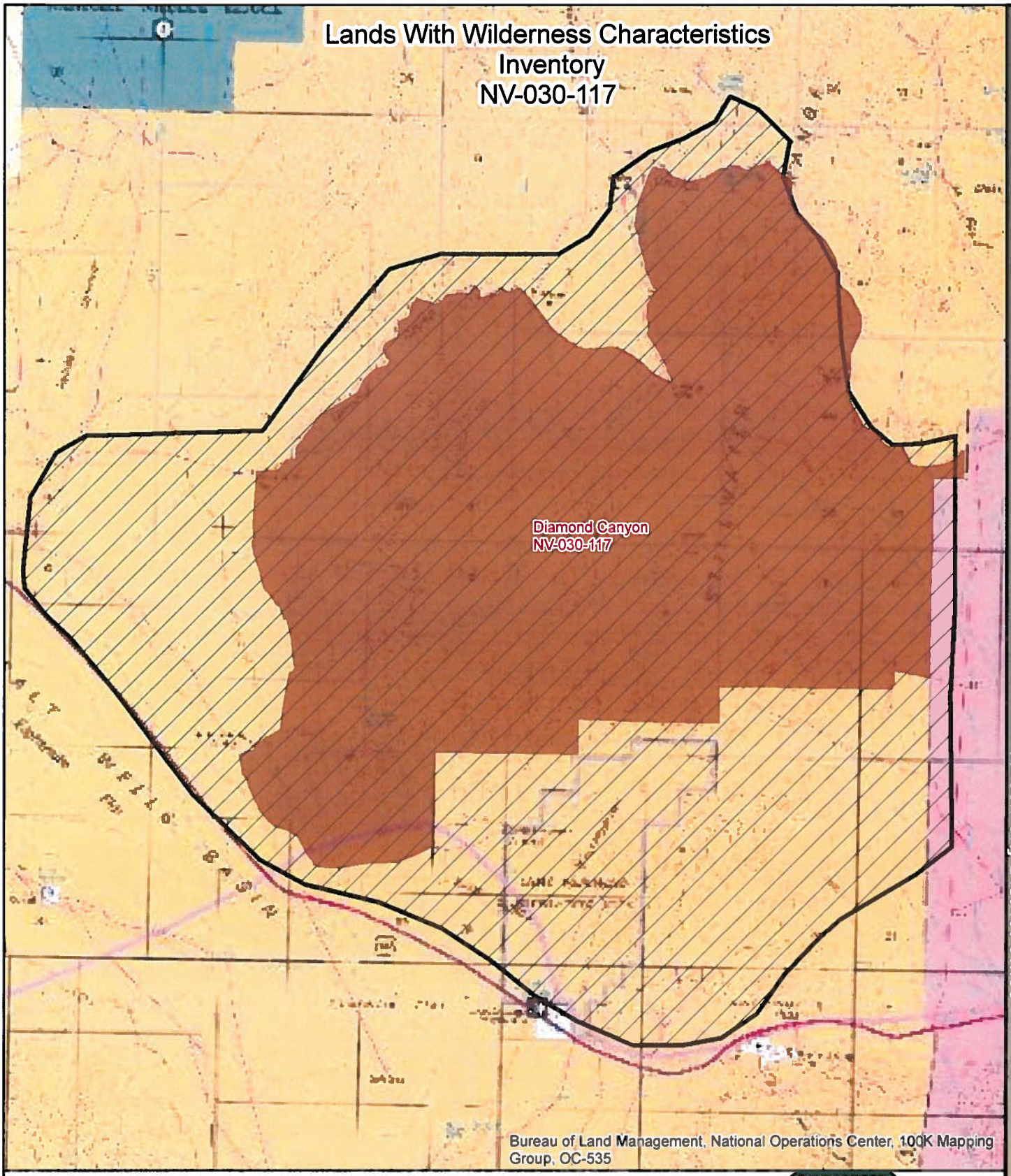
Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-117



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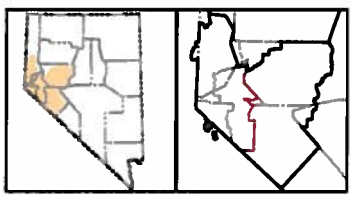

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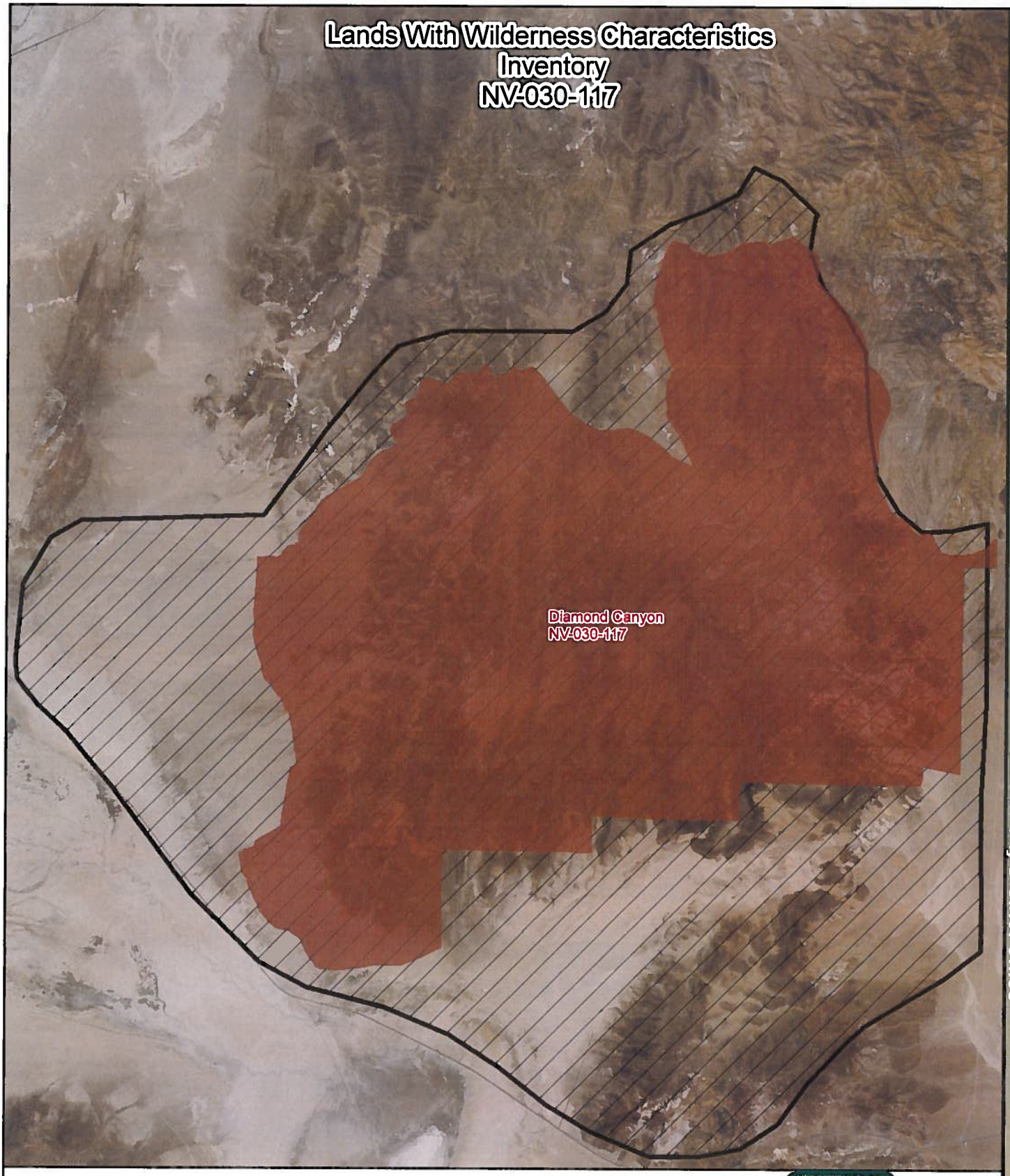

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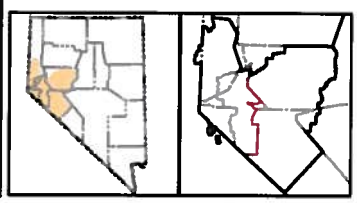

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes __**X**____ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-117

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Diamond Canyon / NV-030-117

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-117	Partial	Yes	Minimal	Minimal	Yes

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-117 Acreage: 61,200 (adjusted)
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below).*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

1980 Inventory - The Diamond Canyon Unit is located 20 miles east of Fallon, Nevada, just north of State Highway 5O. The unit consists mostly of dry desert hills dissected by shallow washes. The southeastern portion of the unit includes Sand Mountain Dunes, a popular off-road vehicle area. The unit is bordered on the southwest by U. S. Highway 5O, on the west by BLM road 309S, the north by BLM road 3046, the east by county road 800 and BLM road 3093, and on the southeast by a power line. The District's initial inventory recommended that the unit be dropped due to a lack of interesting or attractive features, and the existing off-road vehicle uses at Sand Mountain. Public comments received suggested that the unit be intensively inventoried because of the large size (65,000 acres). The State Director's final decision was to conduct an intensive inventory. The initial inventory area contained 65,000 acres of contiguous public lands. This acreage was reduced early in the intensive inventory phase due to documentation of roads which caused portions of the unit to be dropped. The Bureau's Wilderness Inventory Handbook defines a road as a route which has been "improved and maintained by mechanical means to insure relatively regular and continuous use". A route that appeared to have been created and maintained solely by the passage of vehicles was not designated a road. Roads to the interior of the unit were removed from the unit by indenting the border to follow the road up one side and down the other side. Ways which were not defined as a road and were not substantially noticeable were left within the unit. Where a portion of the unit was found to be separated or isolated from the bulk of the unit by roads, that portion was evaluated for wilderness on its own merits. Areas found to be less than 5,000 acres due to documentation of roads were also found to lack wilderness characteristics. Those areas dropped from further wilderness evaluation because of roads are shown on Map 2 and include:
Area A - Road #117.1 isolated a narrow area of Eight Mile Flat, a dry lake bed, from the rest of the unit. 2,000 acres were removed from intensive inventory.
Area B - This area at the southern end of Sand Mountain contains roads #117.3, 117.4, and recreation developments. An 80-acre area around an historic Pony Express Station in Sec. 32, T. 17 N., R. 32 E. has been fenced off and signed. Toilets, low standard camping access roads, and dirt parking areas are found at the end of road #117.4. Because of this

concentration of roads and improvements, 1,110 acres were removed from the intensive inventory.
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Area D - Road #117.7 on the east side of the unit provides access to several mining scrapes and small pits. 400 acres are removed from the inventory, including the road and associated mining activity.
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Summary: The size of the unit after removal of roaded areas is 60,050 acres.
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(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes ___X___ No ____ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
1980 Inventory - Unnatural features include approximately 12 miles of jeep trails, two windmills, five water developments (troughs, tanks, or small reservoir) seven miles of fence, and two small mining diggings. The pipeline shown in Sections 27, 26, and 25, T. 18 N., R. 32 E., is hurried in a wash and is not noticeable. These man-made intrusions are scattered around the edge of the unit. Less than 5% of the unit is visually impacted. The Sand Mountain Dunes, located in the southern portion of the unit is a popular off-road vehicle area. The dune is approximately four miles long and one mile wide. On any weekend five to twenty sand vehicles can be seen travelling on the dunes. The noise can be heard for several miles around the dune. On a normal spring or fall weekend, 100 people are camped around the end of road #117.4. Over 10,000 people, mostly off-road vehicle enthusiasts, visit the dune annually. The physical impacts (vehicle tracks) left on the dune are visible for several days because of the barren, exposed, steep side-slopes. There are two active leases for testing military and off-road vehicle equipment at the southern end of the dunes. If for some reason the dune area was closed to vehicle activity, the dune would return to a natural condition in a very short period. Winds would cover up most tracks with sand. Because off-road vehicle impacts are temporary, the Sand Mountain Dune will be evaluated along with the rest of the unit for wilderness qualities.
Summary: 60,050 acres are considered in a substantially natural condition.

2014 Inventory – Two 3809 Mineral Notices were issued within the last 15 years inside the unit but it is unclear whether or not any surface disturbing activities were conducted. The 1980 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for Diamond Canyon unit. External new information was also considered in the evaluation.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No ___X____ N/A___

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude)*:

1980 Inventory - Solitude in the Nevada desert is commonplace. Much of the state consists of large, roadless and natural areas. In this inventory importance is placed on the meaning of outstanding which by dictionary definition means, "Standing out among others of its kind, conspicuous, prominent, superior to others of its kind, distinguished, excellent". The inventory team felt that it was not enough to show that solitude could be experienced. To be outstanding, the area should have excellent or unique qualities and contain features that would attract visitors to the area to seek solitude. Solitude is defined in the Bureau's Wilderness Handbook as "the state of being alone or remote from others, isolation; a lonely or secluded place". The handbook identified factors that influence solitude including size, configuration, natural screening, and the ability to find a secluded spot.

Size and Configuration - The area's size of 60,050 acres and generally oval shape are conducive to an outstanding experience of solitude.

Natural Screening - Greater landscape and vegetative diversity increases any given land units ability to screen visitors and maintain a feeling of seclusion for a large number of people. The majority of this unit is monotonous rolling desert hills. The drainages are generally wide and shallow. Only a small portion of the unit (approximately 5,000 acres) around Borax Hill contains varied topography with moderately deep winding washes and steep slopes. This area does provide good topographic screening. The unit on the whole lacks the scale and overall topographic diversity to offer outstanding opportunities for solitude. Vegetation throughout the unit is low desert shrubs and grasses and provides very little screening.

Ability to Find a Secluded Spot - Users would tend to concentrate at the only dominant feature of the area, Sand Mountain. This area is easily accessible by vehicle on road #117.4. Transient highway travelers and nearby Fallon residents often stop at Sand Mountain to participate in day use activities such as hiking, picnicing, and sliding on the dune. This concentration of use at the focal point of the unit would severely limit the ability to find secluded spots and avoid other users. The small area of moderately dissected topography to the northwest of Sand Mountain would provide a variety of secluded spots because of approximately 20 miles of shallow to moderately deep washes. Much of the rest of the unit is open rolling hills that would not provide good opportunities for finding secluded spots because of the lack of natural screening previously mentioned.

Summary: Although visitors could readily experience solitude due to the areas' large size, the situation is not considered outstanding. Most of the unit is common Great Basin dry

rolling hills, lacking significant topographic or vegetative diversity. This is an area where a few users could easily experience solitude as they could in much of the Nevada Desert or Great Basin. But except for Sand Mountain, it is not an area that would attract visitors and disperse them to a wide variety of interesting secluded spots. Sand Mountain Dune, the key feature of the area is readily accessible by vehicle. The area does not have outstanding opportunities for solitude.

2014 Inventory – The 1980 evaluation, including the conclusion on solitude, remains current for the Diamond Canyon unit. New information was also considered in the evaluation. It is the conclusion of this evaluation that there are no outstanding opportunities for solitude in the unit that are superior to its kind. The opportunities for solitude in this unit are represented throughout the CCDO.

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No __X____ N/A____

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

1980 Inventory - Landscape and Key Features - Except for Sand Mountain, the area lacks the scale or landscape diversity necessary to attract recreation use. The area is totally dry and not high enough to maintain a snow pack. Along with Sand Mountain, the unit includes some moderately dissected terrain and steep slopes, but is rather monotonous without any significant resources or recreation features. Sand Mountain is an outstanding geological feature within the region. It has a high capability for viewing, exploration and interpretation.

Recreation Activities - Hunting is very limited because of no large game species and low populations of small game. The area lacks the water and vegetation that attracts game species.

Viewing/Sightseeing - Except for Sand Mountain, the area generally lacks variation, color and contrasts. Water and vegetative variety is lacking. The Sand Mountain Dunes area does provide good to outstanding opportunities to view flowering desert plants and interesting sand dune formations. The white dunes create a high visual contrast with the surrounding brown mountains.

Hiking/Backpacking/Horseback Riding - Opportunities are limited due to a lack of water and interesting features. Again, Sand Mountain would be an interesting place to participate in these activities, but the dunes are readily accessible to day use from a vehicle.

Nature Study - The Sand Mountain Dunes are an outstanding geological feature and provide excellent opportunities for nature study.

Summary: The area lacks outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation activities because only Sand Mountain shows a high capability to attract recreation users, but is readily accessible by vehicle.

2014 Inventory - Several competitive motorcycle races have been authorized within the north central portion of the unit over the past fifteen years. These events tend to expose the area to local and regional riders that come back to explore the area. With the advent of the toy-hauler, popularity of the quad and UTV, and use fees implemented in 2003 annual recreation use at Sand Mountain has increased significantly over the past fifteen years. Moreover, Sand Mountain is becoming more than just a destination based recreation area. OHV enthusiasts are using the recreation area as a staging point to explore other remote areas within the area including the La Plata "ghost town". The 1980 evaluation, including the conclusion on primitive and unconfined recreation, remains current for the Diamond Canyon unit. New information was also considered in the evaluation. It is the conclusion of this evaluation that there are no outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation in the unit that are superior to its kind. The opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation in this unit are represented throughout the CCDO.

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-117

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? _X_ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

__X_ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members): Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: Teresa J Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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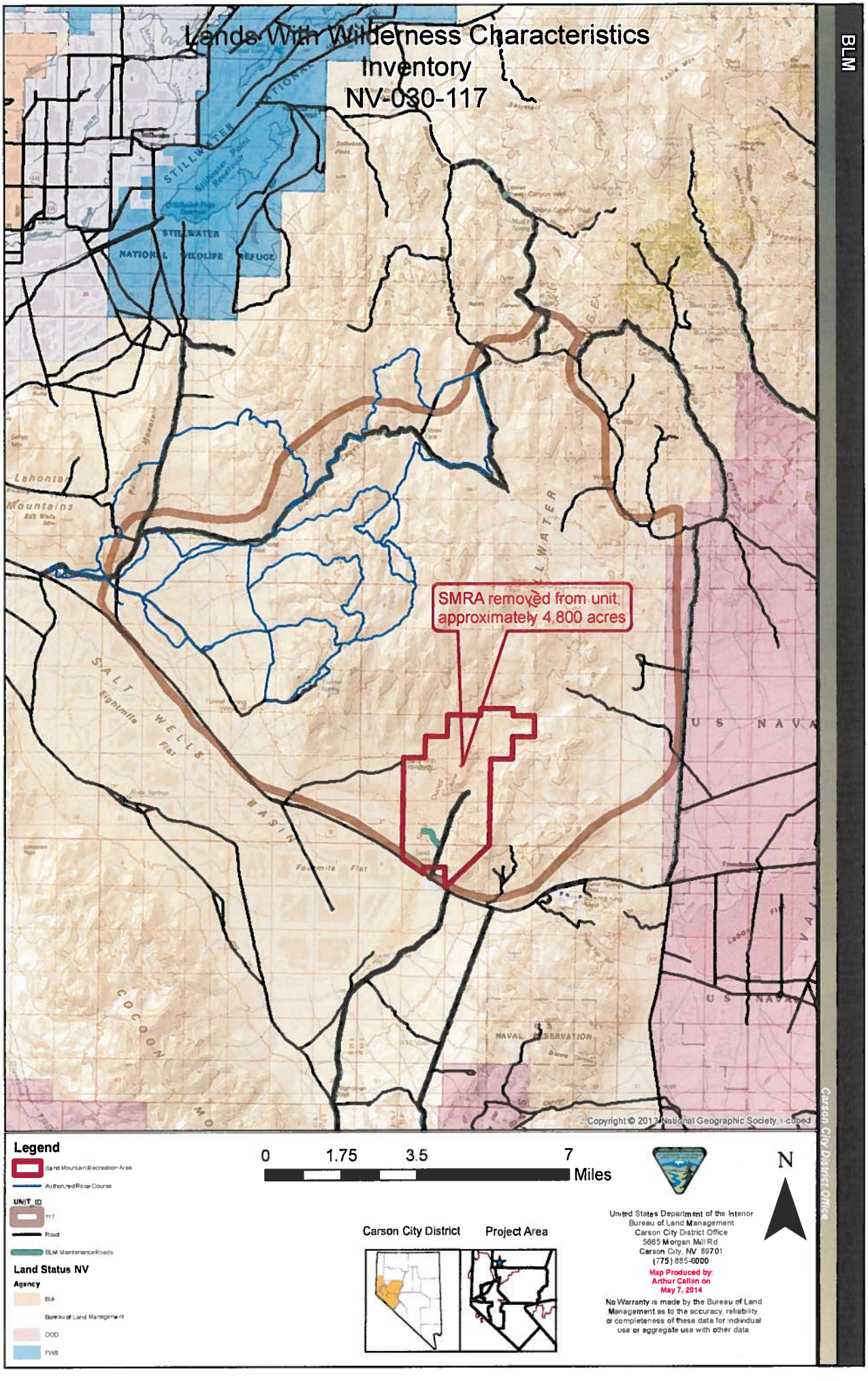
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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes __X____ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-118

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Desatoya South / NV-030-118

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-118	Partial	No	N/A	N/A	N/A

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-118 Acreage: 30,240
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

1980 Inventory- The unit is rolling mountainous topography ranging in elevation from 5400' to 8287'. Vegetation is a mix of pinyon pine and desert shrubs. The unit is located 60 miles east of Fallon, Nevada just south of Carrol Summit on State Highway 2. The area is 27,850 acres of public land.
2014 Inventory - The 1980 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the Desatoya South unit, as described above, remains current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X__ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
1980 Inventory - The area does not appear to have been affected primarily by the forces of nature because of mining activity and documented roads that penetrate into the center of the unit from all sides.
2014 Inventory - The 1980 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the Desatoya South unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X___

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-118

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes __X_ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members): Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: Teresa J. Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-118

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Legend

UNIT_ID

118

Road

BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

Agency

BIA

Bureau of Land Management

DOD

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-119

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Bench Creek Well

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-119	Yes	Yes	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-119 Acreage: 25,000
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current. Unit is located at the south end of the Clan Alpine Range just north of Highway 50. Highway 50 forms the south boundary and a power line road forms the north boundary. Well-established dirt roads form the east and west boundaries. The Clan Alpine WSA is located north of the unit.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _X_ No ____ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit. Public land dominates this unit. There are several roads that enter the unit off Highway 50, including one that provides access to a meteorological site located at the eastern "point" of the unit. The site disturbance is similar to the disturbance you would see at a material site. There are numerous north/south trending rills or washes that terminate at Highway 50. Vegetation is typical of the high desert whereas there is a sparse pinyon juniper tree complex in the higher elevations (~6,000 feet) south of the power line.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No __X__ N/A___

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on solitude, remains current for the unit.

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No ___X_____ N/A____

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on primitive and unconfined recreation, remains current for the unit.

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-119

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? _X_ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: Teresa J. Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

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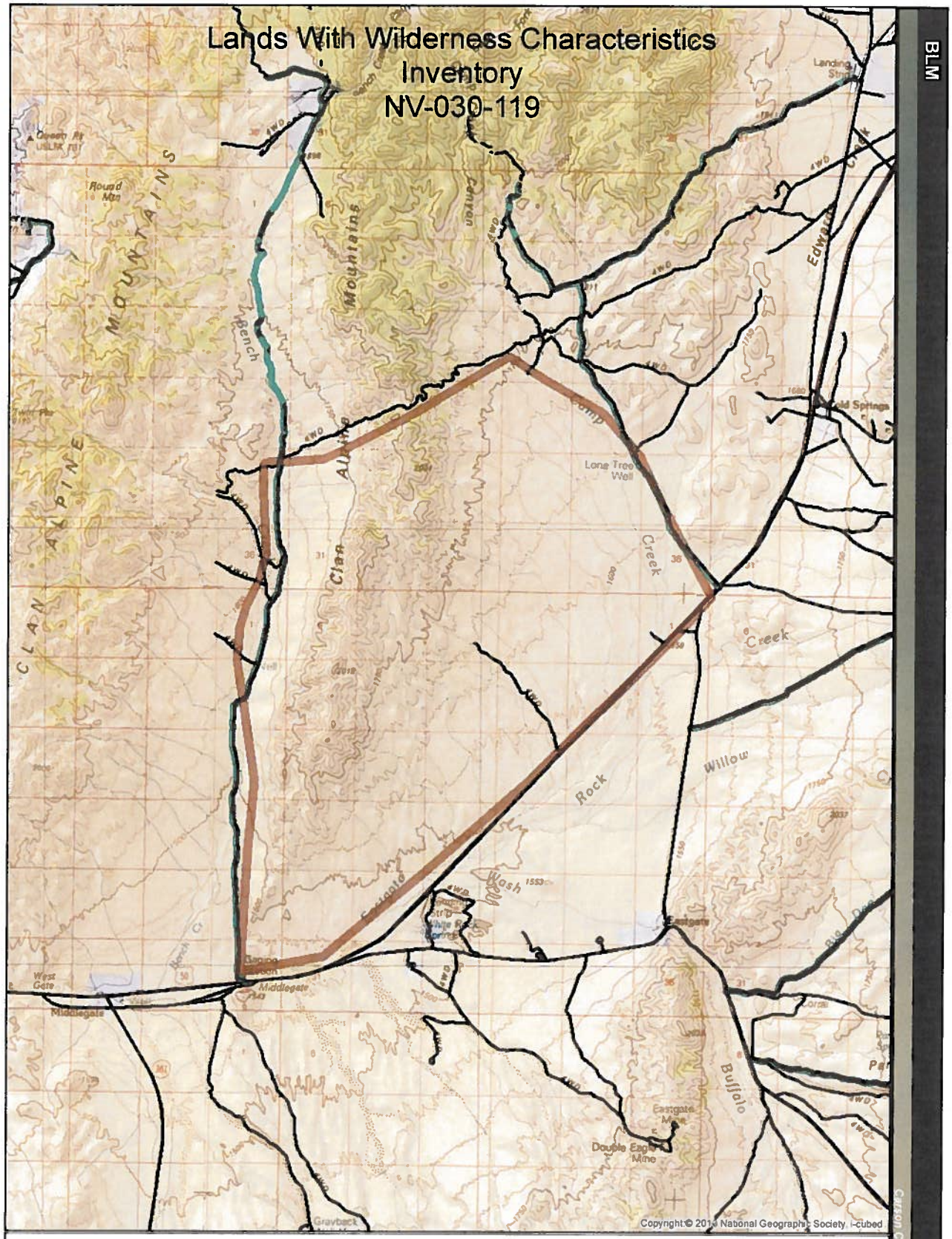

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Road
BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

Agency
Bureau of Land Management
BIA
DOD
FWS

0 1 2 4 Miles

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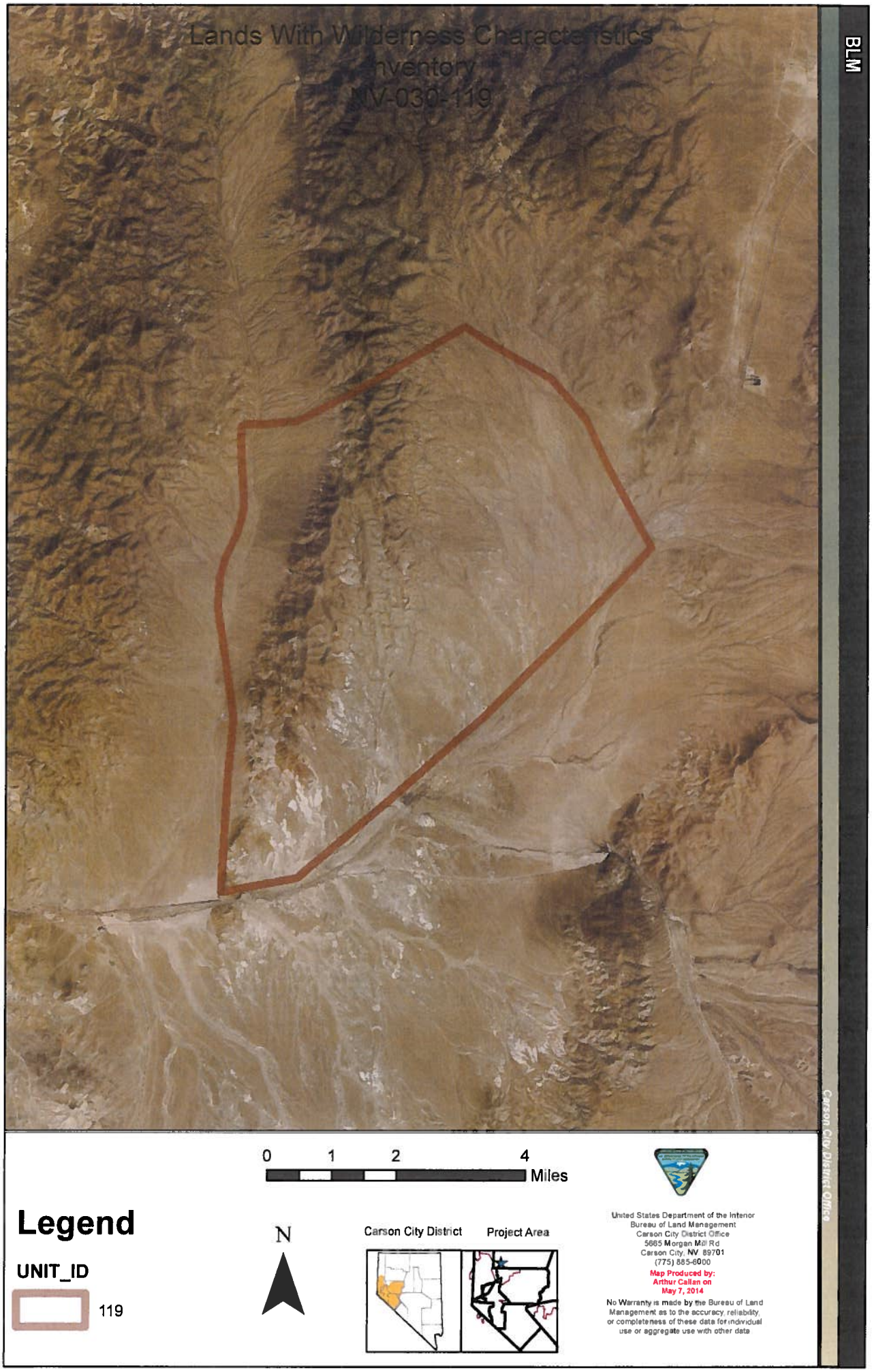
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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-120

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): La Plata

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-120	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-120 Acreage: 40,700
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ____X____ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit do not remain current. Approximately 75% of the unit's acreage was placed under military withdrawal per the Military Withdrawal Act of 1999 for the purpose of military maneuvers. This withdrawal leaves two smaller public land parcels remaining. The south parcel does not meet the acreage criteria and the north parcel most likely does.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No __X__ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit. The remaining north parcel has several range improvements including a corral, pipeline and trough, and fence line. A noxious weed occurrence is identified in GIS data and several roads occur within the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-120

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

__X_ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

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Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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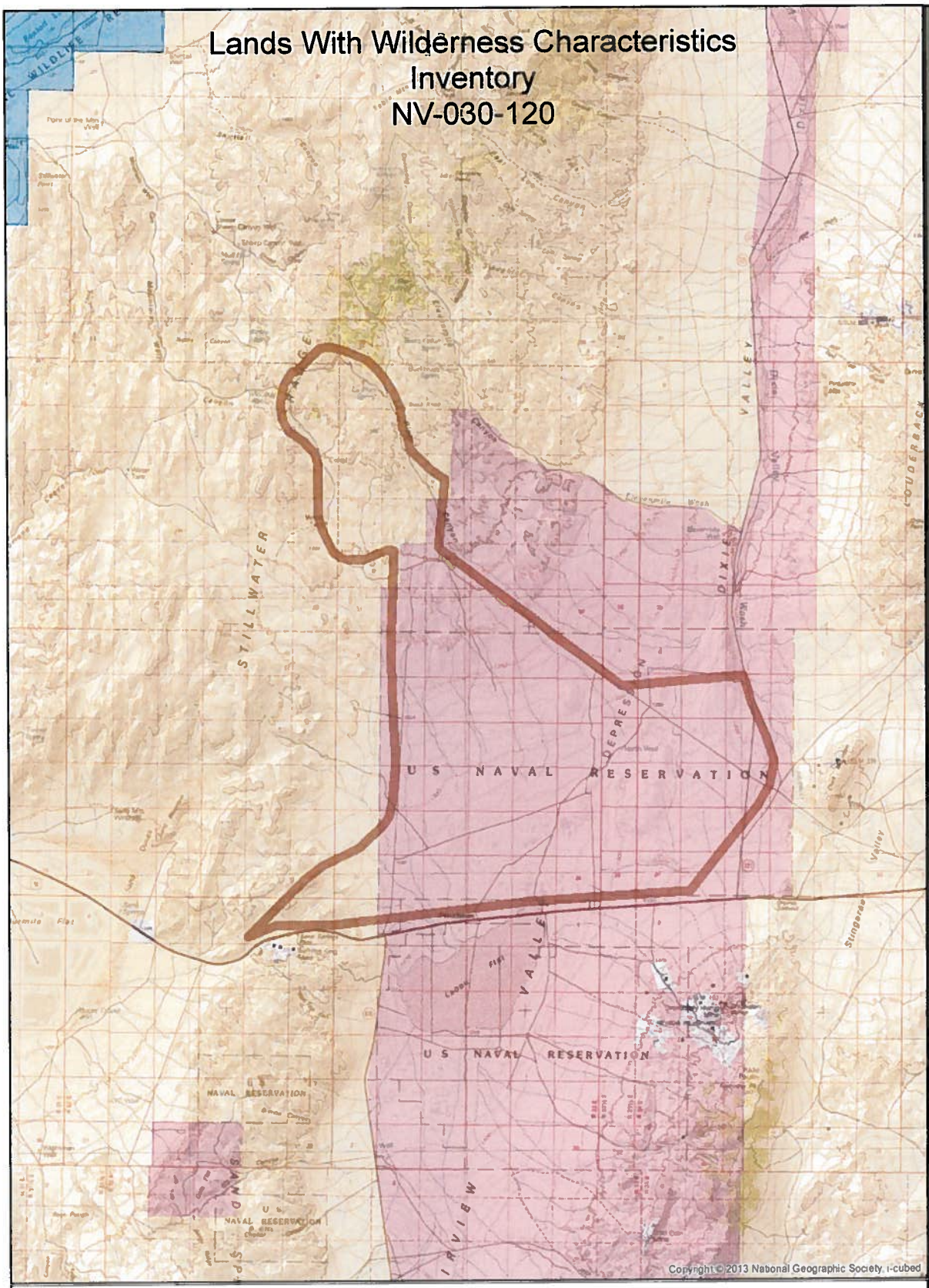

BLM

Carson City District Office

Legend

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120

Land Status NV

Agency

Bureau of Land Management

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FWS

0 1.75 3.5 7 Miles

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-121

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Lahontan Mountains

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-121	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-121 Acreage: 14,720
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ___X___ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.).*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current. Unit is located east of Fallon, Nevada and north of Highway 50 which forms the south boundary. The east boundary is defined by a well-established dirt road. The north and west boundaries are defined by property lines. Grimes Point Archeological Site is located within the unit along with Hidden, Burnt and Fish caves.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No __X__ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit. There are four mineral material sites located within the unit. There are numerous well-established roads within the unit including several fence lines and cattle guards. Several competitive motorcycle and mountain bike races have been conducted within the eastern edge of the boundary along Rainbow Mountain over the past ten years. These events tend to expose the area to local and regional riders that come back to explore the area.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-121

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

__X_ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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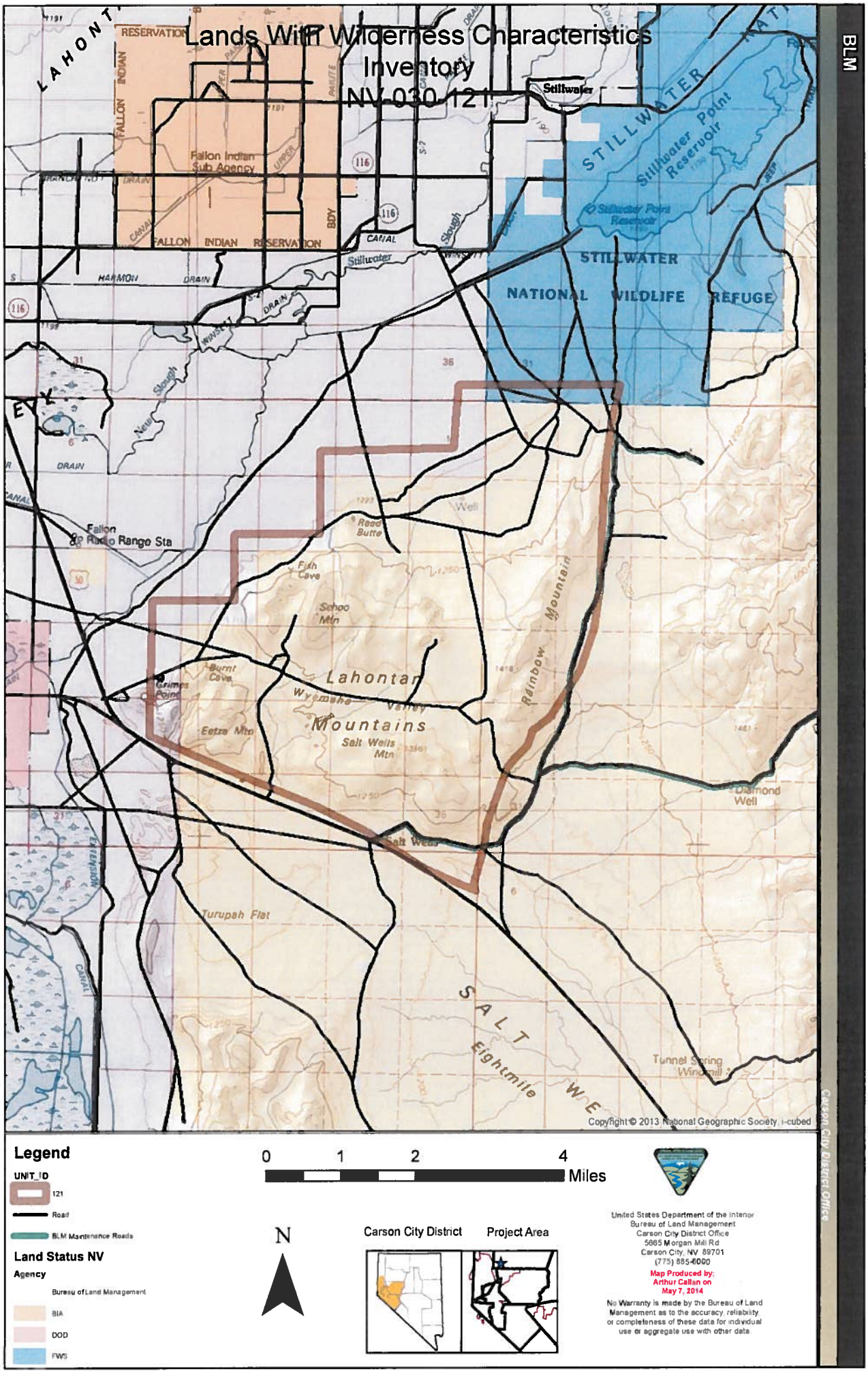
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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-122

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Salt Wells Basin

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-122	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-122 Acreage: 25,600
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ___X___ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current. Unit is located within Salt Wells Basin which includes both Eight Mile and Four Mile Flats; emphasis on FLAT. The unit is about 2 miles wide and 12 miles long. Highway 50 is the "northern" boundary. The south, west and east boundaries are comprised of established dirt roads.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X___ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit. Geothermal leases blanket ¾ of the unit along the Eight Mile Flat area. There is extensive geothermal activity in the unit including geothermal exploration (i.e. drilling, drill pad construction, road improvements) and more recently geothermal developments (ie. plant, lateral well lines, etc.) that stand out on imagery (NAIP 2013). An active salt mining operation exists further south in the Four mile Flat area. There are two separate transmission lines that cross the unit in and east/west direction, one in the north section of the unit and one in the southern part. There is a rather large mineral material site and haul road within the northern part of the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X___

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-122

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

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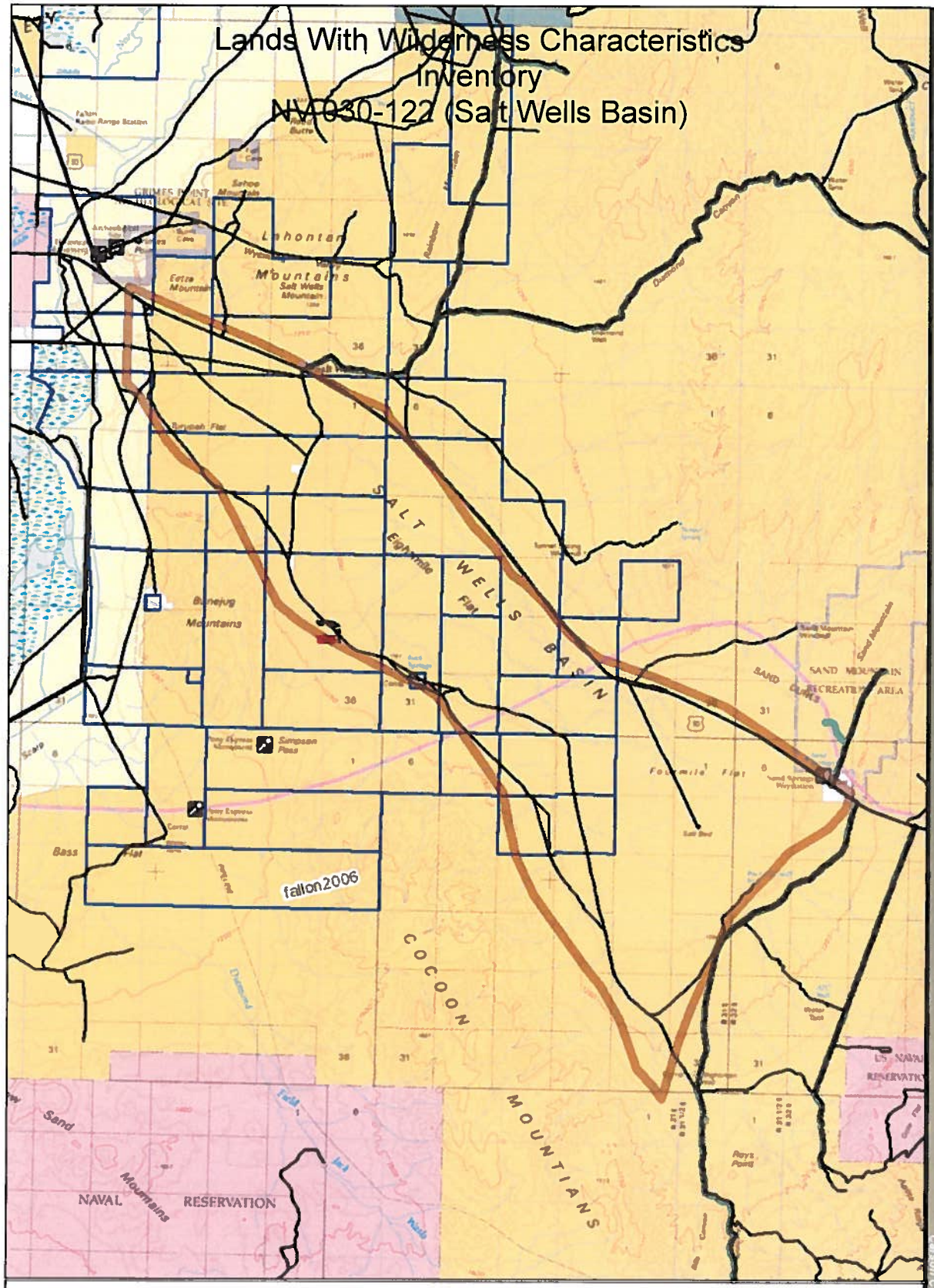

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Unit ID
122
Road
BLM Maintenance Roads
Geothermal Power Plant
Authorized Geothermal Lease

Land Status NV

Agency
Bureau of Land Management

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-123

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Cocoon Mountains

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-123	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-123 Acreage: 90,000
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current. The unit is comprised of the Bunejug, Cocoon and White Throne Mountains. The unit also includes Barnett Hills and Bass Flat areas. The unit boundaries are comprised of established roads and property lines. Approximately 10% of the unit's acreage was placed under military withdrawal per the Military Withdrawal Act of 1999 for the purpose of military maneuvers.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X___ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit. Geothermal leases occur in the northern half of the unit in the Bunejug Mountains and Alan Springs areas. There is extensive geothermal activity in the unit including geothermal exploration (i.e. drilling, drill pad construction, road improvements) and more recently geothermal developments (ie. lateral well lines, etc.). There is a transmission line that crosses in and east/west direction through the mid-section of the unit. There are three mineral material sites within the unit along the western boundaries. There is also a buried pipeline that runs in a north/south direction through the middle of the unit east of Cocoon Mountains. The annual Vegas To Reno Off-Highway Vehicle race runs through this unit. The race course is located west of Cocoon Mts. and south of White Throne Mts.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-123

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

__X_ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: Teresa J. Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 04 2014

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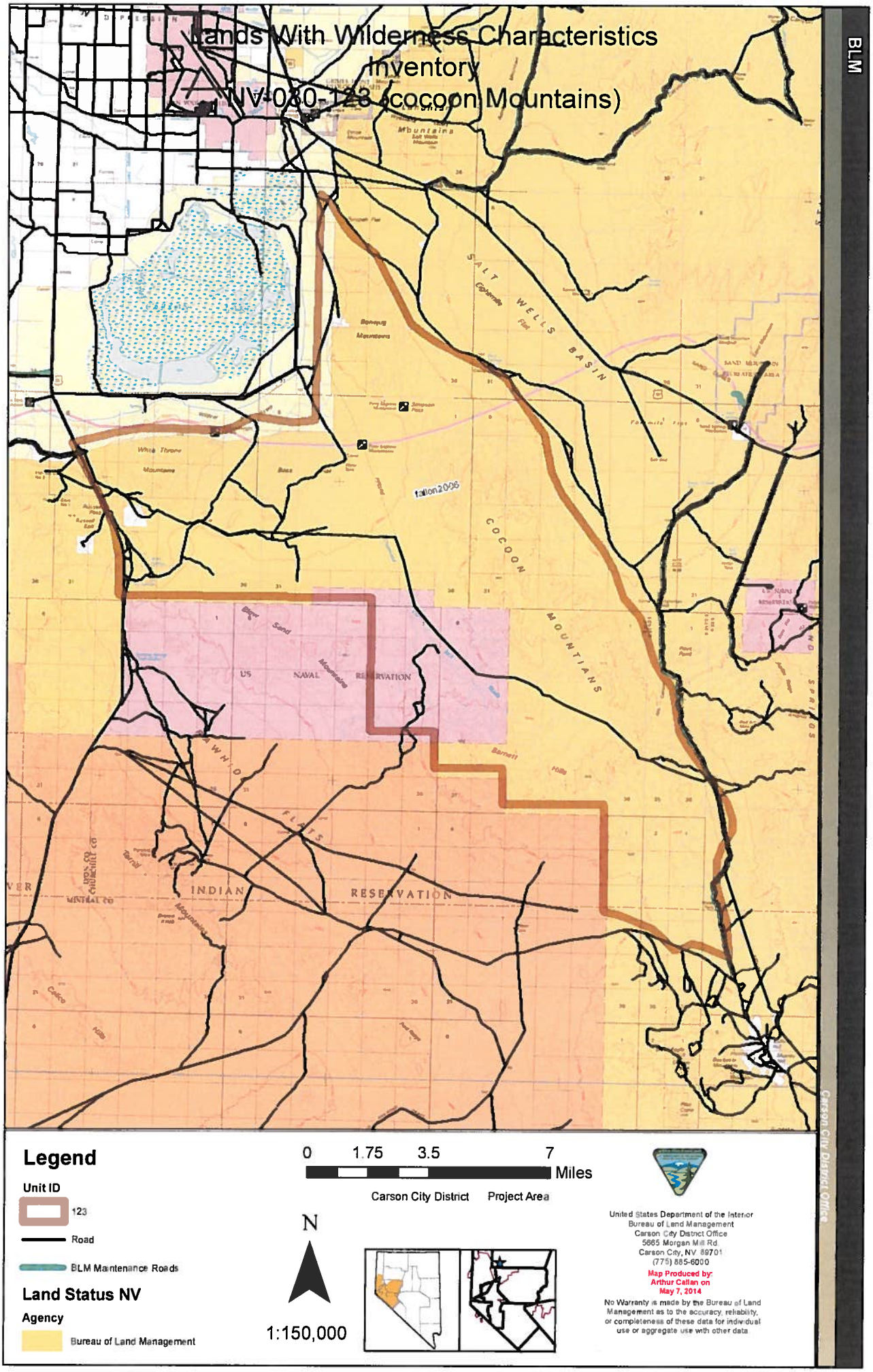
Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory
NV-030-123 (cocoon Mountains)
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SALT WELLS BASIN
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Legend
Unit ID
123
Road
BLM Maintenance Roads
Land Status NV
Agency
Bureau of Land Management
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NV-030-123 (Cocoon Mountains)

BLM

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-124

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Edwards Valley South

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-124	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-124 Acreage: 19,800
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the Edwards Valley South unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X__ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the Edwards Valley South unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-124

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members): Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: Teresa J Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory
NV-030-124

BLM

Carson City District Office

Legend

UNIT_ID
124
Road
BLM Maintained Roads

Land Status NV

Agency
FS
Bureau of Land Management
USA Topo Maps

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Carson City District Project Area

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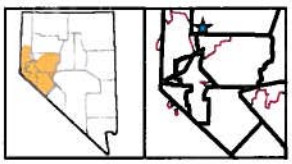

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes __X____ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-125

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Desatoya North / NV-030-125

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-125	Partial	Partial	Minimal	Partial	Yes

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-125 Acreage: 55,000
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

1980 Inventory - The Desatoya North unit, located approximately 70 miles east of Fallon, Nevada, is mountainous, ranging in elevation from 5,500 to 8,800 feet. Vegetation consists mainly of pinyon pine and low desert shrubs. The northwest side is bounded by a wood-pole transmission line; all other boundaries are documented roads. The area is 54,759 acres of public land in a generally rectangular shape, about 11 miles long and five miles wide.
2014 Inventory - The 1980 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the Desatoya North unit, as described above, remains current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _X_ No ____ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
1980 Inventory - The area contains a few minor intrusions such as spring developments, fences and jeep trails, and generally appears to be natural.
2014 Inventory - The 1980 evaluation, including the conclusion for naturalness, remains current for the Desatoya North unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No __X__ N/A__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

1980 Inventory - Pinyon woodlands and broken topography provide good natural screening, but the narrowness of the range and penetrating roads limit outstanding opportunities.
2014 Inventory – The 1980 evaluation, including the conclusion for solitude, remains current for the Desatoya North unit. It is the conclusion of this evaluation that there are no outstanding opportunities for solitude in the unit that are superior to its kind. The opportunities for solitude in this unit are represented throughout the CCDO.

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No ___X_____ N/A____

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

1980 Inventory - The area does contain some isolated interesting features, but does not contain outstanding landscape variety or provide the variety of resources necessary to offer an outstanding primitive recreation opportunity.
2014 Inventory - The 1980 evaluation, including the conclusion for primitive and unconfined recreation, remains current for the Desatoya North unit. It is the conclusion of this evaluation that there are no outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation in the unit that are superior to its kind. The opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation in this unit are represented throughout the CCDO.

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-125

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? _X_ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes __X_ No ___ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

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Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

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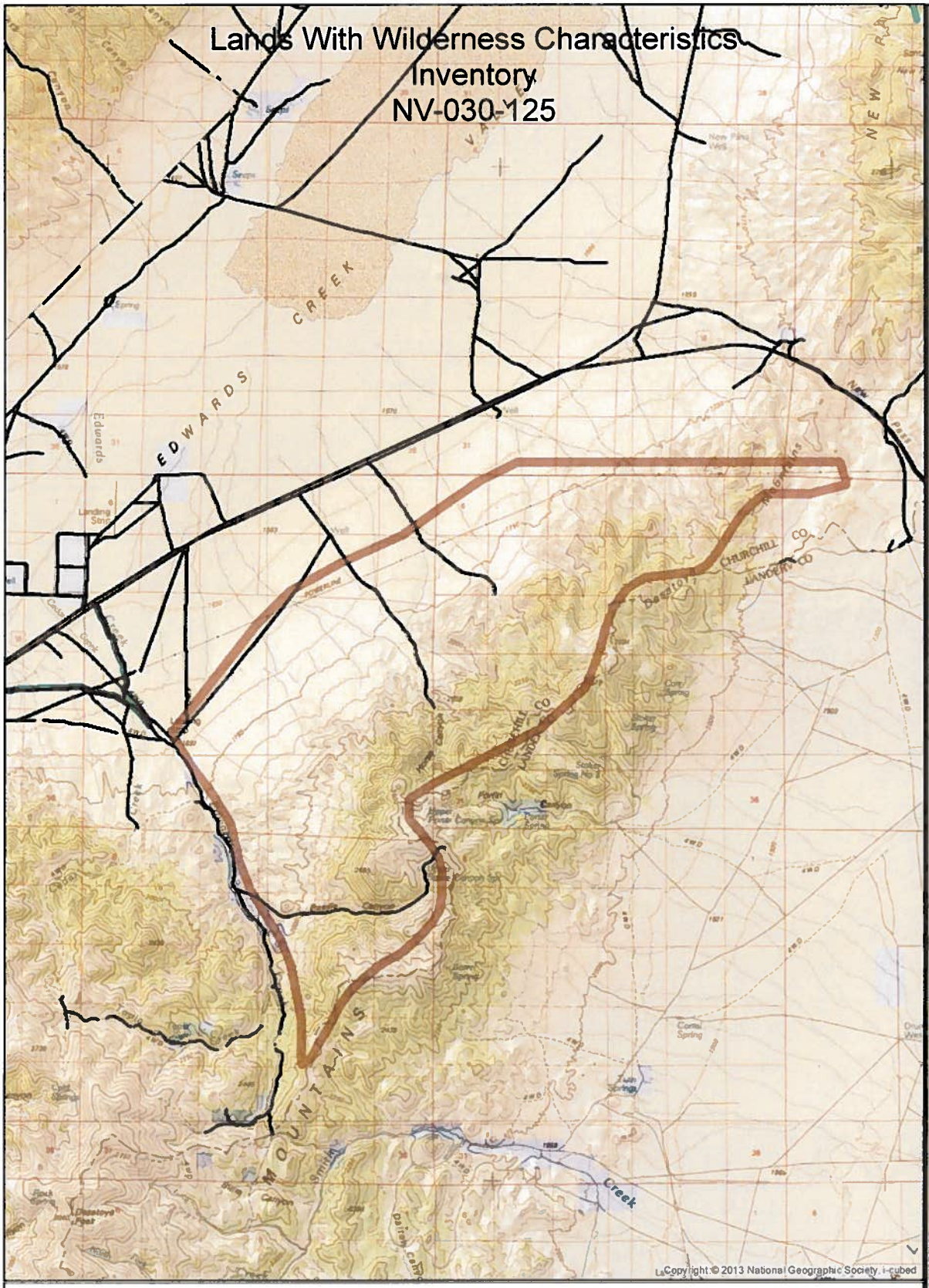
Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-125



BLM

Carson City District Office

Legend

UNIT_ID
125
Road
BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

Agency
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Bureau of Land Management
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FS

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Carson City District Project Area

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-126

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Lodi / NV-030-126

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-126	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-126 Acreage: 77,500
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ____X____ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the Lodi unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X___ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the Lodi unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X___

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-126

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

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Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

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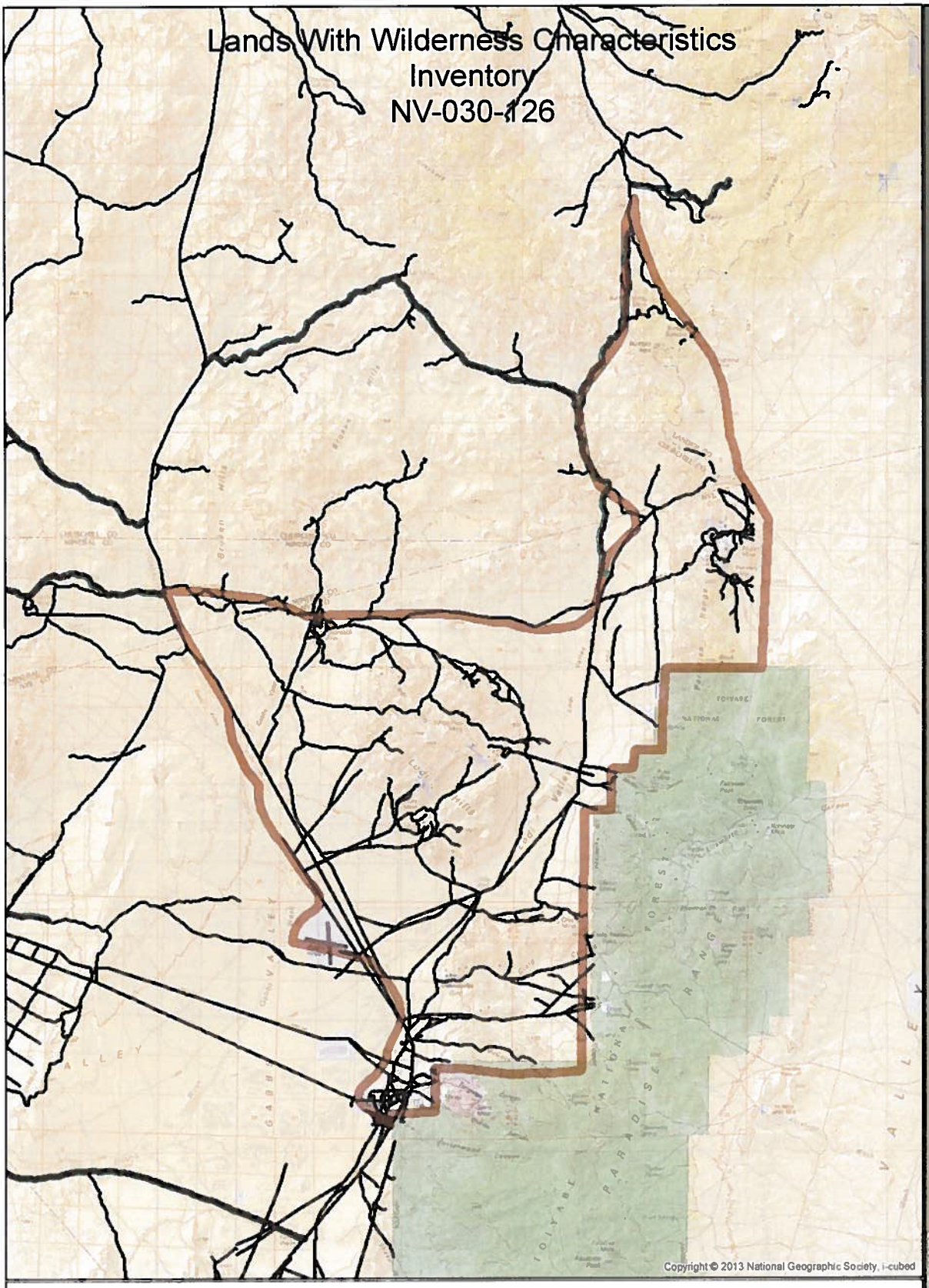

BLM

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Legend

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126

Road

BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

Agency

FS

Bureau of Land Management

USA Topo Maps

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Carson City District Project Area

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes __X____ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-127

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Job Peak / NV-030-127

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-127	Partial	Partial	Partial	Partial	Limited

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-127 Acreage: 115,120 (Amended-1980)
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.).*

1980 Inventory - The Job Peak unit is located approximately 25 miles northeast of Fallon, Nevada. The unit encompasses broad, sagebrush-covered flats; terraces and rolling hills; deeply cut, tree-lined side canyons, and the highest peaks in the Stillwater Mountains. The boundaries of the unit are county roads on the east and the west, BLM maintained roads and a county road on the south, and the Job Canyon road on the north.
1980 Inventory Amendment: Summary: With the exception of Subunit J, changes to the proposed WSA generated by public comments are limited to "cherry-stem" boundary adjustments around roads, an old mine and two "substantially noticeable" ways. Keeping in mind that the new Subunit J contains 1,565 acres (not 1,308 acres as shown in the Final WSA book for Nevada), the final acreage figures should be:

- Size of Intensive Inventory Unit:	115,120
- Acreage Deleted Due to Road Documentation (Subunits A, C, E, H, and new subunit J):	-3,615
- Size of Unit After Deletion of Roaded Area:	111,505
- Acreage Deleted Due to Lack of Naturalness (Submit D & F):	-4,060
- Total Acreage of Three Subunits Fully Evaluated for the Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics (Subunit B 7,360 acres) (Subunit G 9,320 acres) (Subunit I 90,765 acres):	107,445
- Total Acreage Deleted From the Intensive Inventory Unit:	-24,355
- Wilderness Study Area	90,765

2014 Inventory – Subunit "I" constitutes the Job Peak Wilderness Study Area and therefore will not be carried forward in this evaluation. The 1980 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the remaining Job Peak unit, as described in the 1980 evaluation and amendment, remain current. Subsequently, subunits A, C, E, H, and J will not be evaluated any further. External new information was also considered in the evaluation.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _X_ No ____ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
1980 Inventory - An area of 109,010 acres were determined to be in an essentially natural condition. Approximately 4,060 acres were deleted from the unit due to a lack of naturalness. Three subunits (B, G and I were fully evaluated for the presence or absence of wilderness characteristics.
2014 Inventory - The 1980 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the Job Peak units B, G, (I is WSA). External new information was also considered in the evaluation.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No ___X____ N/A___

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

1980 Inventory – **Area B**: Size: The area is serpentine in shape, stretching more than 8 miles across the northern portion of the inventory unit, but ranging in width from less than one-half mile to a little over two miles in the eastern flats. The subunit is relatively small in size, containing only 7,360 acres. At no point within the area is a visitor more than one mile from a road. A boundary road is visible from virtually any high point within the unit. Given these considerations, the area's size is not conducive to an outstanding solitude experience.
Natural Screening: Natural screening is relatively poor within the subunit. The eastern quarter of the area is sagebrush covered flat, while the remaining portion of the subunit consists of the rolling lower hills north of Job Peak between the East Job and Rough Creek drainages on the east, and the West Job and Poco drainages on the west. These too are sparsely vegetated and provide only minimal screening.
Ability of the User to Find a Secluded Spot: From virtually any high point in the area, a visitor can see at least one boundary road, as well as other parties traversing the area. Due to the narrow configuration of the subunit, visitors would be crowded together, thus making it impossible to avoid the sights and sounds of other persons in the subunit. There are no truly secluded spots in the area. Conclusion: Due to the relatively small size, narrow configuration, lack of natural screening and the limited opportunities for a user to find a secluded spot, it is apparent that Subunit B does not possess outstanding opportunities for solitude.
2014 Inventory – **Area B** - A communication site is located on the ridgeline along the boundary road for units 127 and 104 in this subunit. Around 2011 or 2012 the BLM Administrative Road (3023) in Poco Canyon was washed out and then repaired by BLM

with heavy equipment. Hunters and Off-Highway Vehicle enthusiasts favor this area located between the two WSAs because it provides motorized access into the Stillwaters. In the late 1990's several Jeep Jamborees were permitted to use roads in this area. Up until the early 2000's a local 4-wheel drive club (Fallon Four Wheelers) were under a volunteer agreement with the BLM to maintain Poco Canyon and West and East Job Canyon Roads. The 1980 evaluation, including the conclusion on solitude, remains current for Job Peak Subunit B. New information was also considered in the evaluation. It is the conclusion of this evaluation that there are no outstanding opportunities for solitude in Subunits B that are superior to its kind. The opportunities for solitude in this subunit are represented throughout the CCDO.

Area G Size: The area is irregular in shape, roughly four miles by two and one-half miles, with the southeast portion of the area having a peninsular configuration. The subunit consists of 9,320 acres, however; at no point within the area is a visitor more than one and one-half miles from a road. Given these considerations, the area's size provides only limited solitude opportunities.
Natural Screening: Natural screening is moderate within the subunit. The area consists largely of sparsely vegetated, rolling hills, with some scattered pinyon-juniper associations at higher elevations (6600'- 7200'). However, mining activities and other intrusions in the area are frequently visible due to this moderate natural screening. Other visitors to the unit also could be seen at quite a distance.
Ability of the User to Find a Secluded Spot: The La Plata Canyon Road (BLM Road 3093) penetrates deep into the area and provides access to mining activity, fencelines and spring developments. This road is located in the only major canyon within the subunit and adversely affects opportunities for solitude both within the canyon itself, and on adjacent ridges. Way 12 and the La Plata fence further serve as impediments to the user attempting to find a secluded spot. Mining activity in the southeast portion of the subunit also limits solitude opportunities. The relatively open character of the subunit, and the intrusions noted above make it difficult for a visitor to avoid the sights and sounds of man's works and of other visitors to the area. Conclusion: Due to the size, configuration, limited natural screening, intrusions and limited opportunities for a user to find a secluded spot, Subunit G cannot be considered to have outstanding opportunities for solitude.

Summary: Subunit G does not have outstanding opportunities for solitude due to its lack of natural screening, relatively small size and lack of opportunities to find a secluded spot.

2014 Inventory – The 1980 evaluation, including the conclusion on solitude, remains current for the Job Peak Subunit G. New information was also considered in the evaluation. It is the conclusion of this evaluation that there are no outstanding opportunities for solitude in Subunits G that are superior to its kind. The opportunities for solitude in this subunit are represented throughout the CCDO.

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No ___X____ N/A____

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

1980 Inventory - Area B: Day Hiking: Opportunities are poor to fair. Although a visitor could hike the length of the subunit, he would seldom be out of sight of the works of man and he would have to proceed in a relatively straight line in order to stay within the area. The widest part of the subunit could be hiked in less than one hour.
Backpacking and Camping: Such opportunities are poor. Good camping spots are few in number and it is unlikely the subunit would be attractive to backpackers due to its undistinguished land forms and small size.
Horseback Riding: Poor to fair opportunities exist. The small size and narrow configuration of the subunit are not conducive to good opportunities, however.
Sightseeing: Sightseeing opportunities are fair to good. There is little within the subunit itself which would attract a visitor, however, the views into Dixie Valley, Carson Sink, the northern Stillwaters and Subunit I from the higher elevations are quite scenic. It must be remembered that these areas are outside the subunit though.
Conclusion: Limited opportunities exist for day hiking, backpacking, horseback riding, and sightseeing. However, none of these are close to outstanding in themselves, and, when considered together, they still fail to offer an outstanding opportunity for primitive and unconfined recreation.
Area G: Day Hiking: Opportunities are poor to fair. The main canyon has a road in it, there are several man-made intrusions in the area and there are no attractions within the subunit which would draw a person desiring to take a short hike.
Backpacking/Camping: Opportunities are poor. A visitor could see the entire subunit in less than a day. There are few good camping spots and nothing particularly attractive in the subunit. The works of man are frequently seen.
Horseback Riding: Limitations noted above also adversely affect horseback riding opportunities, making them fair at best.
Hunting: Chukar densities are good throughout the Job Peak unit and hunting in this portion of the area is considered fair.
Sightseeing: Much of the subunit has been impacted by the works of man. Furthermore, the terrain in this area is relatively common and undistinguished, thus providing poor sightseeing opportunities. There are no botanical, zoological or geological features of note.
Conclusion: No single opportunity nor combination of opportunities in the subunit provide an outstanding primitive or unconfined type of recreation experience.

Summary: Subunit B and G lack any outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined types of recreation.

2014 Inventory - The 1980 evaluation, including the conclusion on primitive and unconfined recreation, remains current for the Job Peak unit (Subunits B, G). New information was also considered in the evaluation. It is the conclusion of this evaluation that there are no outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation in the units

that are superior to its kind. The opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation in this unit are represented throughout the CCDO.

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-127

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _**X**_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? _**X**_ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes __**X**_ No ___ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes _**X**__ No ___ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_**X**__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: Teresa J. Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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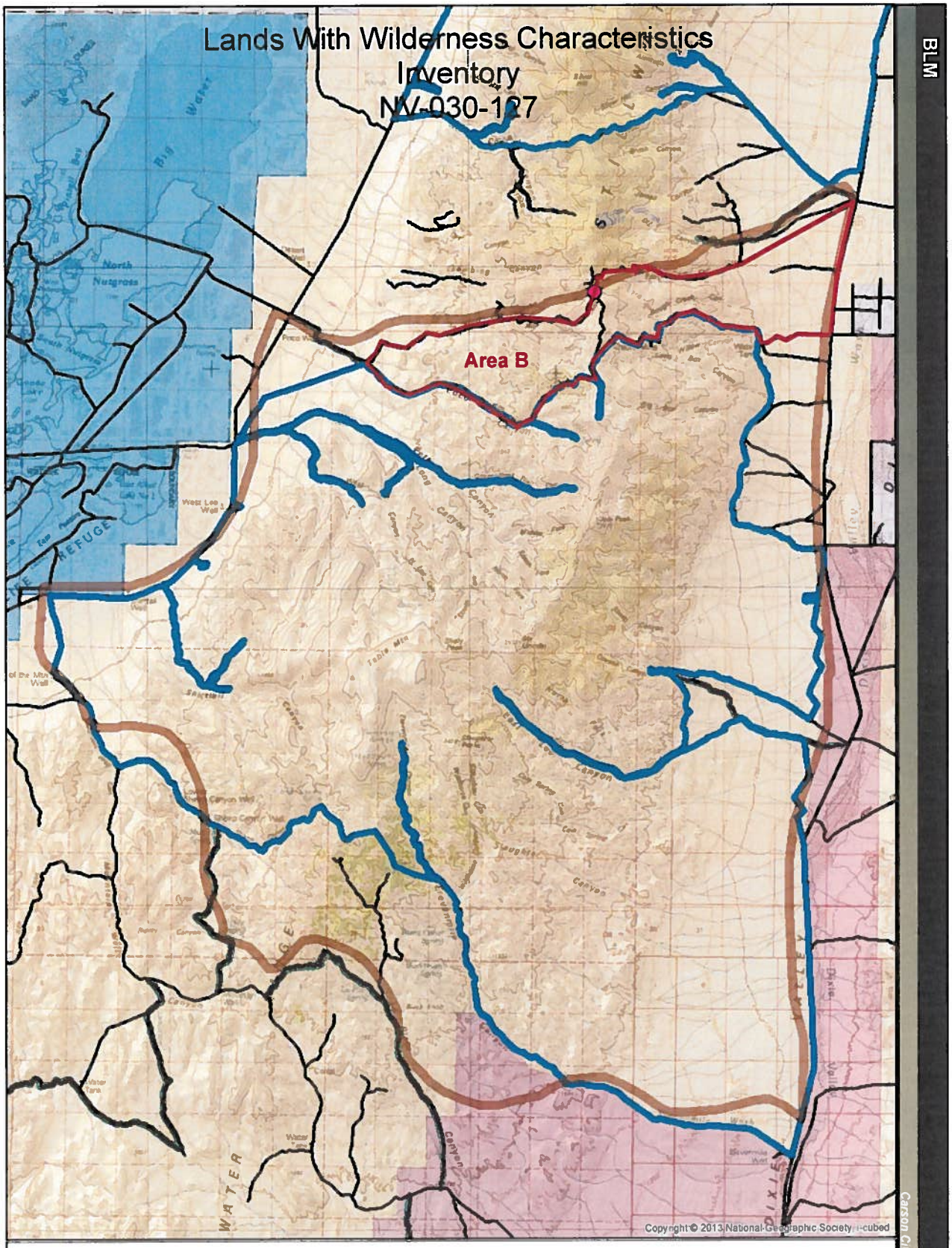

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes__X__*(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-127

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Job Peak / NV-030-127

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Carson City District / Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-127	Partial	Partial	Partial	Partial	Limited

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-127 Acreage: 115,120

(1) Is the area of sufficient size?

Yes ___X___ No _____

Description:

1980 Inventory – The Job Peak unit is located approximately 25 miles northeast of Fallon, Nevada. The unit encompasses broad sagebrush-covered flats, terraces and rolling hills, deeply cut tree-lined side canyons, and the highest peaks in the Stillwater Mountains. The boundaries of the unit are county roads on the east and the west, BLM maintained roads and a county road on the south, and the Job Canyon road on the north.
1980 Inventory Amendment – With the exception of Subunit J, changes to the proposed WSA generated by public comments are limited to "cherry-stem" boundary adjustments around roads, an old mine, and two "substantially noticeable" ways. Keeping in mind that the new Subunit J contains 1,565 acres (not 1,308 acres as shown in the Final WSA book for Nevada), the final acreage figures are:

- Size of Intensive Inventory Unit:	115,120
- Acreage Deleted Due to Road Documentation (Subunits A, C, E, H, and new subunit J):	-3,615
- Size of Unit After Deletion of Roaded Area:	111,505
- Acreage Deleted Due to Lack of Naturalness (Submit D & F):	-4,060
- Total Acreage of Three Subunits Fully Evaluated for the Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics (Subunit B 7,360 acres) (Subunit G 9,320 acres) (Subunit I (WSA) 90,765 acres):	107,445
- Total Acreage Deleted From the Intensive Inventory Unit:	-24,355
- Wilderness Study Area	83090

2014 Inventory – Subunit I constitutes the Job Peak Wilderness Study Area and therefore will not be carried forward in this evaluation. The BLM 2014 LWC inventory documented a total of 10,078 acres that meet LWC criteria. This 10,078 acre area is essentially Subunit G with an additional 758 acres added to it. The 2014 inventory found that Subunit G individually meets the requirements for LWC consideration. Subunit B located north of the WSA was also inventoried and is split into two polygons with the dividing boundary of each polygon formed by a north / south running road that effectively splits the unit. The road is located just east of the north/south trending Stillwater Range ridgeline. Neither

polygon meets the 5,000 acre LWC criteria. Subsequently, Subunit B will not be addressed further in this evaluation.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes __X__ No ____ N/A_____

Description:

1980 Inventory – An area of 109,010 acres were determined to be in an essentially natural condition. Approximately 4,060 acres were deleted from the unit due to a lack of naturalness. Three subunits (B, G, and I) were fully evaluated for the presence or absence of wilderness characteristics.
2014 Inventory – The 1980 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the Job Peak Subunit G.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes ____X____ No _____ N/A___

Description:

1980 Inventory – Area G
Size: The area is irregular in shape, roughly four miles by two and one-half miles, with the southeast portion of the area having a peninsular configuration. The subunit consists of 10,078 acres, however at no point within the area is a visitor more than one and one-half miles from a road. Given these considerations, the area's size provides only limited solitude opportunities.
Natural Screening: Natural screening is moderate within the subunit. The area consists largely of sparsely vegetated, rolling hills, with some scattered pinyon-juniper associations at higher elevations (6600'- 7200'). However, mining activities and other intrusions in the area are frequently visible due to this moderate natural screening. Other visitors to the unit also could be seen at quite a distance.
Ability of the User to Find a Secluded Spot: The La Plata Canyon Road (BLM Road 3093) penetrates deep into the area and provides access to mining activity, fence lines, and spring developments. This road is located in the only major canyon within the subunit and adversely affects opportunities for solitude both within the canyon itself and on adjacent ridges. Way 12 and the La Plata fence further serve as impediments to the user attempting to find a secluded spot. Mining activity in the southeast portion of the subunit also limits solitude opportunities. The relatively open character of the subunit, and the intrusions noted above make it difficult for a visitor to avoid the sights and sounds of man's works and of other visitors to the area.
Conclusion: Due to the relatively small size, configuration, limited natural screening, intrusions and limited opportunities for a user to find a secluded spot, Subunit G cannot be considered to have outstanding opportunities for solitude.

2014 Inventory – BLM guidelines for evaluating LWC have changed since 1980. New information from citizen based proposals was considered in the 2014 evaluation where incredible expanse of solitude exists. The 2014 Inventory documented outstanding opportunities for solitude in the diversity of topographic and vegetative features found within Subunit G.

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No ___X___ N/A____

Description:

1980 Inventory – Area G
Day Hiking: Opportunities are poor to fair. The main canyon has a road in it, there are several man-made intrusions in the area, and there are no attractions within the subunit which would draw a person desiring to take a short hike.
Backpacking/Camping: Opportunities are poor. A visitor could see the entire subunit in less than a day. There are few good camping spots and nothing particularly attractive in the subunit. The works of man are frequently seen.
Horseback Riding: Limitations noted above also adversely affect horseback riding opportunities, making them fair at best.
Hunting: Chukar densities are good throughout the Job Peak unit and hunting in this portion of the area is considered fair.
Sightseeing: Much of the subunit has been impacted by the works of man. Furthermore, the terrain in this area is relatively common and undistinguished, thus providing poor sightseeing opportunities. There are no botanical, zoological or geological features of note.
Conclusion: No single opportunity or combination of opportunities provides an outstanding primitive or unconfined type of recreation experience. Subunit B and G lack any outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined types of recreation.
2014 Inventory - The 1980 evaluation, including the conclusion on primitive and unconfined recreation, remains current for Job Peak Subunit G. New information from citizen based proposal was considered in the evaluation. It is the conclusion of this evaluation that there are not outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation in the unit that are superior to its kind.

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No ___X___ N/A____

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-127

Summary

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1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ____ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? _X_ Yes ____ No ____ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? _X_ Yes ____ No ____ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes _X_ No ____ N/A

Check one:

_X_ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Lands with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

____ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *SFFO LWC Team*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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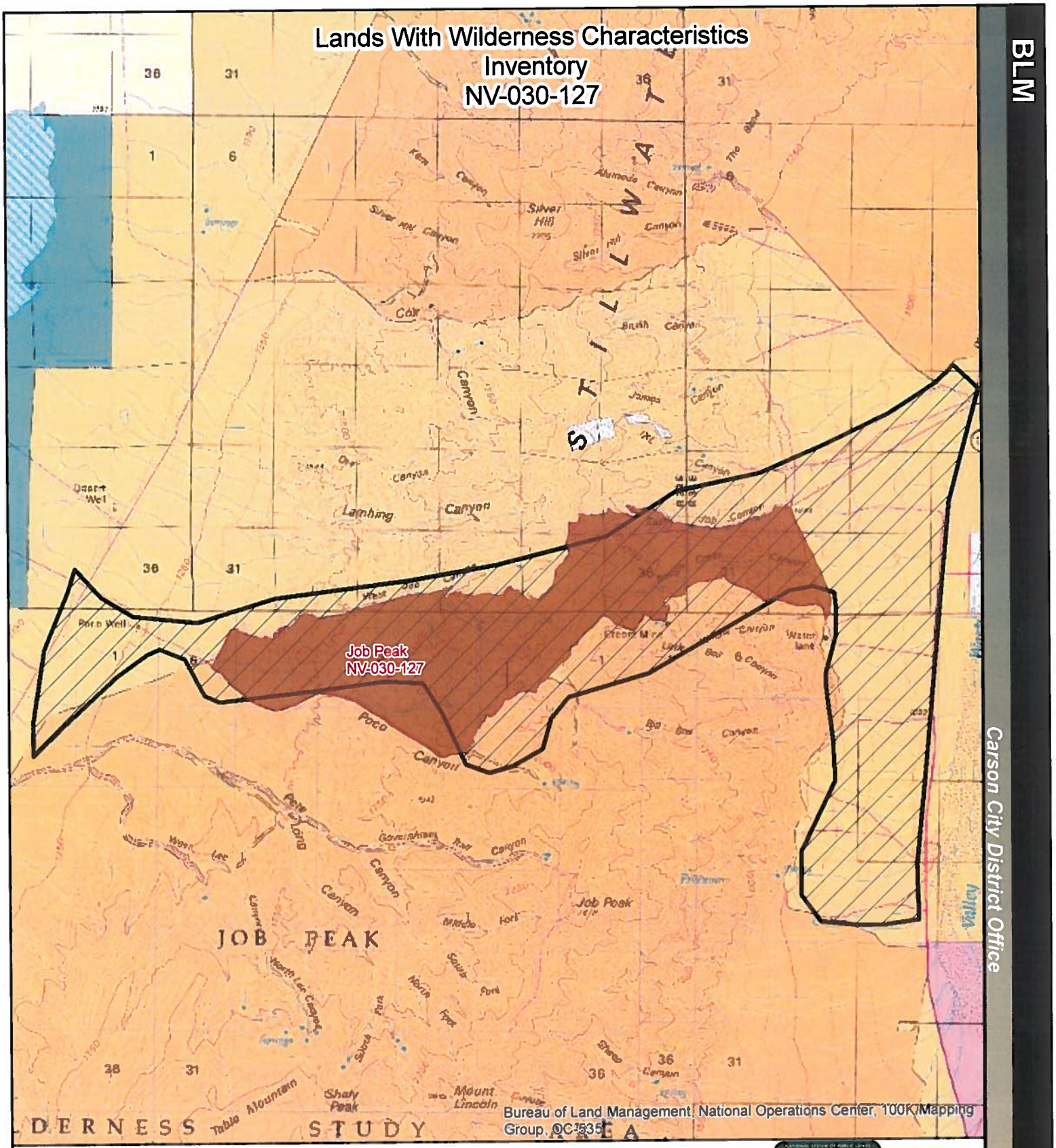

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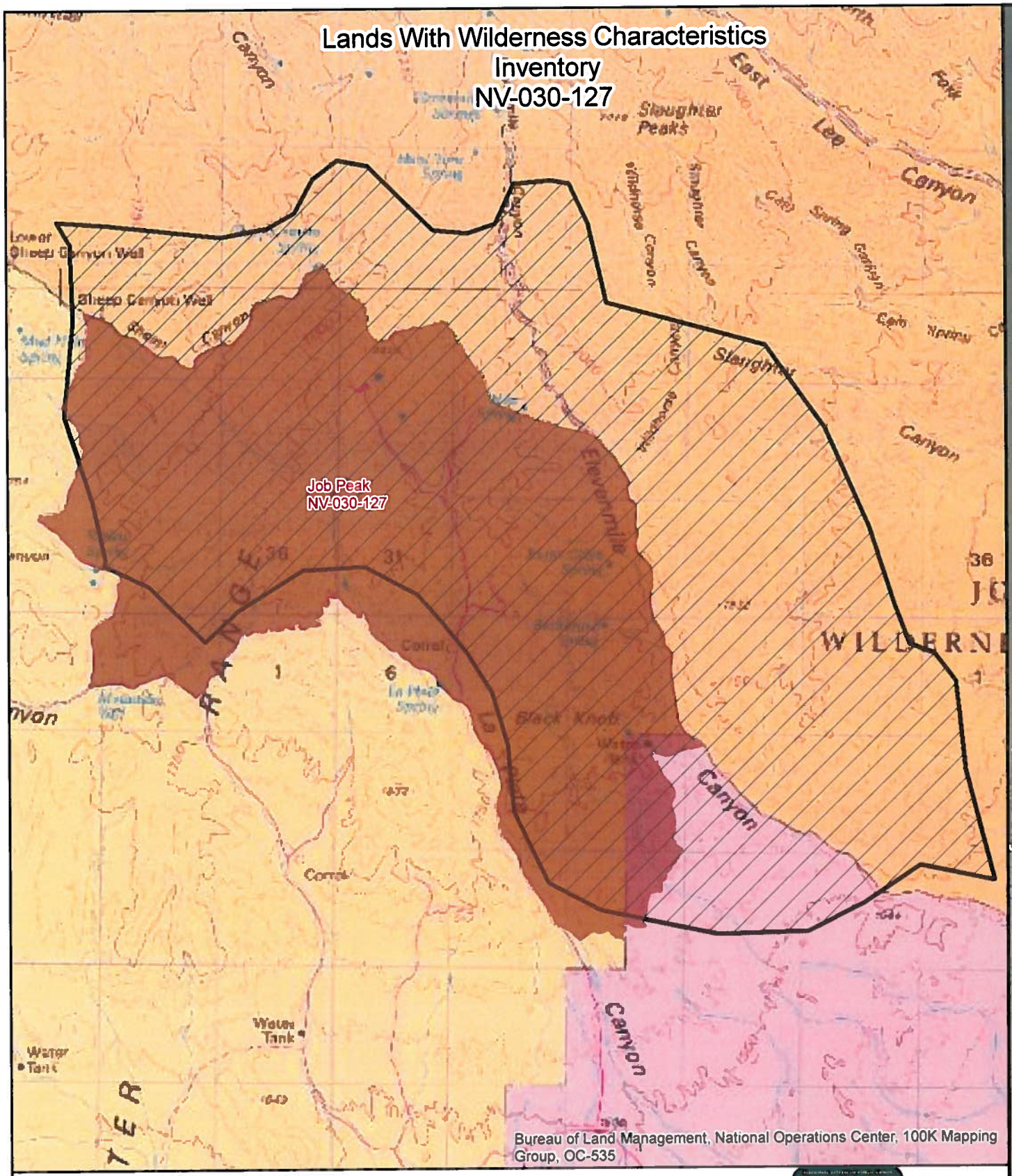

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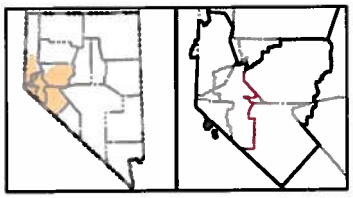

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-128

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Target Area / NV-030-128

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-128	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-128 Acreage: 22,400
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ___X___ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory – The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the Target Area unit are not current. Of the 22,400 acres originally identified in this unit approximately 9,000 acres are public and the balance DOD.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X___ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the Target Area unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X___

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Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

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Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-128

Summary

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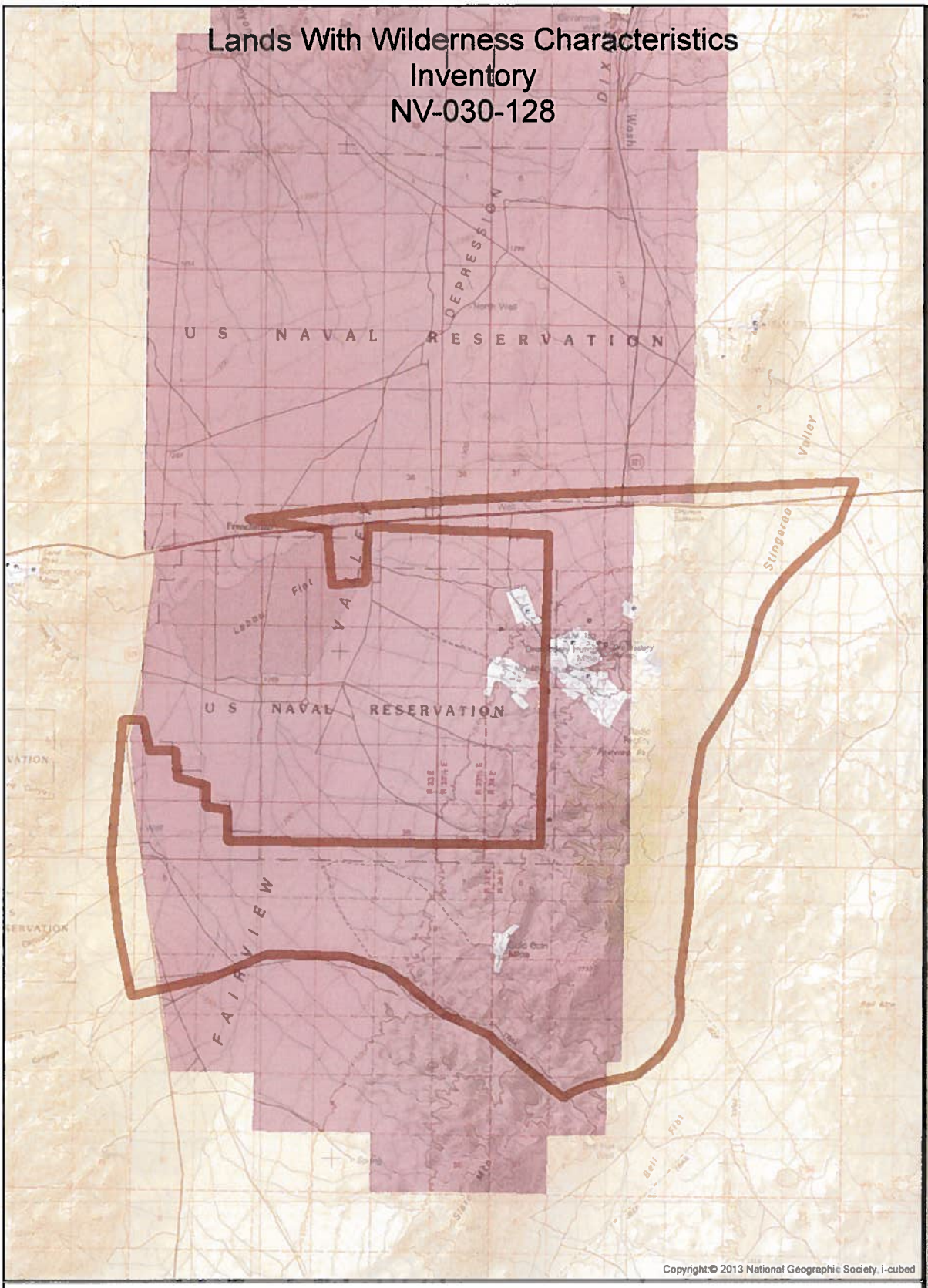

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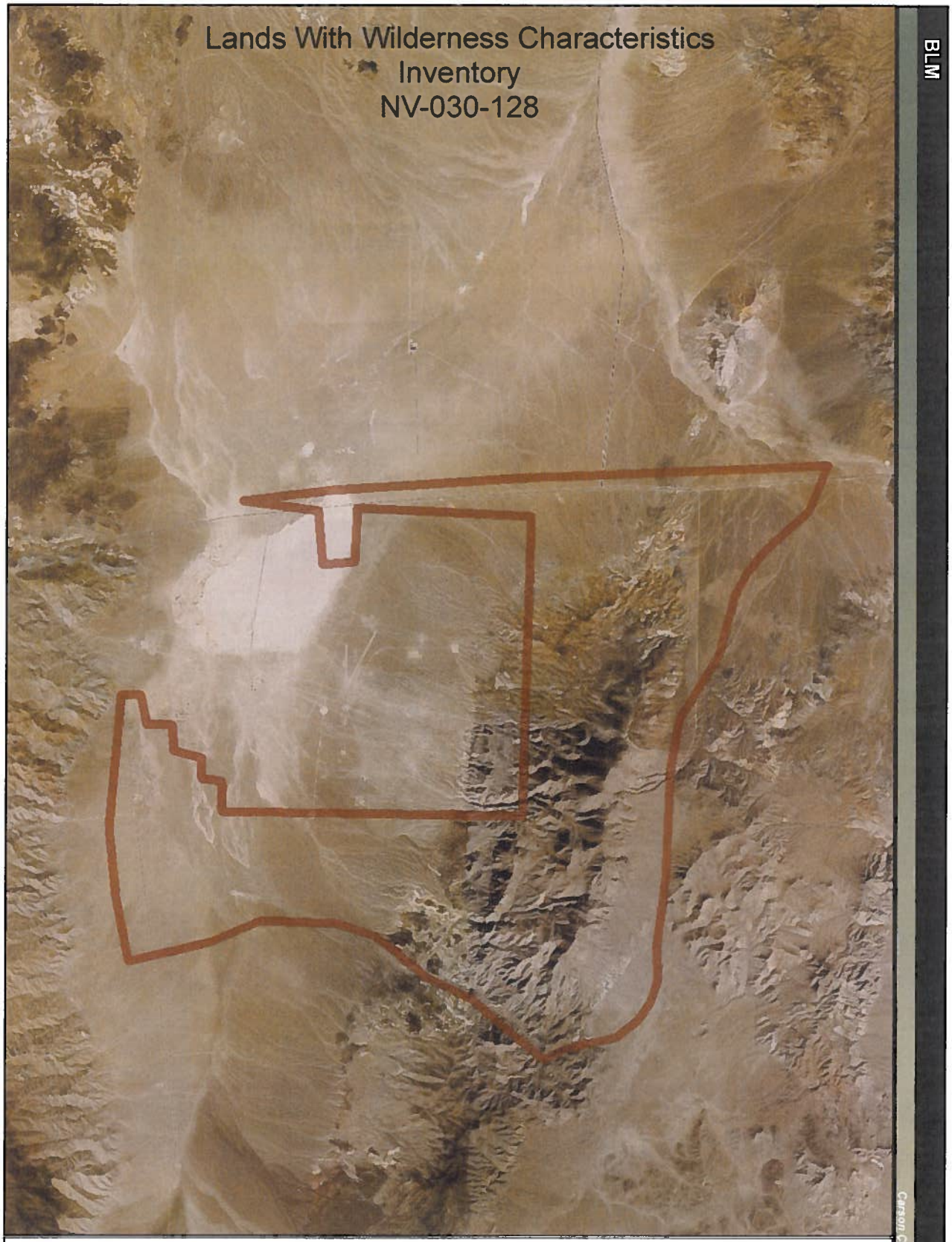

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   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-129

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Slate Mine / NV-030-129

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-129	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-129 Acreage: 20,400
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ___X___ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the Slate Mine unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X__ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the Slate mine unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-129

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: Teresa J. Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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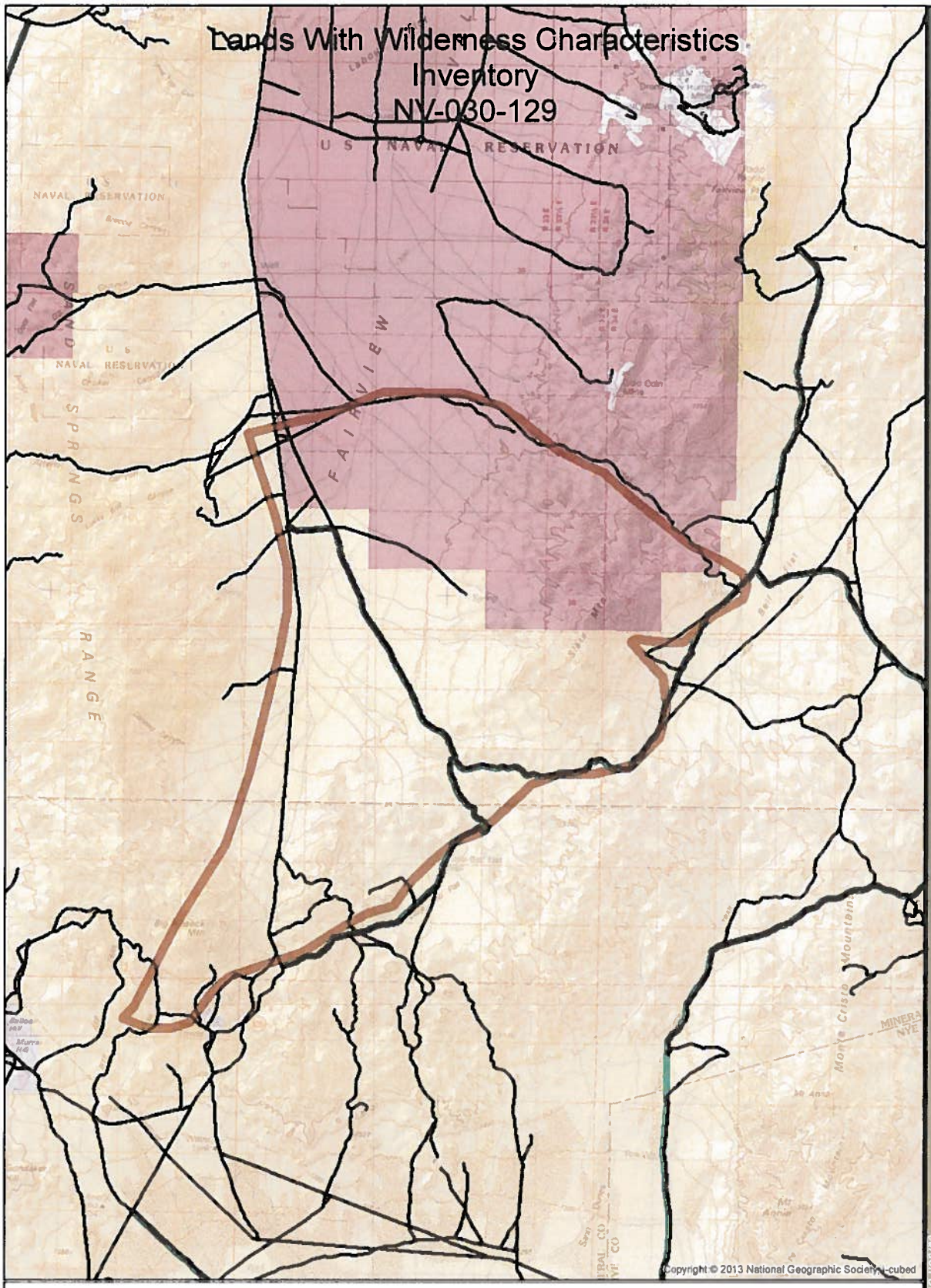

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Road
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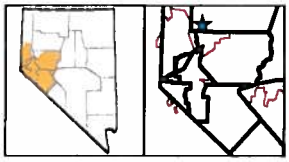

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-129

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-130

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Sand Springs Range / NV-030-130

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-130	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-130 Acreage: 65,000
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ____X____ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the Sand Springs Range unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X___ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the Sand Springs Range unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-130

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Stillwater Field Manager

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-130

BLM

Carson City District Office

Legend

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Road
BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

Agency
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FS
Bureau of Land Management

0 1.25 2.5 5 Miles

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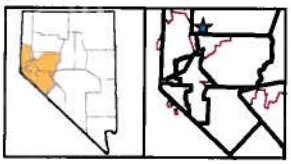

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-131

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Middlegate / NV-030-131

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-131	Yes	Yes	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-131 Acreage: 29,400
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the Middlegate unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes __X_ No ____ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the Middlegate unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No __X____ N/A___

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on solitude, remains current for the unit.

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No ___X_____ N/A____

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on primitive and unconfined recreation, remains current for the unit.

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NVC-030-131

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? X__ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

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Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-131

BLM

Carson City District Office

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UNIT_ID
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Road
BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

Agency
DOD
FS
Bureau of Land Management

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-132

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Bell Mountain / NV-030-132

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-132	Yes	Yes	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-132 Acreage: 17,600
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the Bell Mountain unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes X___ No ___ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the Bell Mountain unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No __X__ N/A__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No __X__ N/A___

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-132

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? X__ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? _X_ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No X___ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

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Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

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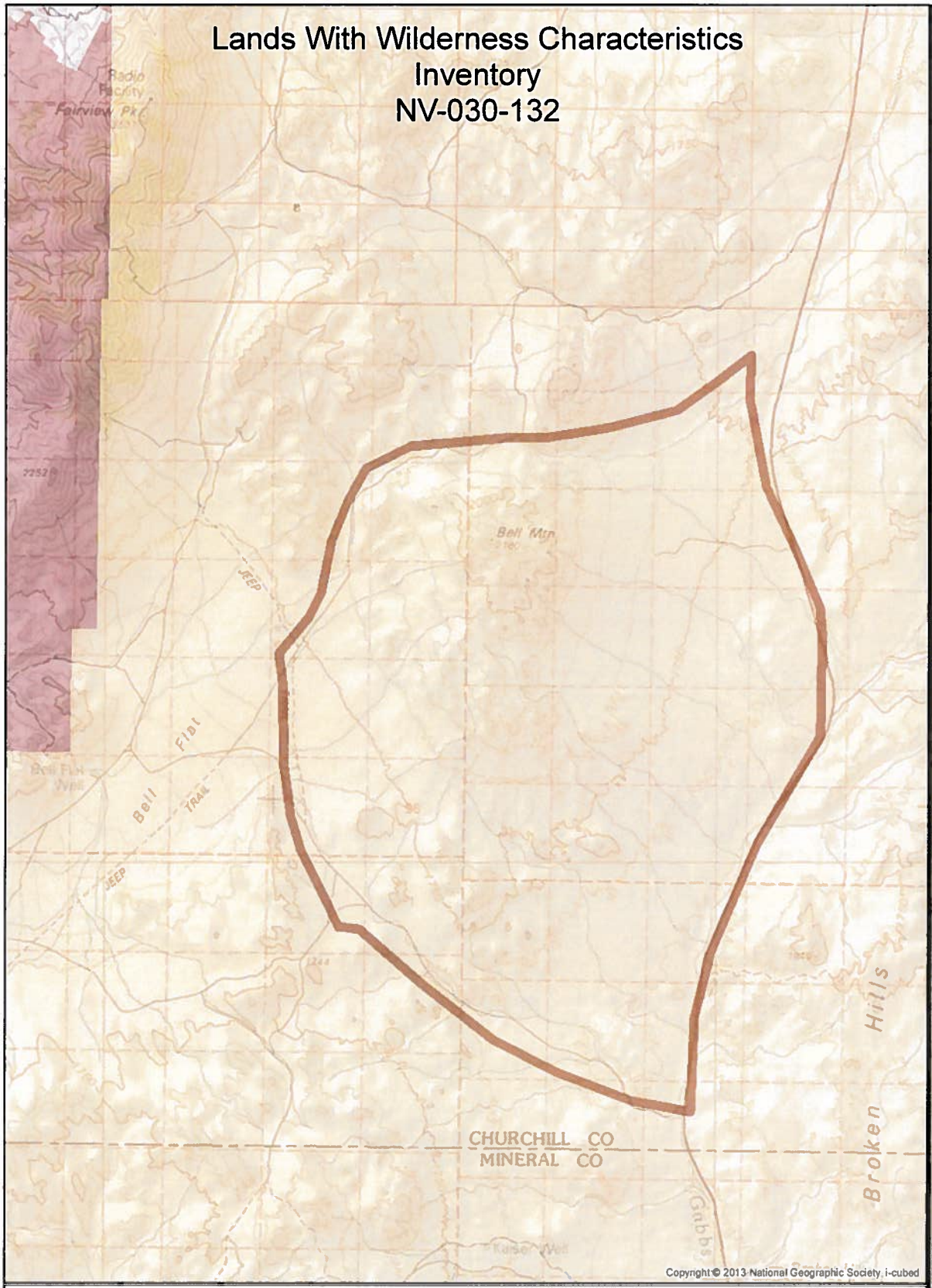

BLM

Carson City District Office

Legend

UNIT_ID

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Land Status NV

Agency

DOD

FS

Bureau of Land Management

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NV-030-132

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-133

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Bell Flat / NV-030-133

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-133	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-133 Acreage: 7,600
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ___X___ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the Bell Flat unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X___ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the Bell Flat unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X___

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-133

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

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Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: Teresa J. Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-133

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Land Status NV

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-134

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Broken Hills / NV-030-134

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-134	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-134 Acreage: 40,900
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the Broken Hills unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X__ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the Broken Hills unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-134

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-134

BLM

Carson City District Office

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UNIT_ID
- 134
- Road
- BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

Agency
- DOD
- FS
- Bureau of Land Management

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-135

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Iron Rock / NV-030-135

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-135	Yes	Yes	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-135 Acreage: 70,500
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ____X____ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the Iron Rock unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes X____ No ____ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the Iron Rock unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No ___X____ N/A___

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on solitude, remains current for the unit.

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No ___X____ N/A____

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on primitive and unconfined recreation, remains current for the unit.

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-135

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? _X_ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes __X_ No ___ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members): Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: Teresa J. Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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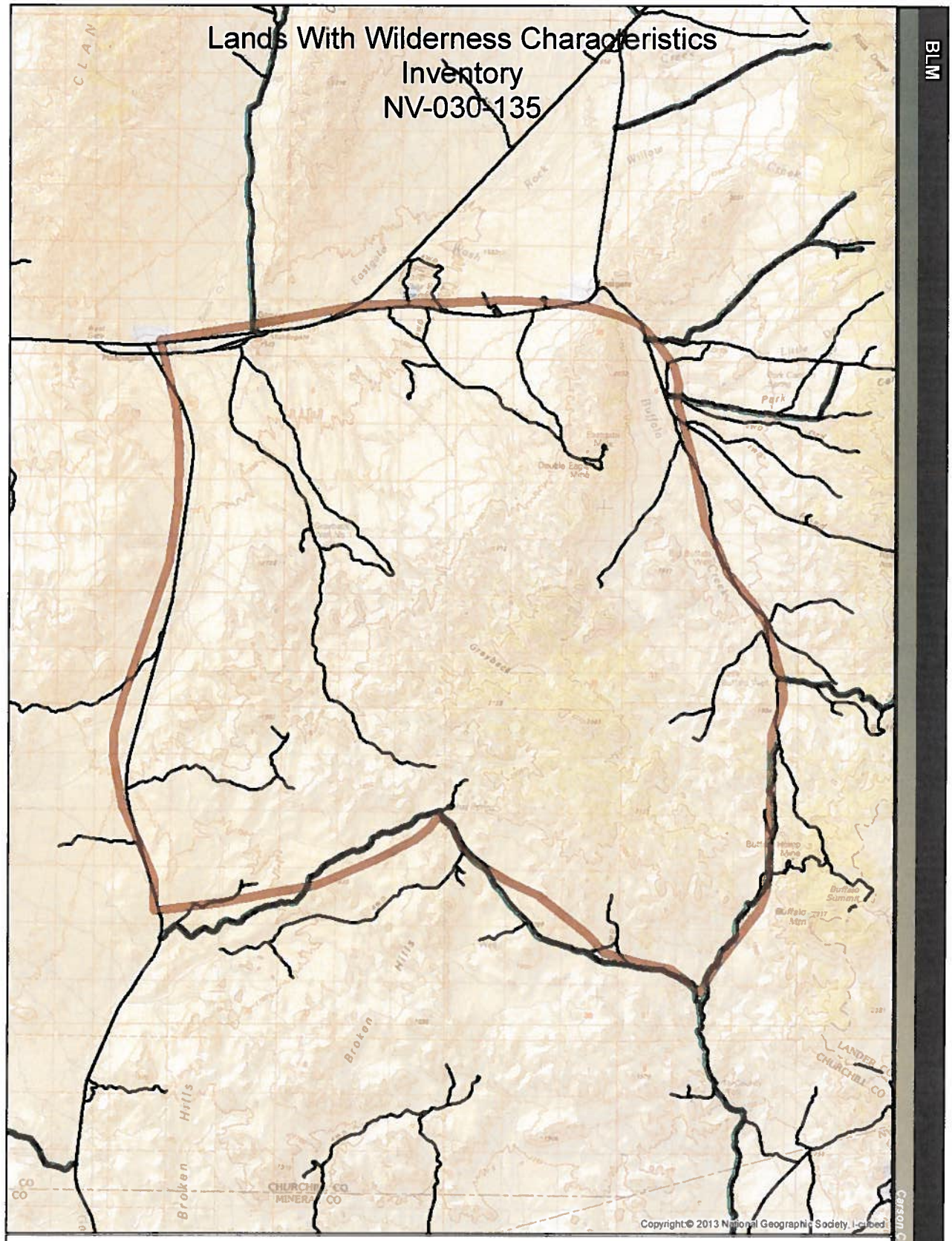
Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-135



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Legend

UNIT_ID
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Road
BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

Agency
Bureau of Land Management

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes __X____ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-136

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Mount Annie / NV-030-136

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-136	Yes	Yes	No	Minimal	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-136 Acreage: 19,500
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ____X____ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

1980 Inventory - The Monte Cristo Mountains consists of steep, rugged peaks and ridges, with Mount Annie the highest point at an elevation of 6,908 feet. The inventory unit is bounded on the west and north by BLM road numbers 3024; on the east by road number 136.01; and on the south by BLM road number 3038. Vegetation is low growing desert shrub. BLM acreage totals 19,500 acres, with no private or State acreage in the unit.
2014 Inventory - The 1980 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the Mount Annie unit, as described above, remains current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _X_ No ____ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
1980 Inventory - The inventory unit is essentially in a natural state with the imprint of man's work substantially unnoticeable.
2014 Inventory - The 1980 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the Mount Annie unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No ___X____ N/A___

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

1980 Inventory - The inventory unit lacks outstanding opportunities for solitude due to minimal size and a lack of topographic and vegetative screening. It is very unlikely a visitor to the area would avoid the sights, sounds and evidence of other people within the unit.
2014 Inventory – The 1980 evaluation, including the conclusion on solitude, remains current for the Mount Annie unit. It is the conclusion of this evaluation that there are no outstanding opportunities for solitude in the unit that are superior to its kind. The opportunities for solitude in this unit are represented throughout the CCDO.

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No ___X____ N/A____

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

1980 Inventory - Primitive and unconfined types of recreation are limited to day hikes, sightseeing, and horseback riding. None are considered individually outstanding, nor would they provide an outstanding opportunity through a diversity of activities.
2014 Inventory - The 1980 evaluation, including the conclusion on primitive and unconfined recreation, remains current for the Mount Annie unit. It is the conclusion of this evaluation that there are no outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation in the unit that are superior to its kind. The opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation in this unit are represented throughout the CCDO.

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-136

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? _X_ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes __X_ No ___ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes __X_ No ___ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

__X_ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members): Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: Teresa J. Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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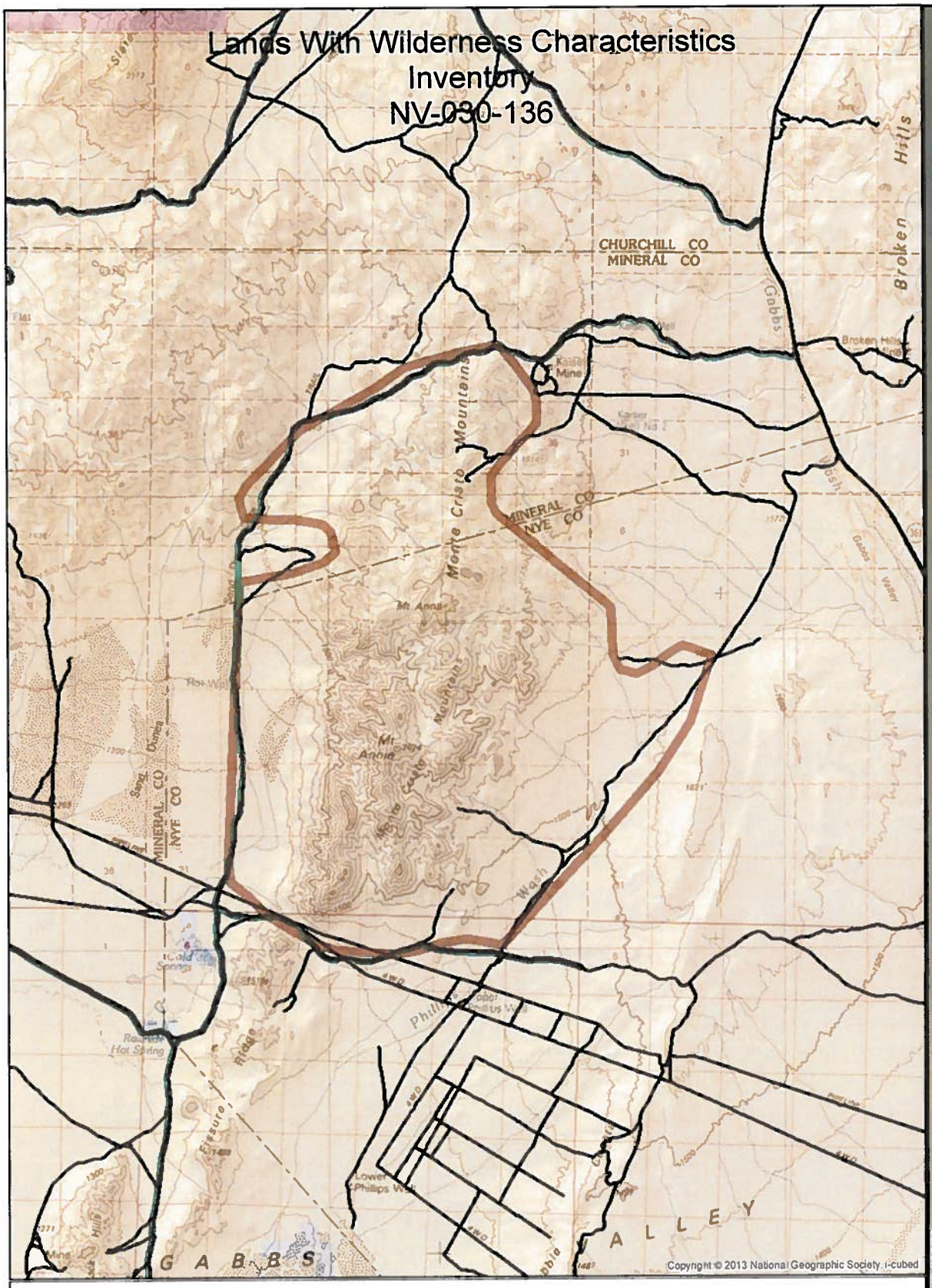

BLM

Carson City District Office

Legend

UNIT_ID

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Road

BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

Agency

BIA

Bureau of Land Management

DOD

FS

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Carson City District Project Area

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-137

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Black Eagle Hill / NV-030-137

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-137	Yes	Yes	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-137 Acreage: 30,000
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ____X____ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the Black Eagle Hill unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes X____ No ____ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the Black Eagle Hill unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No ___X____ N/A___

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on solitude, remains current for the unit.

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No ___X_____ N/A____

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on primitive and unconfined recreation, remains current for the unit.

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-137

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? _X_ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes __X_ No __ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: [signature] Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory
NV-030-137

BLM

Carson City District Office

Legend

UNIT_ID
- 137
- Road
- BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

Agency
- Bureau of Land Management
- BIA

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Carson City District Project Area

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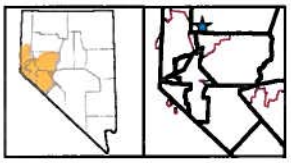

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-138

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Rawhide / NV-030-138

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-138	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-138 Acreage: 35,000
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the Rawhide unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X__ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the Rawhide unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X___

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-138

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-138

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BLM

Carson City District Office

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Carson City District Project Area

Legend

UNIT_ID

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-139

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Shirt Tail / NV-030-139

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-139	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-139 Acreage: 6,400
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the Shirt Tail unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X__ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the Shirt Tail unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-139

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

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Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: Teresa J. Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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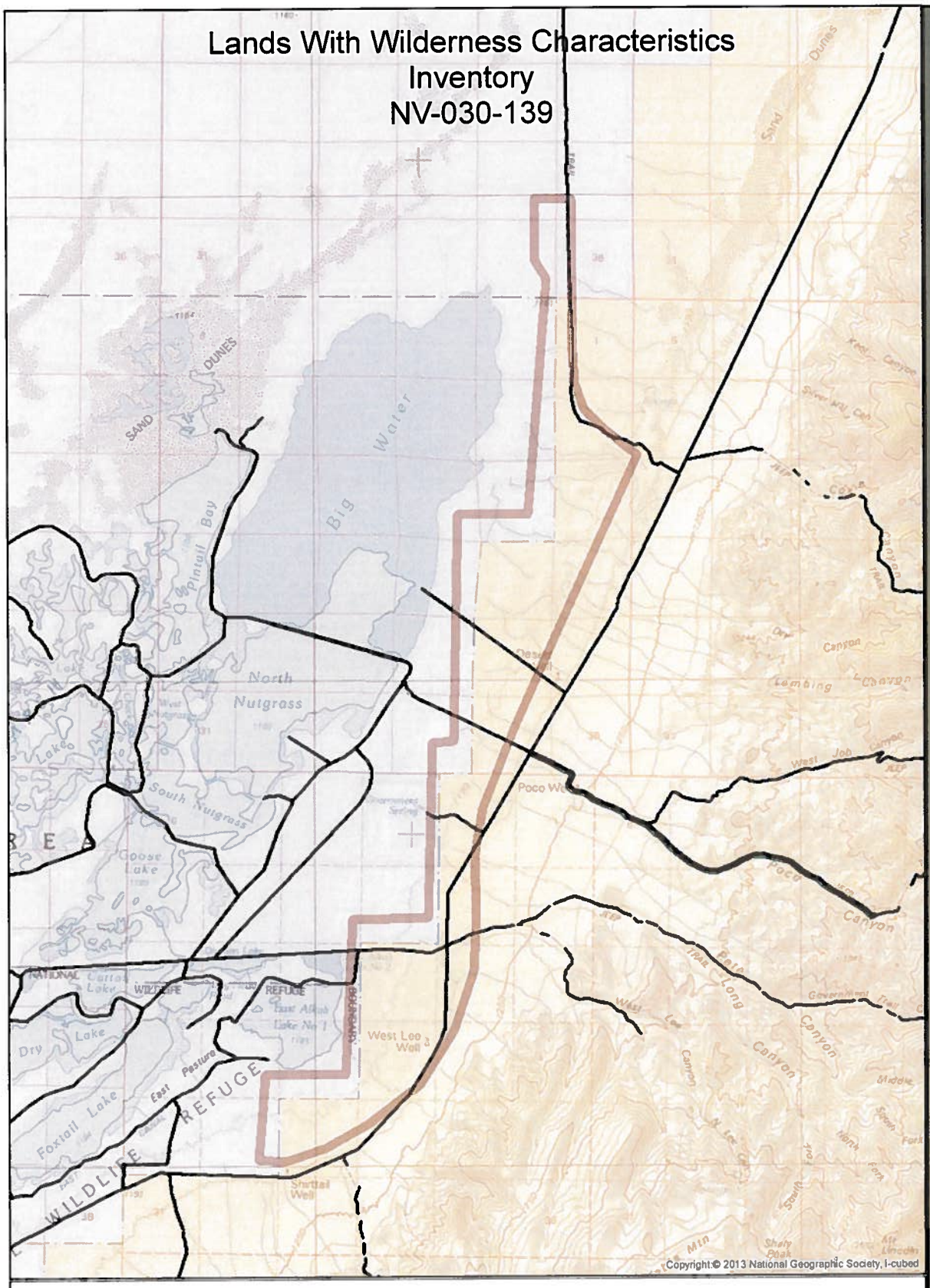

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Road

BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-140

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Gabbs Valley North / NV-030-140

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-140	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-140 Acreage: 54,000
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the Gabbs Valley North unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X__ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the Gabbs Valley North unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X___

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-140

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: Teresa J. Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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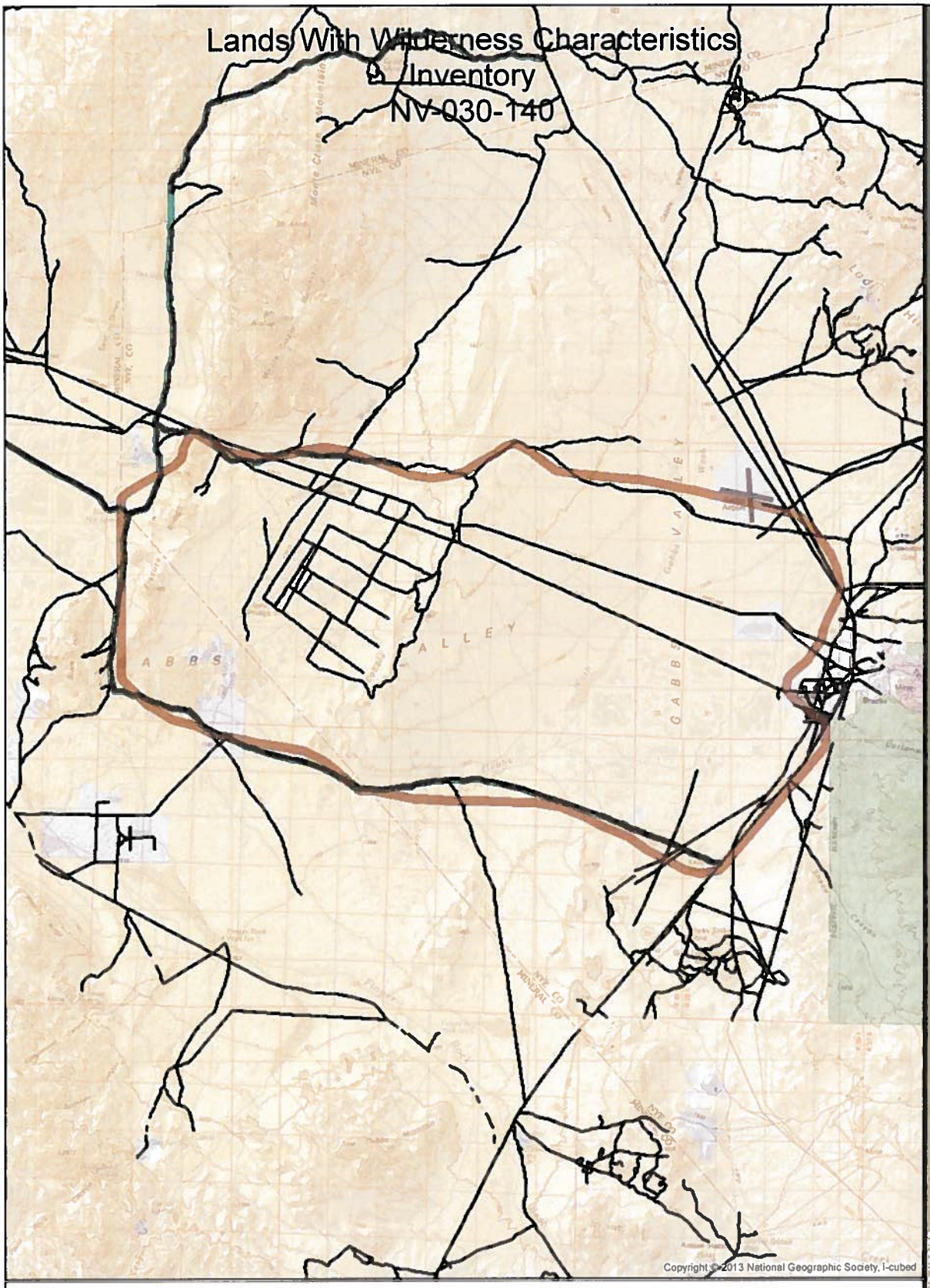

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Road

BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

Agency

Bureau of Land Management

FS

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-141

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Sand Dunes / NV-030-141

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-141	Yes	Yes	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-141 Acreage: 23,600
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes __X__ No ____ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No __X____ N/A___

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on solitude, remains current for the unit.

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No __X____ N/A____

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on primitive and unconfined recreation, remains current for the unit.

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-141

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? _X_ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

__X_ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

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Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

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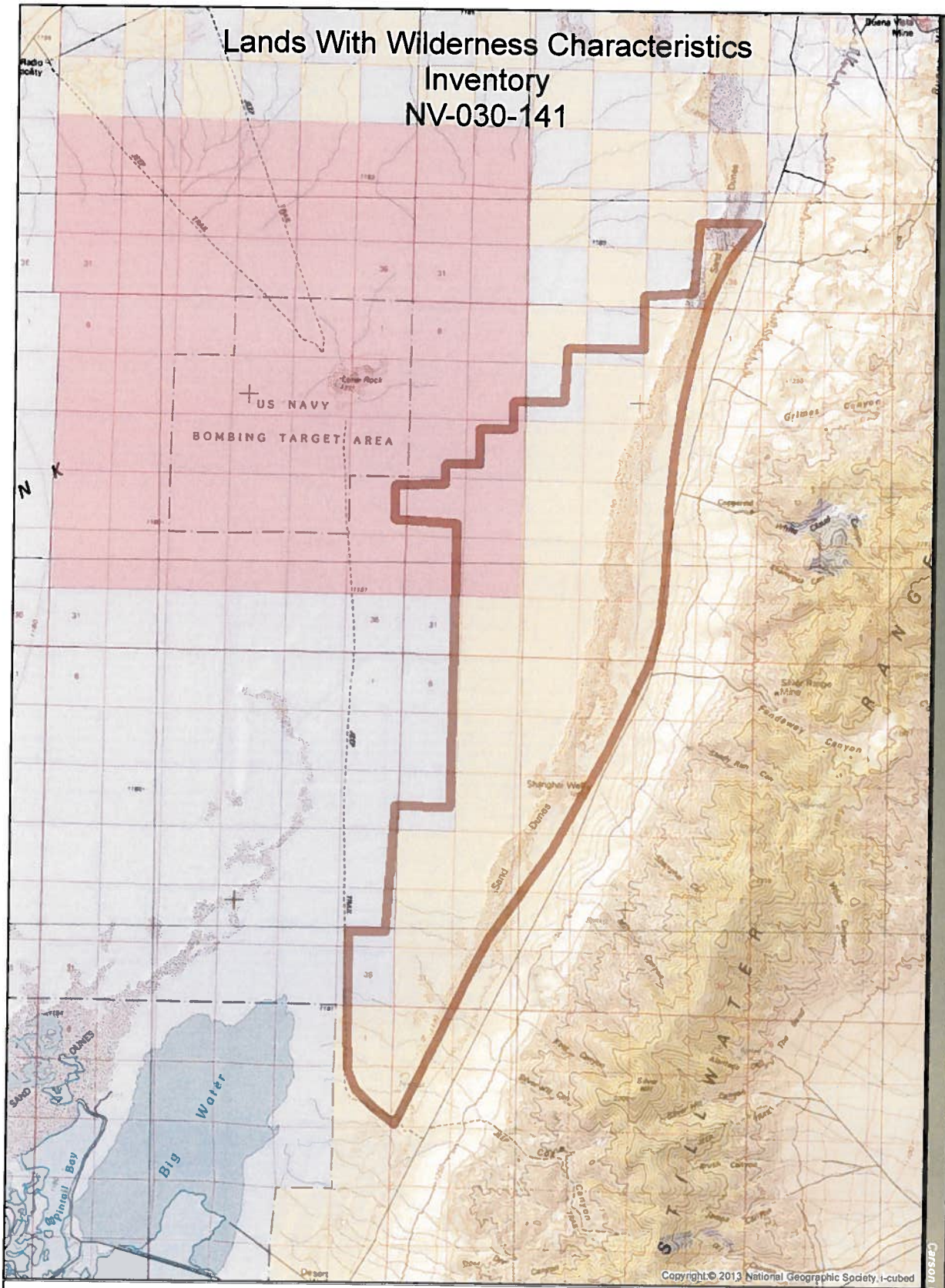

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Land Status NV

Agency

Bureau of Land Management

DOD

FS

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-142

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Bolivia / NV-030-142

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-142	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-142 Acreage: 41,600
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ____X____ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.).*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No __X__ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-142

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes __X_ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

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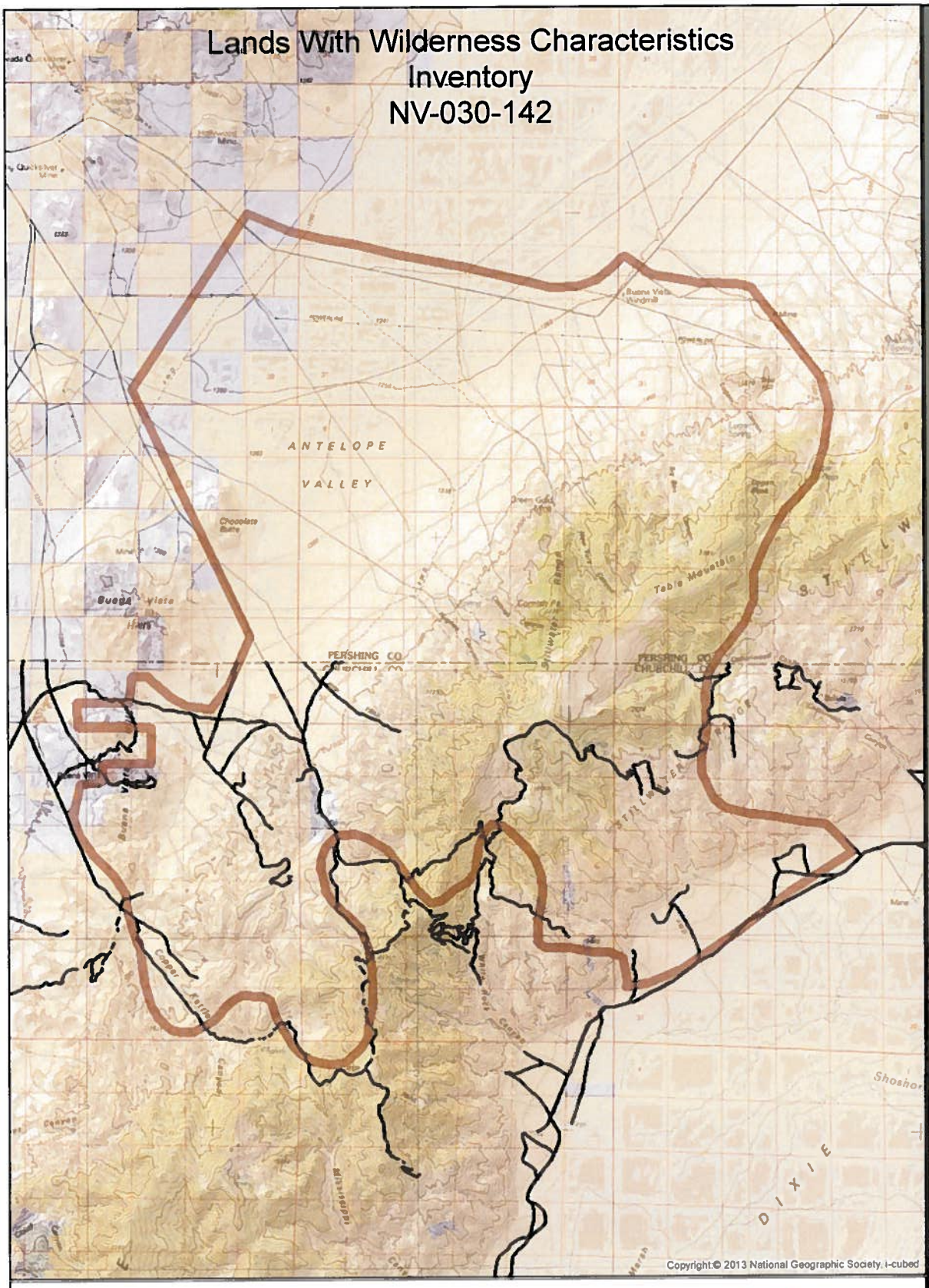

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- Road
- BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

Agency
- Bureau of Land Management
- DOD
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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-143

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Point / NV-030-143

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-143	No	Yes	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-143 Acreage: 720
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes _____ No ___X_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No ____ N/A____X____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__
Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-143

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? __ Yes _X_ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

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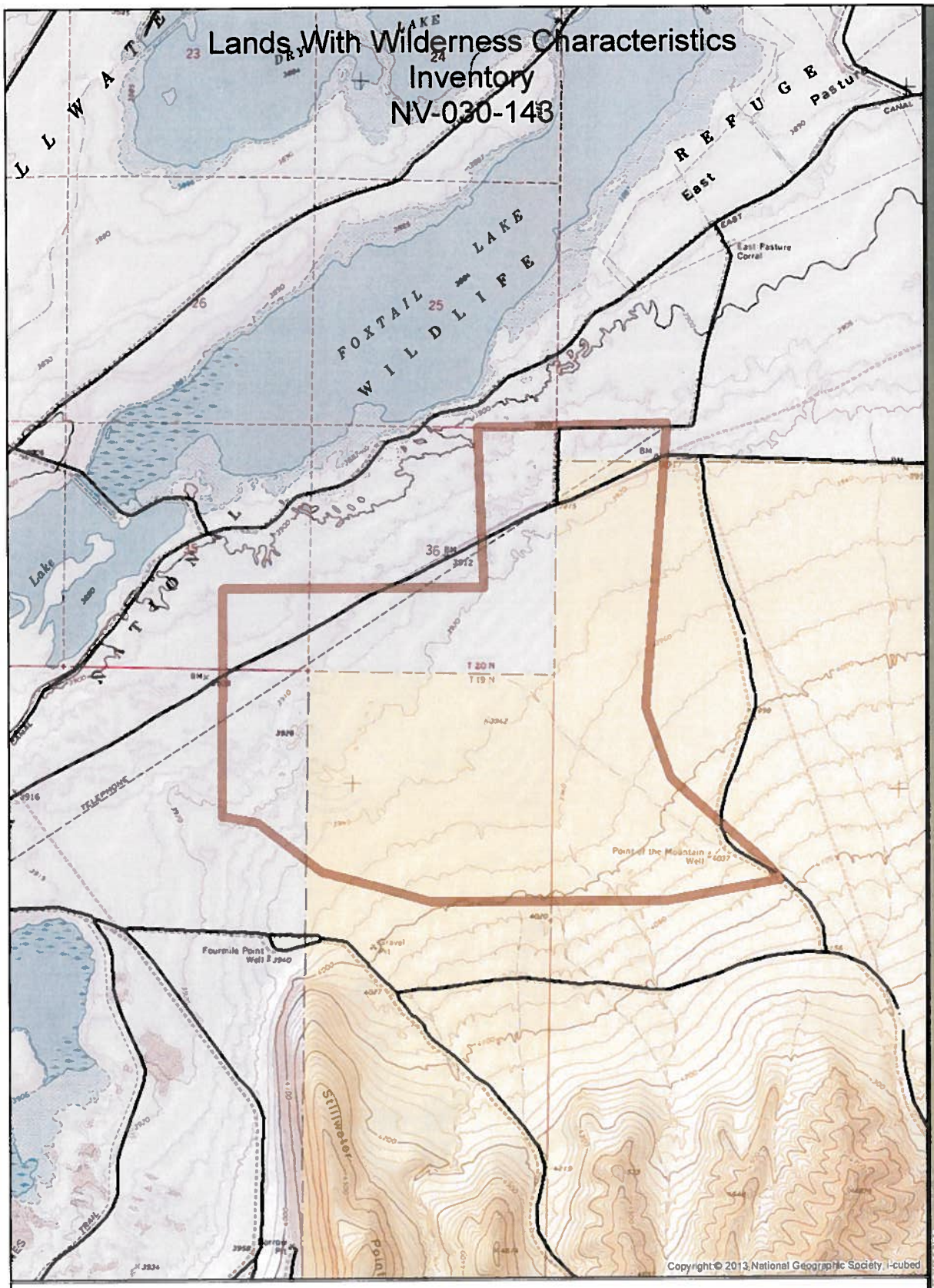

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Land Status NV

Agency

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.).*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-144

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Shoshone Creek NV-030-144

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-144	Yes	Yes	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-144 Acreage: 13,000
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes __X_ No ____ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No __X____ N/A___

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

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(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No ___X_____ N/A____

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on primitive and unconfined recreation, remains current for the unit.

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-144

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? X__ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

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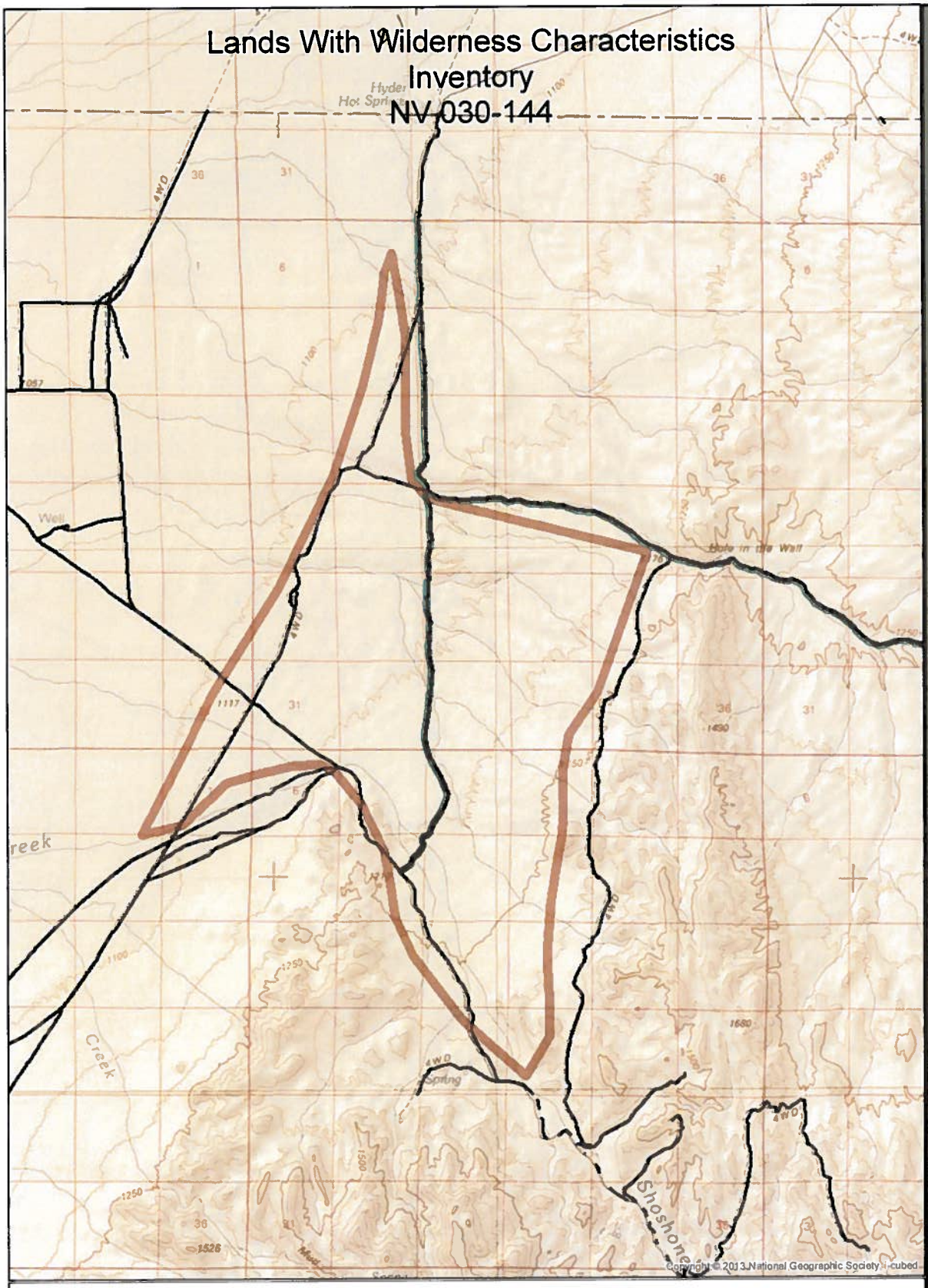

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-145

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Boyer Ranch / NV-030-145

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-145	Yes	Yes	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-145 Acreage: 8,600
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes __X__ No ____ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No __X____ N/A___

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No ___X_____ N/A____

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-145

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? _X_ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes __X_ No ___ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members): Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: Teresa J. Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-145

Legend

UNIT_ID
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Road
BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

Agency
Bureau of Land Management
DOD
FS

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Carson City District Project Area

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
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Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.)*:

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-146

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Wildhorse / NV-030-146

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-146	No	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-146 Acreage: 4,200
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes _____ No ___X_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No ____ N/A__X_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-146

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? __ Yes __X_ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-146

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-147

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Railroad Ridge

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-147	Yes	Yes	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-147 Acreage: 7,000
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes __X_ No ___ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No __X___ N/A___

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on solitude, remains current for the unit.

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No __X___ N/A___

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on primitive and unconfined recreation, remains current for the unit.

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-147

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? _X_ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

__X_ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

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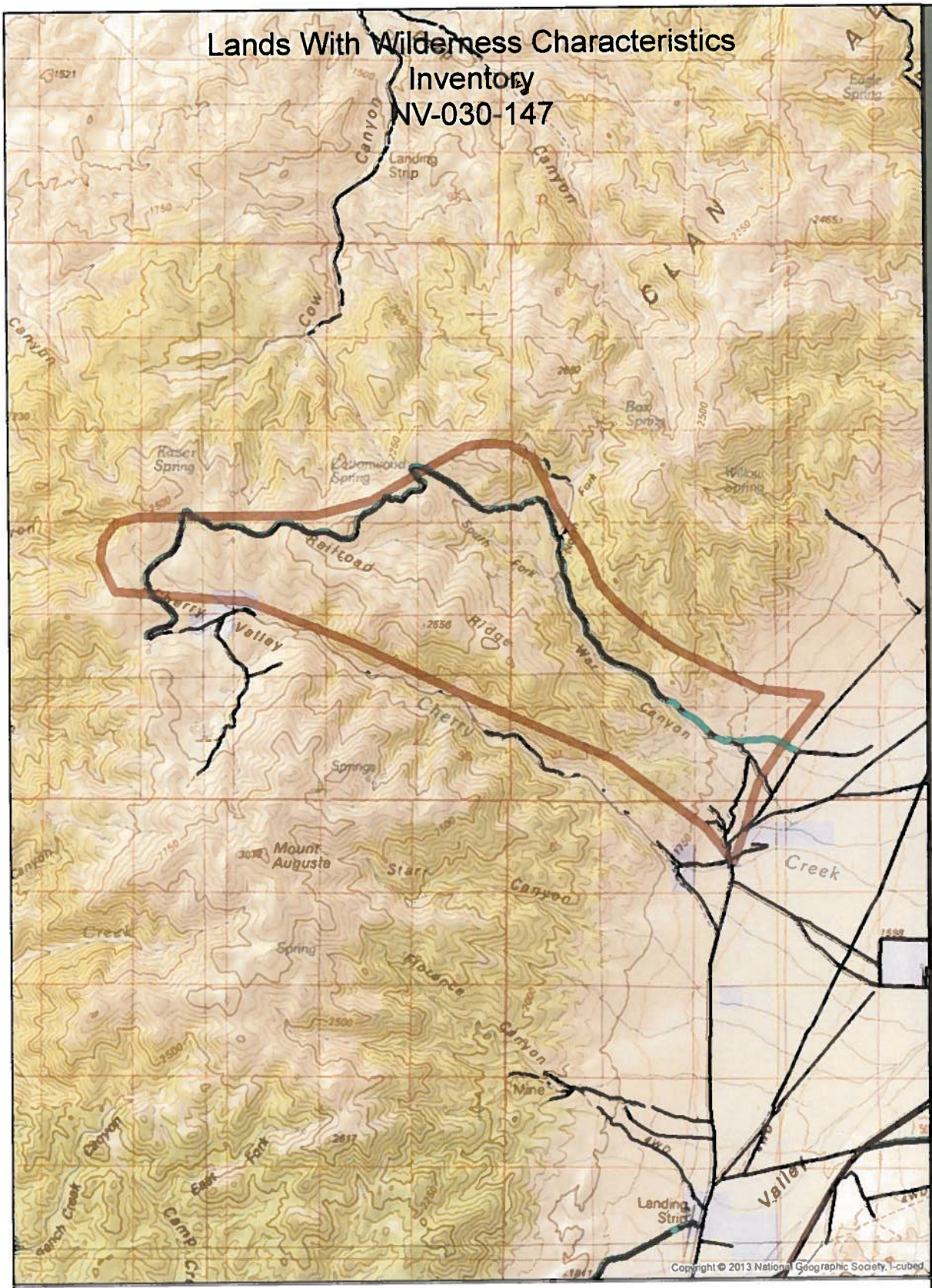

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UNIT_ID
- 147
- Road
- BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

Agency
- Bureau of Land Management
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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-148

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Check Dam

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-148	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-148 Acreage: 21,700
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit do not remain current. All Public lands in this unit were transferred into DOD ownership.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X_ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation)*:

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-148

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ____ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager)*:

Name: Teresa J. Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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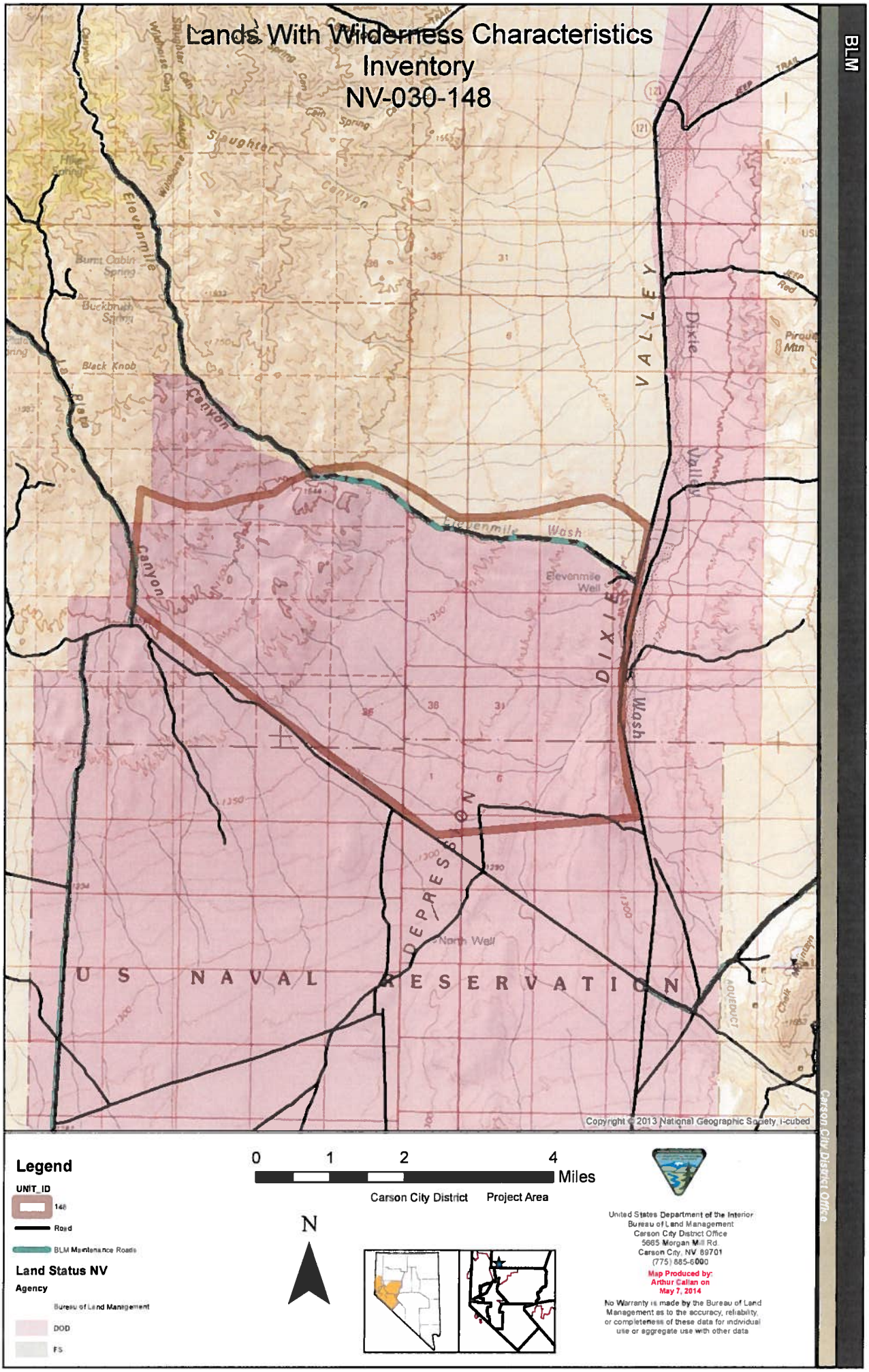
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Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-149

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Kaiser

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-149	Yes	Yes	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-149 Acreage: 25,500
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ___X___ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes ___X___ No ____ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No ___X____ N/A___

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on solitude, remains current for the unit.

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No ___X____ N/A____

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on primitive and unconfined recreation, remains current for the unit.

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-149

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? X__ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

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Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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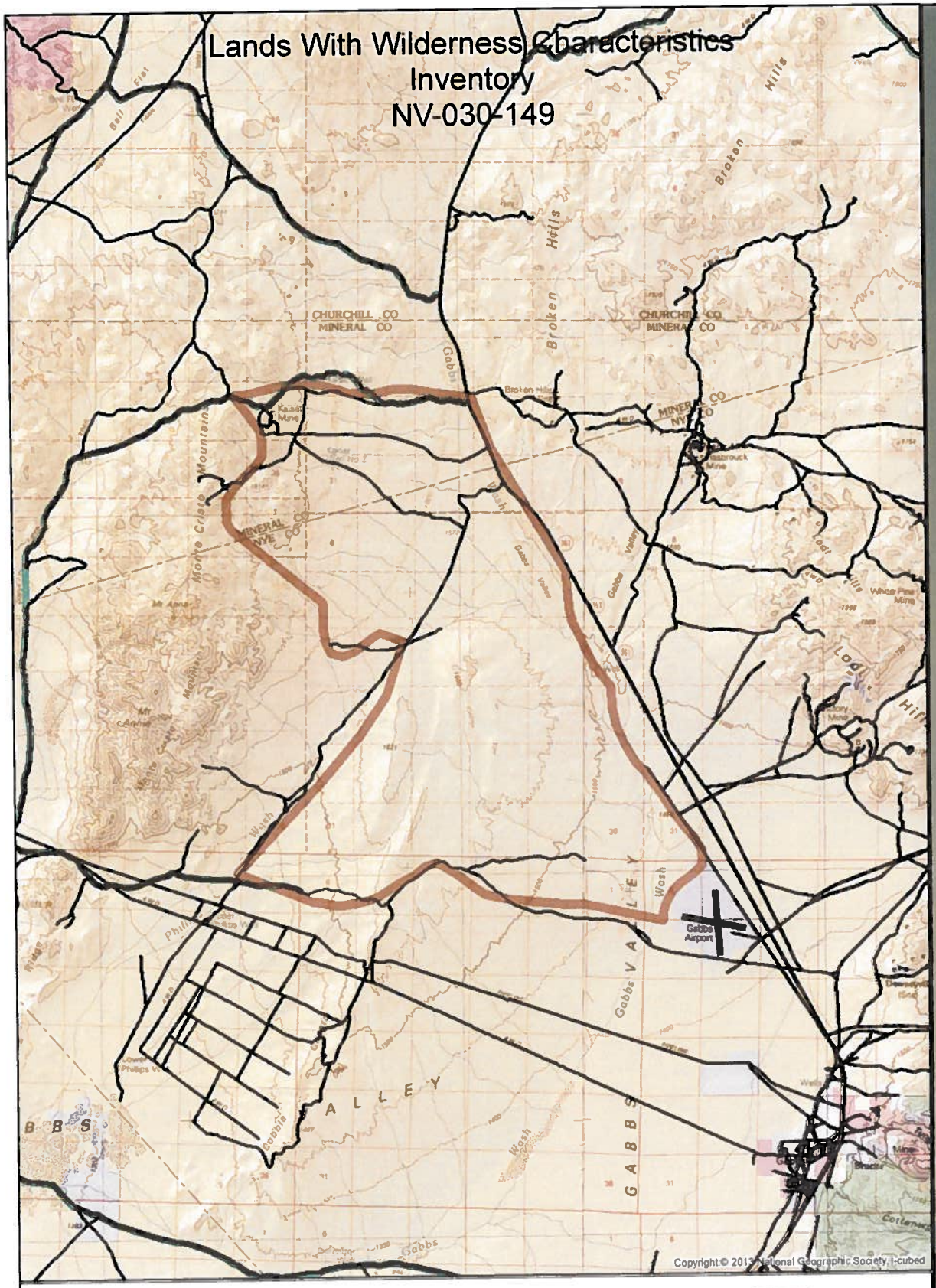

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1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-150

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Sink Avata Hills

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-150	Yes	Yes	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-150 Acreage: 30,000
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes __X_ No ____ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No __X____ N/A___

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on solitude, remains current for the unit.

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No __X____ N/A____

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on primitive and unconfined recreation, remains current for the unit.

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-150

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? _X_ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes __X_ No ___ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

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Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

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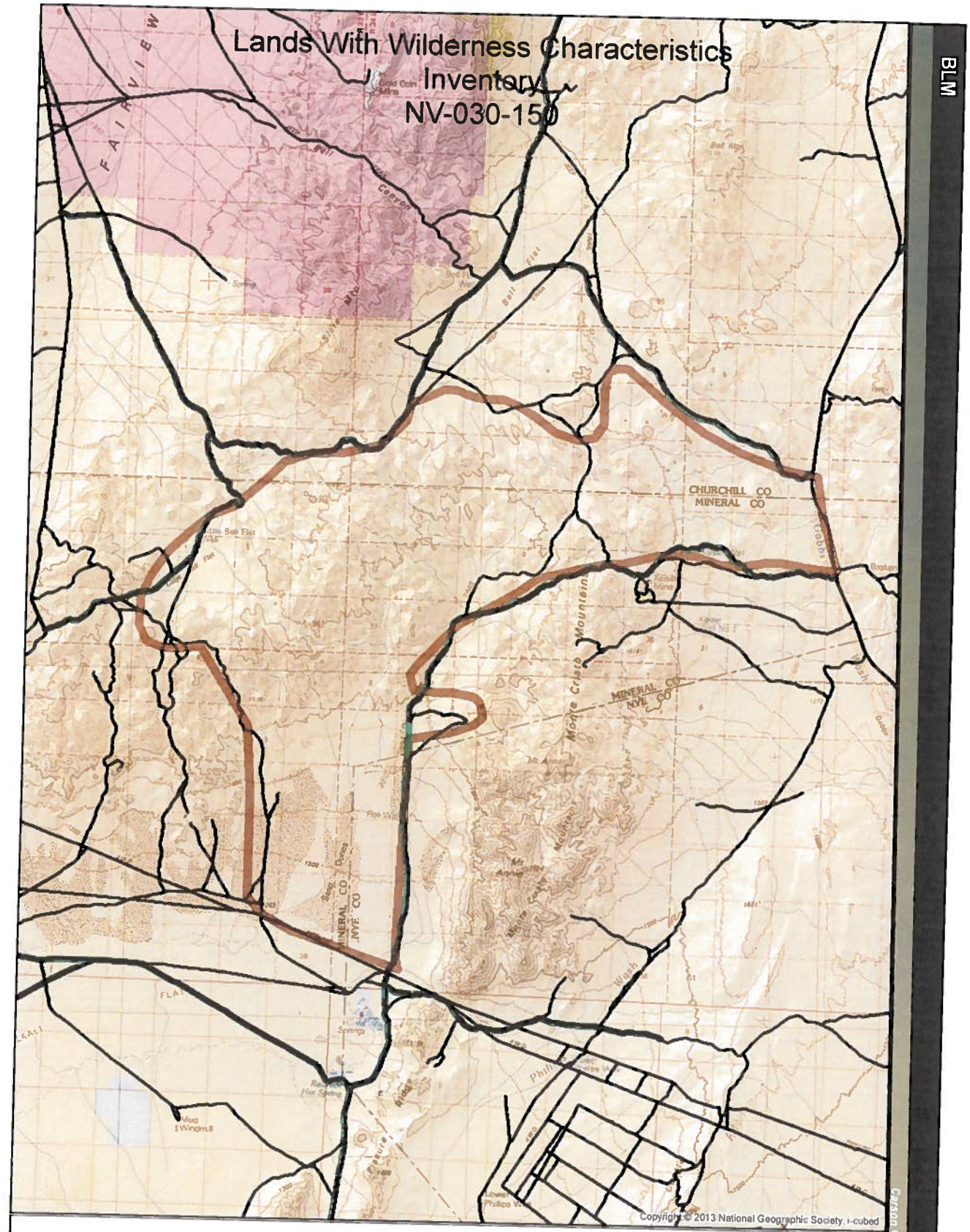

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Land Status NV

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-200

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Red Mountain

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-200	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-200 Acreage: 12,100
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ____X____ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

Boundaries of the unit are primarily property lines.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X___ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
The geographical context of the unit is defined by north end of the Dead Camel Mountains. Two parallel transmission lines run north/south through the unit. The area is a known OHV riding area with competitive motorcycle race events having been authorized over many years.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-200

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _**X**_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes __**X**_ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _**X**__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _**X**__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_**X**__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):* Arthur Callan - ORP

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: Teresa J. Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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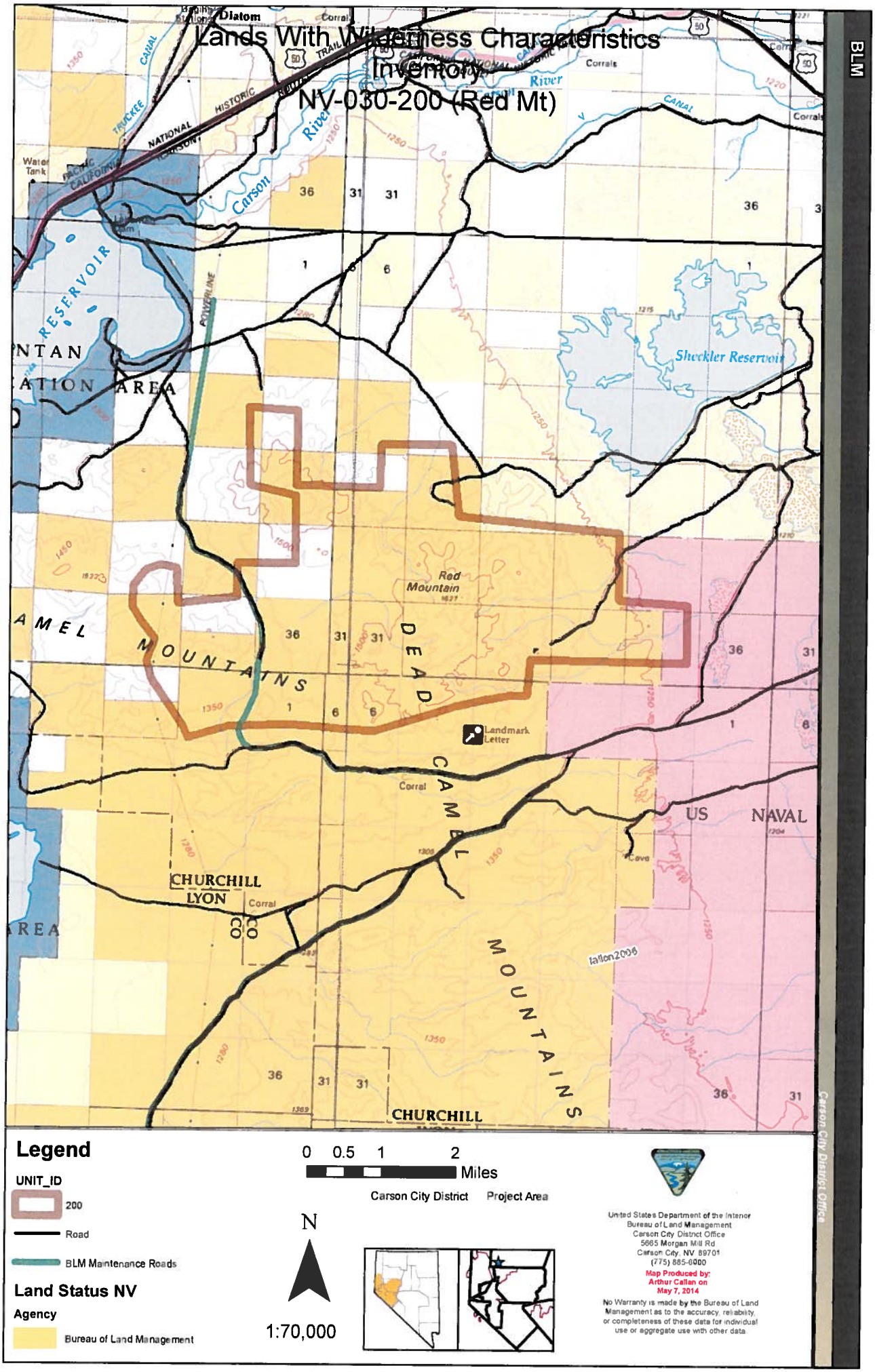
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NV-030-200 (Red Mt)

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-201

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Virginia Range

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-201	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-201 Acreage: 36,480
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes _____ No ___X_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

Majority of land status within this unit is checkerboard. The largest contiguous block of public land, located in the south end of the unit, does not meet the 5,000 acre minimum.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No ____ N/A___X_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-201

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? __ Yes __**X**_ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes ___ No _**X**__ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _**X**__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _**X**__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_**X**__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):* Arthur Callan - ORP

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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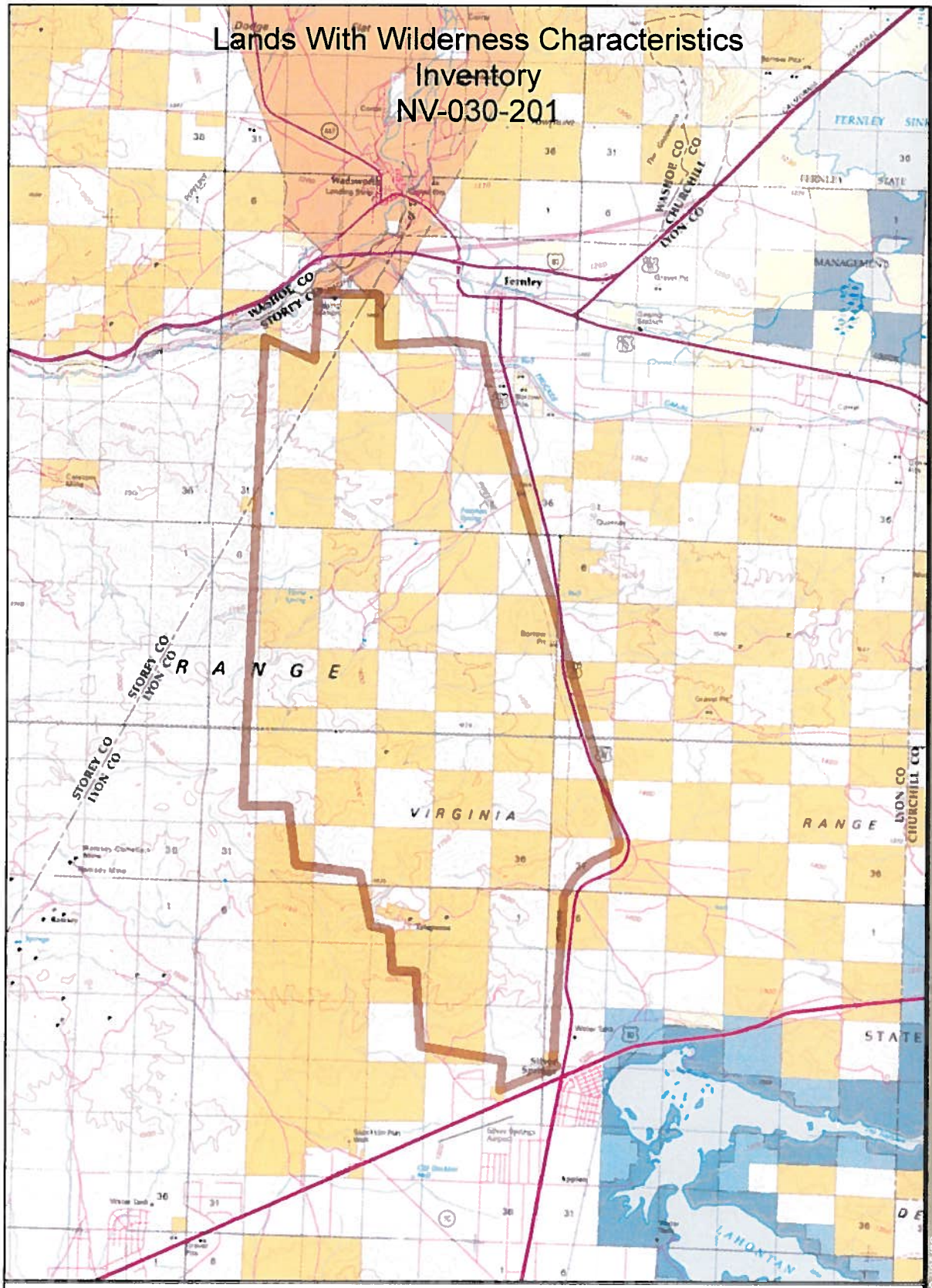

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Land Status NV

Agency

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-202

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Talapoosa

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-202	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-202 Acreage: 8,640
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

Unit boundary is defined by property lines and Highway 50 corridor.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X__ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
A transmission line runs east/west through the mid-section of the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X_

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X_
Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-202

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):* Arthur Callan - ORP

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manager

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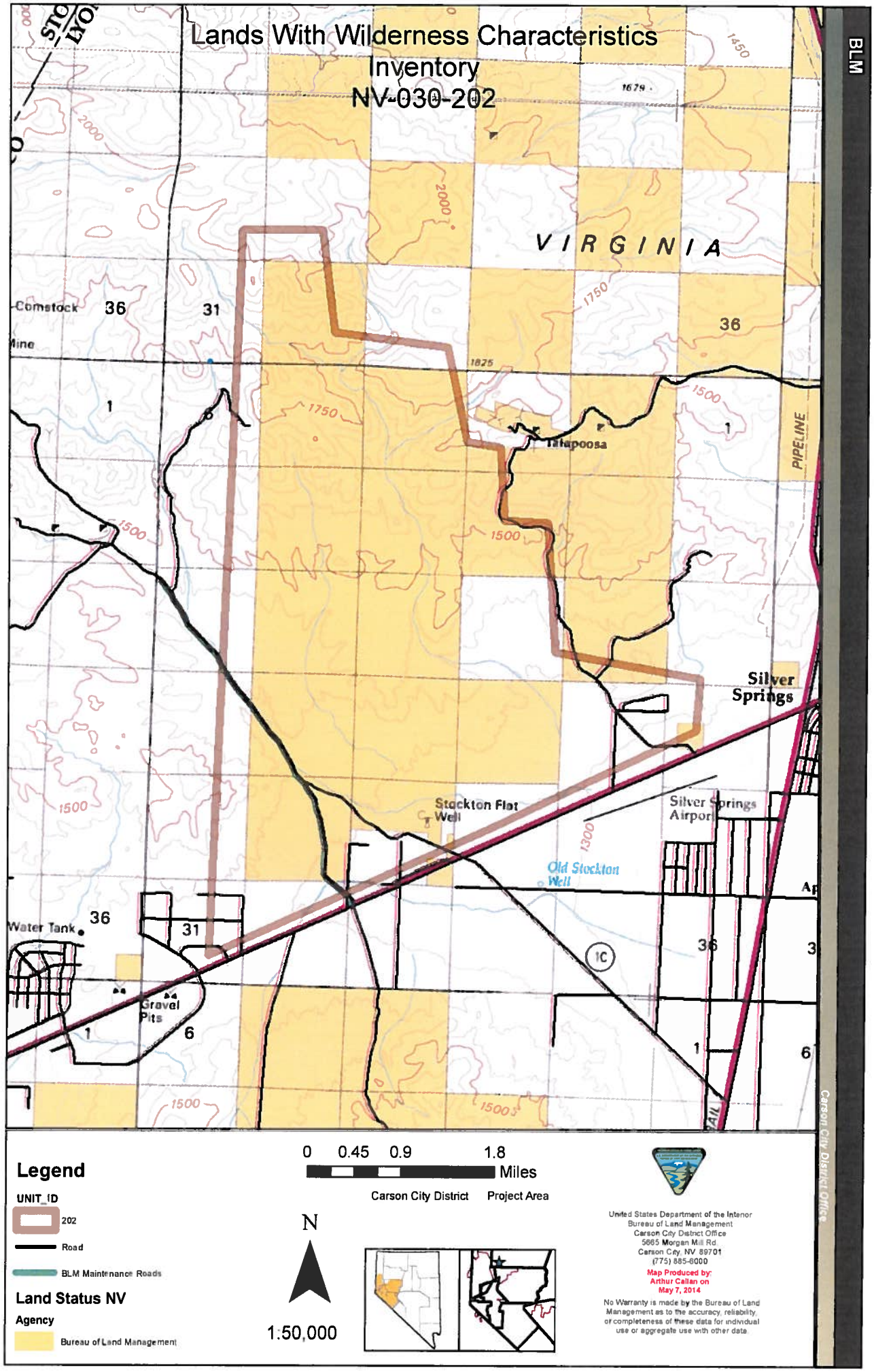
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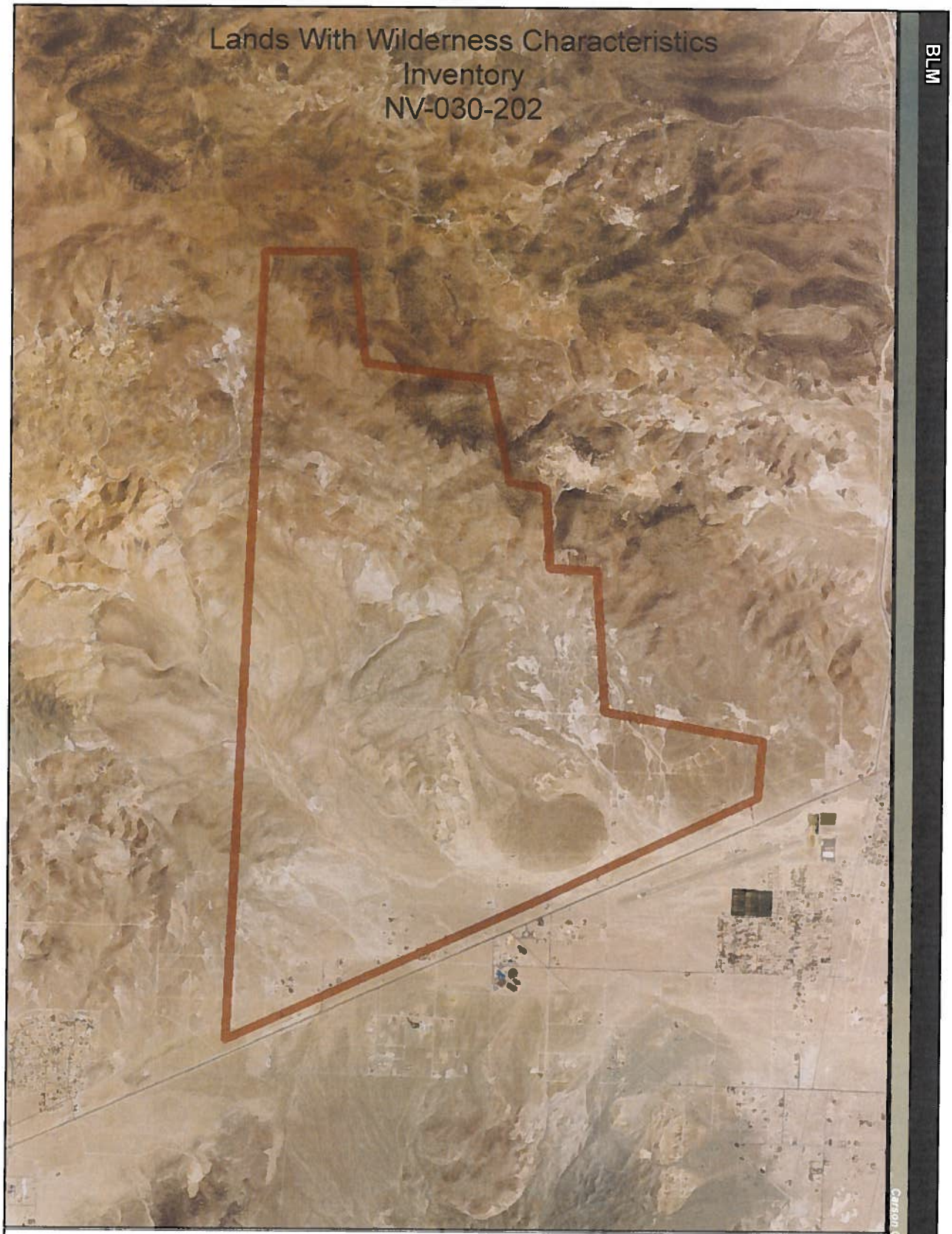

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-203

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Virginia Range

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office/Sierra Front Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-203	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-203 Acreage: 70,400
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes _____ No ___X_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit does not remain current. Entire unit is checkerboard so there are no contiguous public land blocks larger than 5,000 acres.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No ____ N/A___X_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-203

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? __ Yes _X__ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):* Arthur Callan - ORP

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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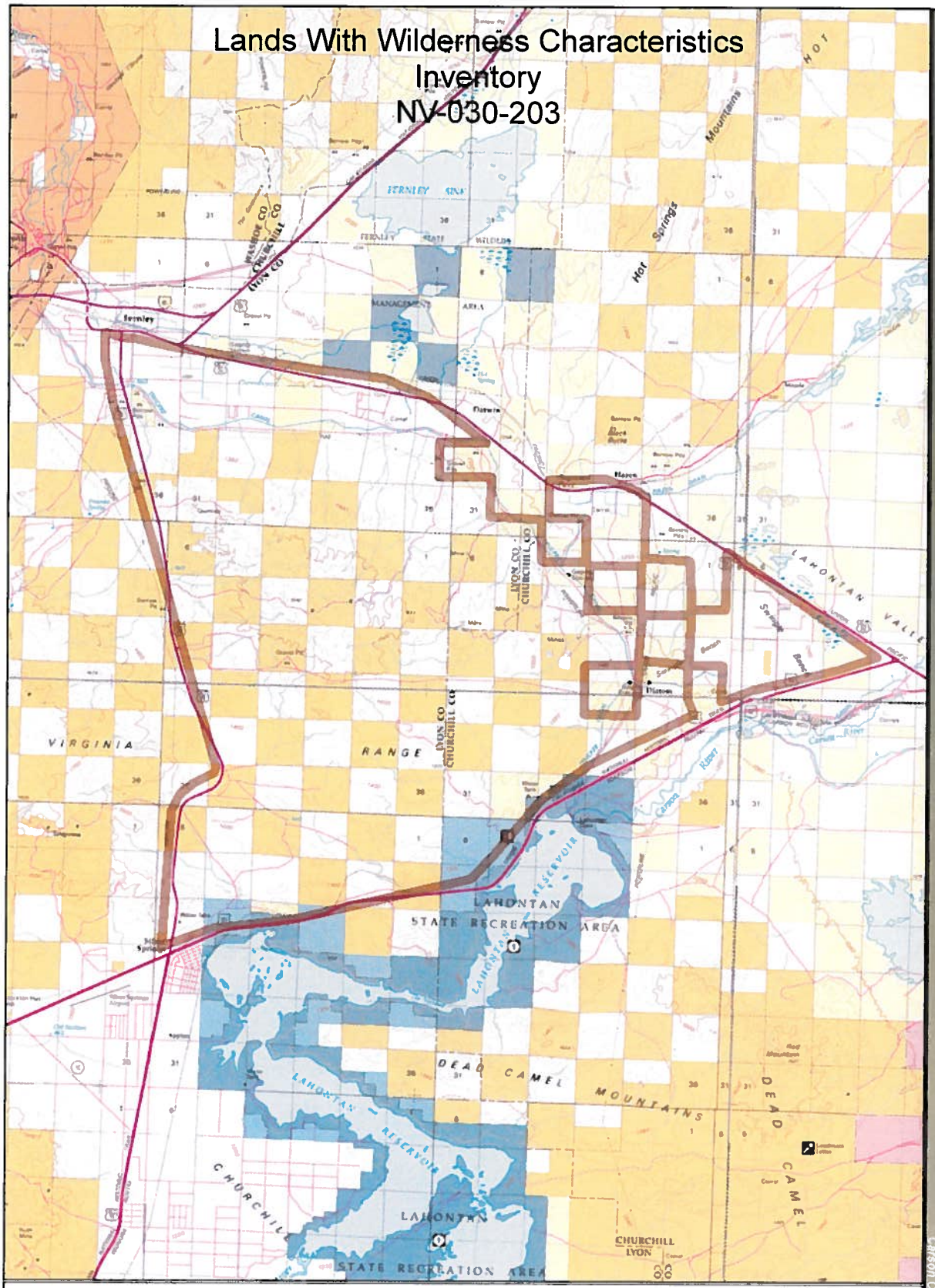

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Land Status NV

Agency

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Carson City District Project Area

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-204

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Churchill Butte

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-204	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-204 Acreage: 27,080
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ___X___ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

Boundary of the unit is defined by roads and the Carson River corridor.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X___ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
The geographical context of the unit is defined by Churchill Butte. A transmission line runs up to the peak where a communication site exists. There are mining related features near Ruth Mine. Approximately 40% of the unit is private land.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X_

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X_

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-204

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes __X_ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):* Arthur Callan - ORP

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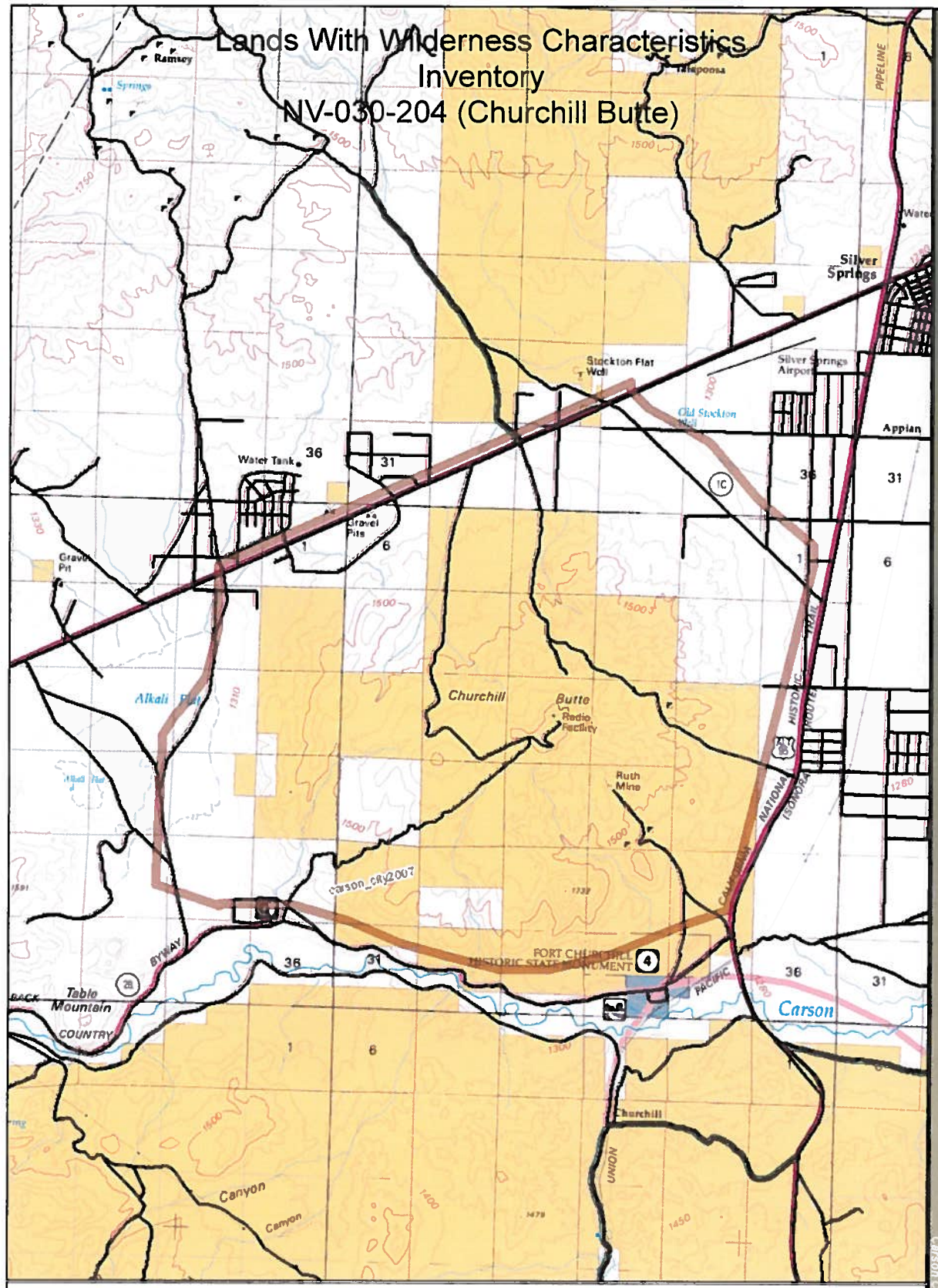

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Road

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-205

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Lahontan Reservoir

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office/Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-205	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-205 Acreage: 7,040
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes _____ No ___X_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit does not remain current. Land status of unit is checkerboard. No contiguous public land within unit approaching 5,000 acres.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No ____ N/A___X_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-205

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? __ Yes _X__ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):* Arthur Callan - ORP

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 8 4 2014

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-205

BLM

Legend

UNIT_ID
205
Road
BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

Agency
Bureau of Land Management
BIA
DOD
FWS

0 0.75 1.5 3 Miles

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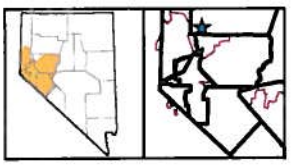

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Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-206

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Lahontan Flat

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-206	Yes	Yes	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-206 Acreage: 6,848
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ___X___ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current. The boundary of this unit is defined by roads, transmission line (east boundary) and property lines.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes ___X___ No ____ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit. The unit is situated at the south end of Churchill Valley, with emphasis on valley. The unit is about 7 miles long and 1 mile wide at its narrowest. There are several playas on the western side of the unit that receive moderate recreation use including playa camping, OHV, and recreational rocket launching. The south boundary road is part of the annual Vegas to Reno OHV race. An annual horse endurance ride uses roads and trails on the western side of the unit along south side of the river.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No ___X____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on solitude, remains current for the unit.

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No ___X_____ N/A____

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on primitive and unconfined recreation, remains current for the unit.

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-206

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? _X_ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members): Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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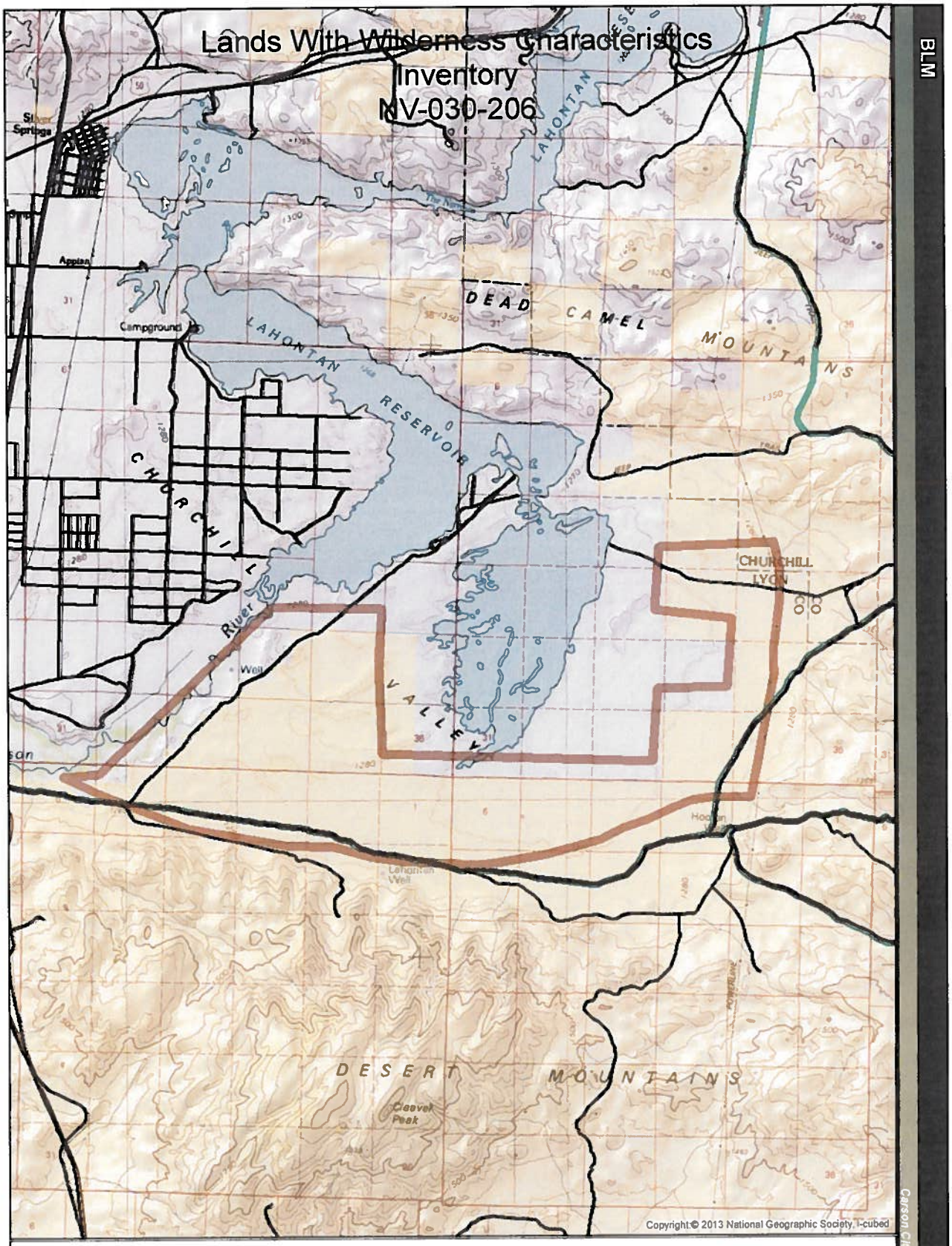

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Legend

UNIT_ID
206
Road
BLM Maintinance Roads

Land Status NV

Agency
Bureau of Land Management
BIA
DOD
FWS

0 1 2 4 Miles

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-207

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Dead Camel Mountains NW

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office/Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-207	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-207 Acreage: 5,025
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current. The unit is triangular shaped. The western boundary is formed by a north/south oriented transmission line, whereas the other two parts of the triangle are formed by roads.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No __X__ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit. A second transmission line runs parallel to the western boundary transmission line. This second line runs through the unit. A corral is located in the SW section of the unit off an interior road and another corral located on the north boundary road where it intersects the transmission line.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-207

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes __X_ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager): Arthur Callan - ORP*

Name: Teresa J. Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

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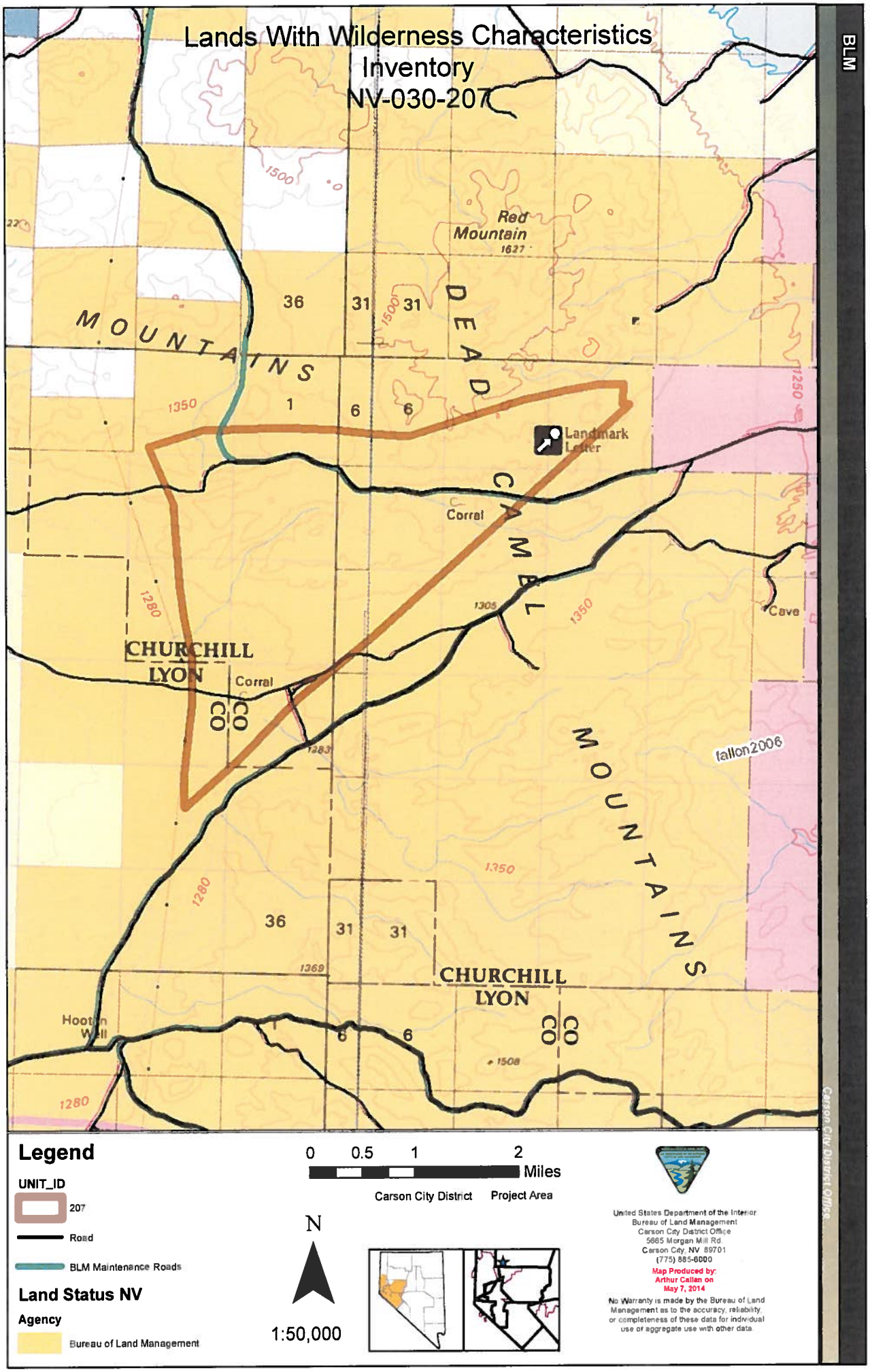

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-208

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Dead Camel Mountains (North)

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office/Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-208	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-208 Acreage: 16,000
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current. The boundary of this unit is defined by roads, property lines and a transmission line on the west side.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X__ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit. The geographical context of the unit is defined by the south end of the Dead Camel Mountains. Another transmission line separate from the boundary power-line runs north/south through the unit. The area is a known OHV riding area with competitive motorcycle race events having been authorized over many years.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-208

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes __X_ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

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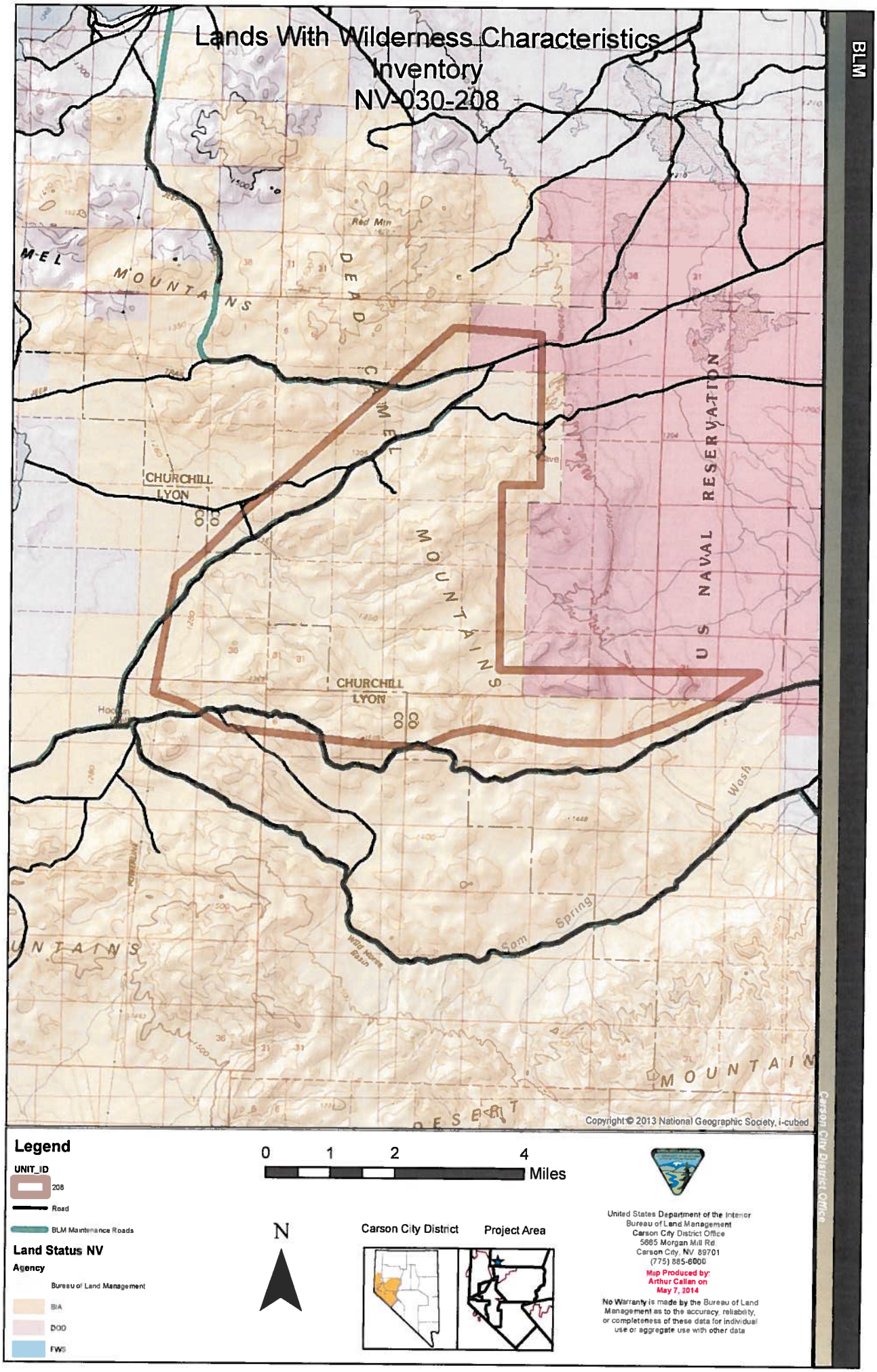
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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-209

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Dead Camel Mountains (South)

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office/Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-209	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-209 Acreage: 16,640
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

The boundary of this unit is defined by roads, property lines and a transmission line on the west side.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X__ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
The geographical context of the unit is defined by the southern extent of the Dead Camel Mountains. Another transmission line separate from the boundary power-line runs north/south through the unit. A mineral material site is located within the unit on the west side. The area is a known OHV riding area with competitive motorcycle race events having been authorized over many years. The annual Vegas to Reno OHV race runs through the unit on system roads. The eastern tip of the unit is DOD and BOR lands.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X___

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-209

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manager

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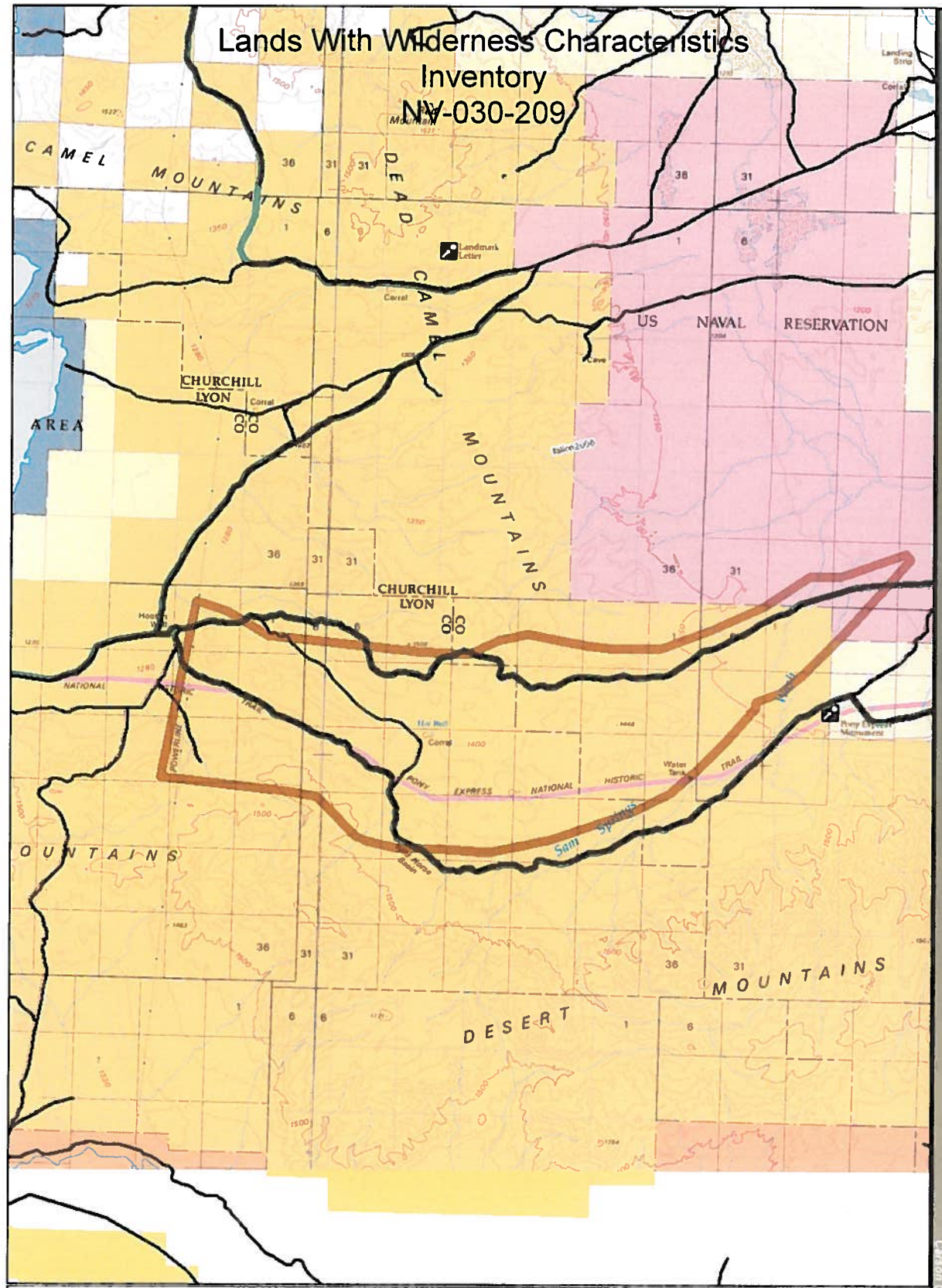

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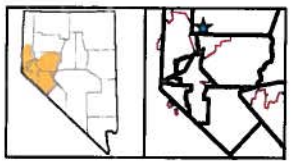

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-210

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Adrian Valley (North)

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-210	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-210 Acreage: 16,000
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

The boundary of this unit is defined by a transmission line corridor on the west side of the unit, an established road on the east, and the Carson River to the north.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X__ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
The geographical context of this unit is defined by the Carson River, Adrian Valley and Bull and Mineral Canyons. The majority of the unit is public land. A pipeline runs through the middle of the unit in a north/south direction. There are numerous travel management related surface disturbances that occur in the northern portion of the unit around the pipeline.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-210

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manager

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-211

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Adrian Valley (East)

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-211	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-211 Acreage: 13,440
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

The boundary of this unit is defined by Highway Alternate 95 on the east, Adrian Valley Road to the west, and Carson River to the north. The unit is long and narrow, approximately 2 miles wide and 10 miles long.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X__ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
A transmission line passes through the lower end of the unit. Five separate mineral material sites are located within the unit. The annual Vegas to Reno OHV race course utilize interior unit roads. Noxious weed populations have been identified along Adrian Valley Road at north end of unit. One system road passes through the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X_

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-211

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members): Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

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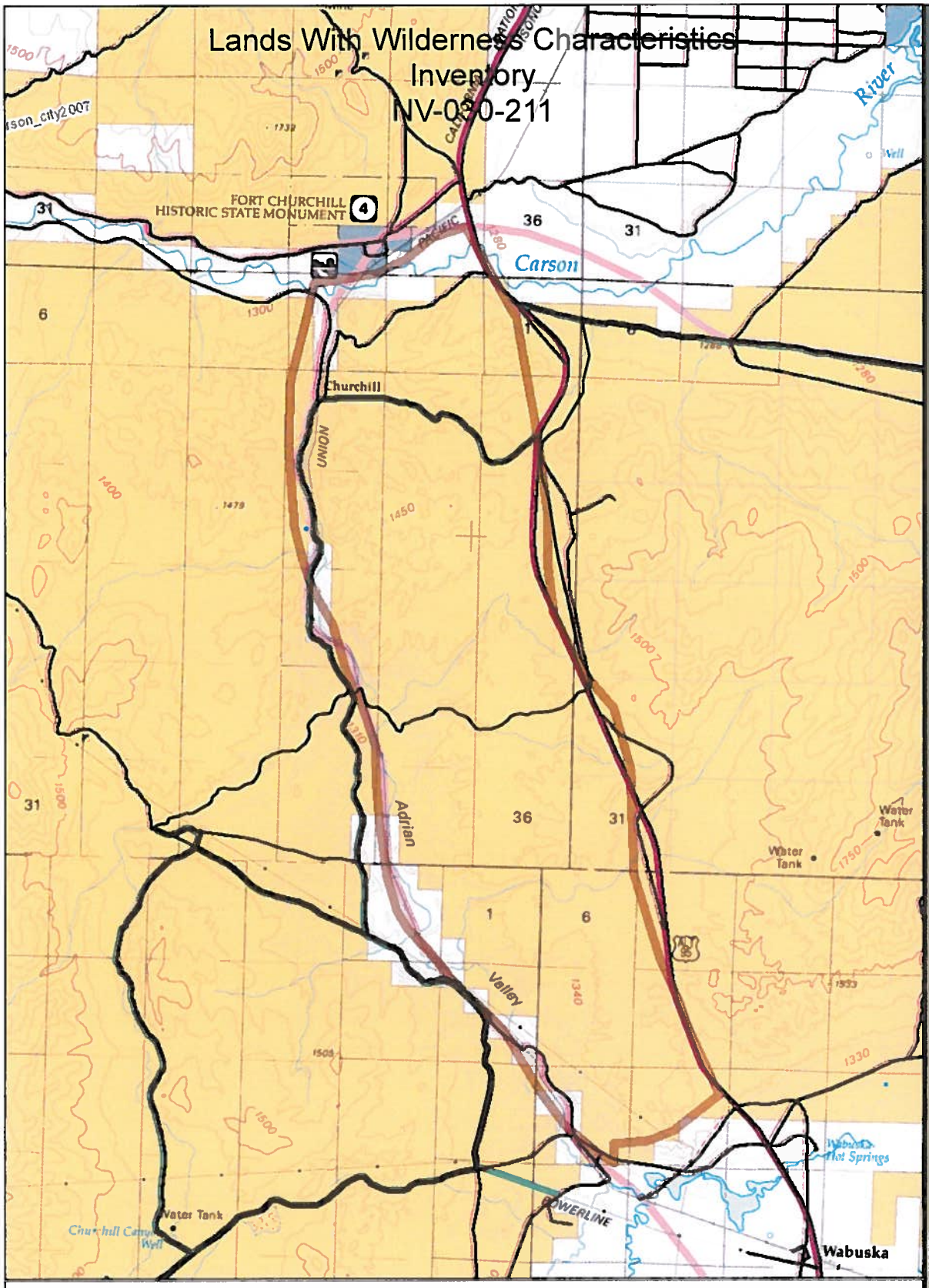

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Land Status NV

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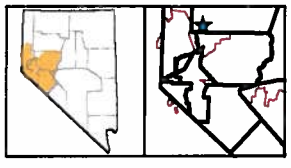

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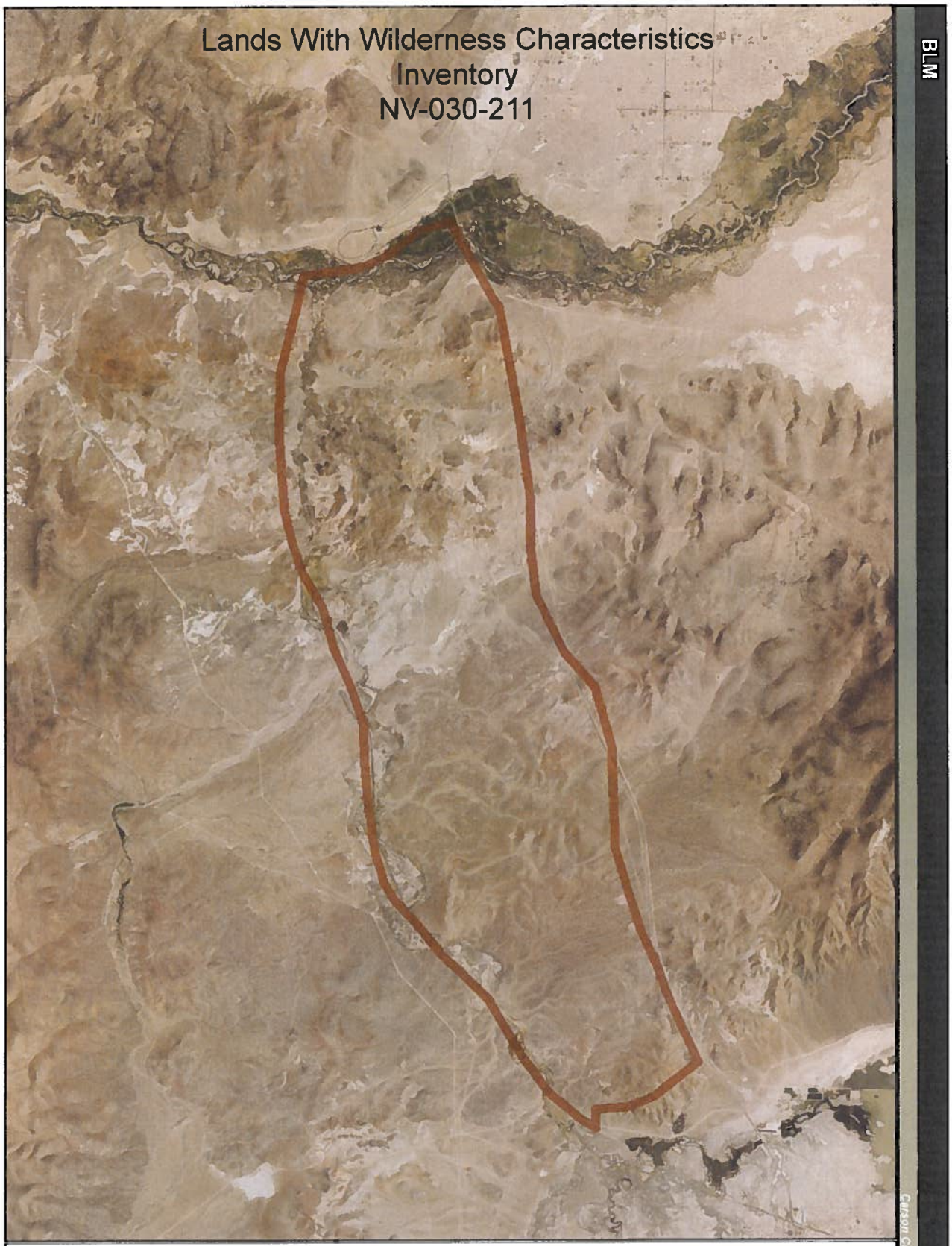

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-212

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Adrian Valley (South)

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-212	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-212 Acreage: 6,400
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current. The unit boundary is defined by a transmission line and Adrian Valley Road and Churchill Canyon Road.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X__ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit. The unit is primarily public land. A transmission line skirts the southern part of the unit and a pipeline runs north/south along the east side of the unit. The annual Vegas to Reno race course goes through the eastern portion of the unit. Several linear range improvements (i.e. fence line) are noted within the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-212

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _**X**_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes __**X**_ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _**X**__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No __**X**_ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_**X**__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members): Arthur Callan – ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager)*:

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manager

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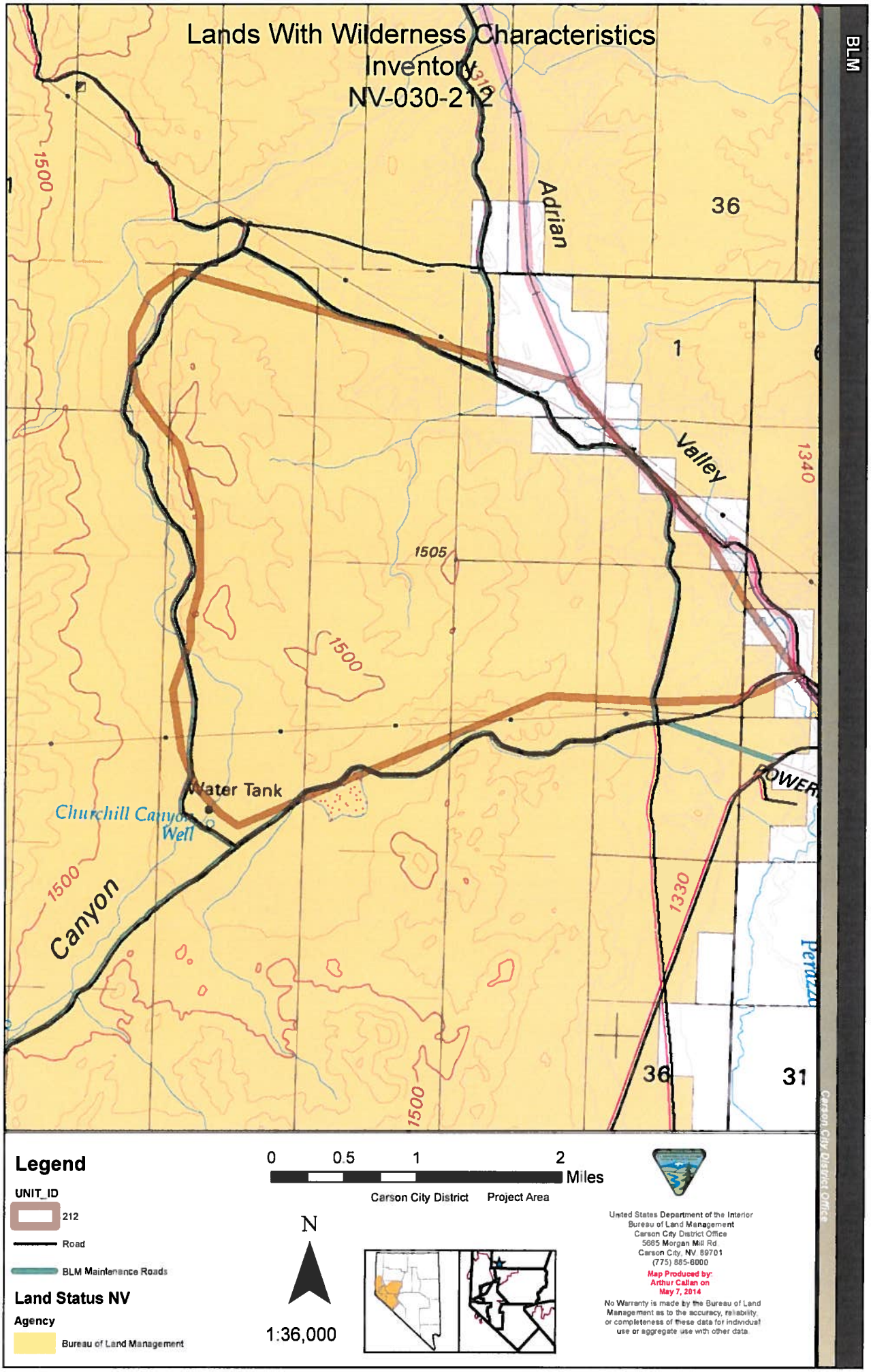

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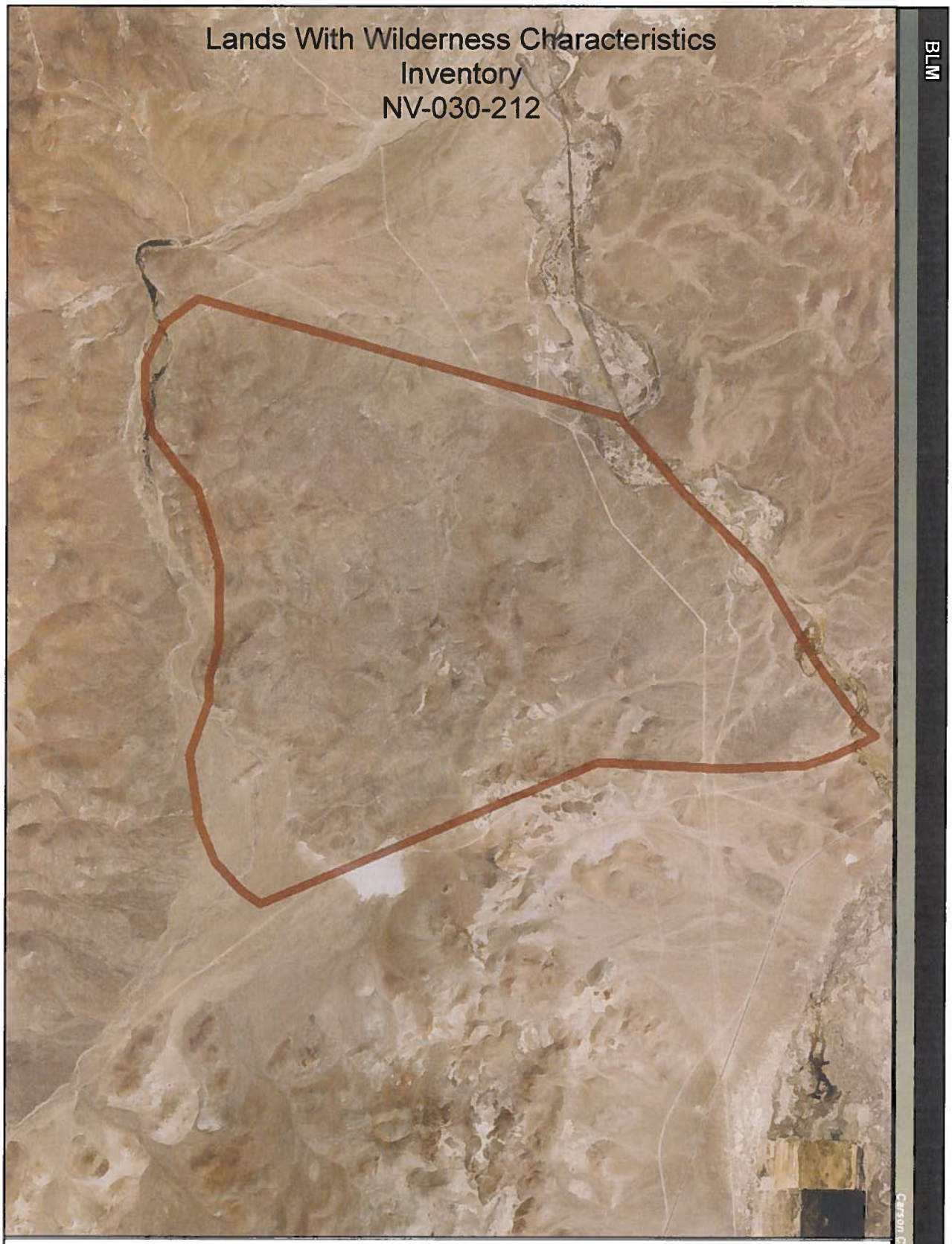

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-213

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Julian Ranch

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-213	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-213 Acreage: 14,080
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ___X___ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

The unit boundary is defined by transmission lines, roads, rail-way and property lines.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No __X__ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
The south end of the unit has a transmission line crossing through it. The south end of the unit also has a portion of a mineral material site located within it. At least two roads cross through the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X___

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-213

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes __X_ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

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Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

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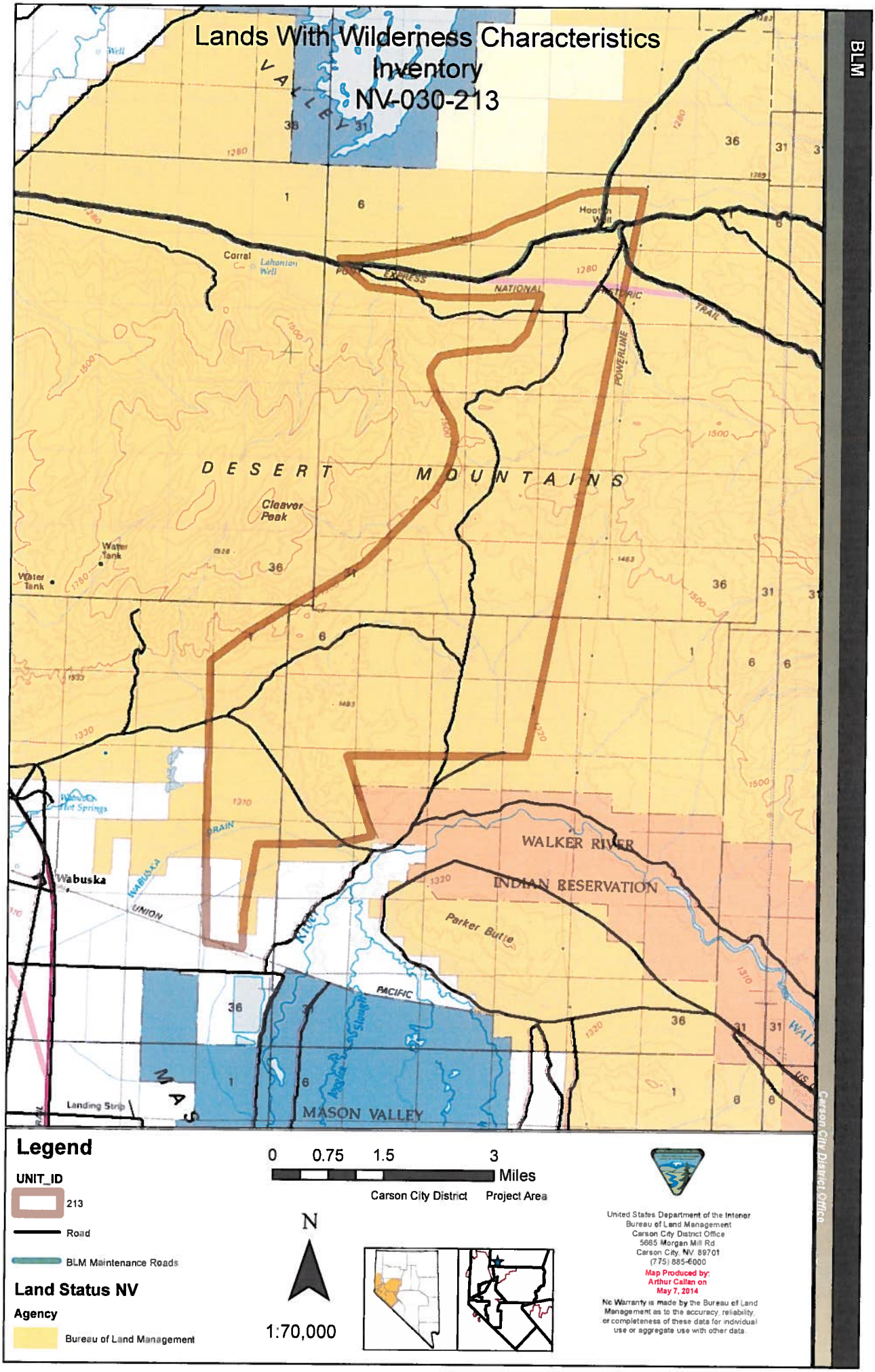
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Wabuska Hot Springs
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PACIFIC
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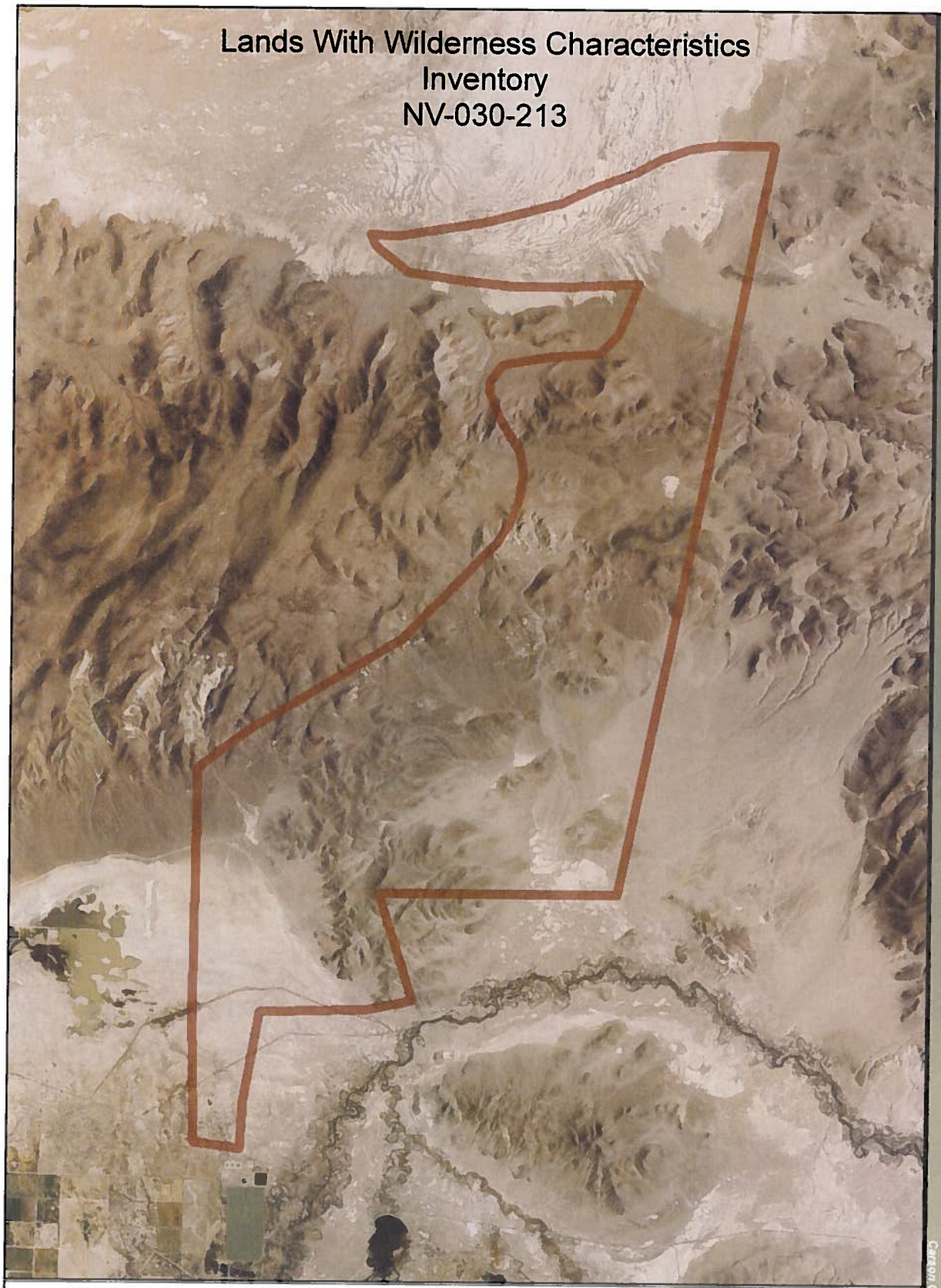

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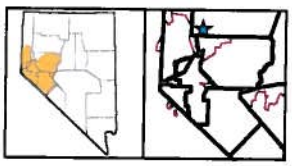

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Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-214

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Desert Mountains (West)

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-214	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-214 Acreage: 32,000
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ___X___ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current. The unit boundary is defined by Highway Alt 95, transmission lines, roads and a pipeline.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No __X__ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit. The geographical context of the unit is defined by the Desert Mountains and its highest point cleaver Peak. There are several range developments within the unit including a fence and gate and two water tanks. A telephone line exists in the south end. Aerial imagery (NAIP 2013) depicts several roads that extend into the unit from various points along the boundary.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-214

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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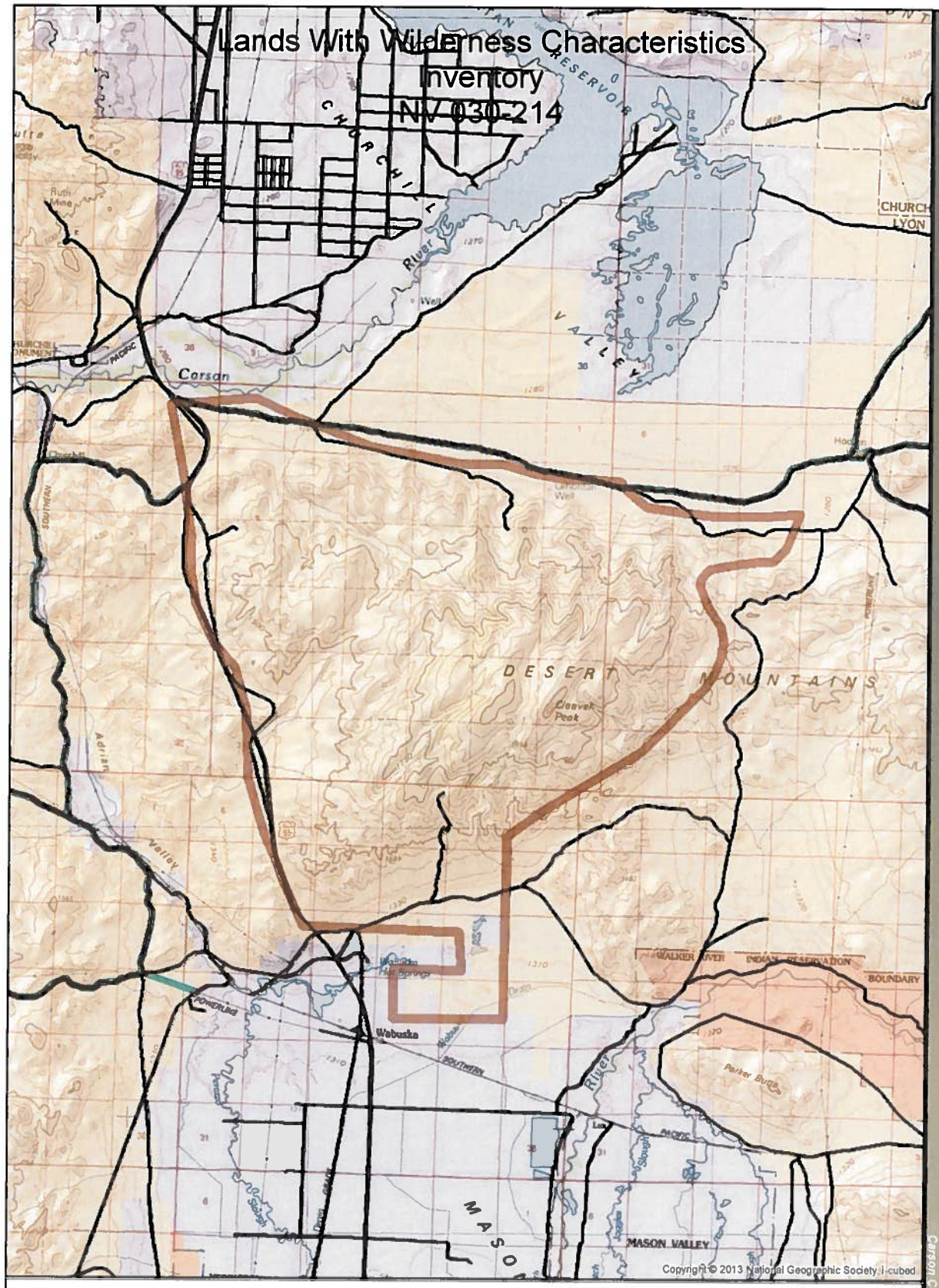
Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV 030-214



BLM

Carson City District Office

Legend

UNIT_ID
214
Road
BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

Agency
Bureau of Land Management
BIA
DOD
FWS

0 1.25 2.5 5 Miles

N

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May 7, 2014

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-215

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Desert Mountains (East)

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office/Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-215	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-215 Acreage: 62,720
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current. The boundary of the unit is defined by transmission line corridors, BLM system road, and property lines.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X__ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit. The geographical context of the unit is defined by the eastern extent of the Desert Mountains. A transmission line passes through the mid-section of the unit in a north/south direction. Several mineral material sites exist within the unit on the east end. There are linear range developments within the unit; or about six separate fence lines.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X_

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-215

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

__X_ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members): Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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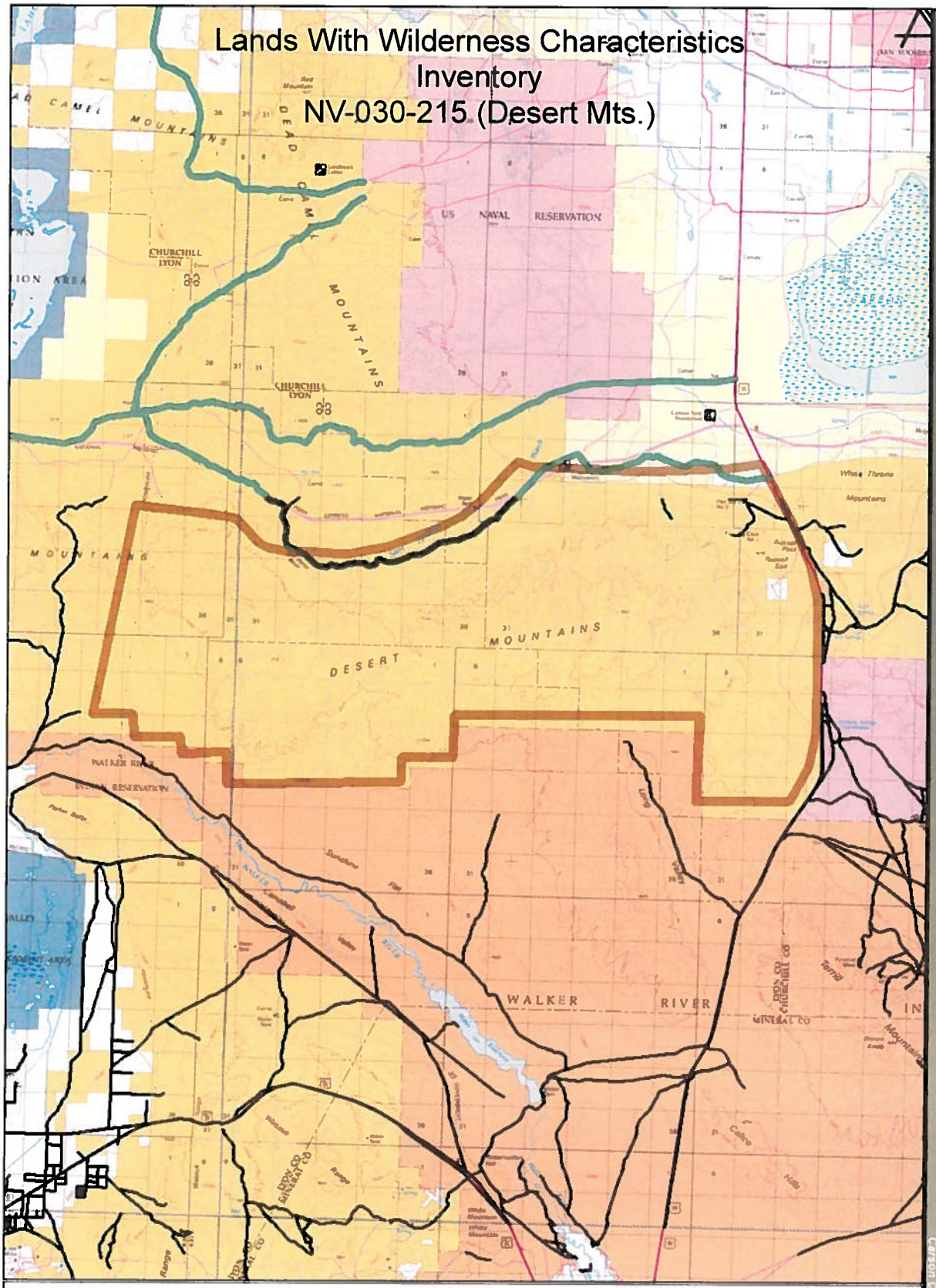
NV-030-215 (Desert Mts.)



Legend

UNIT_ID
215
Road
BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

Agency
Bureau of Land Management

0 1.75 3.5 7 Miles

Carson City District Project Area

N

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation **Form 1**

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-301

c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Singatse Peak

d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-301	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-301 Acreage: 25,600
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ____X____ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current. The unit boundary is defined by property lines and roads.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X___ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit. The unit contains transmission lines, pipelines, numerous roads and mining related features (i.e. adits, shafts). Several fence lines exist within the unit. A mineral material site is located within the unit. Mineral exploration in this unit is moderate to high. An annual Valley Off- Road Racing Association OHV race is held in the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X___

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-301

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

__X_ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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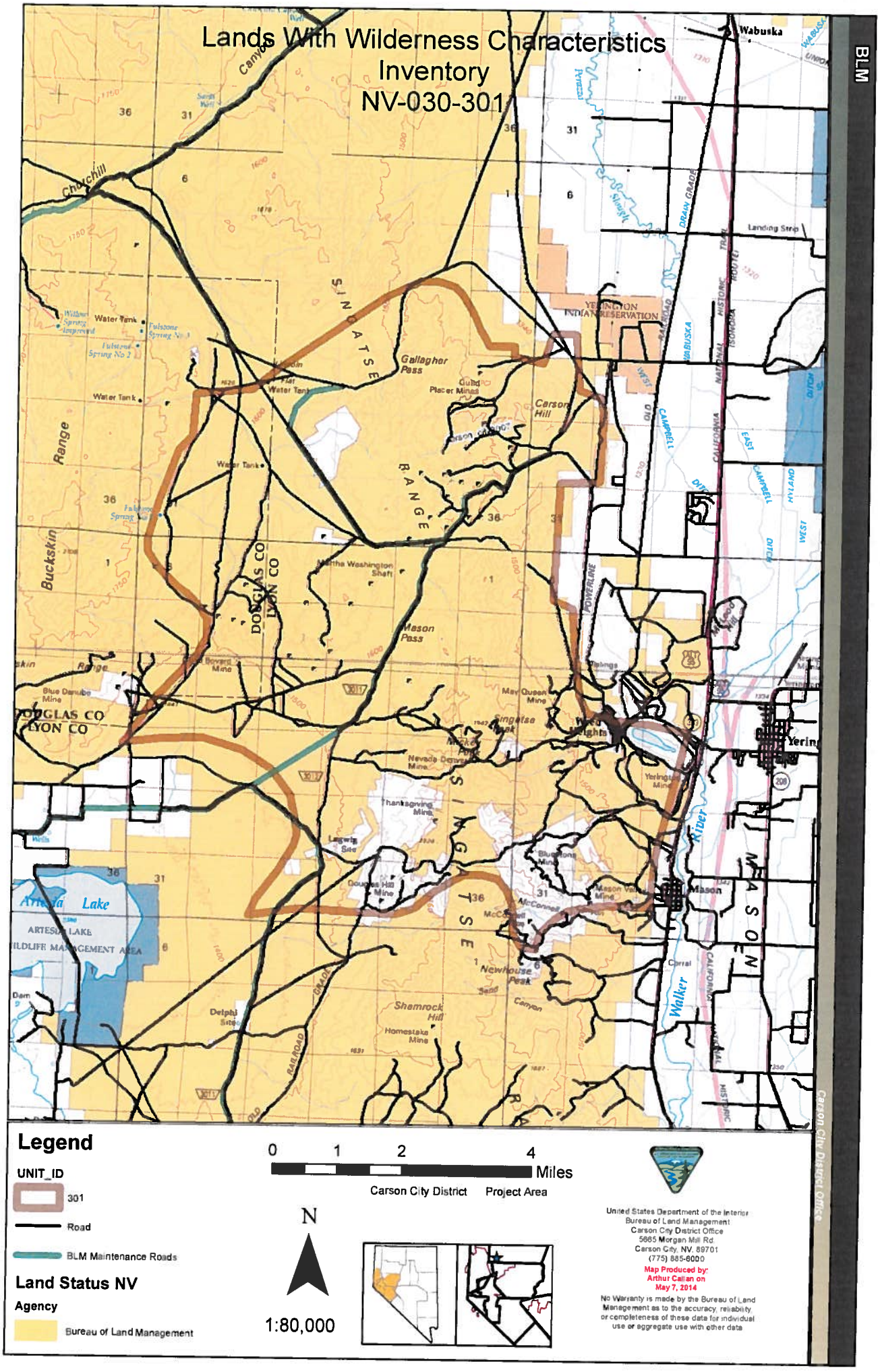

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory
NV-030-301
BLM
Wabuska
Chorchill
Canyon
Landing Strip
YERINGTON INDIAN RESERVATION
SINGATSE RANGE
Gallagher Pass
Carson Hill
Buckskin Range
DOUGLAS CO
LYON CO
Martha Washington Shaft
Mason Pass
Blue Danube Mine
May Queen Mine
Singatse Peak
Nevada Dewey Mine
Thanksgiving Mine
Lagwig Site
Douglas Hill Mine
Bluestone Mine
Mason Valley Mine
Newhouse Peak
Shamrock Hill
Homestake Mine
Delphi Site
Artesia Lake
ARTESIA LAKE WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREA
Yerington Mine
Mason
Walker River
Corral
Legend
UNIT_ID
301
Road
BLM Maintenance Roads
Land Status NV
Agency
Bureau of Land Management
0 1 2 4 Miles
Carson City District Project Area
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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation **Form 1**

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-302

c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Artesia Lake

d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-302	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation **Form 2**

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-302 Acreage: 16,500
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ____X____ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current. The boundary of this unit is defined by roads and property lines.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X___ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit. The unit is approximately 65% public land. The prominent feature within the unit is the Artesia Lake State Wildlife Management Area. The unit is long and narrow, about ten miles long and 2.5 miles wide. There are numerous roads with in the unit and a transmission line too.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-302

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? X__ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager)*:

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory
NV-030-302 (Artesia Lake)
BLM
DOUGLAS CO
LYON CO
Artesia Lake
ARTESIA LAKE
STATE WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREA
Nevada Hot Springs
Simpson
Buckskin Range
Blue Danube Mine
Mason Pass
Nevada Denver Mine
Thanksgiving Mine
Lagwig Site
Douglas Hill Mine
Shamrock Hill
Homestake Mine
Delphi Site
Nordyke Pass
Walker River
Beaman Lake
Legend
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Road
BLM Maintenance Roads
Land Status NV
Agency
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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory
NV-030-302 (Artesia Lake)

BLM

Carson City District Office

Legend

UNIT_ID

302

0 0.75 1.5 3 Miles

Carson City District Project Area

N

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-303

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Shamrock Hill

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-303	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-303 Acreage: 23,000
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current. Roads define this unit's boundary.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X__ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit. This unit is predominately public land. There are numerous roads within this unit. The area receives moderate OHV recreational use.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X___

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-303

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

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Prepared by: *(team members): Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manager

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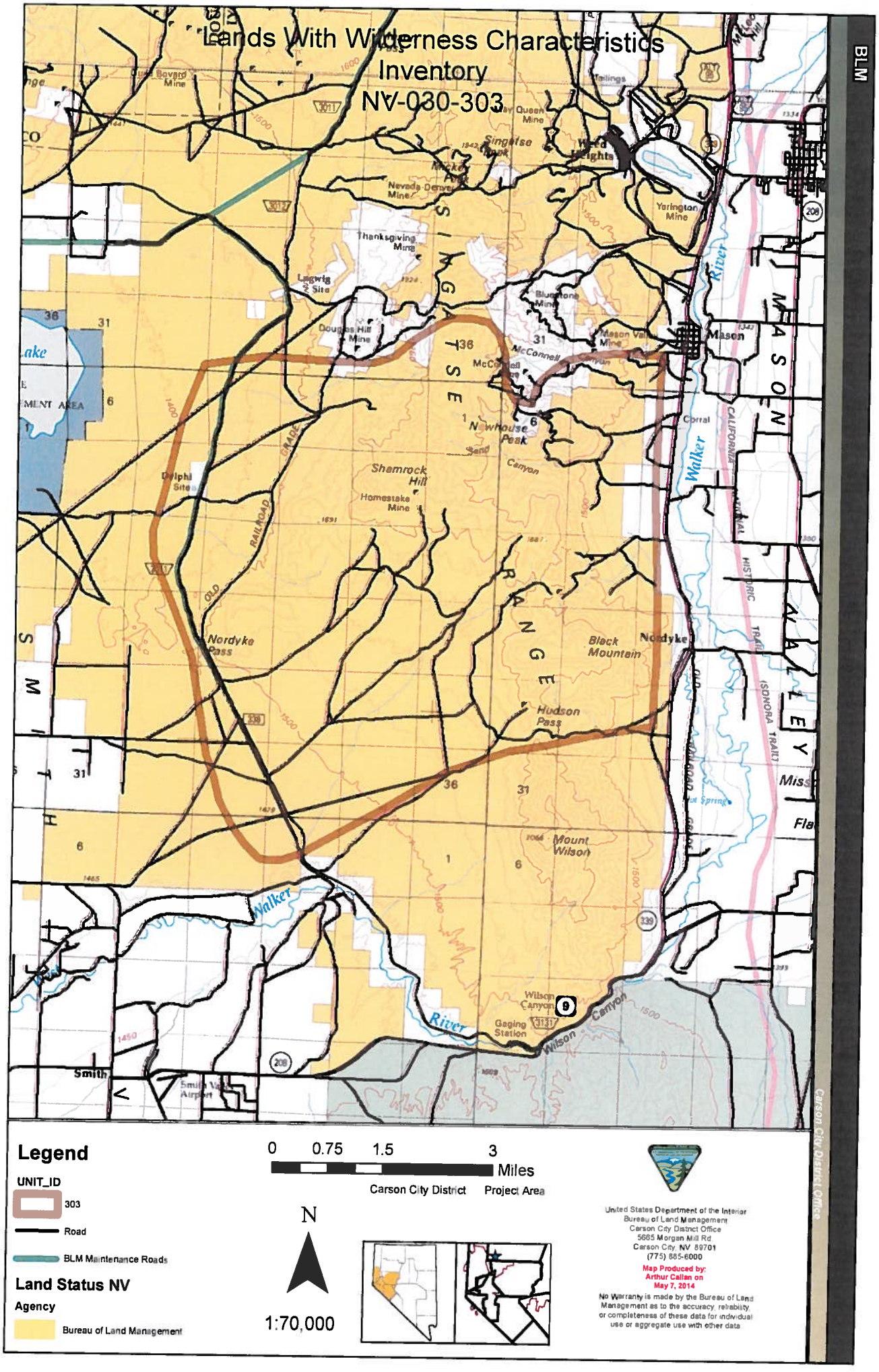
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Nevada Denver Mine
Singatse Peak
Wilson Canyon
Gaging Station
Smith
Walker River
Corral
Delphi Site
Homestake Mine
Mason Valley Mine
McConnell Canyon
Bluestone Mine
Lagwig Site
Tailings
Weed Heights
Lake

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-304

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Antelope Valley Smith Valley

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-304	No	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-304 Acreage: less than 5,000 acres
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes _____ No ___X_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit do not remain current. Public lands in the Desert Creek, Wild Oat Mountain and Gray Hills portions of the unit were transferred to the U.S. Forest Service in the Forest Enhancement Act of 1989. Subsequently, there is less than 5,000 acres of contiguous public land in this unit.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A___X_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-304

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? __ Yes _X_ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members): Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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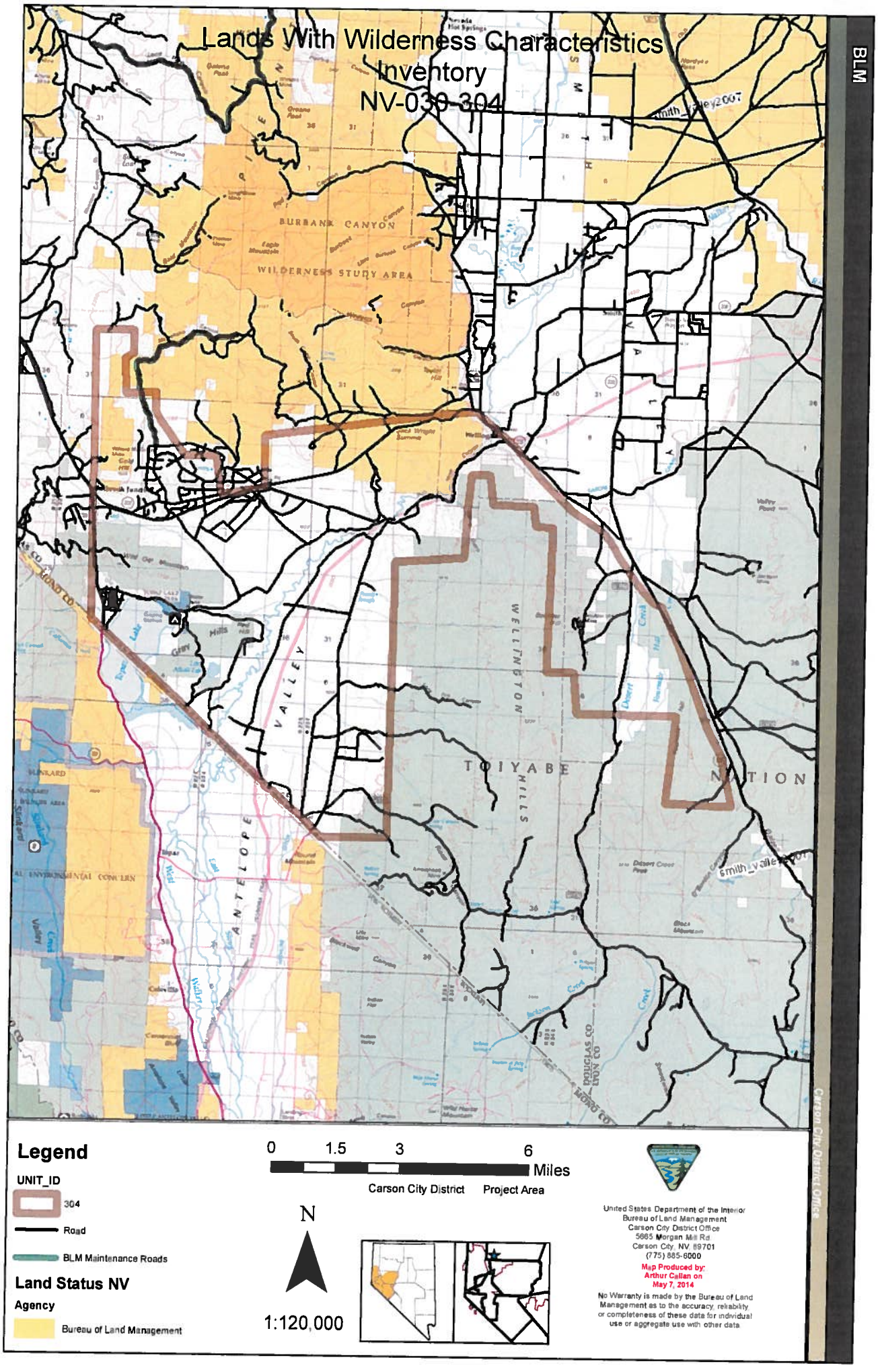
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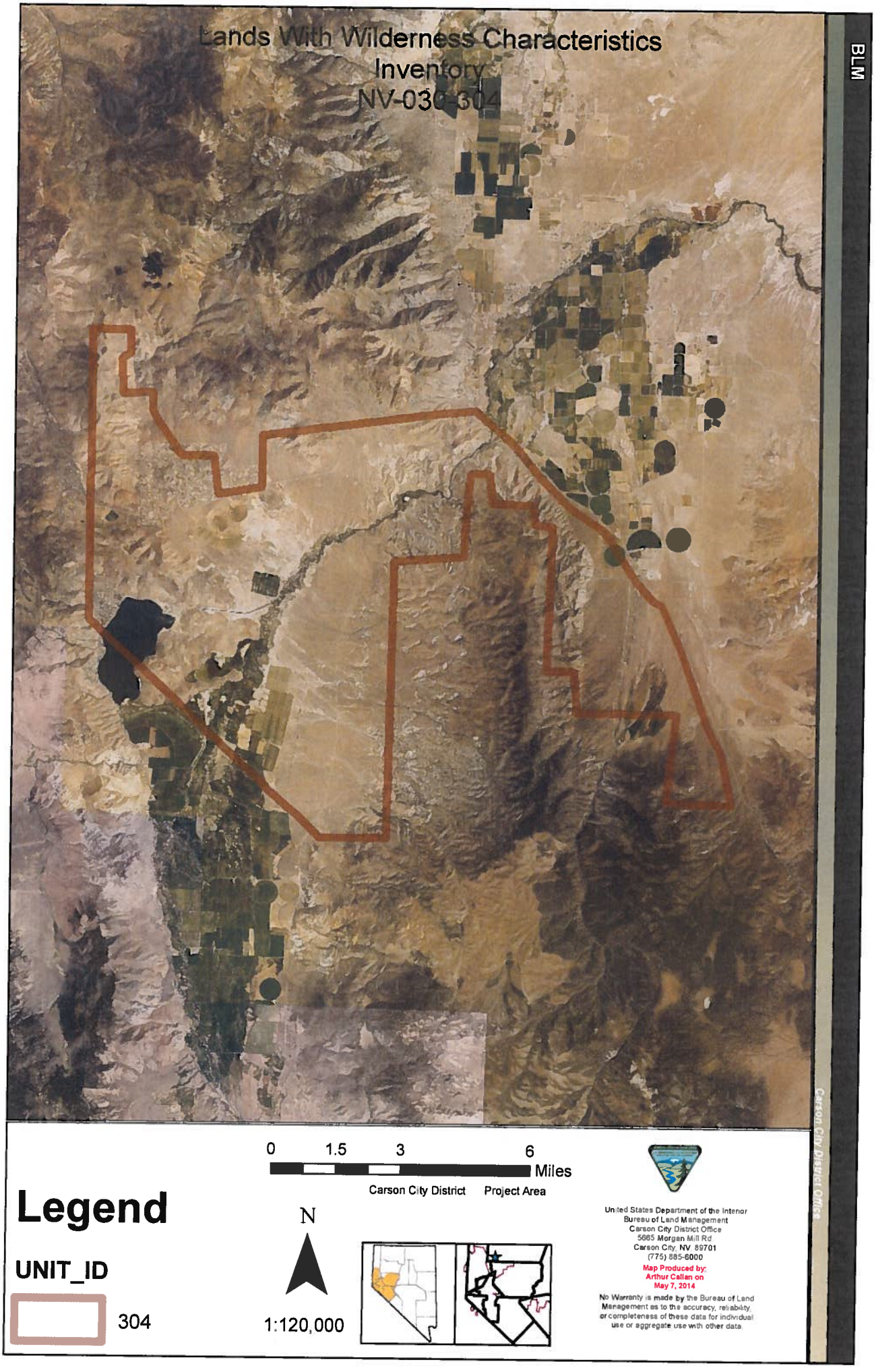
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Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-305

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Jackpot Mine

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-305	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-305 Acreage: 15,000
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes _____ No __X____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory: The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit do not remain current. All public lands in the unit were transferred to the U.S. Forest Service in the Forest Enhancement Act of 1989. Subsequently, there is less than 5,000 acres of contiguous public land in this unit. The land acquired by USFS in 1988 is not WSA or an area of Recommended Wilderness (USFS).

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No ____ N/A__X_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X___

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-305

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? __ Yes __X_ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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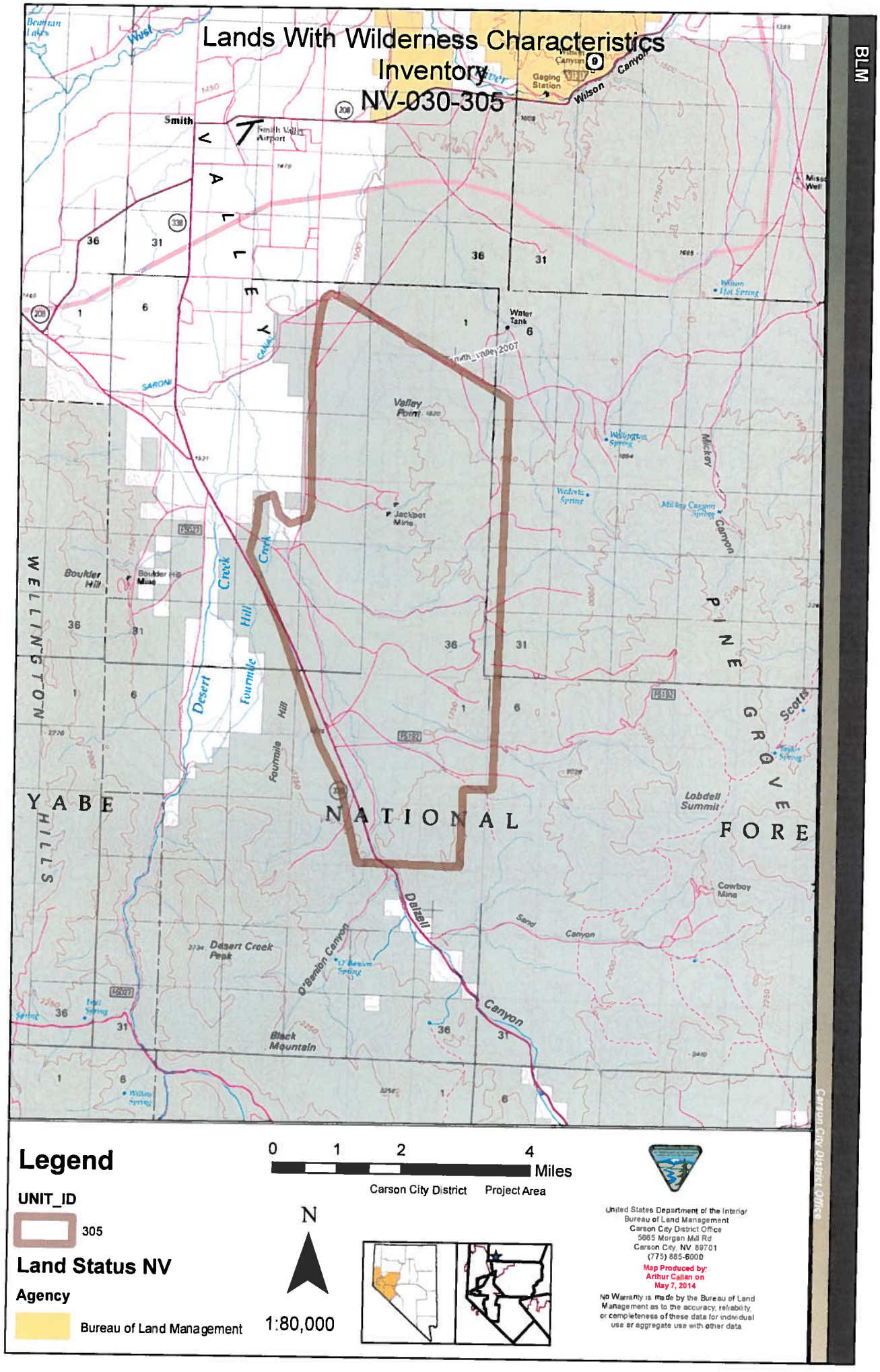
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Boulder Hill Mine
Desert Creek
Fourmile Hill Creek
Fourmile Hill
Mickey Canyon
Lobdell Summit
Cowboy Mine
Sand Canyon
Dalzell Canyon
O'Banion Canyon
Desert Creek Peak
Black Mountain
Scotts
WELLINGTON HILLS
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PINE GROVE
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UNIT_ID
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Land Status NV
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Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-306

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Pine Grove Hills

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-306	Yes	Yes	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-306 Acreage: 17,000
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ____X____ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current. The boundary of this unit is formed by roads and property lines.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _X___ No ____ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit. About 60% of the unit is private. Another 25% or so of the unit is USFS. Public lands in the SE corner of the unit were transferred to the U.S. Forest Service in the Forest Enhancement Act of 1988. The remaining public land is located on the west boundary and in the NE corner of the unit. The west boundary, minus lands already identified as Wilderness Study Area, does not meet the 5,000 acre threshold for LWC. The remaining "core" of public land does exceed the 5,000 acres threshold and is located in the NE portion of the unit. Mount Wilson, Wilson Canyon and the West Walker River are the prominent features in this core area. Wilson Canyon is a popular OHV riding and camping area. Subsequently, the core area receives a considerable amount of motorized use. Facilities within the core area of the unit include a gravel access road, kiosks, and vault toilets. Aside from these developments along the river corridor the remaining public land base is in a natural condition.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No ___X____ N/A___

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on solitude, remains current for the unit.

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No ___X____ N/A____

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on primitive and unconfined recreation, remains current for the unit.

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-306

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? _X_ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes __X_ No ___ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

__X_ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members): Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manager

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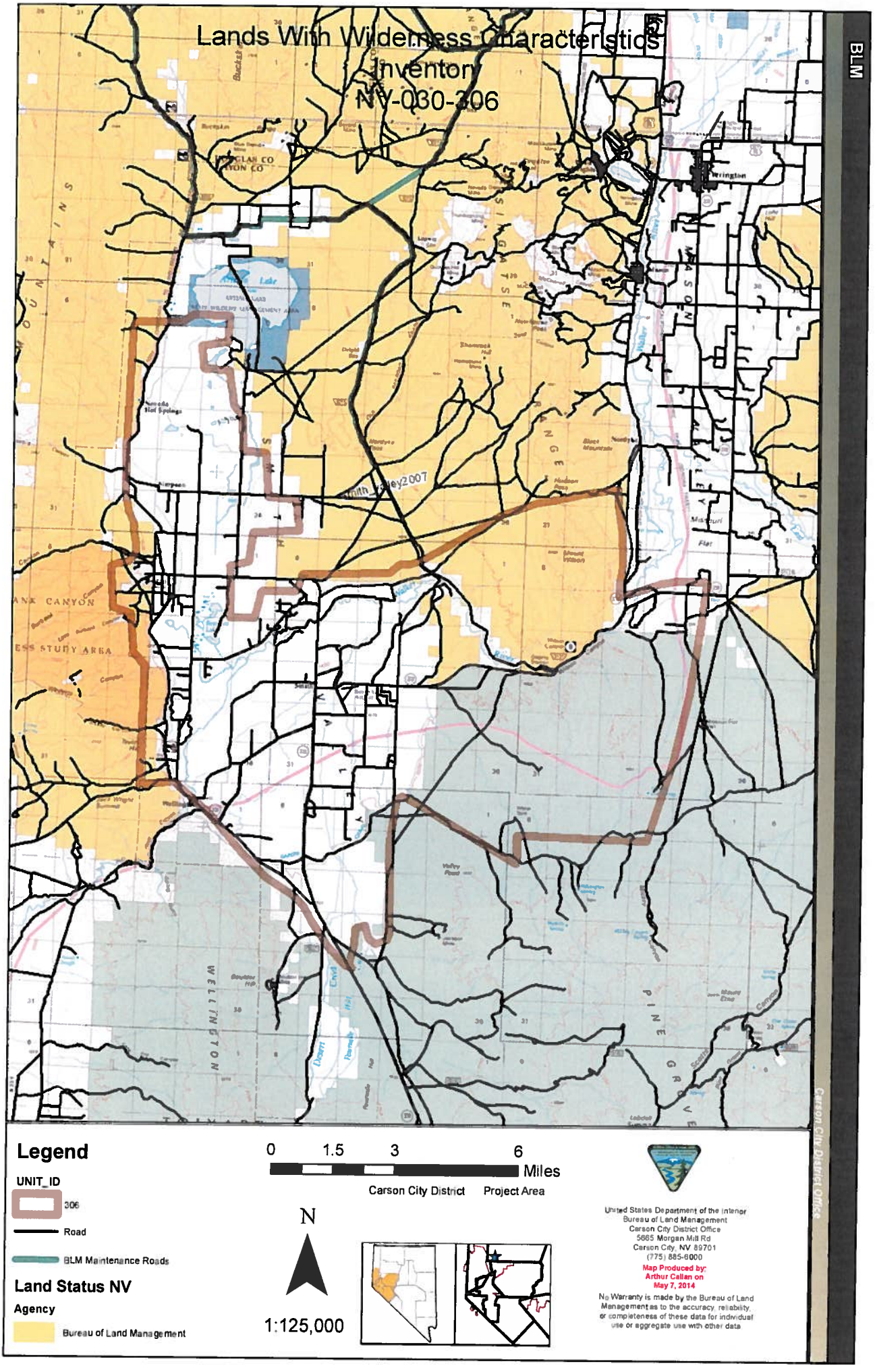
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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-308

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Mason Valley

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-308	No	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-308 Acreage: 2,500
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes _____ No ___X_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current. This unit is about 95 % private or other. There are no contiguous public land sub units within this unit that approach 5,000 acres in size.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No ____ N/A___X_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X___

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

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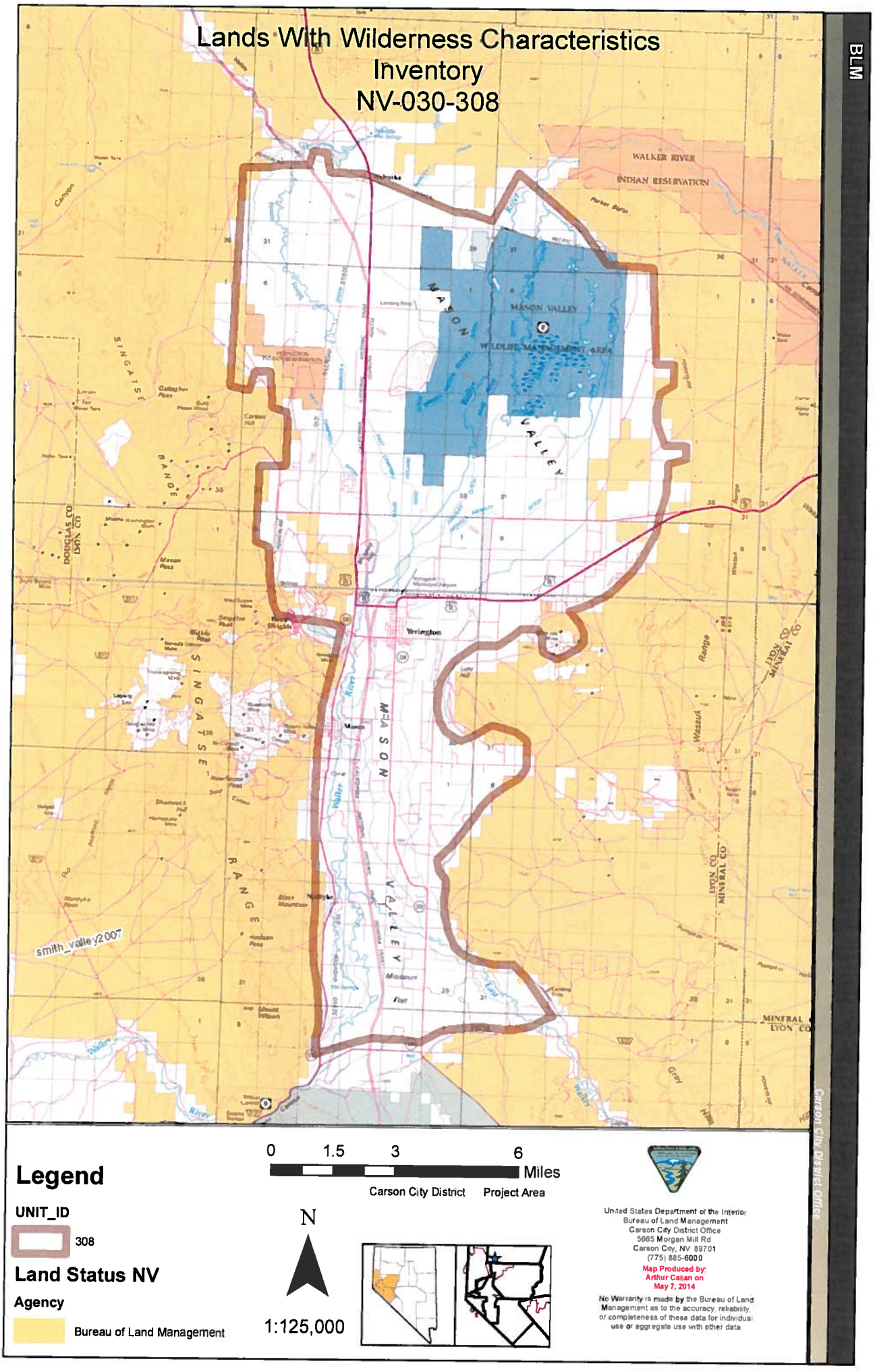
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Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-308

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? __ Yes _X__ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-309

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Parker Butte

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-309	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-309 Acreage: 9,720
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ____X____ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current. The unit boundary is formed by roads and property lines.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X___ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit. More than 90% of this unit is public land. A rail-way, fence line and transmission line run through this unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-309

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes __X_ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manager

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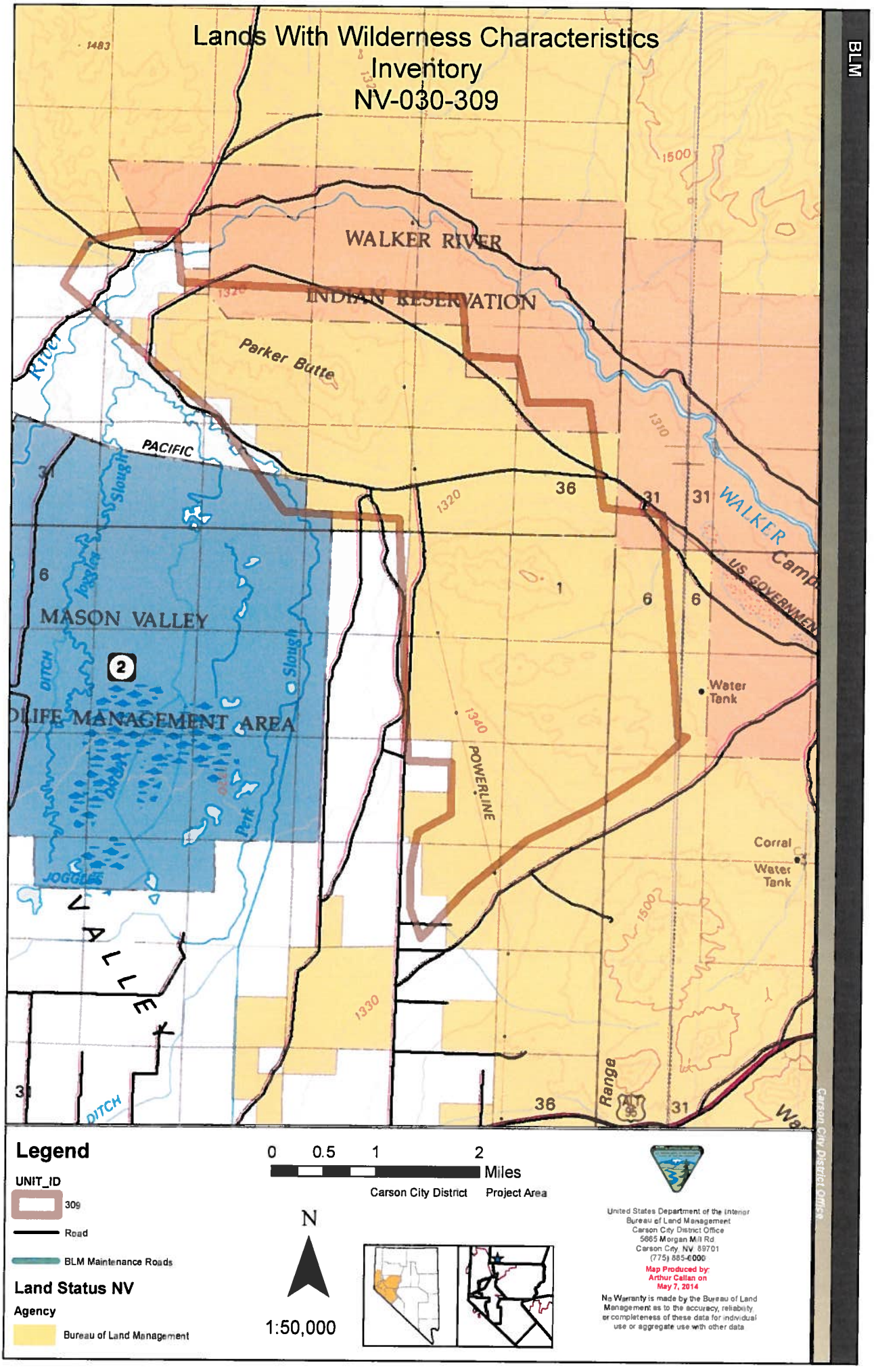
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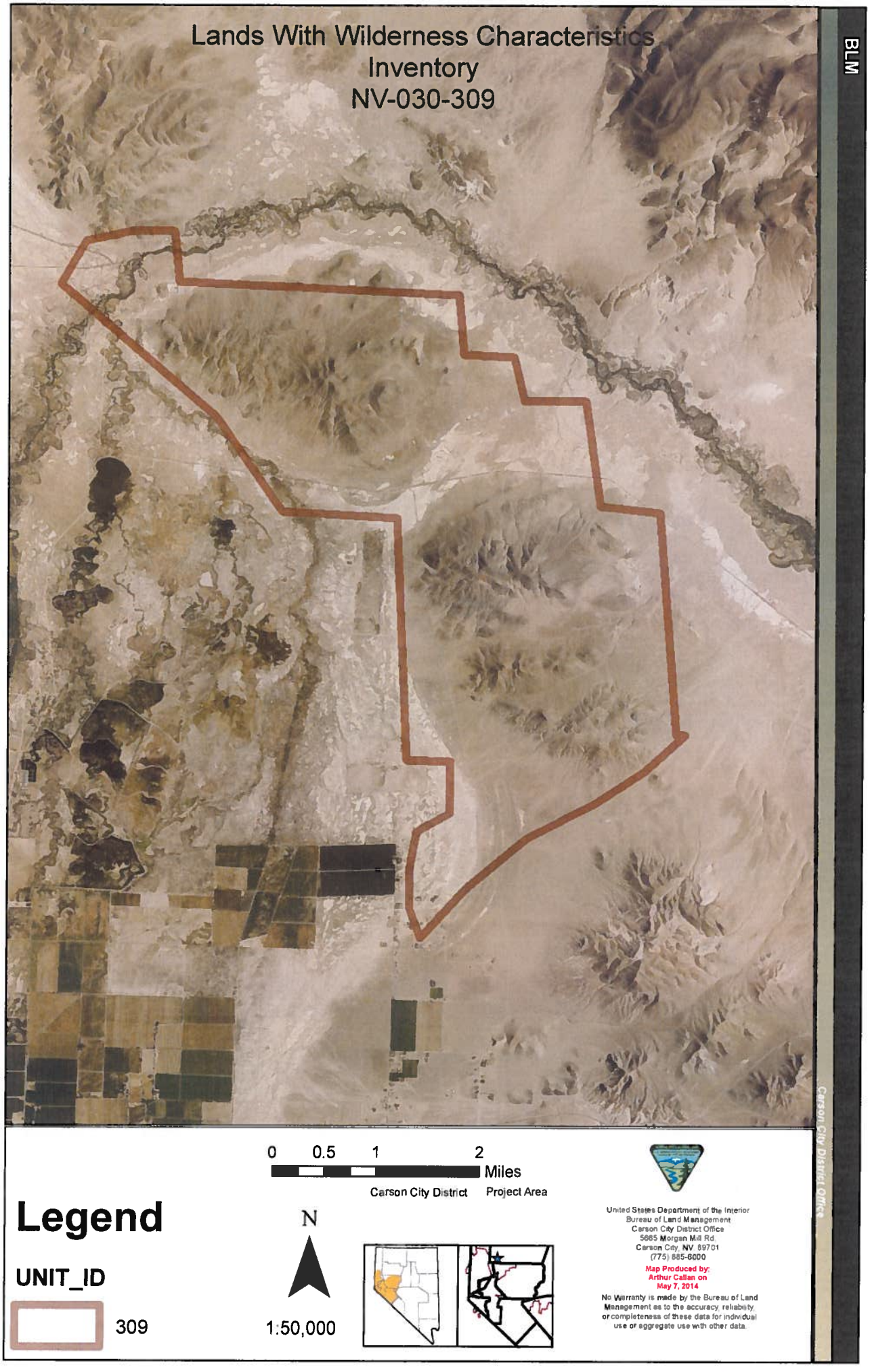

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-310

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Yellow Twin

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office/Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-310	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-310 Acreage: 10,900
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ____X____ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current. The boundary of the unit is formed by Highway Alt 95, roads, and property lines.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X___ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit. A transmission line traverses the west side of the unit. Several range improvements exist within the unit including a corral, water tank, fence lines and pipeline. Aerial imagery (NAIP 2013) identified several main dirt roads within the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A___X_

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-310

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

__X_ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager)*:

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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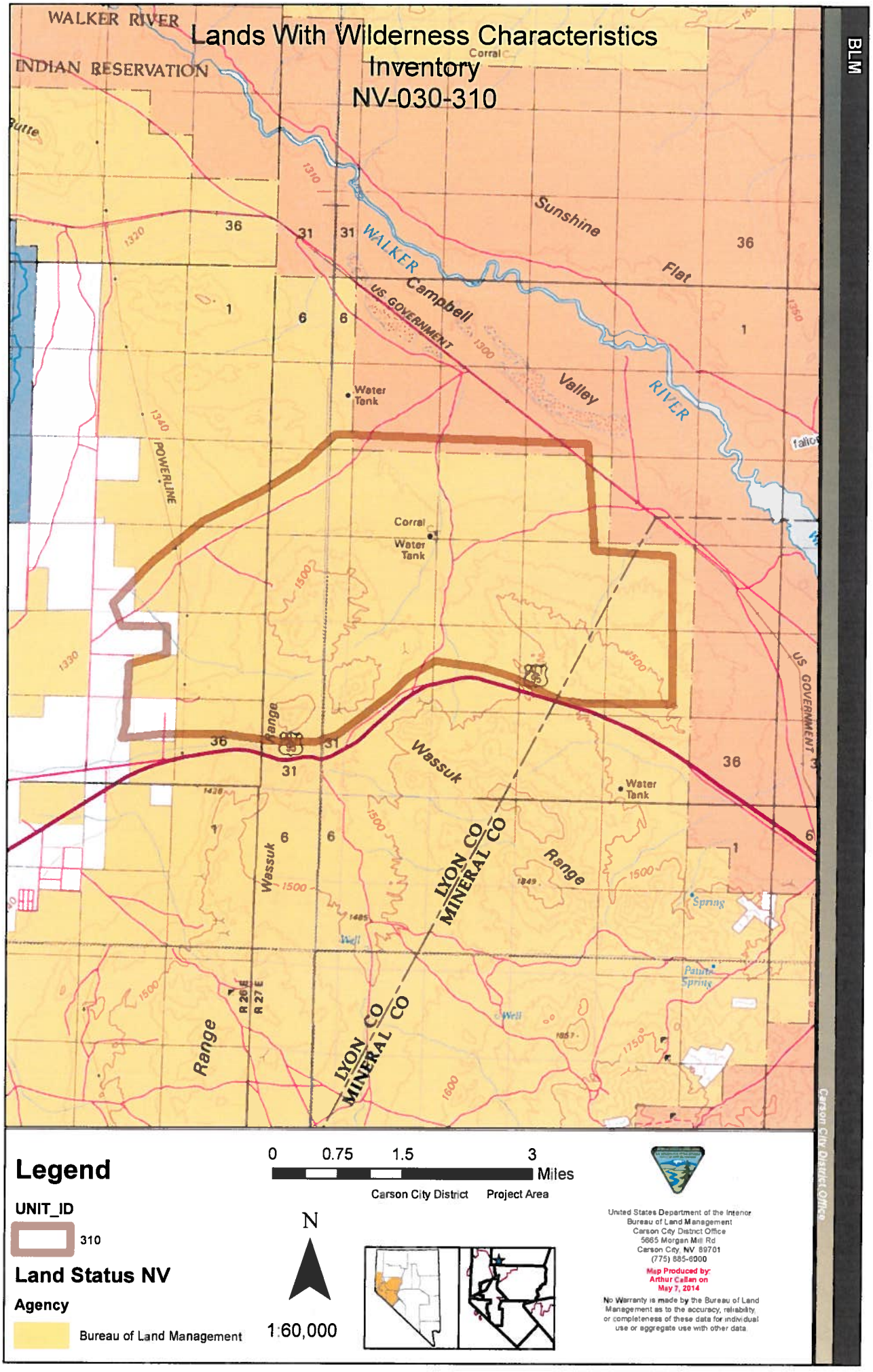
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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-311

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Paiute Spring

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office/Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-311	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-311 Acreage: 10,200
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ____X____ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X___ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X___

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-311

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: [signature] Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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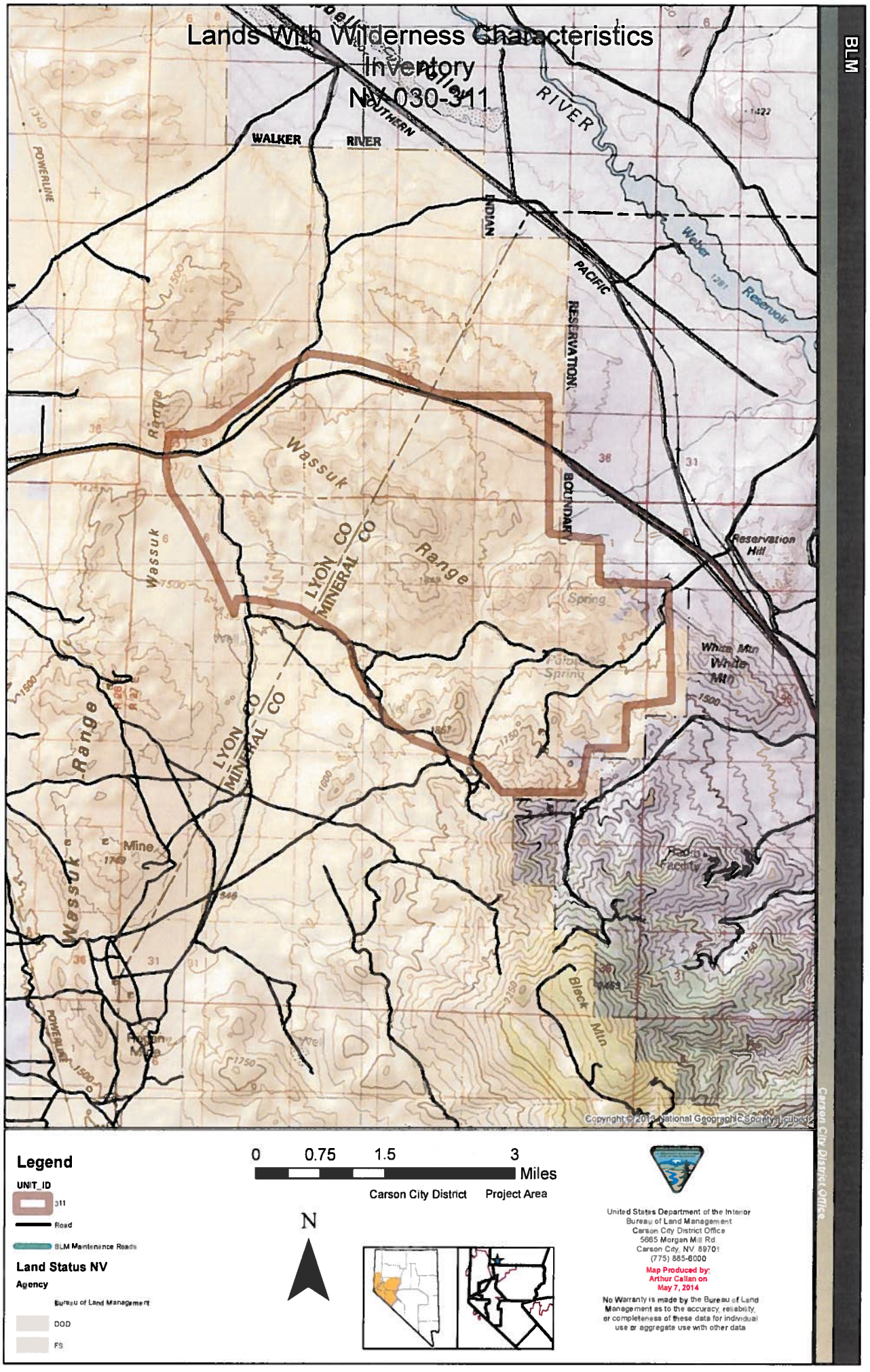

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-312

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Pumpkin Hollow

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office/Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-312	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-312 Acreage: 37,000
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ____X____ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X___ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-312

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _**X**_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes __**X**_ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _**X**__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _**X**__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_**X**__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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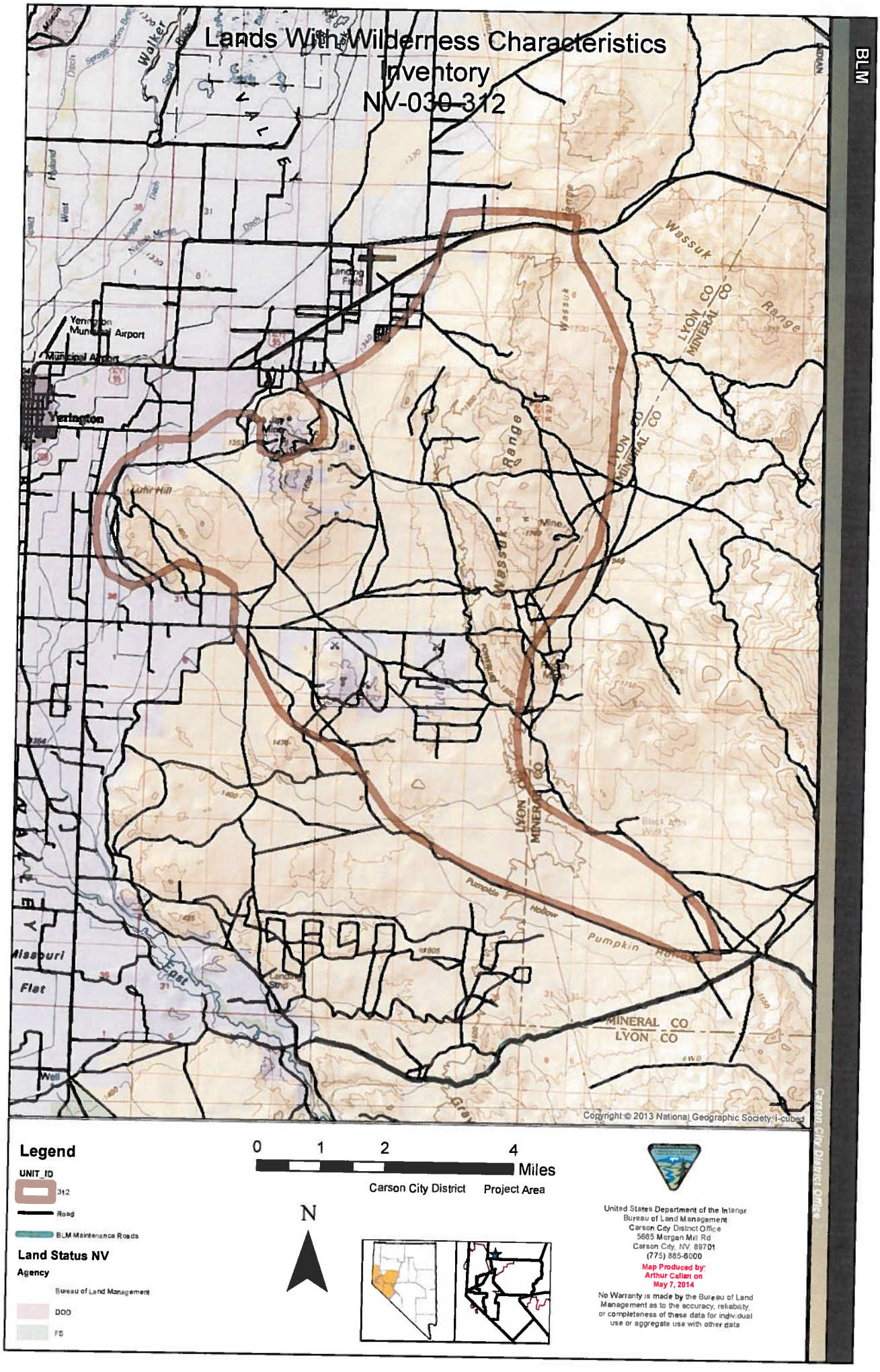
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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-313

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Black Mountain

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office/Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-313	Yes	Yes	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-313 Acreage: 19,800
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ____X____ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes ____X_ No ____ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No ___X____ N/A___

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on solitude, remains current for the unit.

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No ___X____ N/A____

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on primitive and unconfined recreation, remains current for the unit.

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-313

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? _X_ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes __X_ No ___ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

__X_ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: Teresa J. Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

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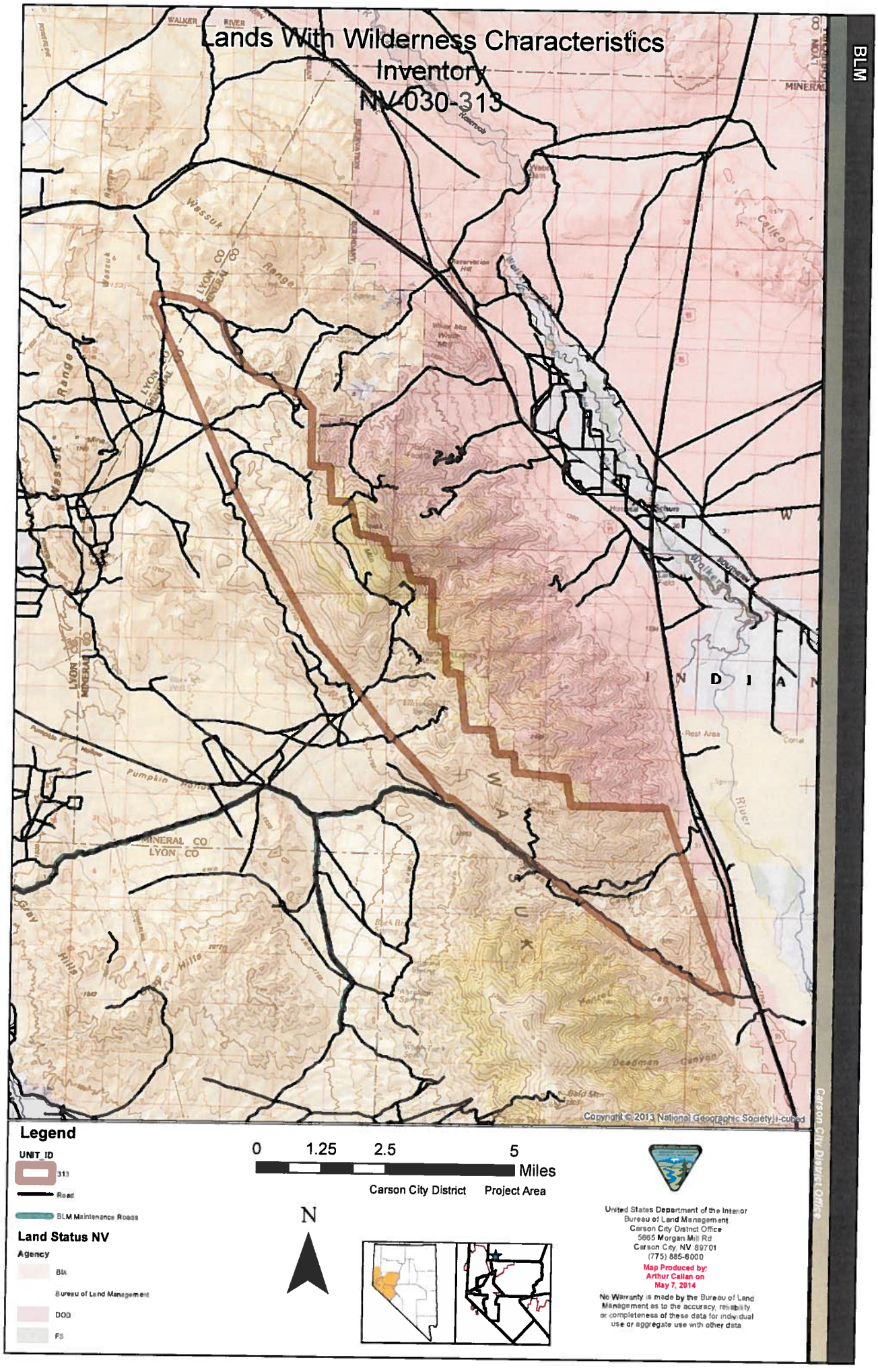
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Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-314

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Black Mountain Well

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-314	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-314 Acreage: 14,100
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X__ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X___

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-314

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: Teresa J Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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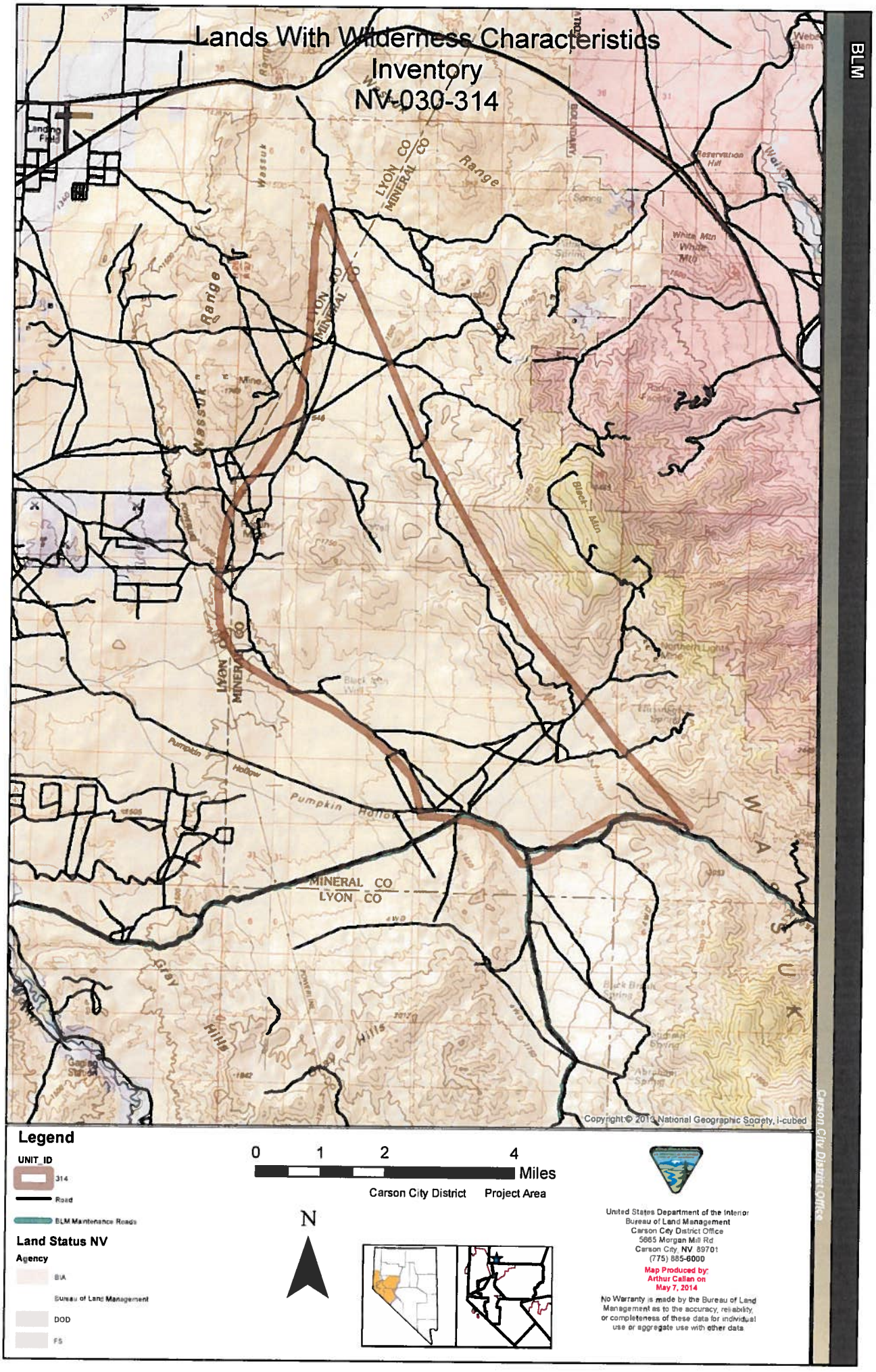
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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-315

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Stronsnider Ranch

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office/Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-315	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-315 Acreage: 10,700
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ____X____ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X___ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-315

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members): Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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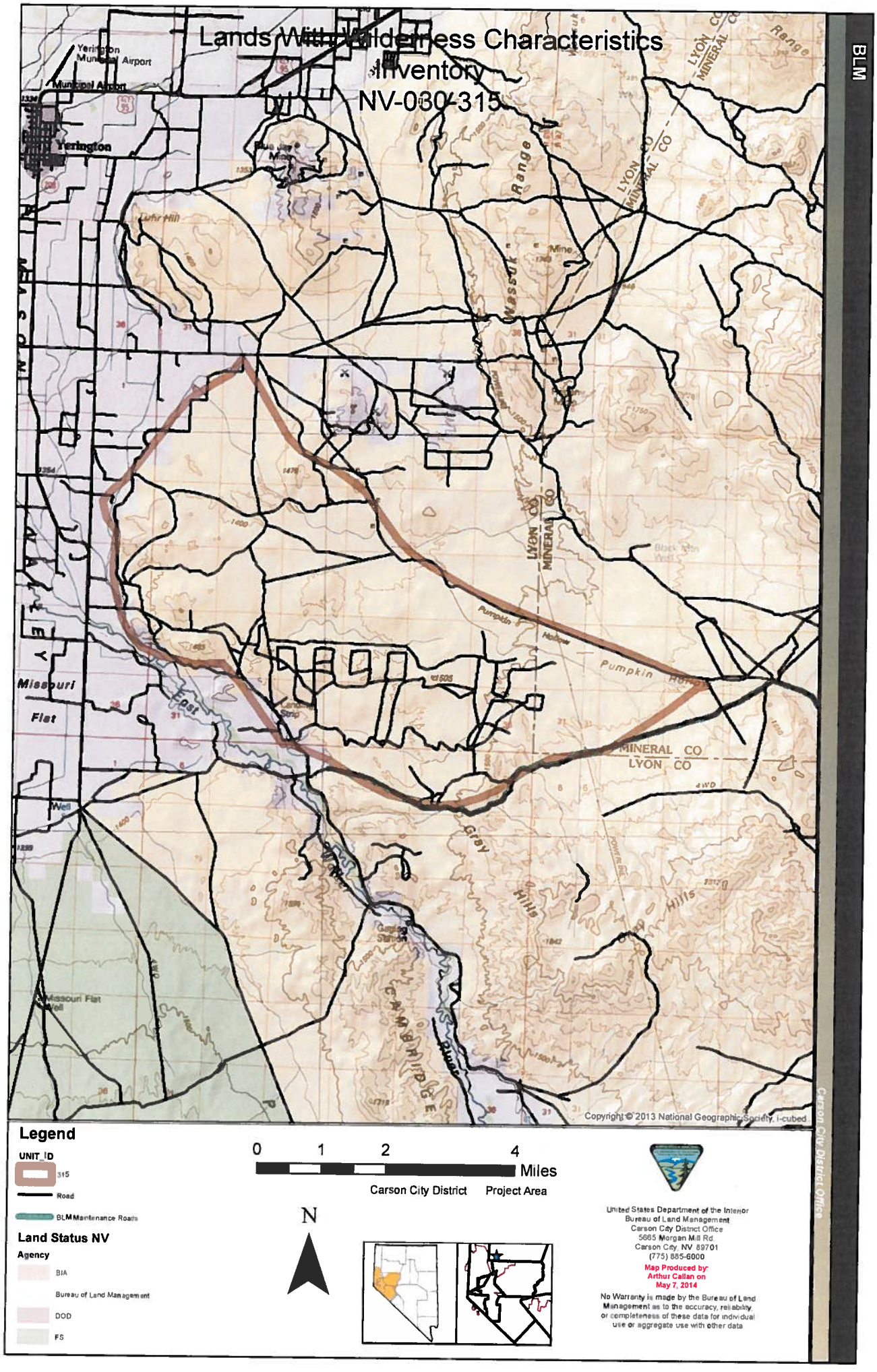
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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-316

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Pine Grove Flat

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-316	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-316 Acreage: 23,000
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below).*

Yes _____ No ___X_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit do not remain current. All Public lands within this unit were transferred to the USFS in 1988. The land acquired by USFS in 1988 is not WSA or an area of Recommended Wilderness (USFS).

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No ____ N/A___X_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X___

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-316

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? __ Yes __**X**_ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes ___ No _**X**__ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _**X**__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _**X**__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_**X**__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manager

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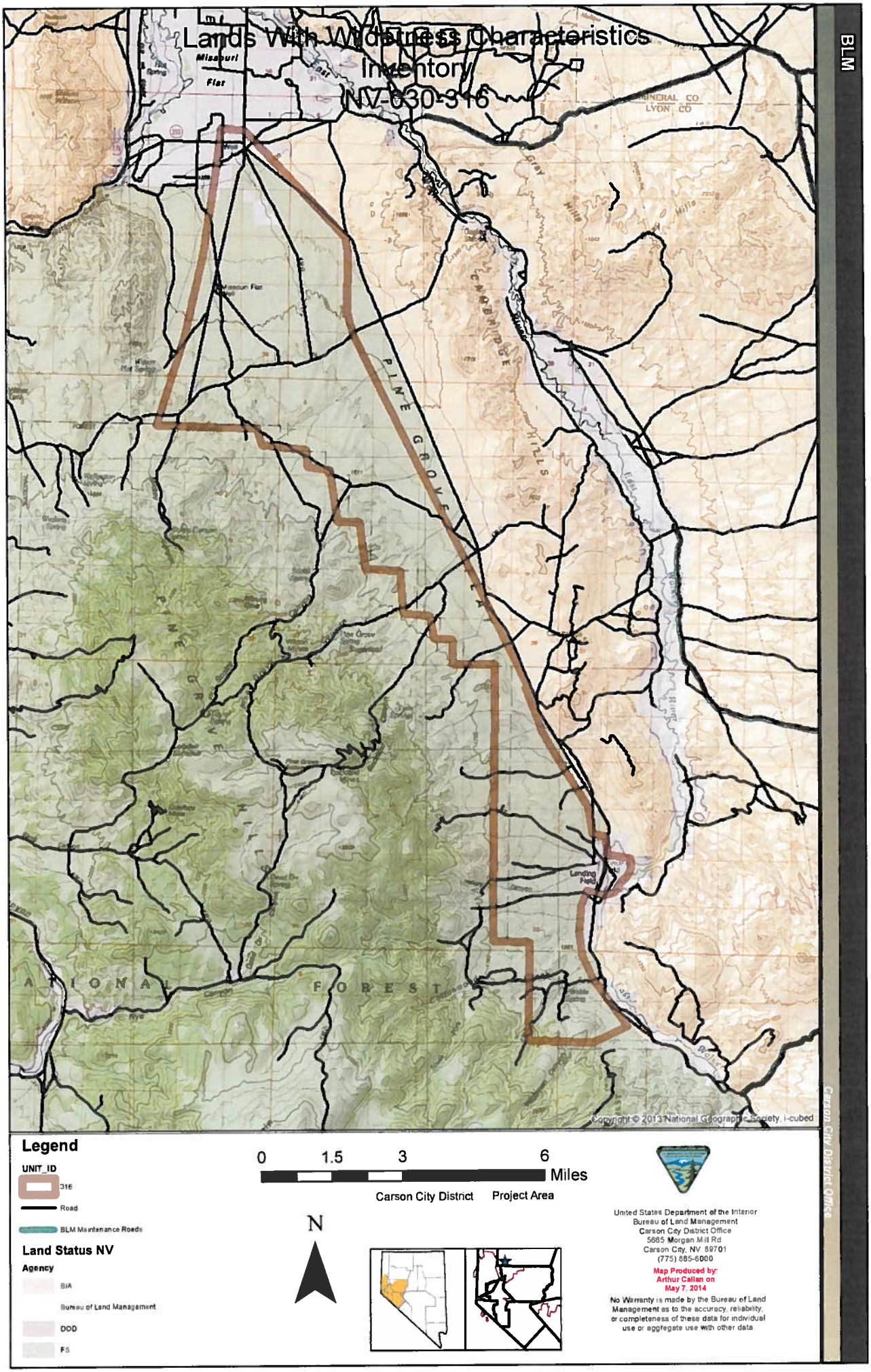
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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-317

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Cambridge Hills

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-317	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-317 Acreage: 20,000
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X__ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X___

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-317

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes __X_ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No X___ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

__X_ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manager

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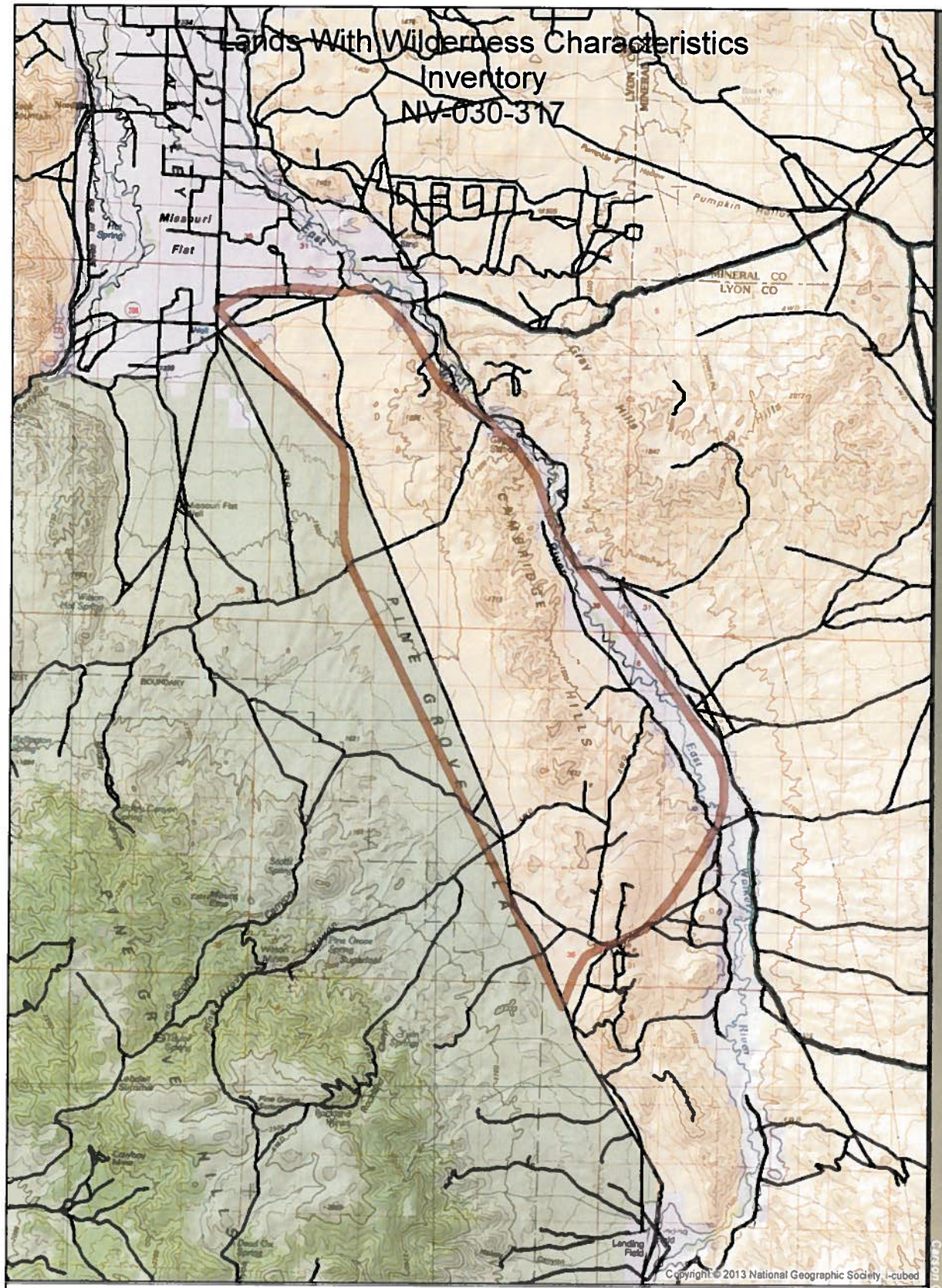

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-318

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Gray Hills West

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-318	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-318 Acreage: 12,400
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below).*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X__ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X_

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-318

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

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Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

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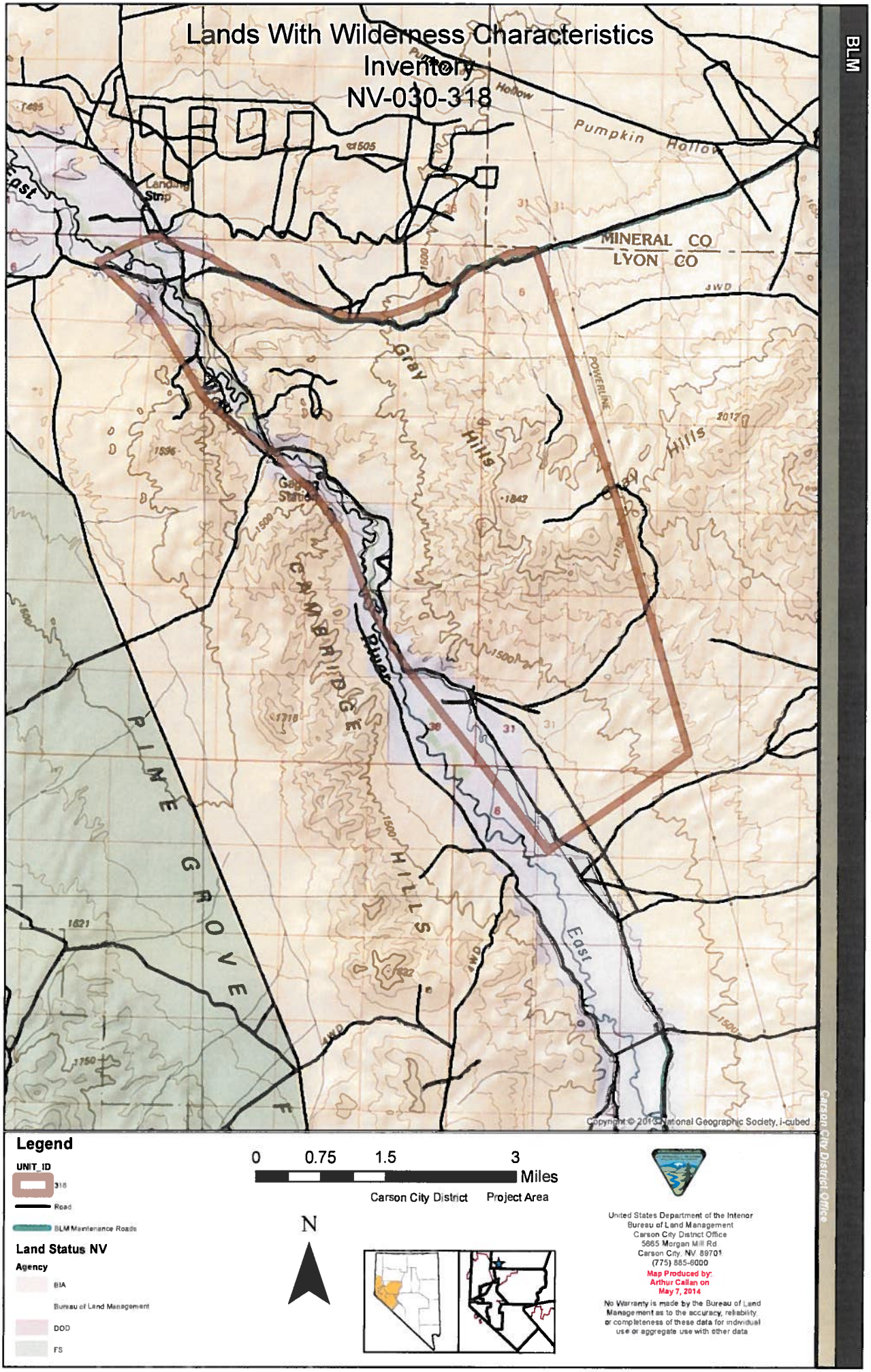
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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-319

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Gray Hills East

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office/Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-319	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-319 Acreage: 12,100
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below).*

Yes ____X____ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X___ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X___

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-319

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

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__X_ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

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1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-320

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Three Springs

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office/Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-320	No	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-320 Acreage: 1,550
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes _____ No ___X_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No ____ N/A__X_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-320

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? __ Yes _X__ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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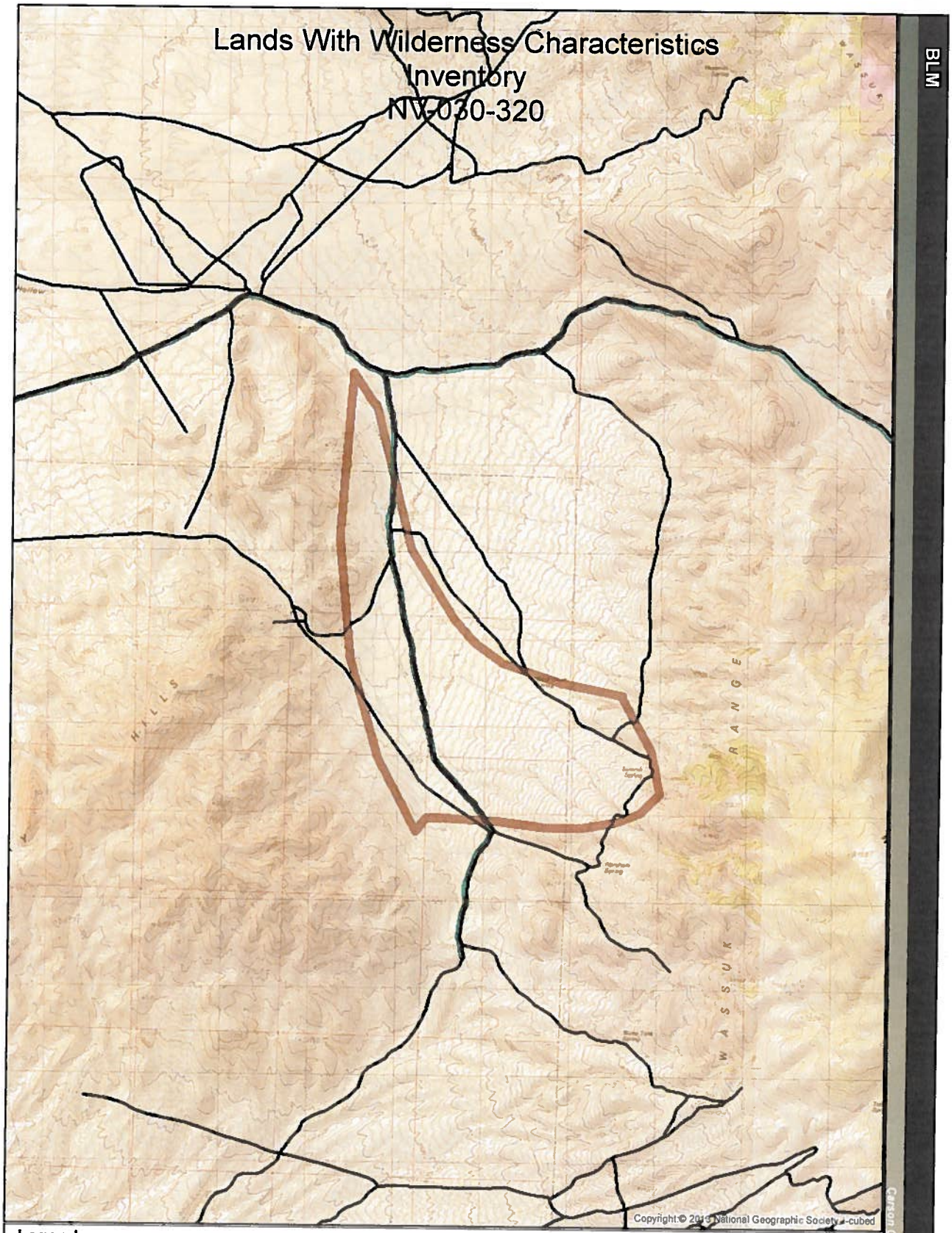
Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-320



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Land Status NV

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-321

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Water Tank Spring

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office/Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-321	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-321 Acreage: 5,600
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X__ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X___

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-321

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory
NV-030-321

Legend

UNIT_ID
- 321
- Road
- BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

Agency
- BIA
- Bureau of Land Management
- DOD
- FS

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-322

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): East Walker – Charlebais Ditch

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-322	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-322 Acreage: 8,000
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ___X___ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X___ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-322

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes __X_ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manager

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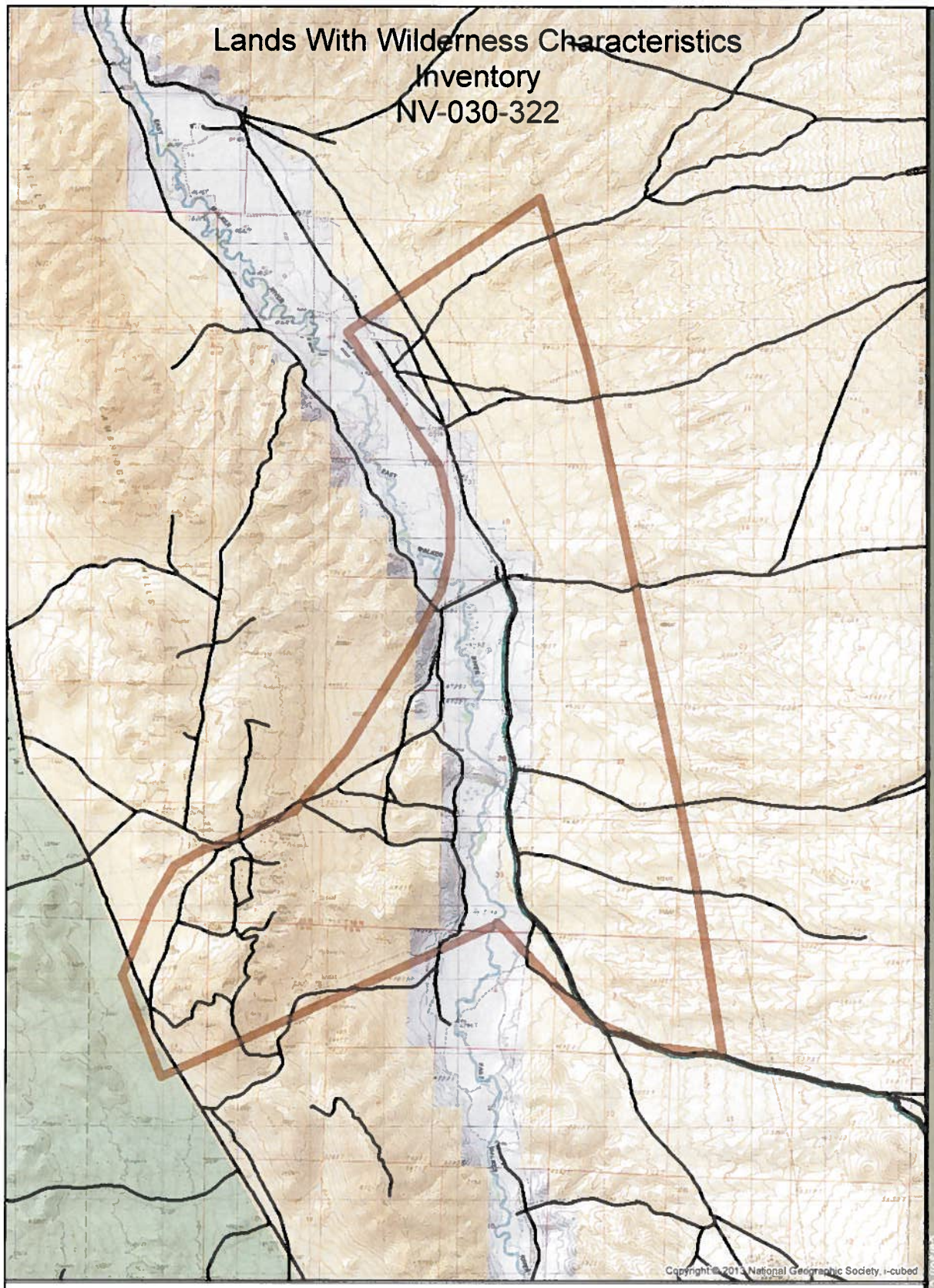
Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-322



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Legend

UNIT_ID
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Land Status NV

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes __**X**____ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-323

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Wassuk Range / NV-030-323

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-323	Yes	Yes	Minimal	Minimal	Minimal

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-323 Acreage: 57,600
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

1980 Inventory - The Wassuk Range is located directly west of Walker Lake, about 15 miles northwest of Hawthorne, Nevada. A high-voltage transmission line bounds the unit on the north, U.S. Highway 95 on the east, and the Army Ammunition Depot on the south. An irregular western boundary consists of 20 miles of roads and four miles of fenceline. Vegetation varies from low desert scrub and shadscale on the lower elevations to pinyon pine woodland above 6,000 feet. The Wassuk Range contains 62,000 acres of public lands, with no private lands. One subunit totaling 3,200 acres was separated from the main unit by prospecting access roads which penetrate from the west boundary and nearly meet on the summit above Copper Canyon. The Wassuk unit contains 57,600 acres of public lands, with no patented lands within its boundaries. Subunit A removes about 3,200 acres from the central west side of the main unit, and is defined by Roads #NV-03-323.9 and .10 on its southern border, and Road #NV-03.323.8 on its north. Both roads enter the main unit from points about two miles apart on the west boundary, the fenceline road paralleling BLM Fence #4032, wind southeast up the steep west slope of the Wassuks for about four miles to the summit, then head down the east side to the SW , Section 14, T. 10 N. , R. 28 E. The two roads come within about 400 yards of meeting just north of Copper Canyon, and effectively separate Subunit A from the original Wassuk Range inventory unit. Road #8 shows on the Shurz and Mt. Grant, Nevada USGS 15-minute topo- graphic quadrangles maps as a jeep trail. Roads #9 and #10 were documented during the 1979 intensive wilderness inventory. The total acreage disqualified as not meeting the size criteria is approximately 3,200 acres. The remaining 54,400 acres were designated Subunit B.
2014 Inventory - The 1980 unit boundaries and size recommendations on Wassuk Range unit, as described above, remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes __X__ No ____ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

1980 Inventory - Subunit A, 3,200 acres, is impacted by W y #NV-03-323.06, which has disturbed about one acre of surface over its one- half mile length between theE , Section 17, and the center of Section 16, T. 10 N., R. 28 E. Like most other roads and ways in the Wassuk Range, it appears to serve mining claims. Subunit B is intruded by at least ten ways that appear to have been created by vehicle use, and not constructed by grading. These are substantially unnoticeable, and do not detract significantly from the natural character of the unit as a whole. Ways #NV-03-323.01 and .02 are located in the northwestern portion of the unit, extending in from the boundary road just north and south of the Bald Mountain transmission line road, respectively. When considered along with three roads, the radio facility on the peak, and the power line and access road leading up to Bald Mountain, the ways add to these substantial impacts, and tend to increase the general area that appears affected by works of man. The effect renders much of the west slope of Bald Mountain unnatural, however, the ways were left within the unit as intrusions, and the boundary was not redrawn around them. Ways #NV-03-323.03, .04, .05, and .07 are concentrated in the central portion of Subunit B. Way #.04 follows Copper Canyon in from Highway 95 on the east boundary; Way #.05 branches off to the north fork and nearly meets a short spur from Road #NV-03-323.8 in the N ¼, Section 14, T. 10 N., R. 28 E. There are numerous short spurs, vehicle tracks, mine workings, prospects, and other signs of active mineral exploration around the central portion of the Wassuks. Way #NV-03-323.07 follows the bed of Dry Creek in for about one mile from U.S. Highway 95.It provides access along a buried water pipeline from a developed spring in the north fork of the canyon.

2014 Inventory - The 1980 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for Wassuk Range unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No ___X_____ N/A___

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

1980 Inventory - The configuration of the Wassuk Range is long and narrow, with a constricted central section between Subunit A and Copper Canyon. Bald Mountain, in the north end of the unit, is a steep, rugged system of volcanic outcrops, ridges, and deep canyons radiating out in all directions from the central peaks. Topography throughout this section offers secluded spots and good screening from other users, however, the west side is severely dissected by dead-end roads that form narrow fingers of land where visitors would be confined in relatively close proximity. Vegetative cover is good enough to provide screening among parties of recreationists or to isolate mining activity from view only in the dense, but narrow, one to two-mile wide belt of pinyon woodland. This tree cover extends as low as 6,500- 7,000 feet in elevation and covers the peaks over most of the range, except on the upper elevations on Bald Mountain. Here, the pinyon woodland gives way to a low sagebrush-grass community that provides no visual screening among visitors. Because of

the relatively narrow band covered by the wood- land type, and its low density on the dry east slope, it does not offer outstanding solitude opportunities. Even when considered in combination with the deep canyons and steep slopes in the northeast end of the unit, the narrow configuration and ever-present mining roads and powerlines confine visitors to relatively small areas that would attract those seeking recreational solitude, thereby promoting crowding in the few quality recreation environments that exist in the unit.
2014 Inventory – The 1980 evaluation, including the conclusion on solitude, remains current for the Wassuk Range unit. It is the conclusion of this evaluation that there are no outstanding opportunities for solitude in the unit that are superior to its kind. The opportunities for solitude in this unit are represented throughout the CCDO.

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No __X____ N/A____

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

1980 Inventory - The Wassuk Range possesses significant opportunities for sightseeing for wildlife and scenery. Although the unit itself offers a variety of desert vistas due to the variations in erosional patterns, surface material and plant communities, the best views are toward 11,239-foot Mt. Grant to the south, and Walker Lake, both of which are outside the inventory unit. Views toward the outside of the unit are somewhat lessened, however, by the presence of high-voltage electrical transmission lines and U.S. Highway 95 on the boundary. Bighorn sheep were reintroduced in the early 1970's, and have been sighted infrequently since then. About 12 are present today out of the original band of 20, and they do provide some viewing opportunities. The Nevada Fish and Game Department also introduced a small population of exotic Hungarian snow partridge into the Mt. Grant area. Although not native to the area, they could provide some wildlife observation opportunities. Wild horses are also abundant on the west slopes. Hiking, backpacking and horseback riding would be possible throughout the Wassuk Range, however; the lack of destinations or attractions to draw recreationists tends to indicate a low quality experience could be expected. The severe lack of potable water sources would also limit hiking and backpacking to short trips. The nature of the Wassuk Range and its proximity to Walker Lake would appear to provide good viewpoints for the lake, but there does not seem to be enough space or isolation from conflicting, non-wilderness uses within the range to provide a quality wilderness experience. Mountain or rock climbing opportunities are extremely limited, and would be possible only in isolated spots, such as the outcrops on the noitheast side of Bald Mountain. A snowpack sufficient to sustain snowshoeing, Nordic skiing, or snow camping normally covers only a small portion of the upper elevations, and this occurs primarily in years of heavy snowfall for less than three months per winter. Except for scenery and sightseeing, opportunities for primitive recreation are far less than outstanding. The overall primitive recreation opportunity could not be termed outstanding.

2014 Inventory - The 1980 evaluation, including the conclusion on primitive and unconfined recreation, remains current for the Wassuk Range unit. It is the conclusion of this evaluation that there are no outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation in the unit that are superior to its kind. The opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation in this unit are represented throughout the CCDO.

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-323

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? _X_ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes _X_ No ___ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members): Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: Teresa J. Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-324

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Chipmunk Spring

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office/Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-324	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-324 Acreage: 6,700
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X__ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-324

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? X__ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes __**X**_ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No __**X**_ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _**X**__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_**X**__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manager

Date: DEC 04 2014

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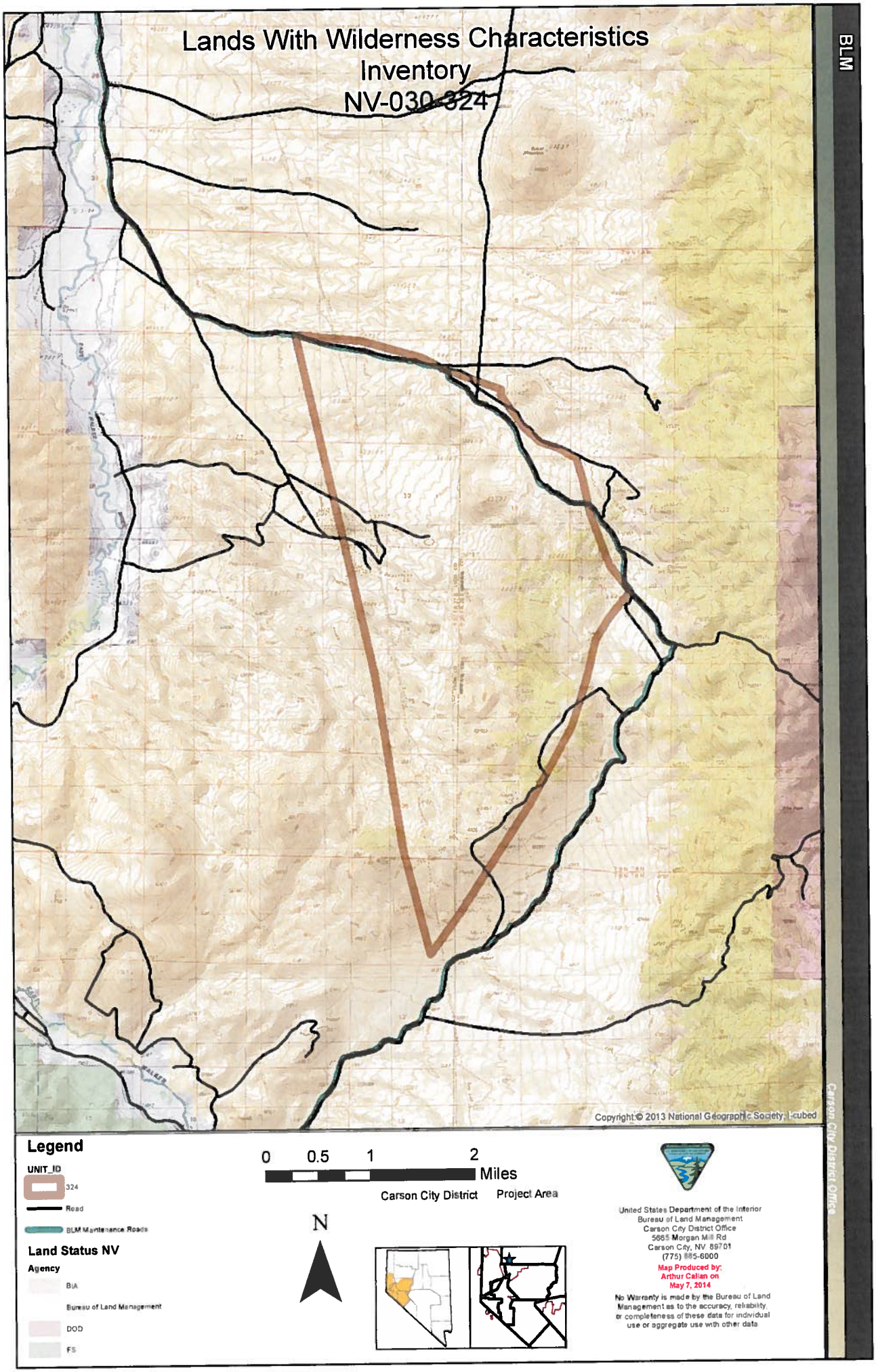
Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-324



Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-325

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Flying M Ranch

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-325	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-325 Acreage:16,040
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes ____ No X___ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X___

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-325

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manager

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-326

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Mitchell Spring

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office/Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-326	No	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-326 Acreage: 3,560
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes _____ No __X____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No ____ N/A__X_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-326

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? __ Yes _X__ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manage

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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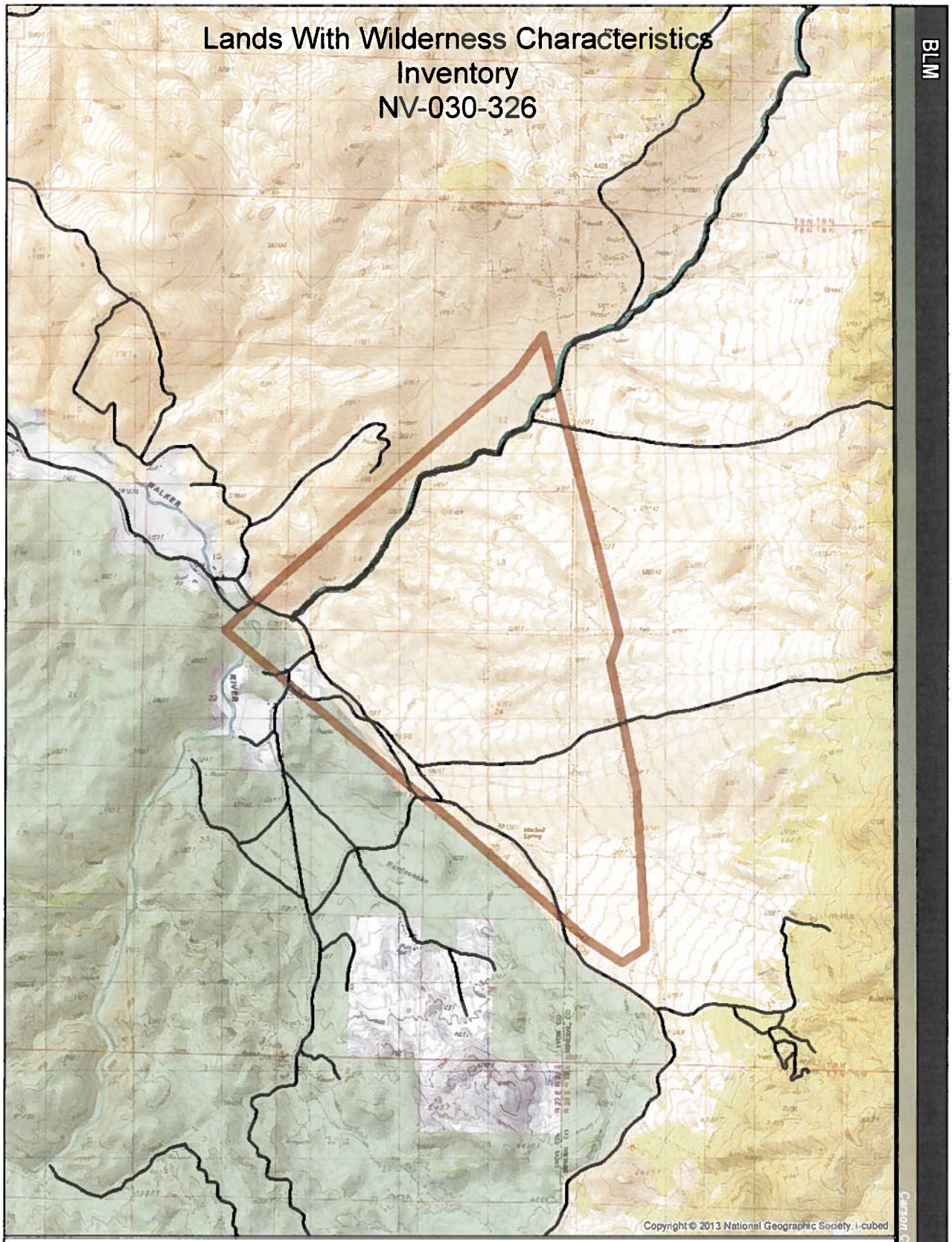
Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-326



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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-327

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): East Walker River Canyon

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office/Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-327	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-327 Acreage: 17,000
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below).*

Yes _____ No __X_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit does not remain current. All Public land within this unit was transferred to the USFS in 1988. The land acquired by USFS in 1988 is not WSA or an area of Recommended Wilderness (USFS).

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No ____ N/A___X_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-327

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? __ Yes _**X**__ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes ___ No _**X**__ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _**X**__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _**X**__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_**X**__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members): Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager)*:

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manage

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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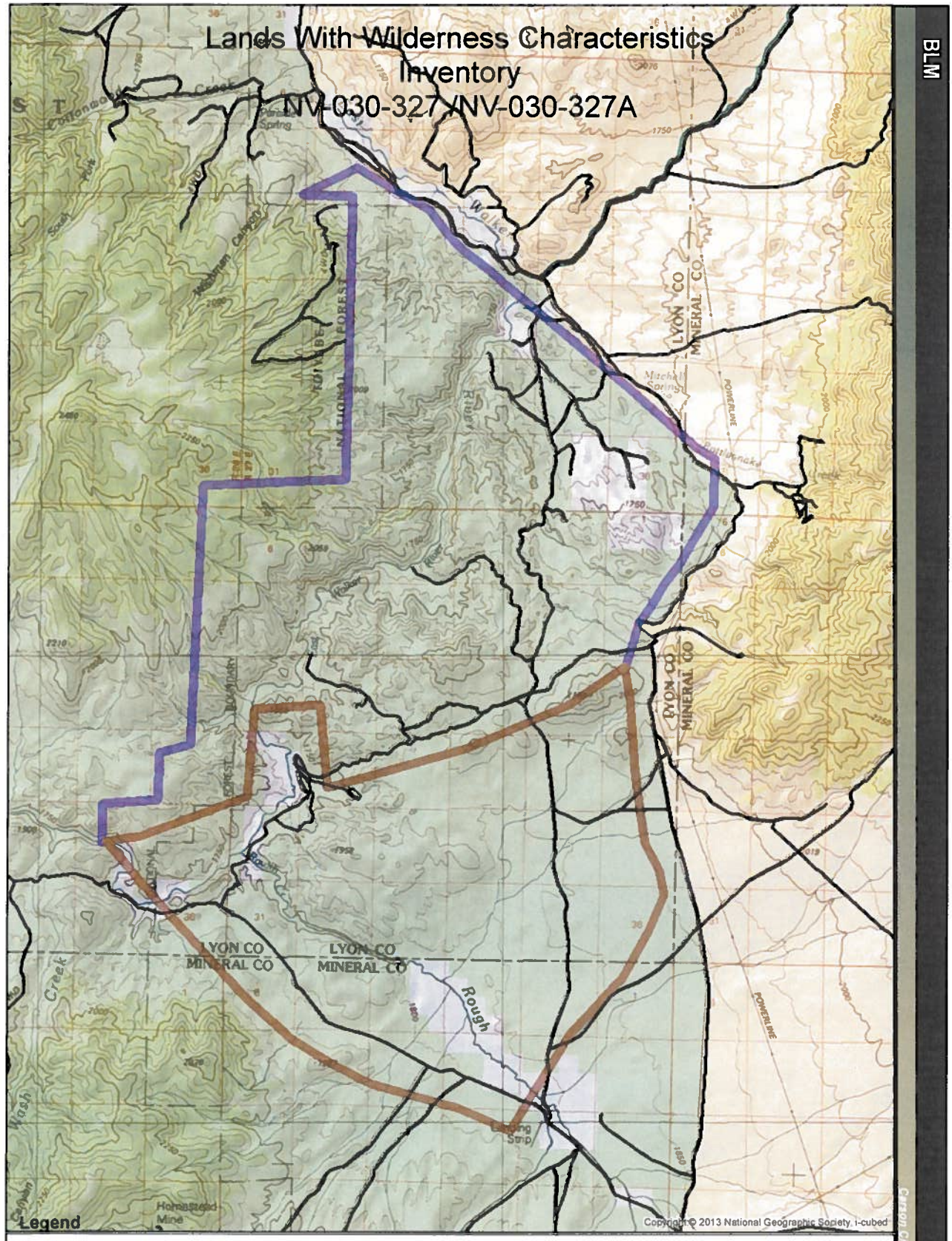

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-327a

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Rough Creek

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office/Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-327a	Yes	Yes	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-327a Acreage: 13,000
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes _____ No ___X_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit does not remain current. All Public land within this unit was transferred to the USFS in 1988. The land acquired by USFS in 1988 is not WSA or an area of Recommended Wilderness (USFS).

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X___

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-327a

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? __ Yes _X__ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager)*:

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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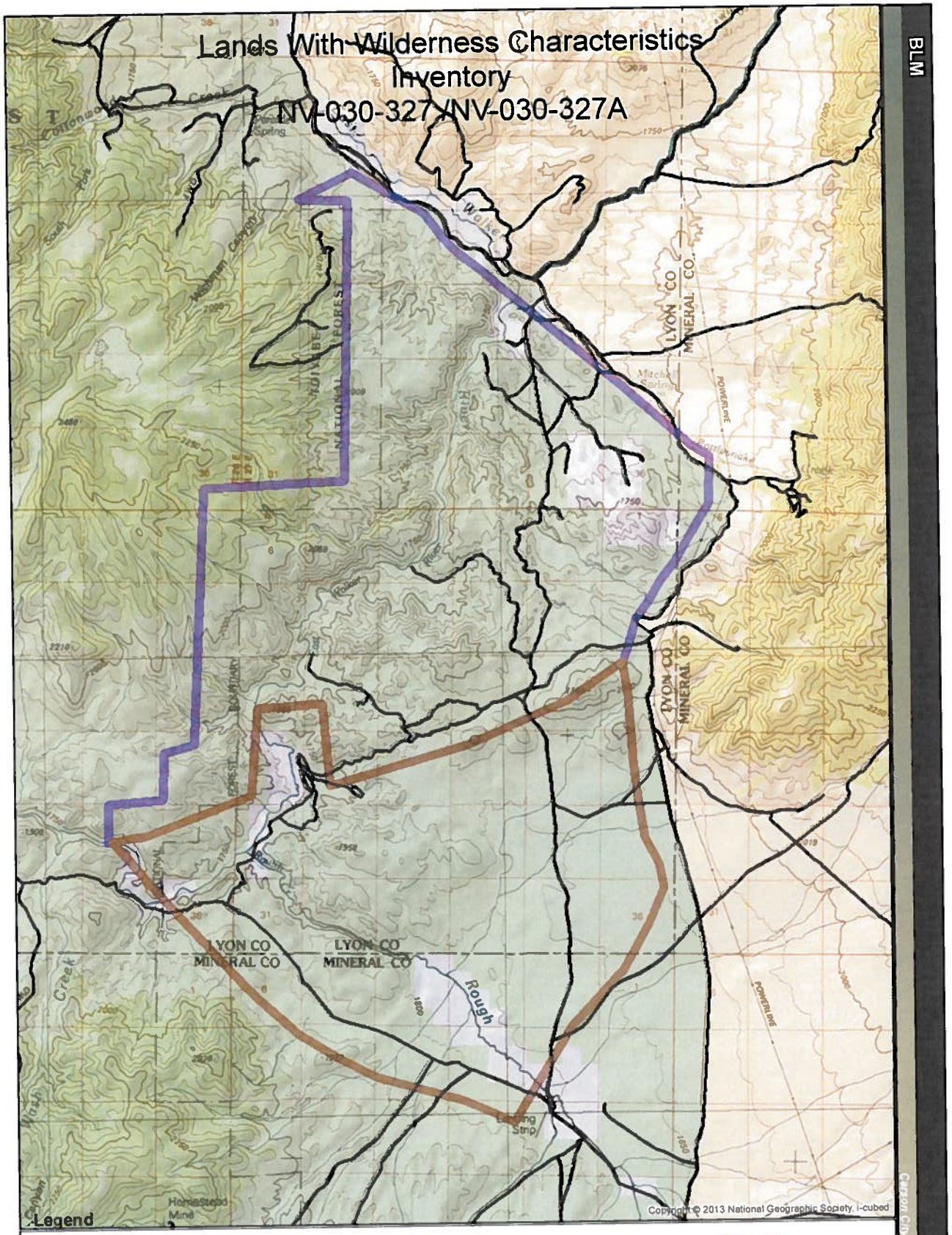

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-328

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Baldwin Canyon

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-328	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-328 Acreage: 30,000
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit does not remain current. About 1,500 of public land located in the eastern "foot" of the unit were transferred to the USFS in 1988. With this reduction the unit still retains about 28,500 acres of contiguous public land.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X__ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X___

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-328

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _**X**_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes __**X**_ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No __**X**_ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _**X**_ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_**X**__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: [signature] Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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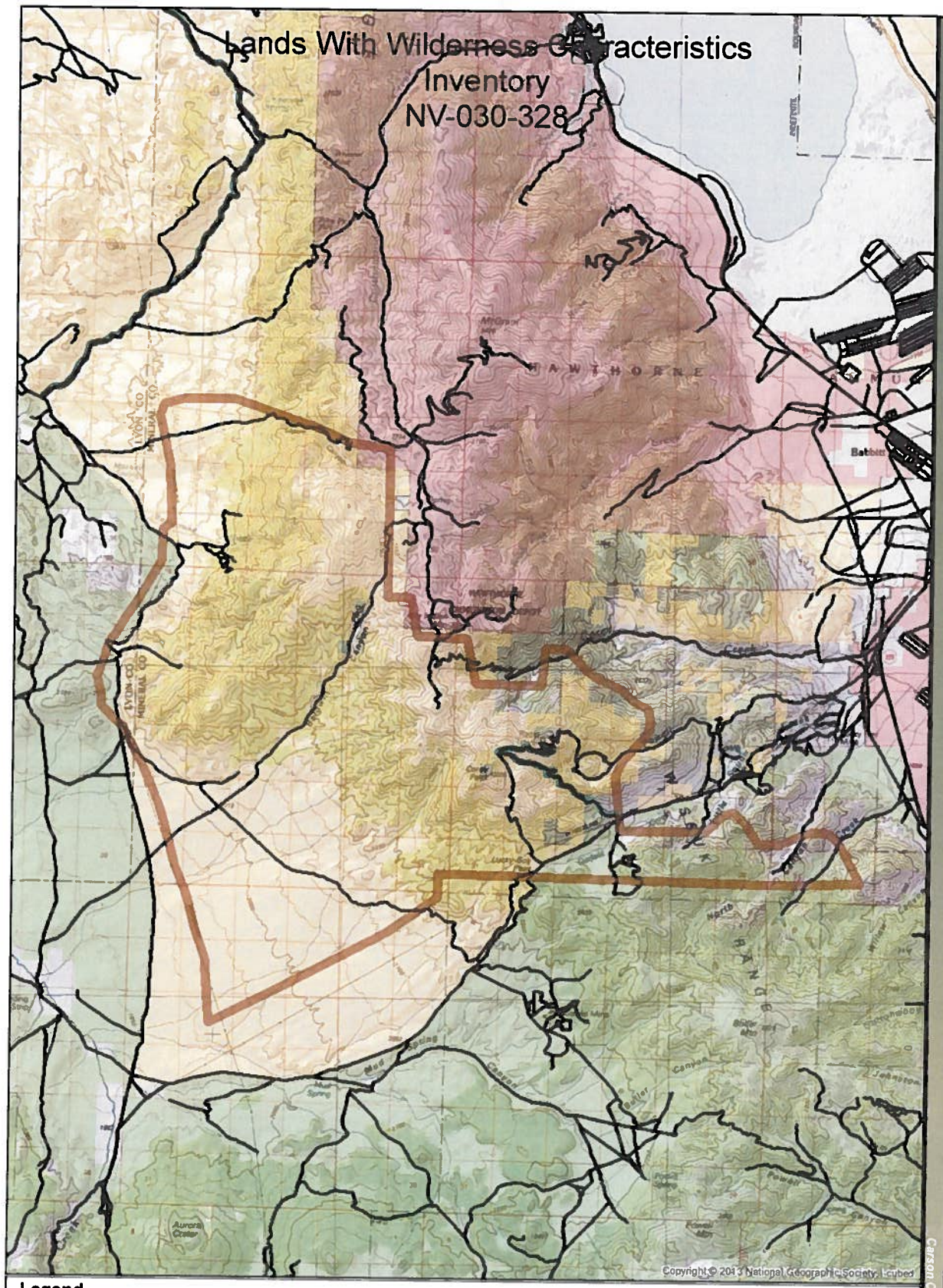

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-329

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Corey Creek

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-329	No	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-329 Acreage: 2,420
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes _____ No ___X_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-329

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? __ Yes _X__ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager)*:

Name: _____ Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 04 2014

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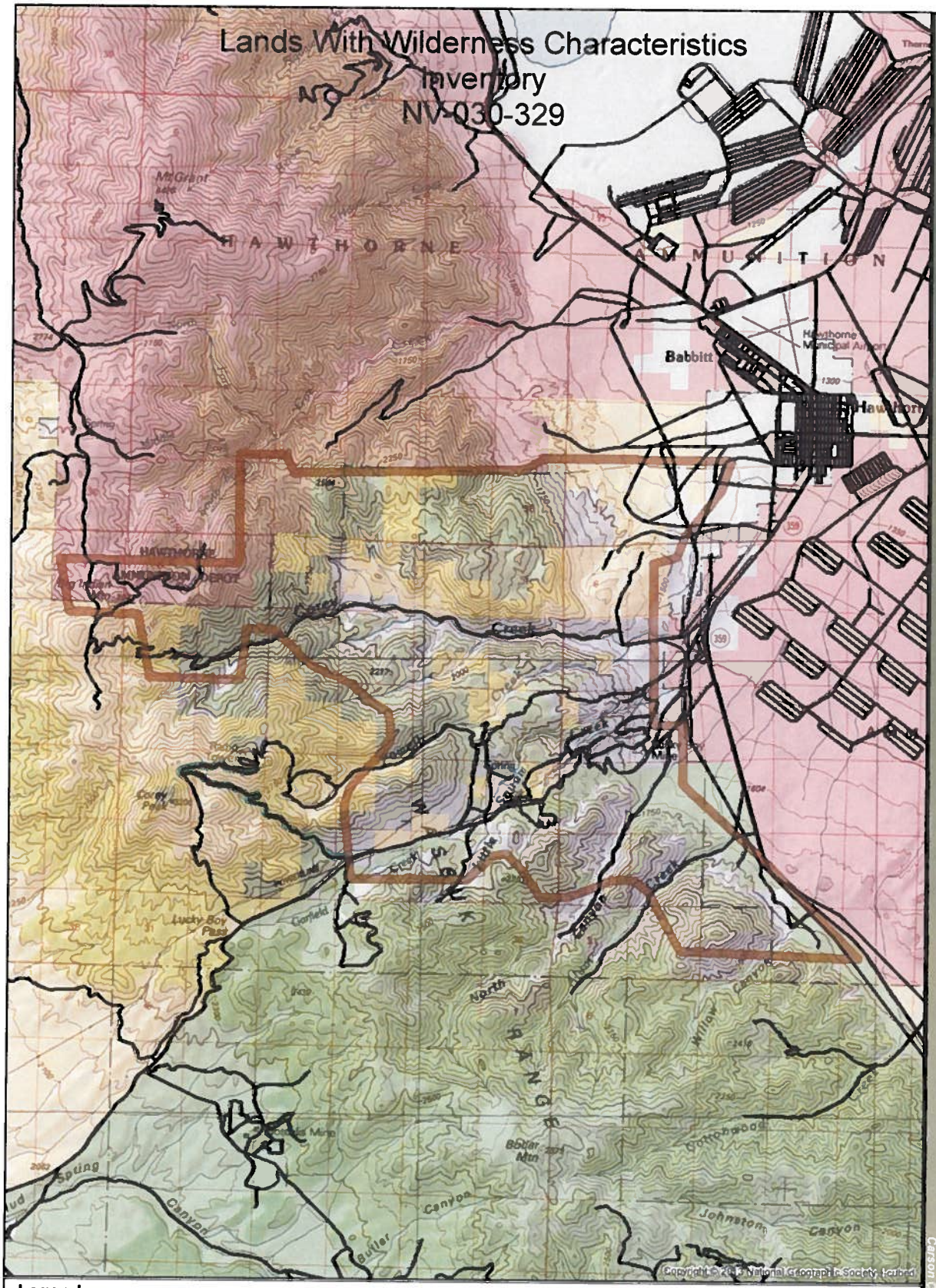

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Land Status NV

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-330

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Boundary

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office/Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-330	Yes	Yes	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-330 Acreage: 6,370
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes _____ No ___X_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit does not remain current. All public land within this unit was transferred to the USFS in 1988. The land acquired by USFS in 1988 is not WSA or an area of Recommended Wilderness (USFS).

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No ____ N/A___X_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-330

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? __ Yes _X__ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members): Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: Teresa J. Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 04 2014

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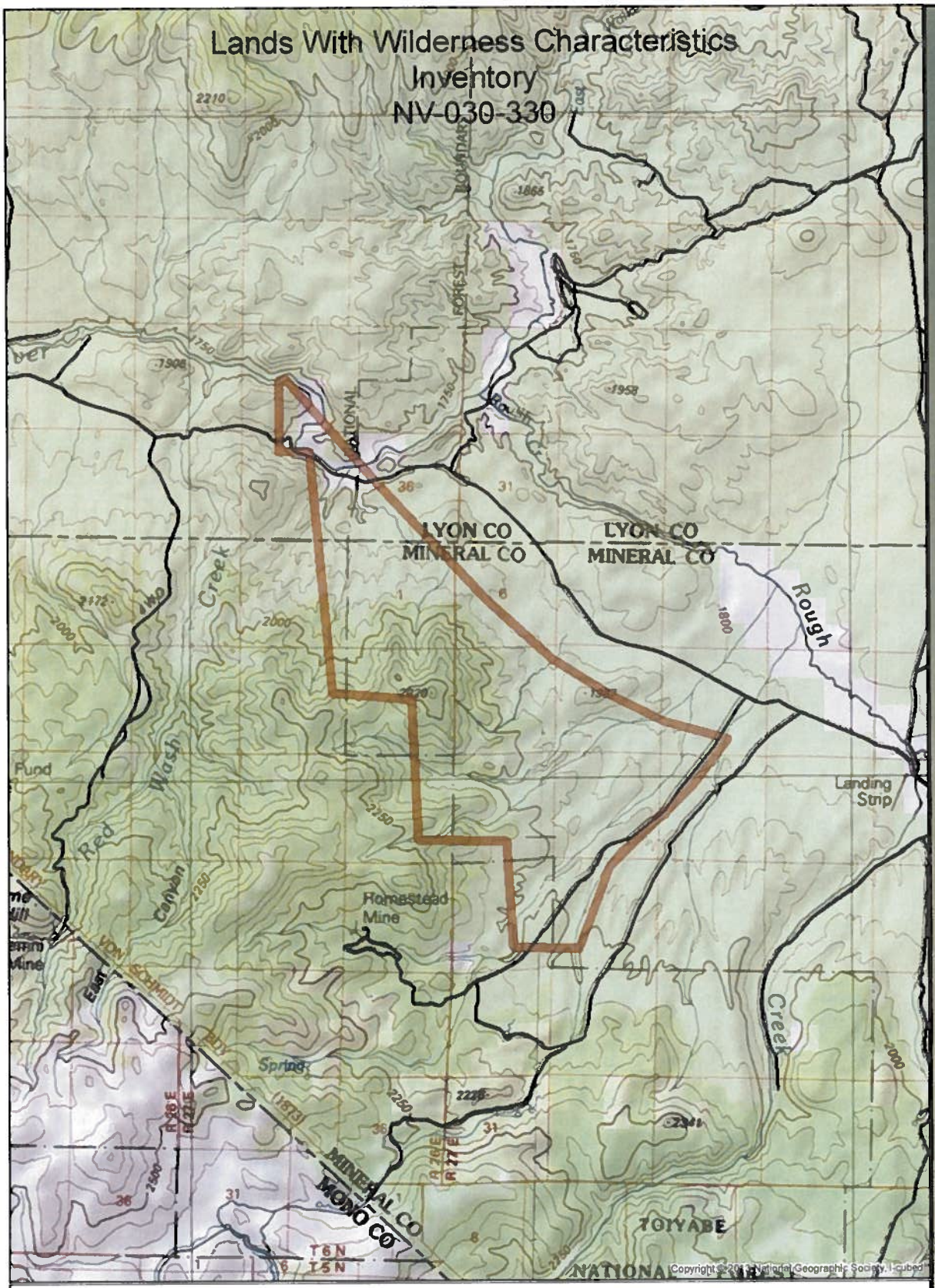
Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-330



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BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

Agency

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-331

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Ninemile Ranch

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-331	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-331 Acreage: 13,840
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes _____ No ___X_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit does not remain current. All public land in this unit was transferred to the USFS in 1988. The land acquired by USFS in 1988 is not WSA or an area of Recommended Wilderness (USFS).

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No ____ N/A___X_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X___

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-331

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? __ Yes _X__ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: Theresa J. Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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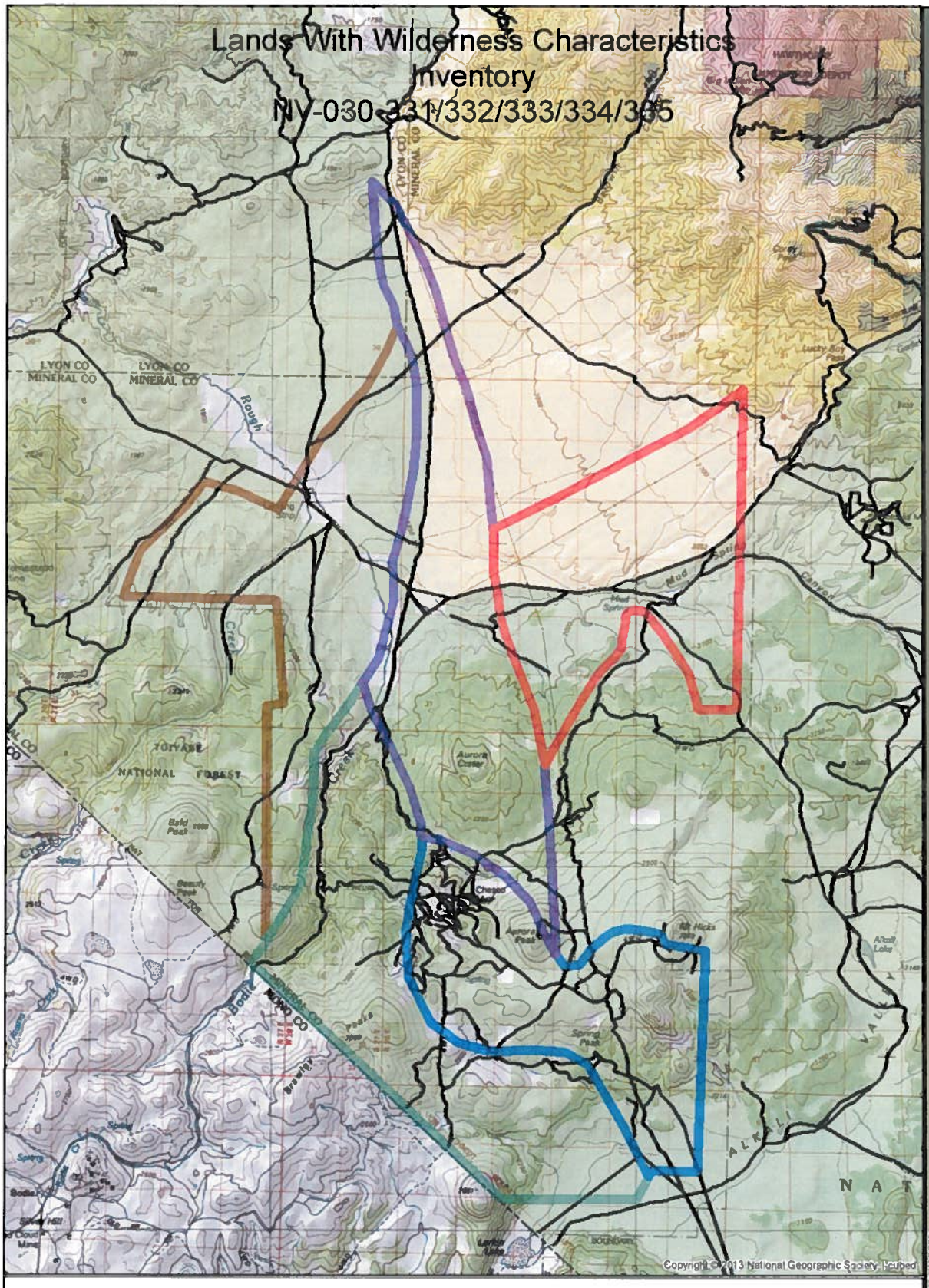

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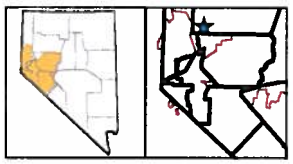

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-332

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Mud Spring

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-332	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-332 Acreage: 7,480
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes _____ No ___X_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit does not remain current. About 3,000 acres of public land located in the southern portion of the unit were transferred to the USFS in 1988. The acquired USFS land is not WSA or Recommended Wilderness (USFS). With this reduction the unit does not meet the 5,000 acre size criteria of public land.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No ____ N/A___X_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-332

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? __ Yes __X_ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

__X_ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: Teresa J. Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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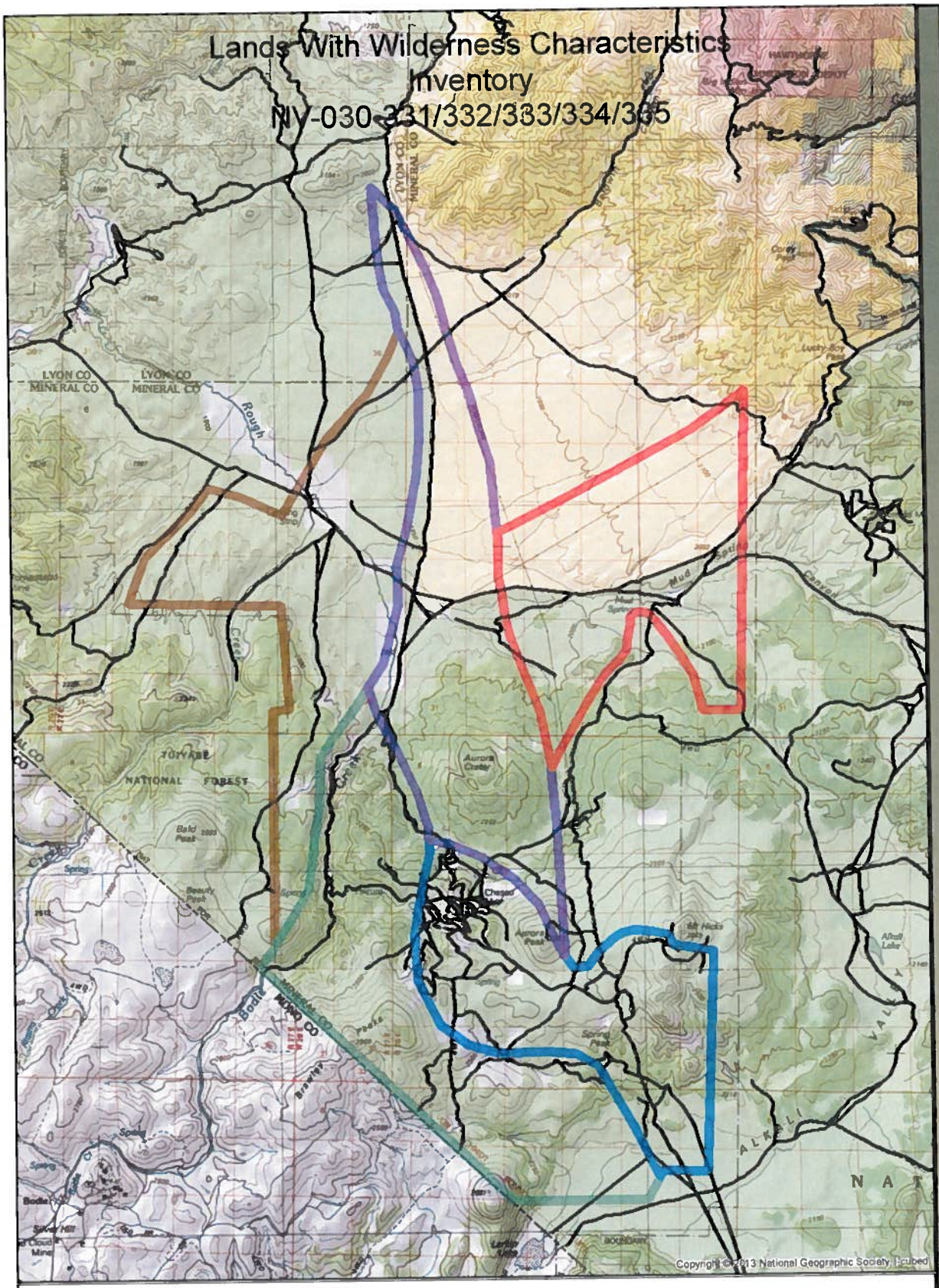

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-333

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Aurora Crater

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-333	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-333 Acreage: 7,400
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes _____ No ___X_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

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(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No ____ N/A_____X___
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X___

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-333

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? __ Yes __X_ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members): Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: Teresa A. Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory
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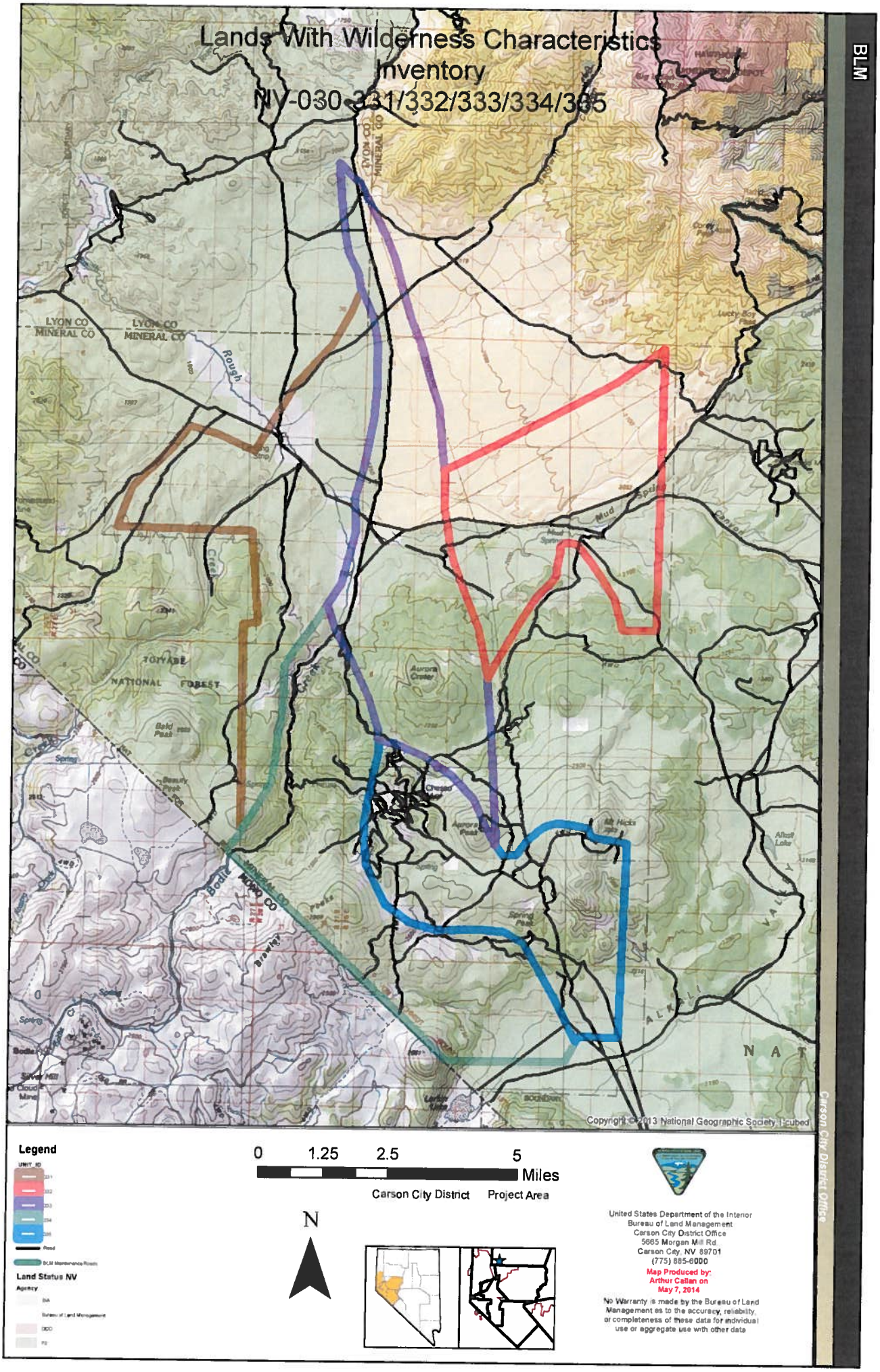

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-334

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Alkali Valley

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-334	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-334 Acreage: 11,100
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes _____ No ___X_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

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(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A___X_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude).*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-334

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? __ Yes __**X**_ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes ___ No _**X**__ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No __**X**_ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _**X**__ N/A

Check one:

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Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Stillwater Field Manager

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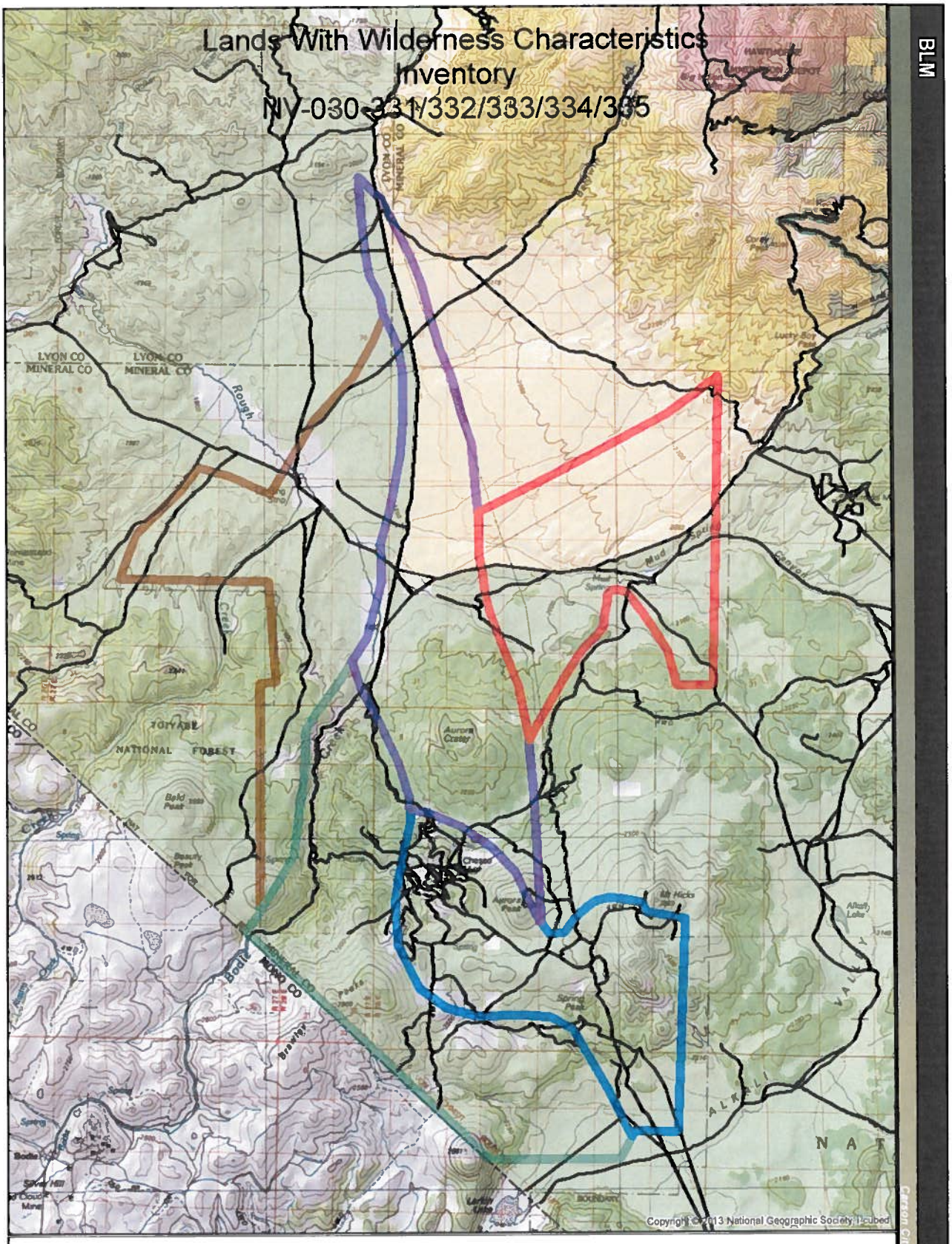

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Form 1

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1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.)*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-335

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Aurora Peak

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-335	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-335 Acreage: 7,520
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes _____ No ___X_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit does not remain current. All public land in this unit was transferred to the USFS in 1988. The land acquired by USFS in 1988 is not WSA or Recommended Wilderness (USFS).

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No ____ N/A___X_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X___

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-335

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? __ Yes __X_ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members): Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: Teresa J. Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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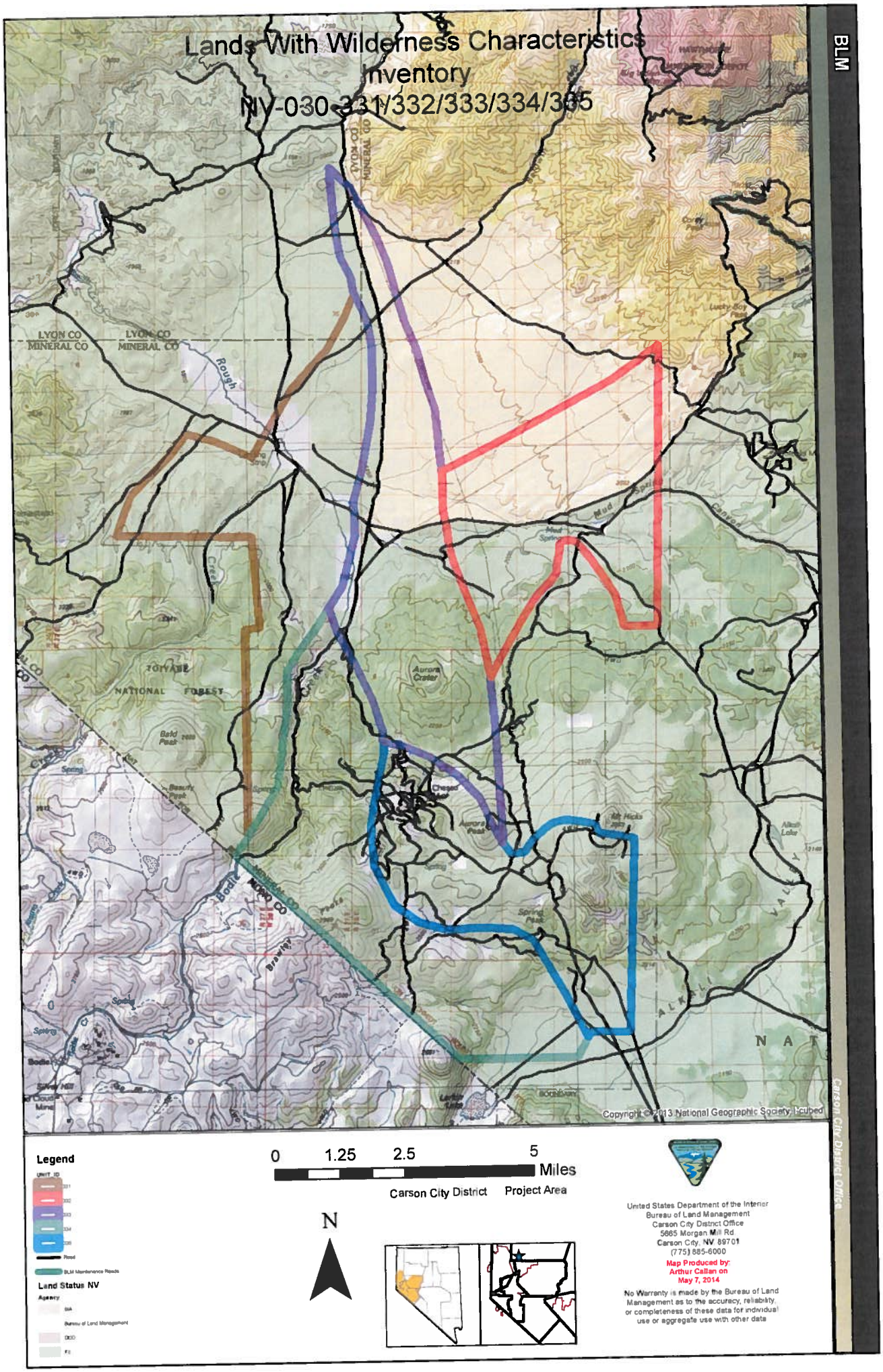

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Land Status NV

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.)*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-336

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Mount Hicks

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-336	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-336 Acreage: 5,600
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes _____ No ___X____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit does not remain current. All public land in this unit was transferred to the USFS in 1988. The land acquired by USFS in 1988 is not WSA or Recommended Wilderness (USFS).

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No ____ N/A___X_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude).*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-336

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? __ Yes _X__ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

__X_ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: Teresa J. Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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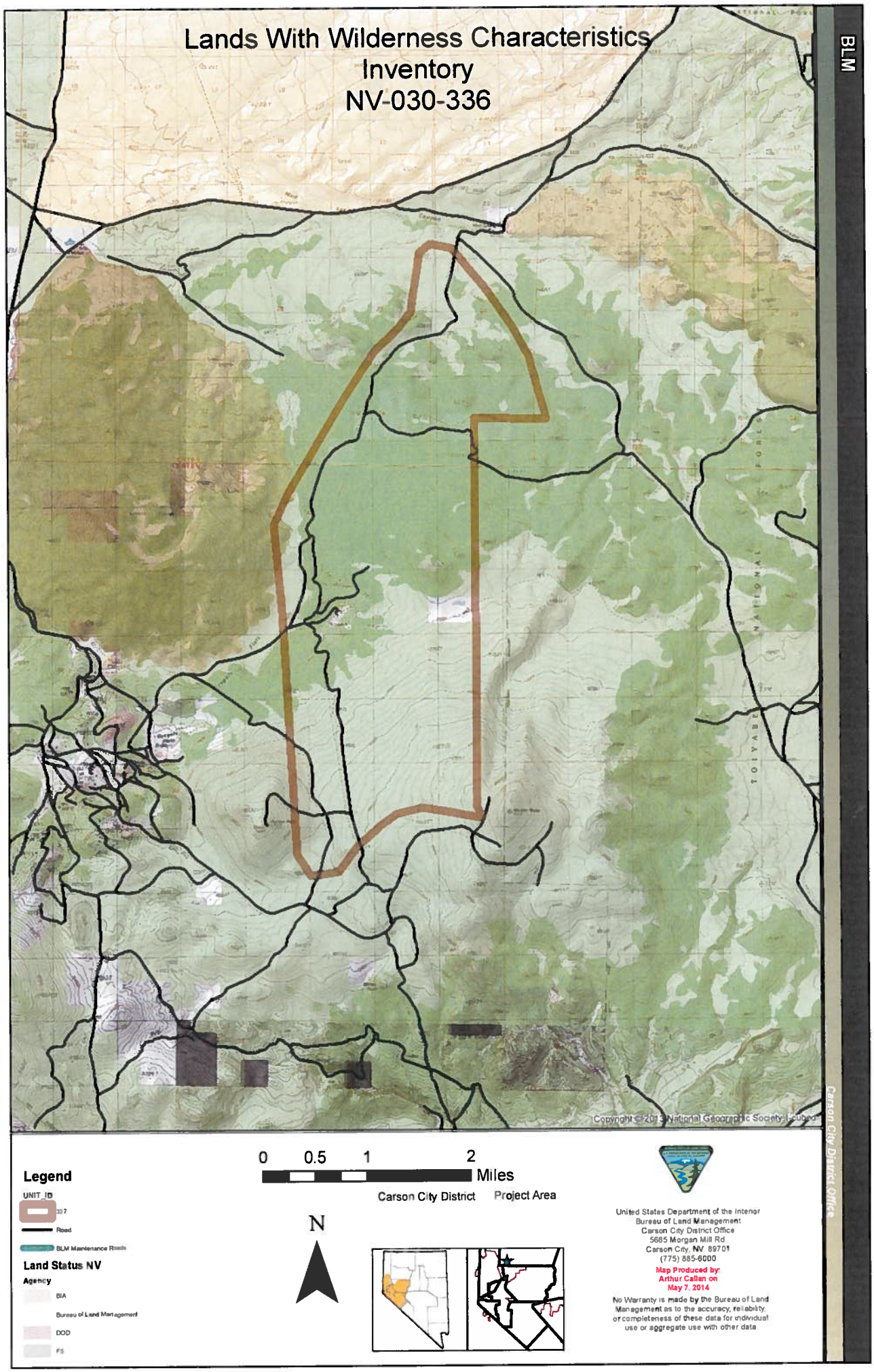
Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-336



Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-337

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Walker Lake

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-337	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-337 Acreage: 20,000
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ____X____ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No X____ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-337

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _**X**_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _**X**__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _**X**__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No __**X**_ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

__**X**_ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

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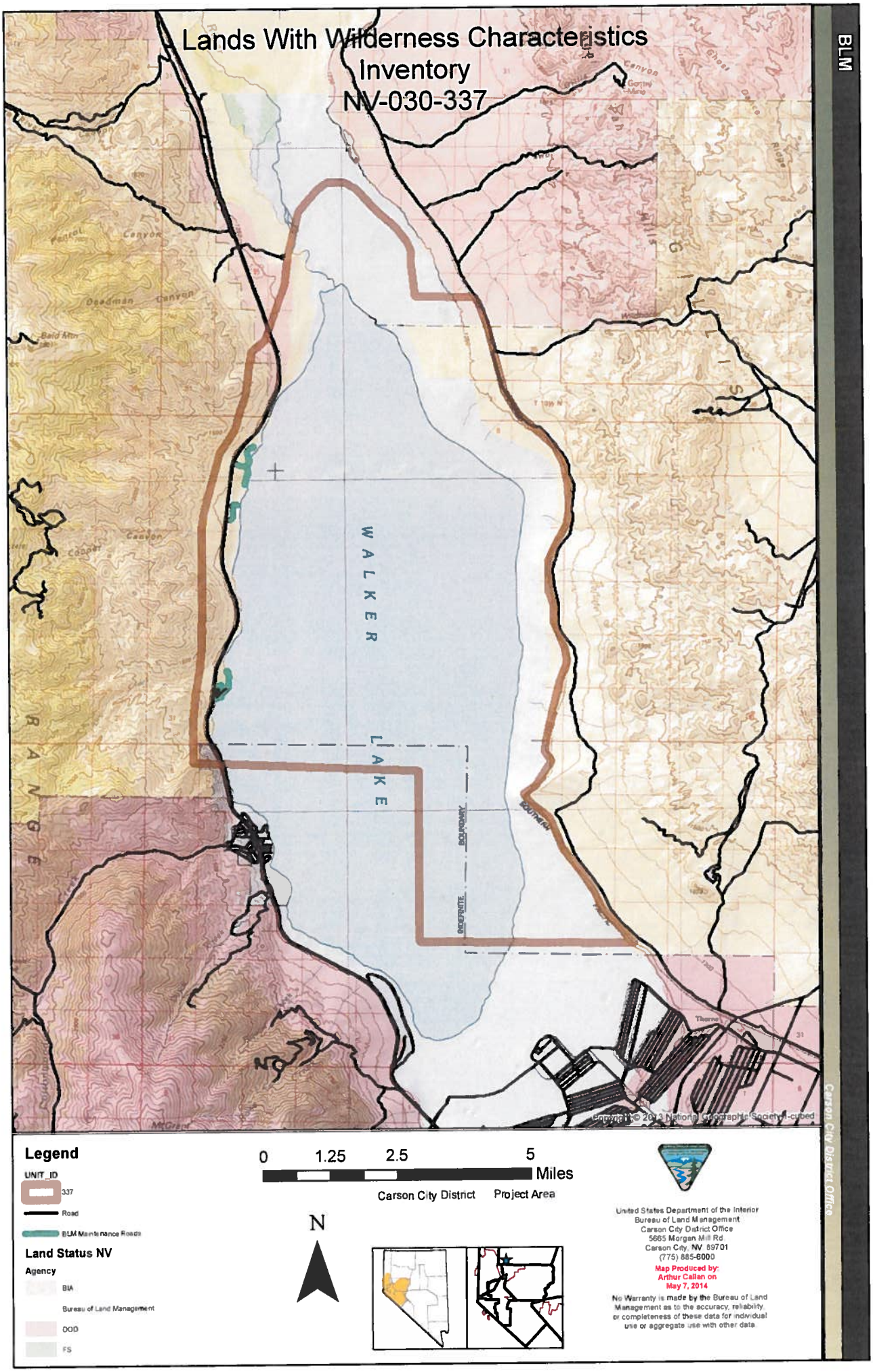

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Land Status NV

Agency
BIA
Bureau of Land Management
DOD
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0 1.25 2.5 5 Miles

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-338

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Butler Mountain

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office/Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-338	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-338 Acreage: 10,500
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ____X____ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No __X__ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X___

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-338

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

__X_ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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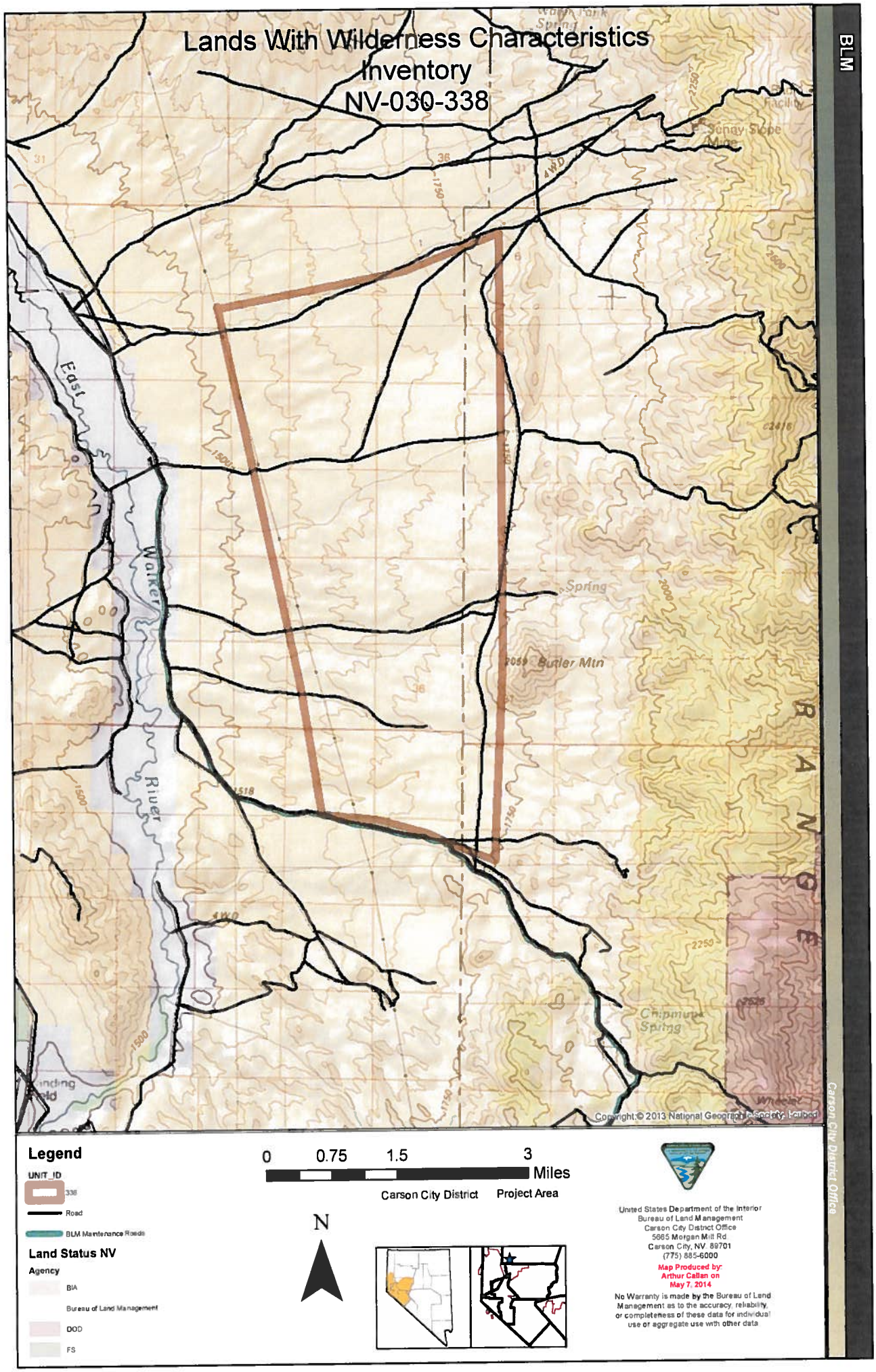
Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-338



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- BLM Maintenance Roads

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- Bureau of Land Management
- DOD
- FS

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-339

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Pike Peak

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-339	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-339 Acreage: 8,300
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X__ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-339

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes __X_ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

__X_ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

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Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager)*:

Name: Teresa J. Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation **Form 1**

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-401

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Alkali Flat

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-401	Yes	Yes	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-401 Acreage: 27,000
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ___X___ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes ___X___ No ____ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No ___X___ N/A___

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on solitude, remains current for the unit.

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No ___X___ N/A____

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on primitive and unconfined recreation, remains current for the unit.

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-401

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? _X_ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes __X_ No ___ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

__X_ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

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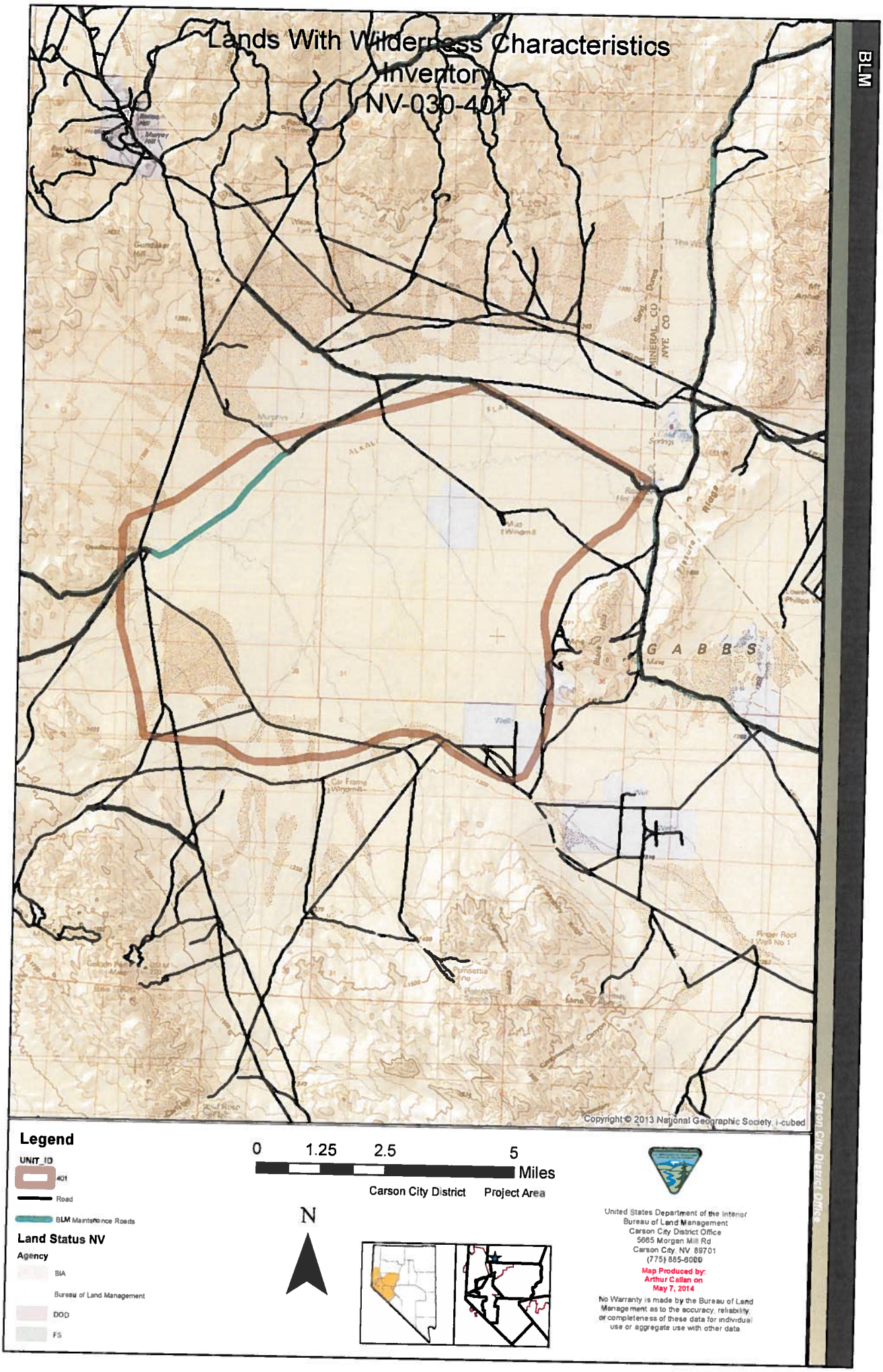

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes__X__*(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-402

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Gillis Range North / NV-030-402

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Carson City District / Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-402	Partial	Partial	No	Minimal	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-402 Acreage: 51,660

(1) Is the area of sufficient size

Yes ___X___ No _____

Description:

1980 Inventory – The Gillis Range North unit has approximately 51,660 acres of public land and 80 acres of private land. Road/Way analysis proved to be a major factor in determining area size. The Wilderness Inventory Handbook defines a road as a route which has been "improved and maintained by mechanical means to insure relatively regular and continuous use". A route which carries traffic, but which appears to have been created and maintained solely by the passage of vehicles was designated a "way". Roads to the interior of a unit were removed by having the border follow the road. "Ways" that showed no mechanical improvements or maintenance and were not substantially noticeable were left within the unit. Unit 402 is extremely dissected by roads. When all the roads within the unit were documented, they divided the original unit into sixteen subunits. This led to major border modifications. Fifteen of the sixteen subunits were deleted from further study due to insufficient size. This resulted in a reduction of approximately 50% of the unit's original size. All roads mapped in the unit were documented and labelled. Only Subunit A was of sufficient size (19,465 acres) for further inventory.
Conclusion: Subunit A meets the acreage requirement and was further assessed for wilderness characteristics. Subunits B through P were deleted due to insufficient size.
2014 Inventory – The BLM 1980 Wilderness Inventory documented a total of 51,660 acres of public land and 80 acres of private land. Road/Way analysis proved to be a major factor in determining area size. When all the roads within the unit were documented, it divided the original unit into sixteen subunits. This led to major border modifications. Fifteen of the sixteen subunits were deleted from further study due to insufficient size. This resulted in a reduction of approximately 50% of the unit's original size. The unit boundary evaluated was 19,465 acres.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes __X__ No ____ N/A_____

Description:
1980 Inventory – The Wilderness Act of 1964 defines a wilderness as an area which "generally appears to have been affected primarily by the forces of nature, with the imprint of man's work substantially unnoticeable." Using this definition, boundary modifications are necessary to exclude parts of the unit which show substantially noticeable imprints of man's

activity. The term "essentially natural" has been employed here to describe an area where the works of man are substantially unnoticeable to the average visitor. Subunit A is formed by documented Roads 402.06, 402.08, 402.07, 402.05 and 402.10. It is also bordered in part by the Walker River Indian Reservation to the north. This 19,465-acre subunit consists primarily of ridges, hills, and rolling plains, and is characterized by sandy soils, eroded slopes, and very low vegetation density. Subunit A is in the Gillis Mountain Allotment, (No. 3536) Mina Planning Unit, and is primarily used by sheep, with slight trespass by cattle. Vegetation is primarily big and low sage, rabbitbrush, various grasses, and Bailey's greasewood. Grazing use depends on snow and water hauling because there are no developed troughs or natural watering areas within the subunit. There are signs of mining activity in the northwest portion of Subunit A just off of Wovoka Wash Road No. 402.06 (T. 30 N., R. 11 E., Sec. 13). The area affected is less than ten acres and was deleted from the subunit as an intrusion. It is not visible from the rest of the unit because it is on a side of a ridge that faces outside the unit. Consequently, the feeling of naturalness in Subunit A is lessened to a slight degree.

Conclusion: Subunit A is in an essentially natural state where the imprints of man's work are substantially unnoticeable.

2014 Inventory – The 2014 inventory found the unit to be effected primarily by natural processes. This includes the Gillis Range with weathered tertiary volcanic rock and other cretaceous rock (Ross 1961). The unit consists primarily of ridges, hills, and rolling plains, and is characterized by sandy soils, eroded slopes, and very low vegetation and appears natural. The Gillis Mountain Allotment vegetation is primarily big and low sage, rabbitbrush, various grasses, and Bailey's greasewood. The Wovoka Wash Road and other roads within the unit follow washes so any traffic generally returns to a natural state with the weather and winds. In the eastern half of the unit there is a small amount of remnants of mining exploration such as an old cabin. This does not indicate naturalness within the unit, but is slowly rehabbing itself.

Ross, Donald C. 1961. *Geology and Mineral Deposits of Mineral County, Nevada.* Bulletin 58. Nevada Bureau of Mines. Nevada Bureau of Mines, University of Nevada, NV.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes __X__ No ____ N/A___

Description:

1980 Inventory – Solitude is defined in the Wilderness Inventory Handbook as "the state of being alone or remote from others, isolation; a lonely or secluded place." Although some subjective judgments must be made in assessing this criteria, the Handbook has established factors which influence solitude opportunities, including "size, natural screening, and the ability of the user to find a secluded spot." Configuration of an area, as well as the size, is important in determining a user's ability to avoid the sights and sounds of other users. Natural screening is a product of interaction between varied topography and vegetation,

resulting in seclusion and isolation opportunities. Subunit A, with its 19,465 acres, is approximately eight miles in length and five miles across at its widest point. The area tapers off in a northeasterly direction. The narrow portion is approximately one-half mile wide and three miles long. This narrow corridor is not conducive to solitude because of its configuration. The topography of the subunit varies between ridges and hills in the north and northwestern portions, to hills and flats in the south and southeastern portions. Overall, the vegetation profile is very low (low sage, rabbitbrush, horsebrush, and grasses) and combined with the terrain, does not provide sufficient screening for outstanding opportunities for solitude. Washes, which dissect the flats, are shallow and provide little, if any, natural screening. Recreationists seeking solitude could not easily screen themselves from others in the area. A hiker is highly visible throughout most of the area and seclusion is all but impossible to attain on the flats. Although secluded spots may exist in the drainages and hills, very few were observed during the field inventory.
Conclusion: Size and configuration of the unit are sufficient to provide a limited opportunity for solitude. Low, sparse vegetation and terrain result in poor natural screening and severely limit the chance for feeling remote from others in the area, and areas of seclusion were generally lacking through most of the subunit. Subunit A does not possess outstanding opportunities for solitude.
2014 Inventory – BLM guidelines for evaluating LWC have changed since 1980. This unit offers numerous outstanding opportunities for natural screening due to the interaction between varied topography and vegetation, resulting in seclusion and isolation. Several deeply carved canyons with prominent tertiary volcanic formations offer outstanding opportunities for solitude. Seasonal patterns of flooding easily wash out tire, foot, and horse tracks to further offer the feeling of solitude. Overall, throughout the unit there are isolated locations where a visitor could experience outstanding opportunities for solitude. Although the overall vegetation profile is very low, with low sage, rabbitbrush, horsebrush, and grasses, the hills and ridges still provide places that offer solitude.

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes ___X___ No _____ N/A____

Description:

1980 Inventory – The Wilderness Inventory Handbook defines "primitive and unconfined recreation" as "those activities that provide dispersed, undeveloped recreation which do not require facilities or motorized equipment." Examples of such activities include hiking, backpacking, hunting, horseback riding, rock climbing, and sightseeing for zoological, geological, or botanical features. An area is considered to have outstanding opportunities for this type of recreation either through a diversity of possible activities or the outstanding quality of one activity. The lack of available water in this subunit does not totally prevent recreation opportunities, though it does limit them severely. This lack of water precludes any water-based activities such as fishing or boating. At this time, there are no known outstanding recreational opportunities in this area. Cattle and sheep trails are the only types

of trails that exist in this area. The area can be travelled by foot or horseback, though the lack of exceptional features would preclude large numbers of users in this location. With the absence of trees, this area provides no shelter from summer heat or winter cold. The lack of outstanding scenic values lessens the desirability for backpacking, horseback riding or hiking into this area. Hunting is marginal, since deer, chukar and other game species are very scarce, and jackrabbits are the only game animal common to the area. There is better wildlife habitat and hunting in the surrounding mountains, which would tend to draw more users. The geographic location of the subunit is such that it receives little precipitation in the form of snow and therefore would preclude most forms of winter recreation. With the absence of scenic or major geological features, there are no significant destination points in this subunit.

Conclusion: No single primitive recreation opportunity in this area is outstanding, and hiking, hunting, or horseback riding, even when combined, could not provide an outstanding opportunity for primitive and unconfined recreation.

2014 Inventory – The rock formations, tight canyons and geologic rich landscape of the Agai Pah Hills offer outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation though the diversity of recreational opportunities. Examples of these recreational opportunities are backpacking, horseback riding, or hiking. Large game species are scarce in this area due to the lack of available water, but smaller wildlife like jackrabbits, small rodents, and reptiles can offer recreational opportunities like photography. Hills and canyons provide screening and isolation for a visitor who is either out for a day hike or overnight camping, offering more geologic features along the way for geologists and artists.

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)

Yes __X__ No ____ N/A___

Description: The geologic formation of weathered tertiary volcanic rock and other cretaceous rock offer outstanding geologic research into the possibility that the Agai Pah Hills was a long lived volcanic center.

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-402

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? _X_ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

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3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? _X_ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? _X_ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

Check one:

_X_ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Lands with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

___ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

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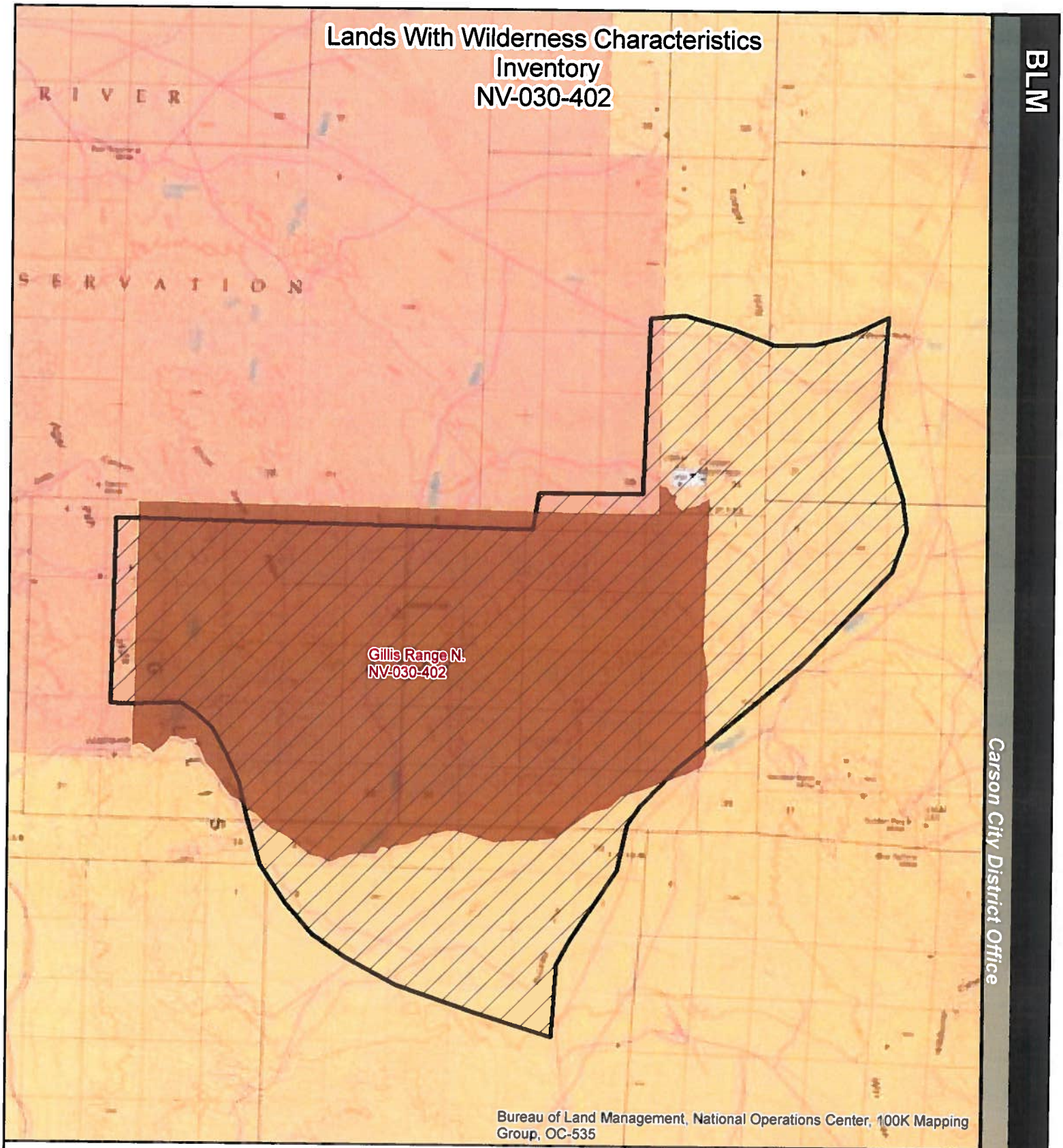
Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: Teresa J. Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-402



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Legend

- LWC
- LWC 1980 Instensive
- Bureau of Indian Affairs
- Bureau of Land Management
- Bureau of Reclamation
- California County
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- Department of Energy
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- Forest Service
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Gillis Range N.
NV-030-402

0 0.75 1.5 3 Miles

N

Legend

- LWC
- LWC 1980 Instensive
- Bureau of Indian Affairs
- Bureau of Land Management
- Bureau of Reclamation
- California County
- Department of Defense
- Department of Energy
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1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes __X____ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-402

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Gillis Range North / NV-030-402

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-402	Partial	Partial	No	Minimal	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-402 Acreage: 51,660
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

1980 Inventory - The Gillis Range North Unit has approximately 51,660 acres of public land and 80 acres of private land. Road/Way analysis proved to be a major factor in determining the area's size. The Wilderness Inventory Handbook defines a road as a route which has been "improved and maintained by mechanical means to insure relatively regular and continuous use". A route which carries traffic, but which appears to have been created and maintained solely by the passage of vehicles was designated a "way". Roads to the interior of a unit were removed by having the border follow the road. "Ways", which showed no mechanical improvements or maintenance and were not substantially noticeable were left within the unit. Unit 402 is extremely dissected by roads. When all the roads within the unit were documented, it divided the original unit into sixteen subunits. This led to major border modifications. Fifteen of the sixteen subunits were deleted from further study due to insufficient size. This resulted in a reduction of approximately 50% of the unit's original size. All roads mapped in the unit were documented and numbered. Only Subunit "A" was of sufficient size, 19,465 acres, for further inventory. Conclusion: Subunits B through P are deleted due to insufficient size and Subunit A, meets the acreage requirement, and was further assessed for wilderness characteristics.
2014 Inventory - The 1980 unit boundaries and size recommendations on the Gillis Range North unit, as described above, remains current. External new information was also considered in the evaluation.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes __X__ No ____ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
1980 Inventory - The Wilderness Act of 1964 defines a wilderness as an area which "generally appears to have been affected primarily by the forces of nature, with the imprint

of man's work substantially unnoticeable." Using this definition, boundary modifications are necessary to exclude parts of the unit which show substantially noticeable imprints of man's activity. The term "essentially natural" has been employed here to describe an area where the works of man are substantially unnoticeable to the average visitor. Subunit A is formed by documented Roads 402.06, 402.08, 402.07, 402.05 and 402.10. It is also bordered in part by the Walker River Indian Reservation to the north. This 19,865-acre subunit consists primarily of ridges, hills, and rolling plains, and is characterized by sandy soils, eroded slopes and very low vegetation density (see photos 22 and 29). Subunit A is in the Gillis Mountain Allotment, (No. 3536) Mina Planning Unit, and is primarily used by sheep, with slight trespass by cattle. Vegetation is primarily big and low sage, rabbitbrush, various grasses and Bailey's greasewood. Grazing use depends on snow and water hauling, since there are no developed troughs or natural watering areas within the subunit.There are signs of mining activity in the northwest portion of Subunit A, just off of Wovoka Wash Road, No. 402.06 (T. 30 N., R. 11 E., Sec. 13). The area affected is less than ten acres, and was deleted from subunit as an intrusion. It is not visible from the rest of the unit, as it is on a side of a ridge that faces outside the unit. Consequently, the feeling of naturalness in Subunit A is lessened to a slight degree. Conclusion: Subunit A is in an essentially natural state where the imprints of man's work are substantially unnoticeable.
2014 Inventory - The 1980 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for Gillis Range North unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No ___X____ N/A___

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

1980 Inventory - Solitude is defined in the Wilderness Inventory Handbook as "the state of being alone or remote from others, isolation; a lonely or secluded place." Although some subjective judgements must be made in assessing this criteria, the Handbook has established factors which influence solitude opportunities, including "size, natural screening, and the ability of the user to find a secluded spot." Configuration of an area, as well as the size, is important in determining a user's ability to avoid the sights and sounds of other users. Natural screening is a product of interaction between varied topography and vegetation, resulting in seclusion and isolation opportunities. Subunit A, with its 19,865 acres, is approximately eight miles in length and five miles across at its widest point. The area tapers off in a northeasterly direction. The narrow portion is approximately one-half mile wide and three miles long. This narrow corridor is not conducive to solitude because of its configuration. The topography of the subunit varies between ridges and hills in the north and northwestern portions, to hills and flats in the south and southeastern portions. Overall, the vegetation profile is very low (low sage, rabbitbrush, horsebrush, and grasses) and combined with the terrain, does not provide sufficient screening for outstanding opportunities for solitude. Washes, which dissect the flats, are shallow and provide little, if any, natural screening. Recreationists seeking solitude could not easily screen themselves from others in the area. A hiker is highly visible throughout most of the area, and seclusion

is all but impossible to attain on the flats. Although secluded spots may exist in the drainages and hills, very few were observed during the field inventory. Conclusion: Size and configuration of the unit are sufficient to provide a limited opportunity for solitude. Low, sparse vegetation and terrain result in poor natural screening and severely limit the chance for feeling remote from others in the area, and areas of seclusion were generally lacking through most of the subunit. Subunit A does not possess outstanding opportunities for solitude.

2014 Inventory – The 1980 evaluation, including the conclusion on solitude, remains current for the Gillis Range North unit. It is the conclusion of this evaluation that there are no outstanding opportunities for solitude in the unit that are superior to its kind. The opportunities for solitude in this unit are represented throughout the CCDO.

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No __X____ N/A____

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

1980 Inventory - The Wilderness Inventory Handbook defines "primitive and unconfined recreation" as "those activities that provide dispersed, undeveloped recreation which do not require facilities or motorized equipment." Examples of such activities include hiking, backpacking, hunting, horseback riding, rock climbing, and sightseeing for zoological, geological, or botanical features. An area is considered to have outstanding opportunities for this type of recreation, either through a diversity of possible activities, or the outstanding quality of one activity. The lack of available water in this subunit does not totally prevent recreation opportunities, though it does limit them severely. This lack of water precludes any water-based activities such as fishing or boating. At this time, there are no known outstanding recreational opportunities in this area. Cattle and sheep trails are the only types of trails that exist in this area. The area can be travelled by foot or horseback, though the lack of exceptional features would preclude large numbers of users in this location. With the absence of trees, this area provides no shelter from summer heat or winter cold. The lack of outstanding scenic values lessens the desirability for backpacking, horseback riding or hiking into this area. Hunting is marginal, since deer, chukar and other game species are very scarce, and jackrabbits are the only game animal common to the area. There is better wildlife habitat and hunting in the surrounding mountains, which would tend to draw more users. The geographic location of the subunit is such that it receives little precipitation in the form of snow and, therefore, would preclude most forms of winter recreation. With the absence of scenic or major geological features, there are no significant destination points in this subunit. Conclusion: No single primitive recreation opportunity in this area is outstanding, and hiking, hunting, or horseback riding, even when combined, could not provide an outstanding opportunity for primitive and unconfined recreation.

2014 Inventory - The 1980 evaluation, including the conclusion on primitive and unconfined recreation, remains current for the Gillis Range North unit. It is the conclusion of

this evaluation that there are no outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation in the unit that are superior to its kind. The opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation in this unit are represented throughout the CCDO.

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-402

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? _X_ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes __X_ No ___ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

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Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager)*: Stillwater Field Manager

Name: Teresa J. Knutson Title: _____

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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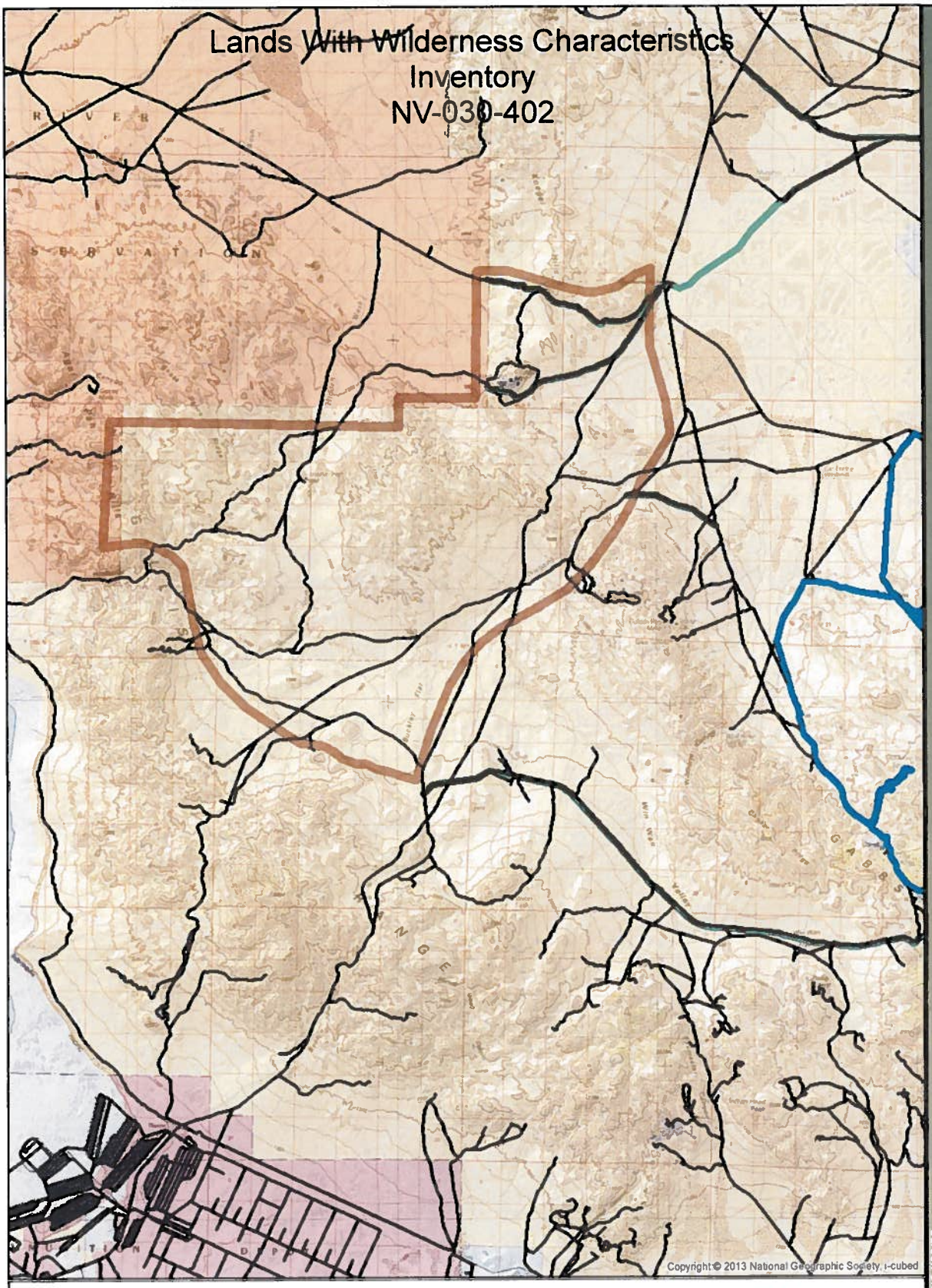

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Legend

UNIT_ID
- 402
- WSA
- Road
- BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

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- DOD

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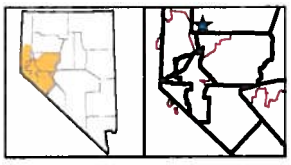

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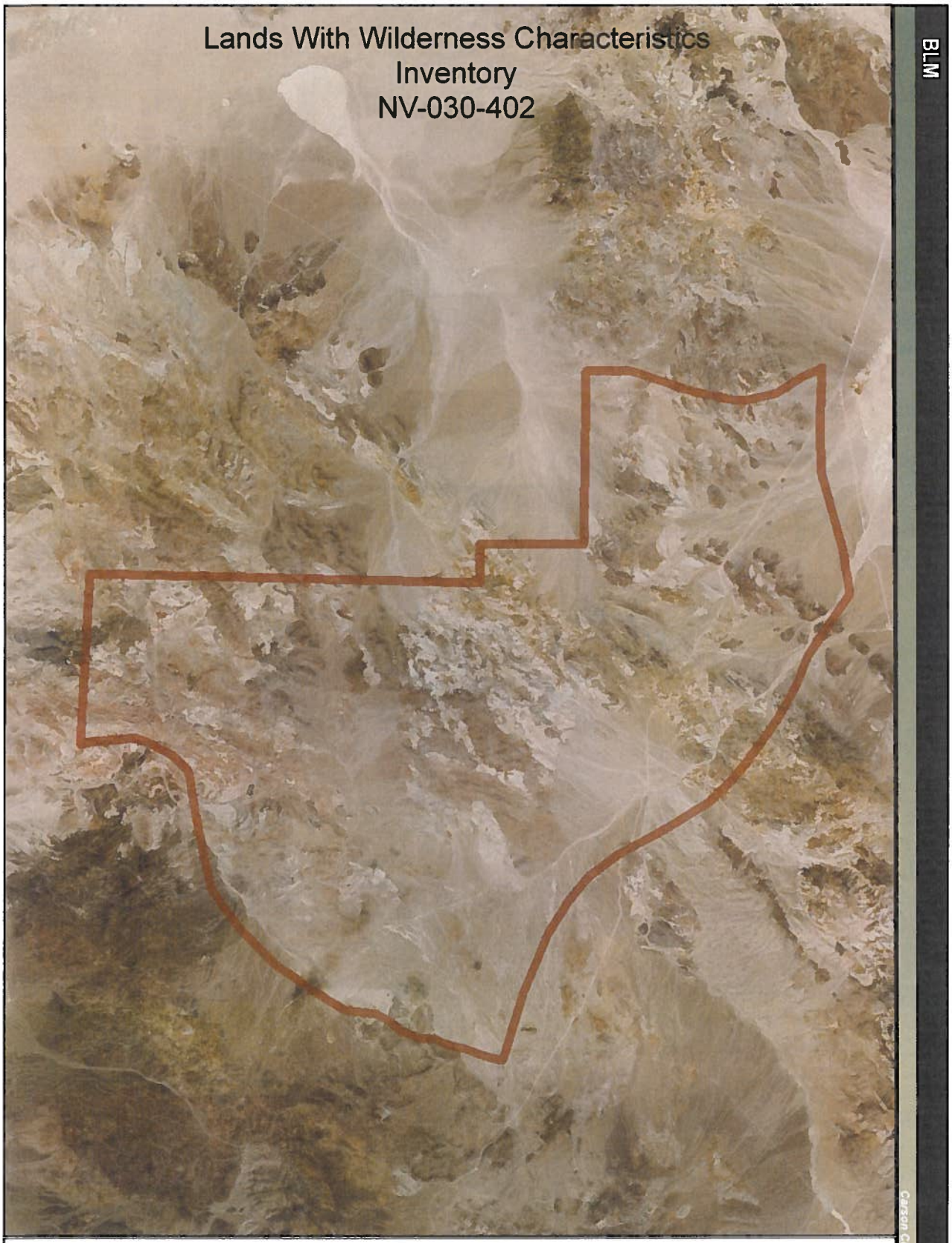

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UNIT_ID

402

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Carson City District Project Area

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Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-403

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Gillis Range West

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-403	Yes	Yes	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-403 Acreage: 50,000
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes __X__ No ____ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No __X____ N/A___

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on solitude, remains current for the unit.

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No __X____ N/A____

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on primitive and unconfined recreation, remains current for the unit.

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-403

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? _X_ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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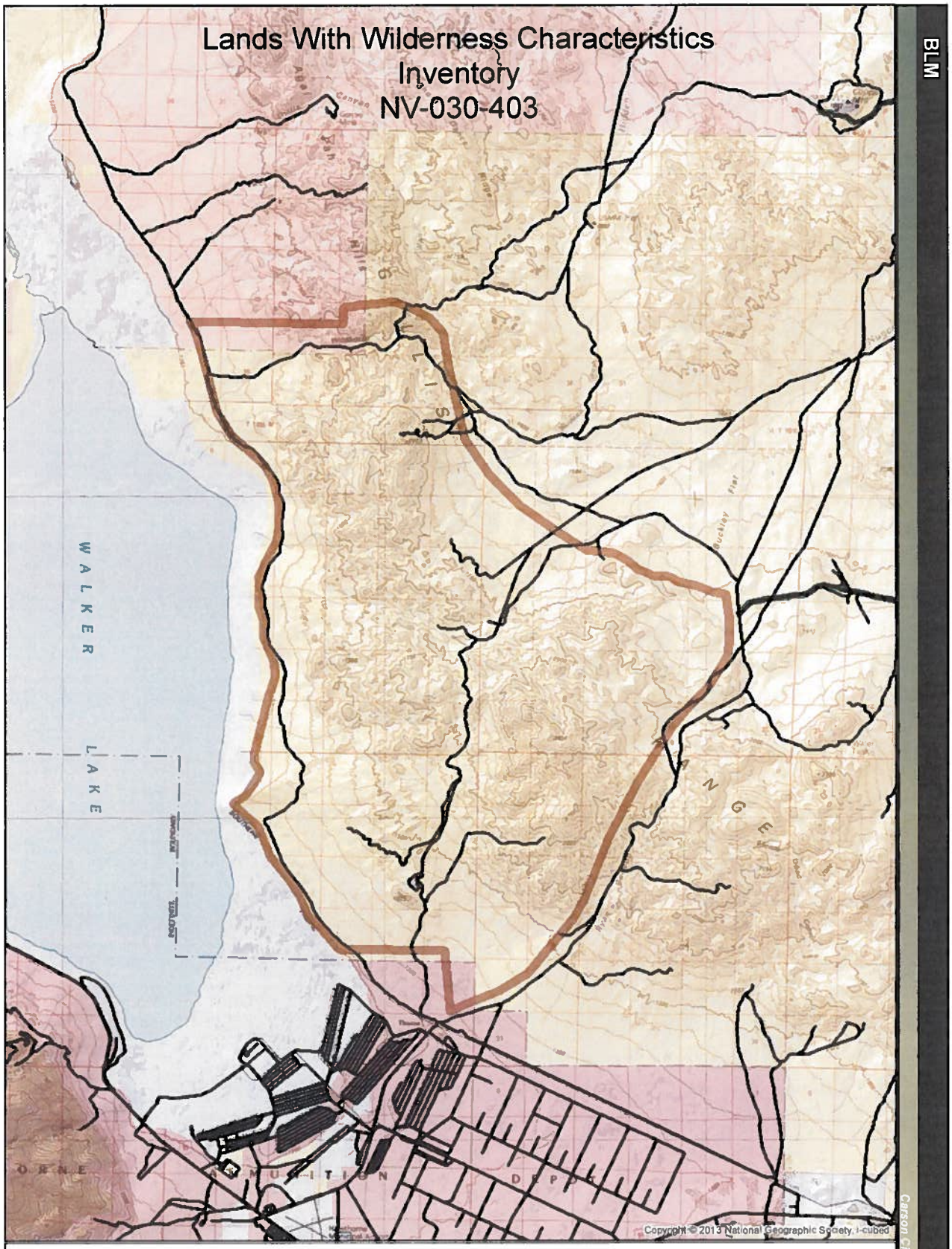
Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-403



BLM

Carson City District Office

Legend

UNIT_ID
403
Road
BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

Agency
BIA
Bureau of Land Management
DOD
FS

0 1.5 3 6 Miles

Carson City District Project Area

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-404

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Gillis Range East

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-404	Yes	Yes	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-404 Acreage: 64,000
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes __X__ No ____ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No __X____ N/A___

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on solitude, remains current for the unit.

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No __X____ N/A____

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on primitive and unconfined recreation, remains current for the unit.

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-404

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? _X_ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members): Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: Teresa J Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 04 2014

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-404

BLM

Legend

UNIT_ID
- 404
- Road
- BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

Agency
- BIA
- Bureau of Land Management
- DOD
- FS

0 1.5 3 6 Miles

Carson City District Project Area

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____ Yes _X_

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-405

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Wildhorse Canyon / NV-030-405

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Carson City District / Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-405	Yes	Yes	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-405

Acreage: 45,450

NV-030-405.....16393 acres
NV-030-405a 11702 acres
NV-030-405b 17355 acres

(1) Is the area of sufficient size?

NV-030-405.....Yes ____	No_X_	N/A____
NV-030-405a Yes _X_	No ____	N/A____
NV-030-405b Yes _X_	No ____	N/A____

Description:

1979 Inventory – The unit consisted of 45,450 acres of public land and was determined to meet size criteria.
2014 Inventory – The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the Wildhorse Canyon unit were modified to split the unit into three separate parcels, the north parcel and the south parcel, and the original parcel This was done to accommodate a route that bisected the original unit, and to exclude land what did not meet the boundary criteria. . NV-030-405 consists of 16393 acres that not evaluated due to not meeting the size criteria due to boundary configurations. NV-030-405a (Wildhorse Canyon North) consists of 11,702 acres and NV-030-405b (Wildhorse Canyon South) consists of 17,355 acres

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

NV-030-405.....Yes ____	No ____	N/A_X_
NV-030-405a Yes _X_	No ____	N/A____
NV-030-405b Yes _X_	No ____	N/A____

Description:

1979 Inventory – Several mining access roads and a power line intrude into a portion of the otherwise natural area.
2014 Inventory – The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the Wildhorse Canyon unit. New information from a citizen-based proposal was also considered in the 2014 evaluation. The north parcel, NV-030-405a, exhibits some surface disturbance related to mining reclamation, but the disturbance is substantially unnoticeable. The south parcel, NV-030-405b, appears to be in a natural condition with some minor surface disturbance related to mining reclamation, but the disturbance is substantially unnoticeable. Approximate 16393 acres did not meet

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to

unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

NV-030-405.....Yes ____	No ____	N/A_X_
NV-030-405a Yes _X_	No ____	N/A_____
NV-030-405b Yes _X_	No ____	N/A_____

Description:

1979 Inventory – Opportunities for solitude are less than outstanding.
2014 Inventory – BLM guidelines for evaluating LWC have changed since 1980. New information from citizen-based proposals was considered in the 2014 evaluation. The rugged landscape has expansive ridgelines, inscribed canyons, and alluvial fans that offer unique and outstanding opportunities for solitude.

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

NV-030-405.....Yes ____	No ____	N/A_X_
NV-030-405a Yes _X_	No ____	N/A_____
NV-030-405b Yes _X_	No ____	N/A_____

Description:

1979 Inventory – Opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation are less than outstanding.
2014 Inventory – BLM guidelines for evaluating LWC have changed since 1980. New information was considered in the 2014 evaluation such as the diversity of outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation from wildlife viewing, challenging hikes, backpacking, stargazing, and hunting.

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

NV-030-405.....Yes ____	No ____	N/A_X_
NV-030-405a Yes _X_	No ____	N/A_____
NV-030-405b Yes _X_	No ____	N/A_____

Description: Desert bighorn sheep occur in the unit. Rhyolite and other volcanic rock formations are found in the unit.

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-405a
NV-030-405 b

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? _X_ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? _X_ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? _X_ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

Check one:

_X_ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Lands with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

____ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: Teresa J. Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-405

BLM

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Wild Horse Canyon
NV-030-405

Bureau of Land Management, National Operations Center, 100K Mapping Group, OC-535

0 0.75 1.5 3 Miles

N

Legend

- LWC
- LWC 1980 Instensive
- Bureau of Indian Affairs
- Bureau of Land Management
- Bureau of Reclamation
- California County
- Department of Defense
- Department of Energy
- Fish and Wildlife Service
- Forest Service
- National Park Service
- Nevada State Lands
- Park
- Private
- Water

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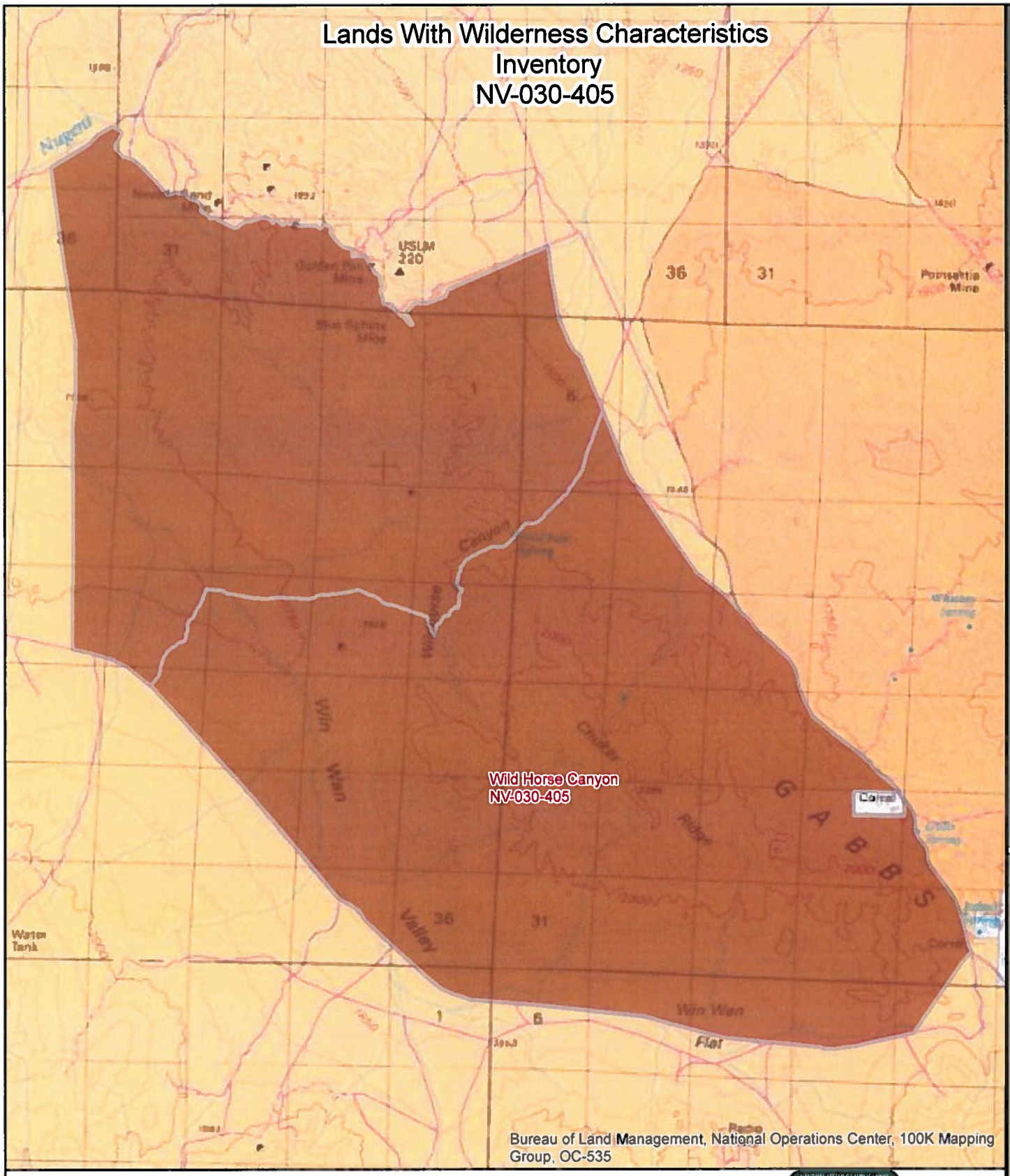

BLM

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0 0.75 1.5 3 Miles

N

Legend

- LWC
- LWC 1980 Instensive
- Bureau of Indian Affairs
- Bureau of Land Management
- Bureau of Reclamation
- California County
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- LWC
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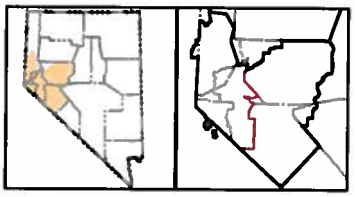

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BLM

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Legend

- LWC
- LWC 1980 Instensive
- Bureau of Indian Affairs
- Bureau of Land Management
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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-405

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Wildhorse Canyon / NV-030-405

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-405	Yes	Yes	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-405 Acreage: 45,450
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ____X____ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

1979 Inventory – The unit consists of 45,450 acres of public land. The unit meets size criteria.
2014 Inventory – The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the Wildhorse Canyon unit remain current. External new information was also considered in the evaluation.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _X_ No ____ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

1979 Inventory – Several mining access roads and a powerline intrude into a portion of the otherwise natural area.
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the Wildhorse Canyon unit. External new information was also considered in the evaluation. The north end or "tip" of the unit exhibits enough mining related surface disturbance to warrant this northern area unnatural. GIS data also indicates several occurrences of noxious weed infestations in Wildhorse Canyon. A fenceline and corral are located in the southern end of unit. A small study plot enclosure exists south of the Wildhorse Canyon. Aside from the northern area (approximately 8,000 acres), the remaining area (about 37,000 acres) of the unit appears to be in a natural state.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No ___X____ N/A___

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

1979 Inventory – Opportunities for solitude are less than outstanding.
2014 Inventory – New information was considered in the evaluation. It is the conclusion of this evaluation that there are no outstanding opportunities for solitude in the unit that are superior to its kind. The opportunities for solitude in this unit are represented throughout the CCDO.

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No ___X____ N/A____

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

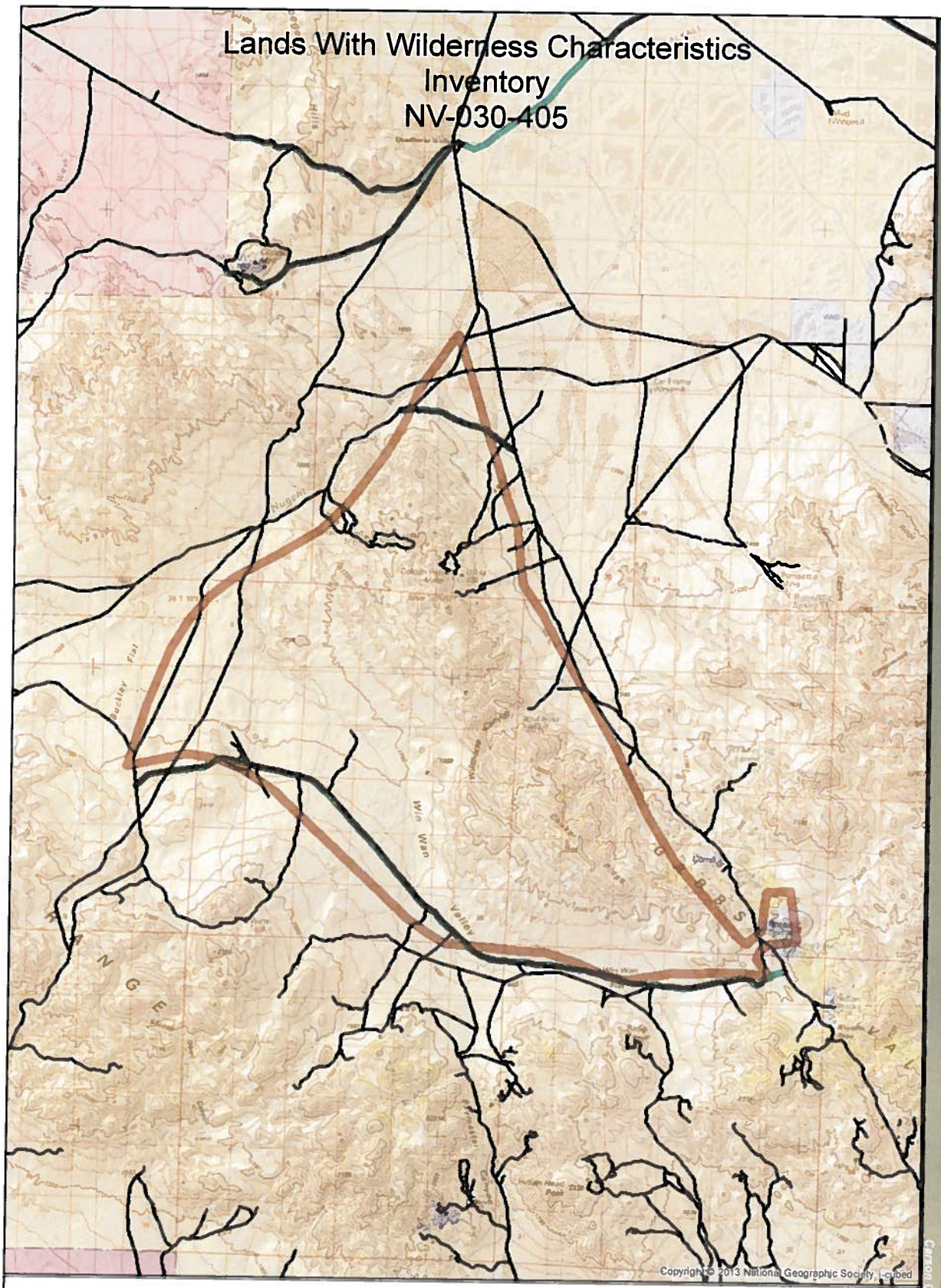
1979 Inventory - Opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation are less than outstanding.
2014 Inventory - New information was considered in the evaluation. It is the conclusion of this evaluation that there are no outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation in the unit that are superior to its kind. The opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation in this unit are represented throughout the CCDO.

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-405



BLM

Legend

UNIT_ID

405

Road

BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

Agency

BIA

Bureau of Land Management

DOD

FS

0 1.5 3 6 Miles

Carson City District Project Area

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Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-405

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? _X_ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes __X_ No ___ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

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Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: Teresa J. Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-405

BLM

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0 1.25 2.5 5 Miles

Carson City District Project Area

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UNIT_ID

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.)*:

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-406

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Luning North

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-406	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-406 Acreage: 43,000
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ____X_____ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No __X__ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation).*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-406

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

__X_ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members): Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-406

BLM

Carson City District Office

Legend

UNIT_ID
- 406
- Road
- BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

Agency
- BIA
- Bureau of Land Management
- DOD
- FS

0 1.25 2.5 5 Miles

Carson City District Project Area

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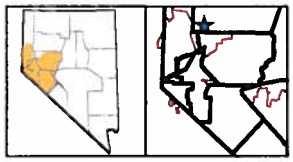

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-407a

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Bush Valley

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-407a	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-407a Acreage: 7,300
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ____X____ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X___ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X___

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-407a

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _**X**_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes __**X**_ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _**X**__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _**X**__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

__**X**_ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: Teresa J. Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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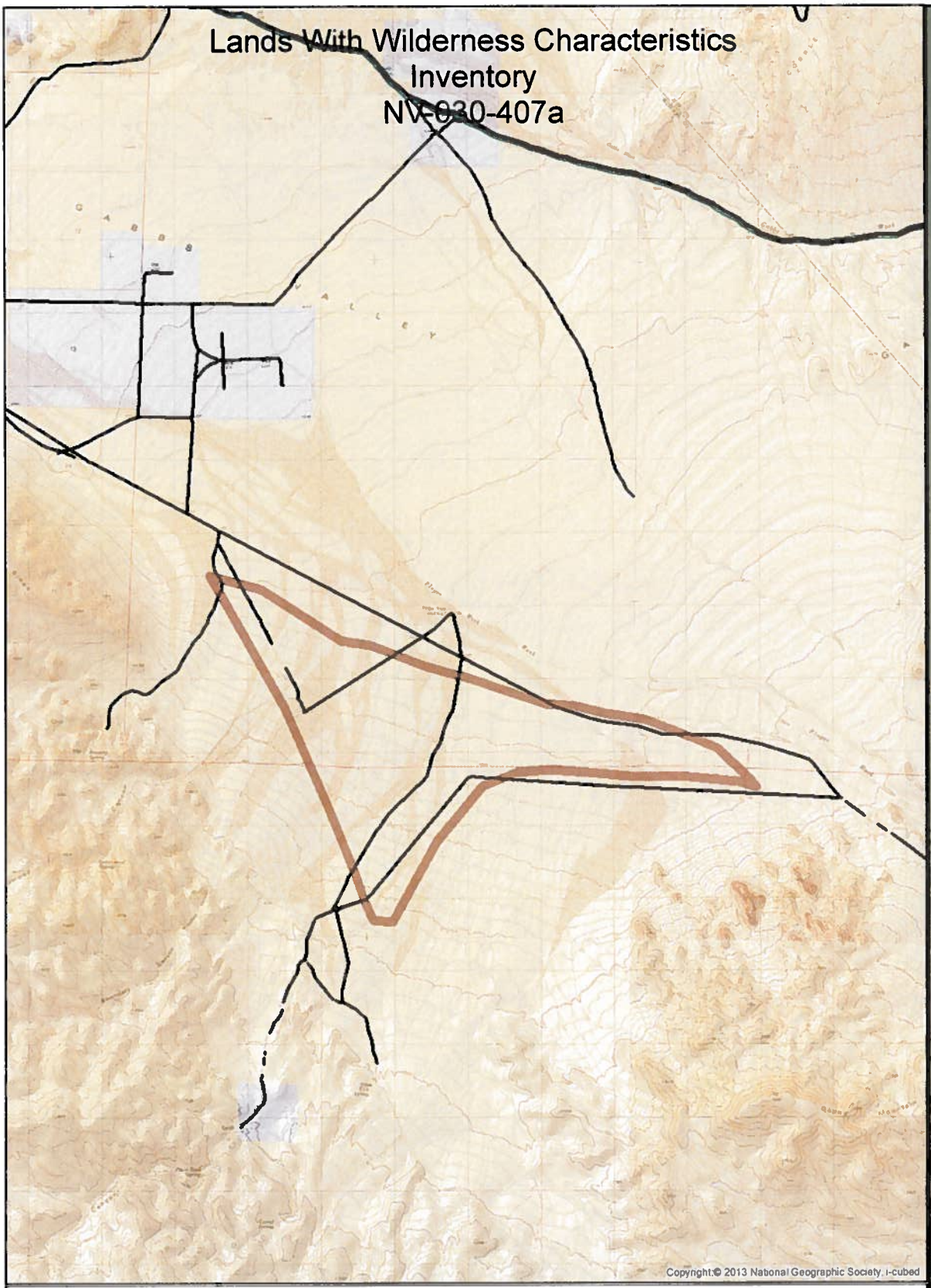
Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-407a



BLM

Carson City District Office

Legend

UNIT_ID

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Road

BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

Agency

BIA

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DOD

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-408

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Gabbs Valley South

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-408	Yes	Yes	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-408 Acreage: 35,000
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ___X___ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes ___X___ No ____ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No ___X___ N/A___

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on solitude, remains current for the unit.

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No ___X___ N/A____

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on primitive and unconfined recreation, remains current for the unit.

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-408

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? _X_ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: Teresa J. Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 8 4 2014

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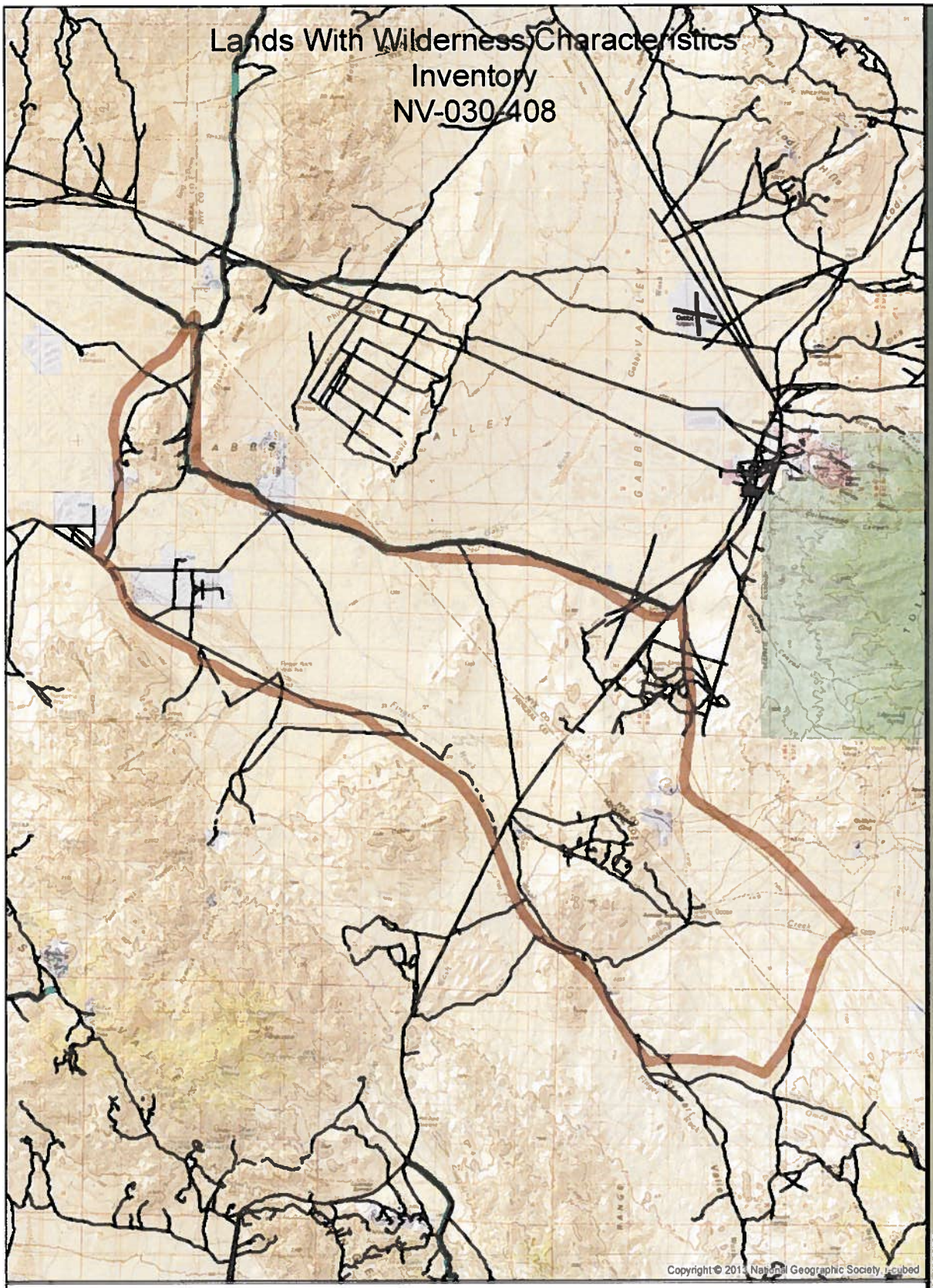

BLM

Carson City District Office

Legend

UNIT_ID

408

Road

BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

Agency

BIA

Bureau of Land Management

DOD

FS

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes __X____ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-409

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Stewart Valley Hills / NV-030-409

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-409	Partial	Partial	No	Minimal	Yes

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics
1980 Inventory – SUMMARY - The Stewart Valley Hills inventory unit, NV -030-409, is a hilly area between the Gabbs Valley Range and Stewart Valley, encompassed by State Highway 23 and three unpaved, maintained roads. The unit is in Mineral County, Nevada, about 30 miles east of Hawthorne. The unit contains about 44,410 acres of public land administered by BLM and no private land. A total of 9,555 acres are separated from the rest of the unit by permanent intrusions upon naturalness. The remaining roadless and natural area is 34,855 acres. The intrusions include three roads, a powerline with a road, a radio tower with a road, a livestock fence with a road, and numerous concentrated vehicle ways. They are too permanent or too extensive to be realistically considered for rehabilitation. There is a lack of topographic and vegetative features which would provide significant seclusion by visual screening. Consequently, the opportunity for solitude is not outstanding. There is also a lack of interesting features in the unit which could attract a recreationist. Although there are possibilities for hiking, horseback riding, and hunting, the opportunity for a primitive and unconfined type of recreation is not outstanding. Resources supplemental to wilderness include wild horses and some wildlife. Due to the lack of outstanding opportunities for either solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation, no portion of the unit qualifies for designation as a wilderness study area.

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-409 Acreage: 44,410
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

1980 Inventory – Unit #NV-030-409 contains approximately 44,410 acres of public land administered by the BLM. Subunit A (1,092 acres) was separated from the main unit after documentation, during intensive inventory, of Road #409.01 and other intrusions upon naturalness. Review of wilderness characteristics was conducted for the remaining 43,318 acres. There are no private parcels of land in the unit.
2014 Inventory - The 1980 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the Stewart Valley Hills Range unit, as described above, remains current. External new information was also considered in the evaluation.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _X_ No ____ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

1980 Inventory – The largest part of the unit is in a natural condition, with certain exceptions. Roads #409.02 and #409.03 are penetrating roads which are excluded from the unit by "cherry-stem" boundary modifications. Subunit B is outlined by a powerline road, #409.07, an access road, #409. 08, leading to a radio navigation tower associated with the powerline, a bladed fenceline and accompanying road, 1/409.04, Vehicle Ways #409.05 and #409.06, and by a network of numerous interconnecting vehicle ways, #409.09. No single segment of vehicle way would be a major intrusion, but the combined effects of all the ways and related ground disturbances are beyond rehabilitation. Acreage dropped in Subunit B due to naturalness considerations totals 8,463 acres.

2014 Inventory - The 1980 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for Stewart Valley Hills unit. External new information was also considered in the evaluation.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No __X____ N/A___

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

1980 Inventory - The quality of the opportunity for solitude in the unit is determined by size and configuration of the unit, natural topographic and vegetative screening, and the ability of a person to find a secluded spot. The influence of the unit's size (34,855 acres) on solitude is modified by its configuration or shape. The roadless portion of the Stewart Valley Hills unit is about nine miles long and six miles wide, and the boundary is not deeply indented by intrusions such as roads. It is possible for a person to get as far as three miles away from any points on the boundary. This factor alone contributes to the opportunity for solitude. The unit lacks any vegetative or topographic features which would provide significant visual screening. While the area is not flat, the pattern of washes and low hills does not create a variety of places wherein a person can find seclusion. The opportunity for solitude in the unit is largely a result of its fair size and favorable shape. However, the quality is not outstanding due to the lack of necessary screening and secluded spots.

2014 Inventory – The 1980 evaluation, including the conclusion on solitude, remains current for the Stewart Valley Hills unit. New information was also considered in the evaluation. It is the conclusion of this evaluation that there are no outstanding opportunities for solitude in the unit that are superior to its kind. The opportunities for solitude in this unit are represented throughout the CCDO.

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No __X____ N/A____

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

1980 Inventory - Opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation include horseback riding, hiking, and hunting. Travel by foot and horseback is easily possible throughout the unit, since there are practically no obstacles of terrain or vegetation. However, there are also no interesting features which would attract anyone to travel in the unit for a recreational pursuit other than hunting and trapping. Hunting opportunities are fair to good for chukar partridge, fair for cottontail rabbit, and poor to fair for mule deer. Some trapping of coyotes and bobcats occurs. The combination of recreational opportunities mentioned above does not constitute an outstanding opportunity for a primitive and unconfined type of recreation.
2014 Inventory - The 1980 evaluation, including the conclusion on primitive and unconfined recreation, remains current for the Stewart Valley Hills unit. New information was also considered in the evaluation. It is the conclusion of this evaluation that there are no outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation in the unit that are superior to its kind. The opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation in this unit are represented throughout the CCDO.

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-409

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? _X_ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members): Arthur Callan -ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager)*:

Name: Teresa J Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-409

BLM

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UNIT_ID
- 409
- WSA
- Road
- BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

Agency
- BIA
- Bureau of Land Management
- DOD

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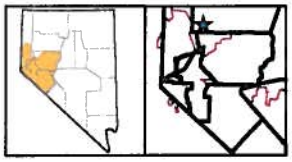

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____ Yes_X_

   a) Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-409

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Stewart Valley Hills / NV-030-409

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Carson City District / Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-409	Partial	Partial	Yes	Minimal	Yes

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-409 Acreage: 41,410 (adjusted)

(1) Is the area of sufficient size?

Yes __X__ No _____

Description:

1980 Inventory – Unit #NV-030-409 contains approximately 44,410 acres of public land administered by the BLM. Subunit A (1,092 acres) was separated from the main unit after documentation during intensive inventory of Road #409.01 and other intrusions upon naturalness. Review of wilderness characteristics was conducted for the remaining 43,318 acres. There are no private parcels of land in the unit.
2014 Inventory – The 1980 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the Stewart Valley Hills Range unit decreased in size by approximately 3,000 acres. External new information was considered in the evaluation.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes __X__ No ____ N/A____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description:
1980 Inventory – The largest part of the unit is in a natural condition, with certain exceptions. Roads #409.02 and #409.03 are penetrating roads which are excluded from the unit by "cherry-stem" boundary modifications. Subunit B is outlined by a power line road, #409.07, an access road, #409. 08, leading to a radio navigation tower associated with the power line, a bladed fence line and accompanying road, 1/409.04, Vehicle Ways #409.05 and #409.06, and by a network of numerous interconnecting vehicle ways, #409.09. No single segment of vehicle way would be a major intrusion, but the combined effects of all the ways and related ground disturbances are beyond rehabilitation. Acreage dropped in Subunit B due to naturalness considerations totals 8,463 acres.
2014 Inventory – The intervening four decades since the 1980 inventory have allowed natural processes to reclaim the many ways and related ground disturbances. Impacts to naturalness noted in the 1980 Inventory was unnoticeable in 2014 and all 41,410 acres of the unit appeared natural.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes __X__ No ___ N/A___

Description:

1980 Inventory – The quality of the opportunity for solitude in the unit is determined by size and configuration of the unit, natural topographic, vegetative screening, and the ability of a person to find a secluded spot. The influence of the unit's size (34,855 acres) on solitude is modified by its configuration or shape. The roadless portion of the Stewart Valley Hills unit is about nine miles long and six miles wide, and the boundary is not deeply indented by intrusions such as roads. It is possible for a person to get as far as three miles away from any points on the boundary. This factor alone contributes to the opportunity for solitude. The unit lacks any vegetative or topographic features which would provide significant visual screening. While the area is not flat, the pattern of washes and low hills does not create a variety of places wherein a person can find seclusion. The opportunity for solitude in the unit is largely a result of its fair size and favorable shape. However, the quality is not outstanding due to the lack of necessary screening and secluded spots.
2014 Inventory – BLM guidelines for evaluating LWC have changed since 1980. New information from citizen based proposals was considered in the 2014 evaluation such as "the vast and desolate desert landscape", where the incredible expanse of solitude exists. The 2014 Inventory documented outstanding opportunities for solitude in the diversity of topographic and vegetative features found within the unit.

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No ___X___ N/A____
Description:

1980 Inventory – Opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation include horseback riding, hiking, and hunting. Travel by foot and horseback is easily possible throughout the unit because there are practically no obstacles of terrain or vegetation. However, there are also no interesting features which would attract anyone to travel in the unit for a recreational pursuit other than hunting and trapping. Hunting opportunities are fair to good for chukar, fair for cottontail rabbit, and poor to fair for mule deer. Some trapping of coyotes and bobcats occurs. The combination of recreational opportunities mentioned above does not constitute an outstanding opportunity for a primitive and unconfined type of recreation.
2014 Inventory – The 1980 evaluation, including the conclusion on primitive and unconfined recreation, remains current for the Stewart Valley Hills unit. New information from citizen based proposal was considered in the evaluation. It is the conclusion of this evaluation that there are no outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation in the unit that are superior to its kind.

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes __X__ No _____ N/A____

Description: Paleontological resources in this unit are outstanding due to its proximity to the Stewart Valley ACEC. Other values include wildlife and wild horses.

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-409

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? _X_ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? _X_ Yes __ No ___ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? _X_ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

Check one:

_X_ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Lands with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

___ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *Niki Cutler*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):* Stillwater Field Manager

Name: Teresa J. Hutchison Title: _____

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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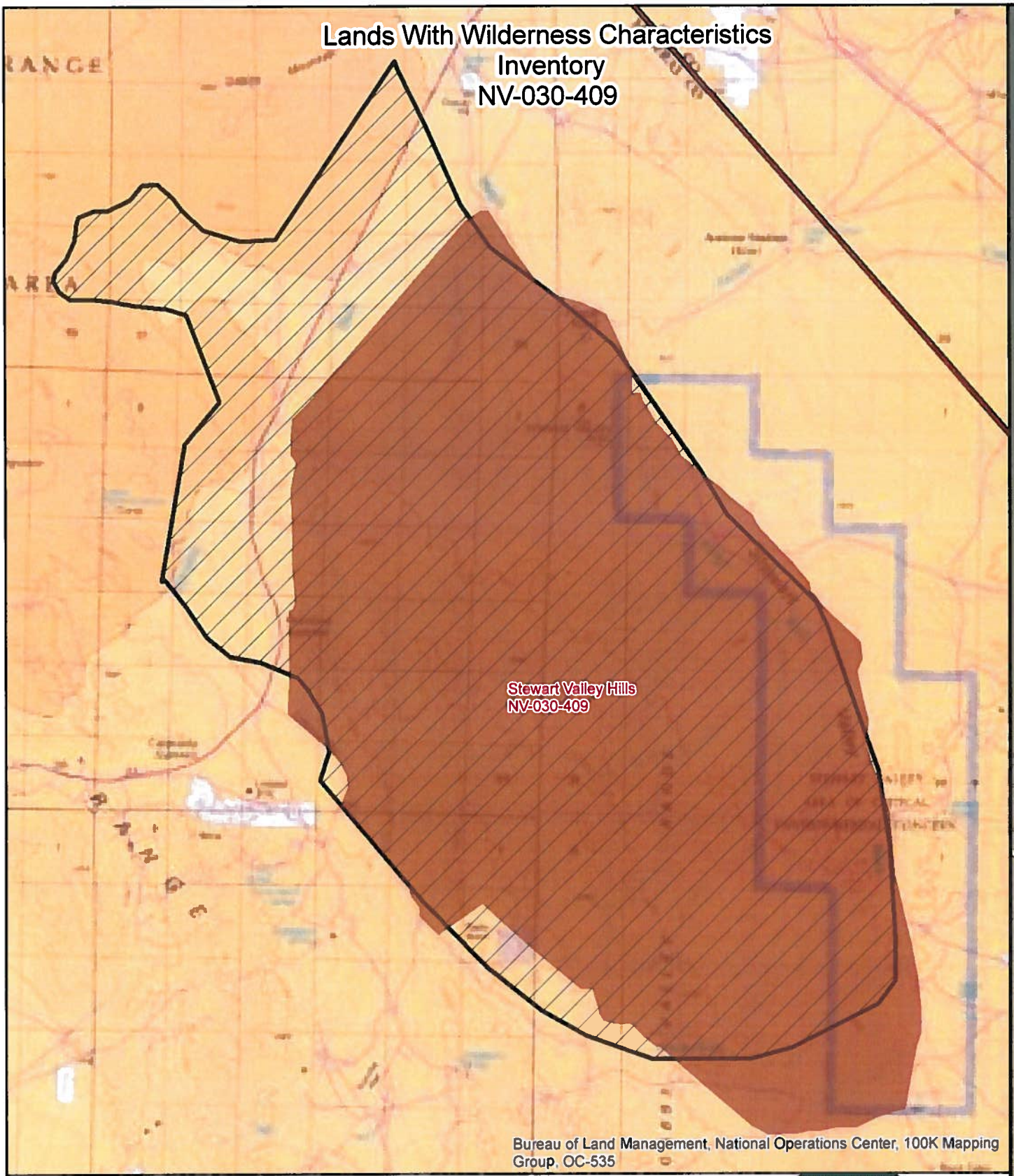
Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-409



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- Bureau of Land Management
- Bureau of Reclamation
- California County
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- Department of Energy
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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-409

BLM

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Stewart Valley Hills
NV-030-409

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- Bureau of Indian Affairs
- Bureau of Land Management
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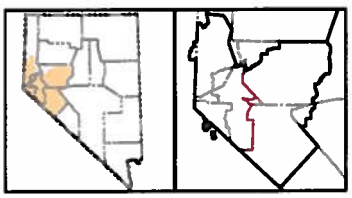

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.)*:

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-410

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Nun Mine

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-410	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-410 Acreage: 23,000
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ___X___ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X___ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-410

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes __X_ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members): Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: Teresa J. Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory
NV-030-410

BLM

Legend

UNIT_ID
410
Road
BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

Agency
BIA
Bureau of Land Management
DOD
FS

0 1.25 2.5 5 Miles

Carson City District Project Area

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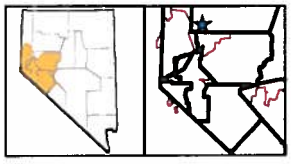

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-411

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Volcano Canyon

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-411	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-411 Acreage: 17,000
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below).*

Yes ___X___ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X___ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-411

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

__X_ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: [signature] Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-411

Legend

UNIT_ID
411
Road
BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

Agency
BIA
Bureau of Land Management
DOD
FS

0 1.25 2.5 5 Miles

Carson City District Project Area

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Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-412

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Table Mountain

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-412	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-412 Acreage: 29,000
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ____X____ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X___ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-412

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

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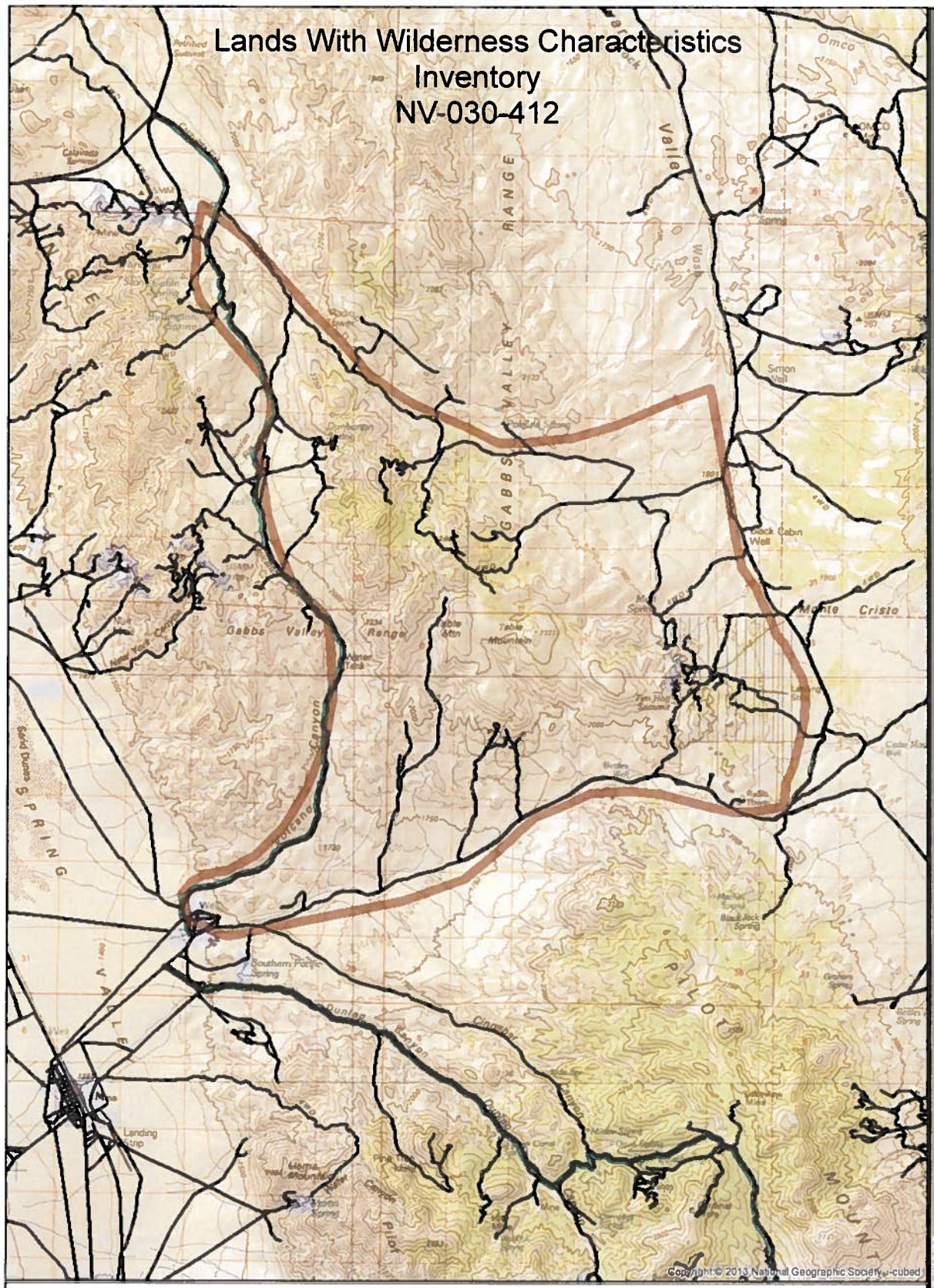

BLM

Carson City District Office

Legend

UNIT_ID
412
Road
BLM Maintenance Road

Land Status NV

Agency
BIA
Bureau of Land Management
DOD
FS

0 1.25 2.5 5 Miles

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-413

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Stewart Springs

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-413	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-413 Acreage: 11,000
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ___X___ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X__ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__
Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation)*:

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-413

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

__X_ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

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Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager)*:

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory
NV-030-413

BLM

Legend

UNIT_ID
- 413
- Road
- BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

Agency
- BIA
- Bureau of Land Management
- DOD
- FS

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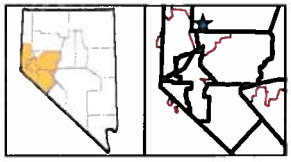
Carson City District Project Area

N



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Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-414

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Cedar Mountains

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-414	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-414 Acreage: 27,300
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below).*

Yes ___X___ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X___ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-414

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _**X**_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes __**X**_ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No __**X**_ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _**X**__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_**X**__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

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Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager)*:

Name: Teresa J Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-414

Legend

UNIT_ID
414
Road
BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

Agency
BIA
Bureau of Land Management
DOD
FS

0 1 2 4 Miles

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1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-415

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Cedar Mountain Well

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-415	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-415 Acreage: 27,500
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ____X____ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X___ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X___

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-415

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members) Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager)*:

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-415

BLM

Legend

UNIT_ID
415
Road
BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

Agency
BIA
Bureau of Land Management
DOD
FS

0 1.75 3.5 7 Miles

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-416

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Pilot Flat

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-416	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-416 Acreage: 11,800
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ____X____ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X___ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-416

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

__X_ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members): Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: Teresa J. Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030416

BLM

Legend

UNIT_ID

416

Road

BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

Agency

BIA

Bureau of Land Management

DOD

FS

0 1.25 2.5 5 Miles

Carson City District Project Area

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-417

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Pilot Mountain Mining District

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-417	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-417 Acreage: 102,000
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below).*

Yes ____X____ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X___ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-417

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes __X_ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager)*:

Name: Teresa J. Knudson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 04 2014

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-417

BLM

Carson City District Office

Legend

UNIT_ID
417
Road
BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

Agency
BIA
Bureau of Land Management
DOD
FS

0 1.75 3.5 7 Miles

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-418

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Rhodes Salt Marsh

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-418	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-418 Acreage: 8,000
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ___X___ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X___ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation)*:

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-418

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes __X_ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory
NV-030418

Legend

UNIT_ID
- 418
- Road
- BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

Agency
- BIA
- Bureau of Land Management
- DOD
- FS

0 1.25 2.5 5 Miles

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-419

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Garfield Hills North

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-419	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-419 Acreage: 13,580
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ____X____ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X___ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X___

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-419

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes __X_ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: Teresa J. Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-419

BLM

Carson City District Office

Legend

UNIT_ID

419

Road

BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

Agency

BIA

Bureau of Land Management

DOD

FS

0 1 2 4 Miles

Carson City District Project Area

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-420

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Mable Mountain / NV-030-420

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-420	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-420 Acreage: 80,000
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ____X____ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the Mable Mountain unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No __X__ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the Mable Mountain unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-420

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

__X_ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members): Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: [signature] Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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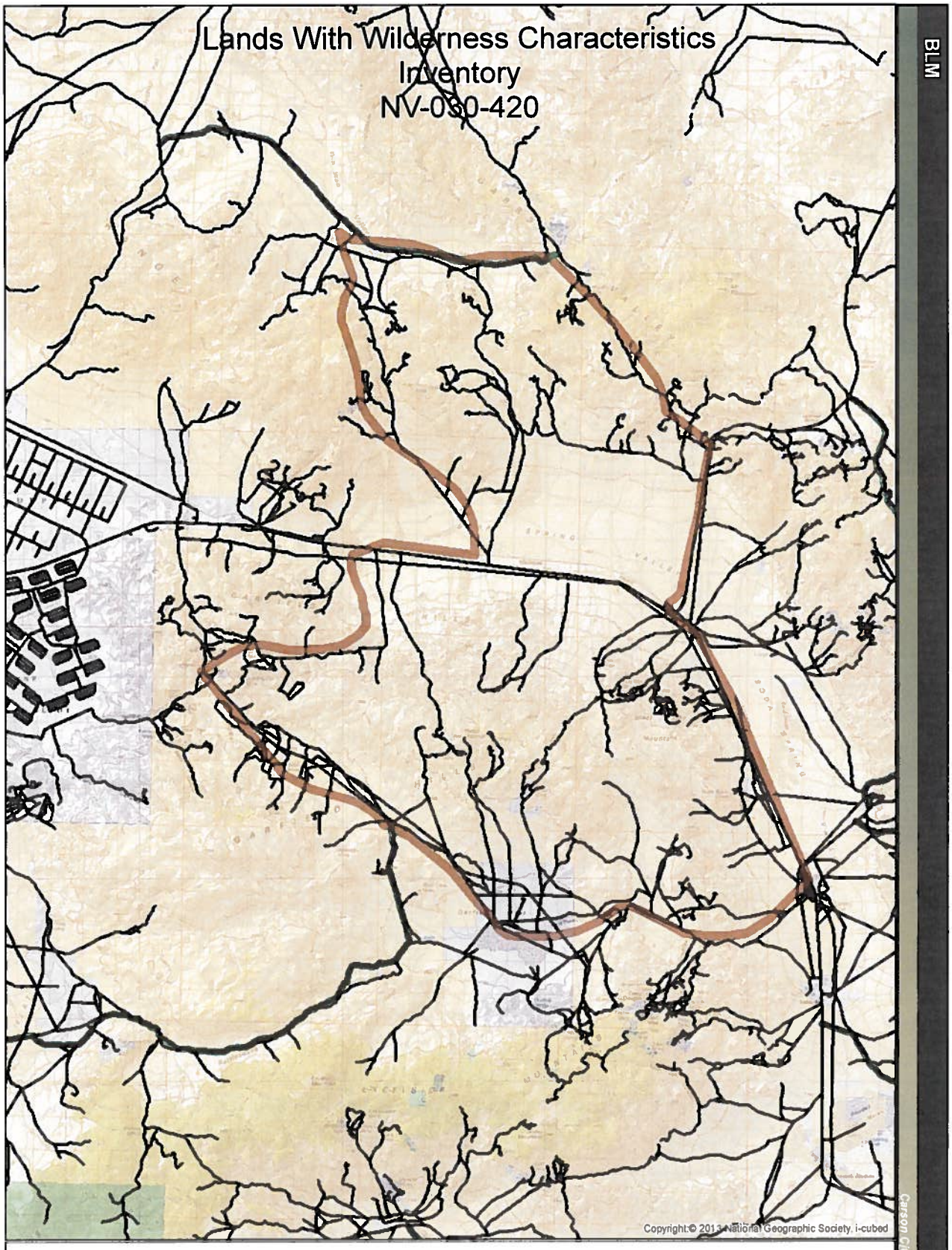
Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory
NV-030-420



Legend

UNIT_ID
420
Road
BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

Agency
FS
Bureau of Land Management
USA Topo Maps

0 2.5 5 10 Miles

Carson City District Project Area

N

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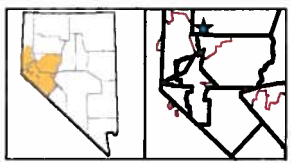

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-420

BLM

0 2.5 5 10 Miles

Carson City District Project Area

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UNIT_ID

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-421

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Garfield Hills

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-421	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-421 Acreage: 55,500
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ____X____ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X___ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X___

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-421

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: Teresa J. Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 04 2014

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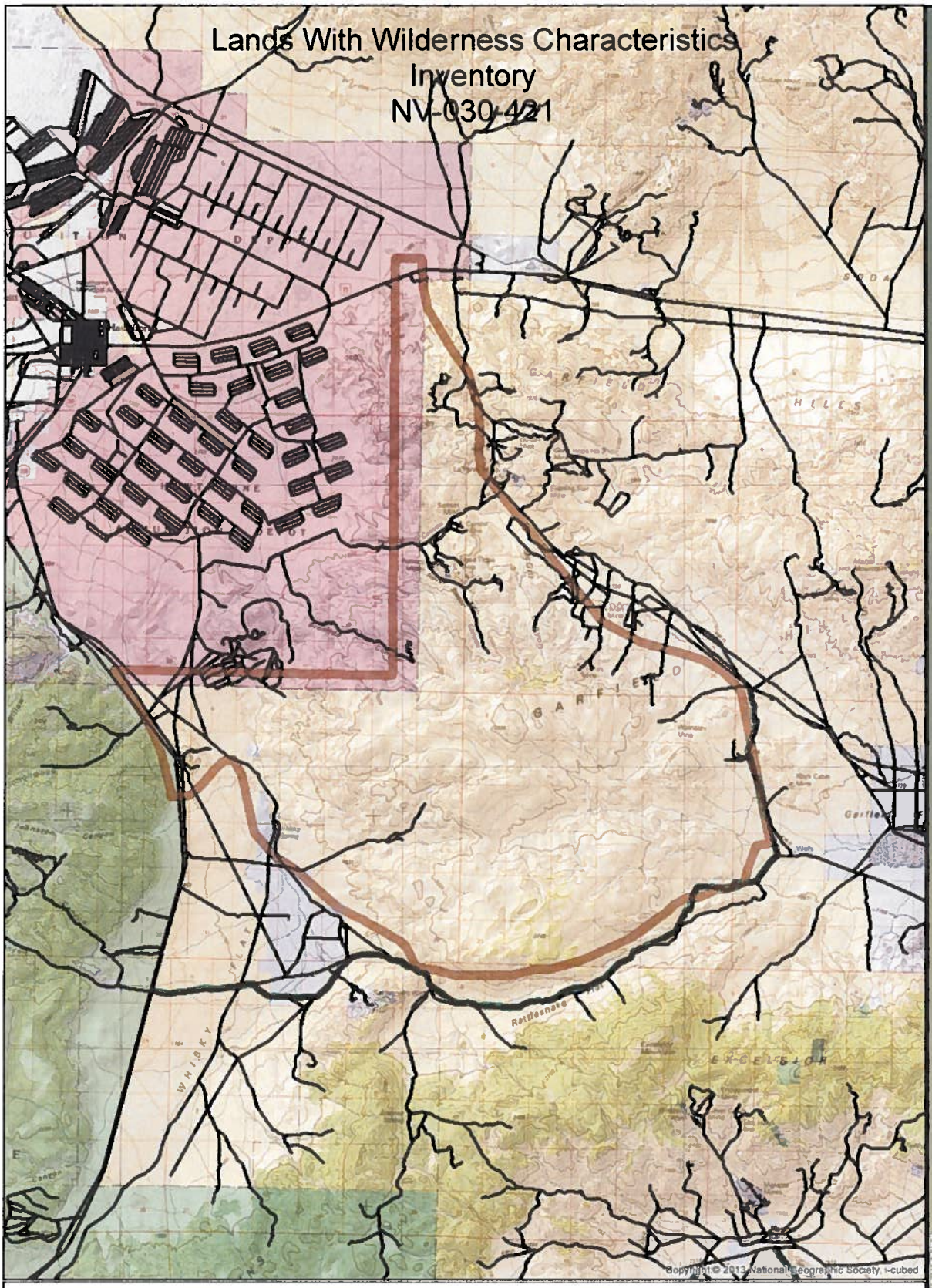
Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-421



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UNIT_ID
- 421
- Road
- BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

Agency
- BIA
- Bureau of Land Management
- DOD
- FS

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-422

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Cottonwood Creek

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-422	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-422 Acreage: 17,000
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ____X____ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X___ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-422

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes __X_ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: Teresa J. Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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-MAP-

No polygon data is represented on the 1979 Initial Inventory Map for unit 422 – Cottonwood Creek. The GIS data layer for the 1979 unit polygons does not include data on unit 422. Subsequently, no map is provided for unit 422.

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-423

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Whisky Flat

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-423	Yes	Yes	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-423 Acreage: 13,440
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ___X___ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current. The adjoining USFS land is not WSA or an area of Recommended Wilderness (USFS).

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes ___X___ No ____ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No ___X___ N/A___

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on solitude, remains current for the unit.

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No ___X_____ N/A___

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on primitive and unconfined recreation, remains current for the unit.

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-423

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? _X_ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members) Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager)*:

Name: [signature] Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 04 2014

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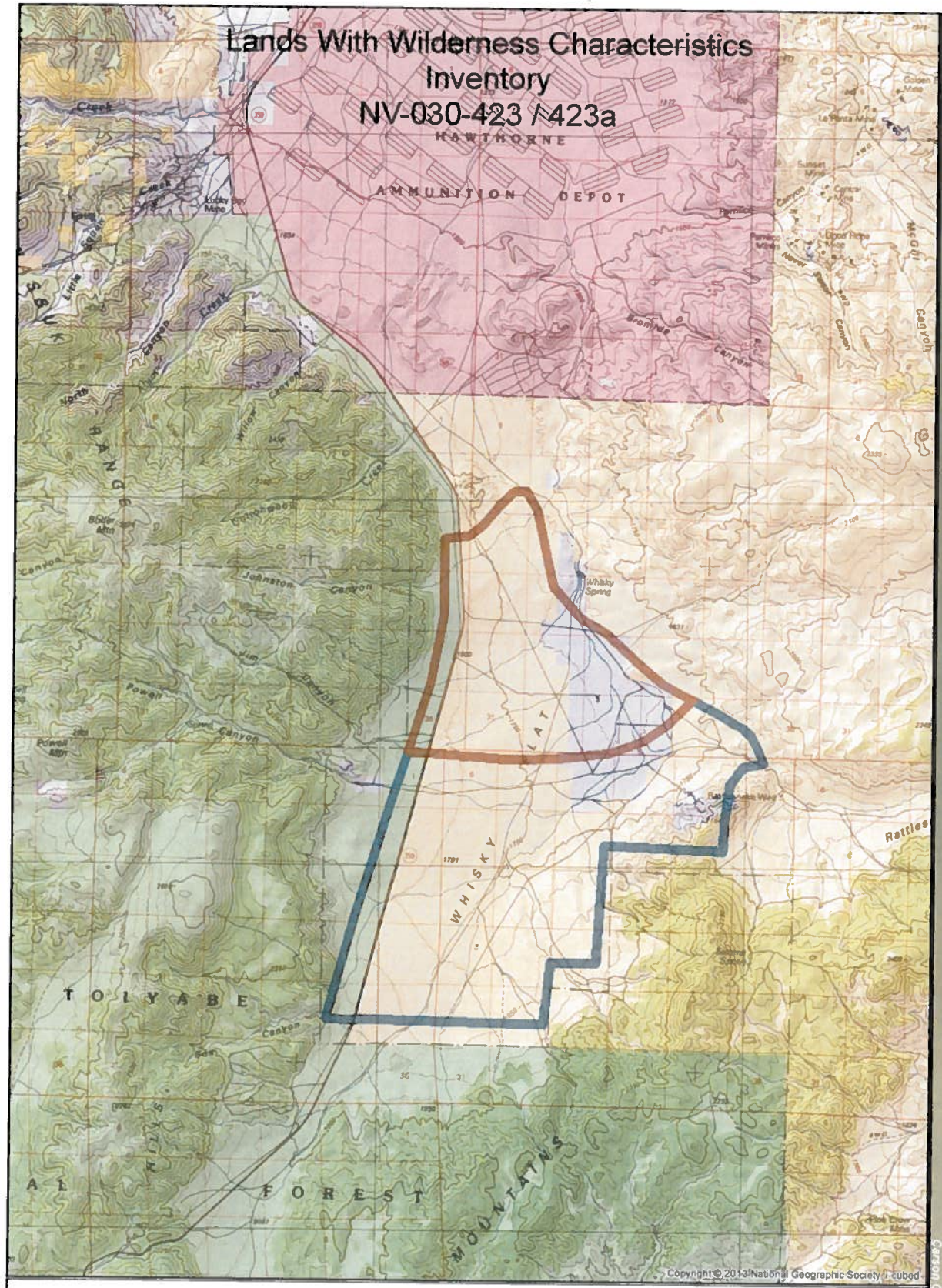
Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory
NV-030-423 /423a



BLM

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UNIT_ID
- 423A
- 423

Land Status NV

Agency
- BIA
- Bureau of Land Management
- DOD
- FS

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-423a

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Whisky Spring

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-423a	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-423a Acreage: 8,840
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below).*

Yes ____X____ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X___ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-423a

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

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Date: DEC 04 2014

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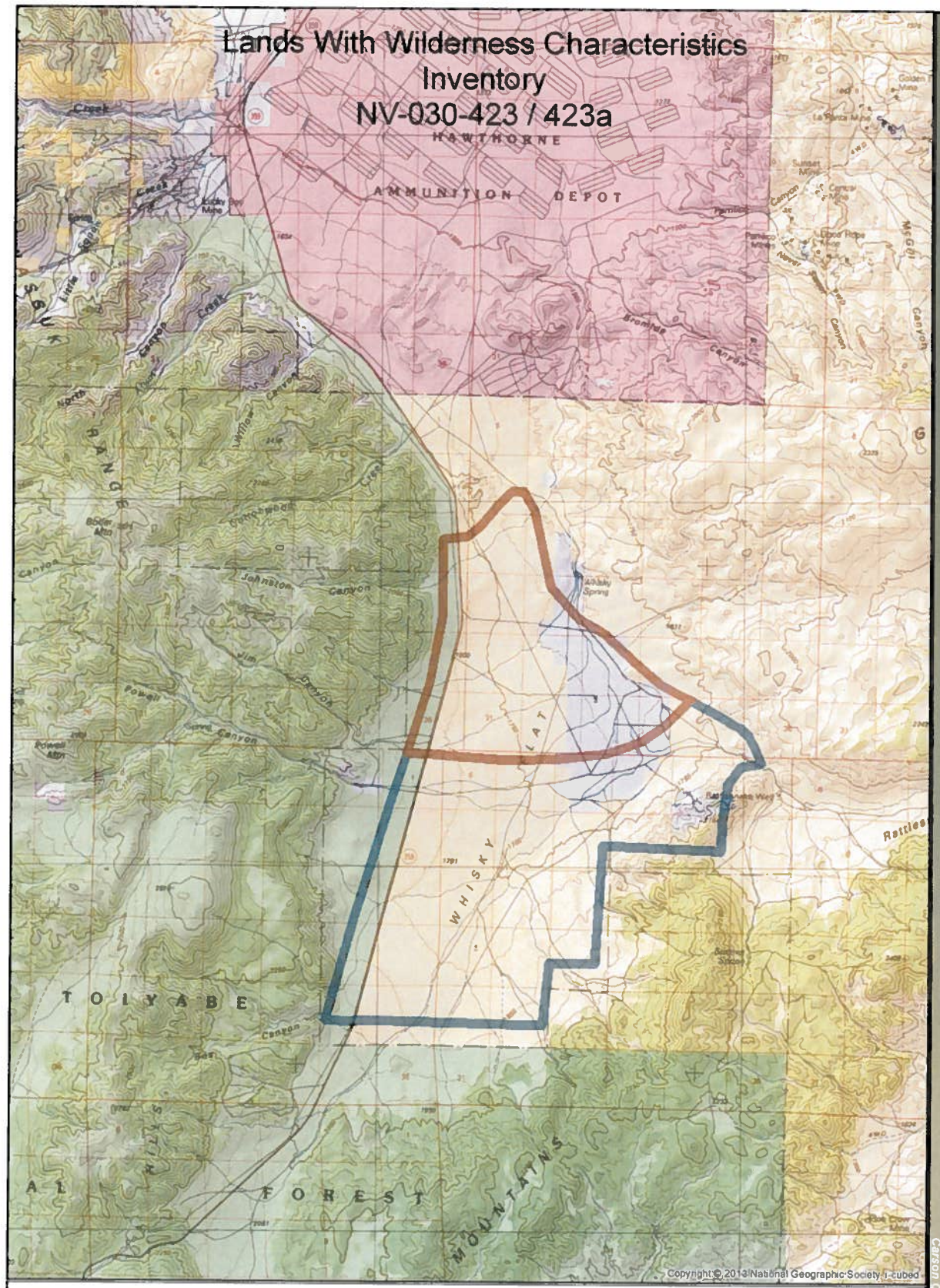
Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory
NV-030-423 / 423a



BLM

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UNIT_ID
- 423A
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Land Status NV

Agency
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- DOD
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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-424

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Rock Cabin Mine

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-424	No	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-424 Acreage: 4,600
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes _____ No ___X_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No ____ N/A___X_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X___

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-424

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? __ Yes __**X**_ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes ___ No __**X**_ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No __**X**_ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _**X**__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_**X**__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

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Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: Teresa J. Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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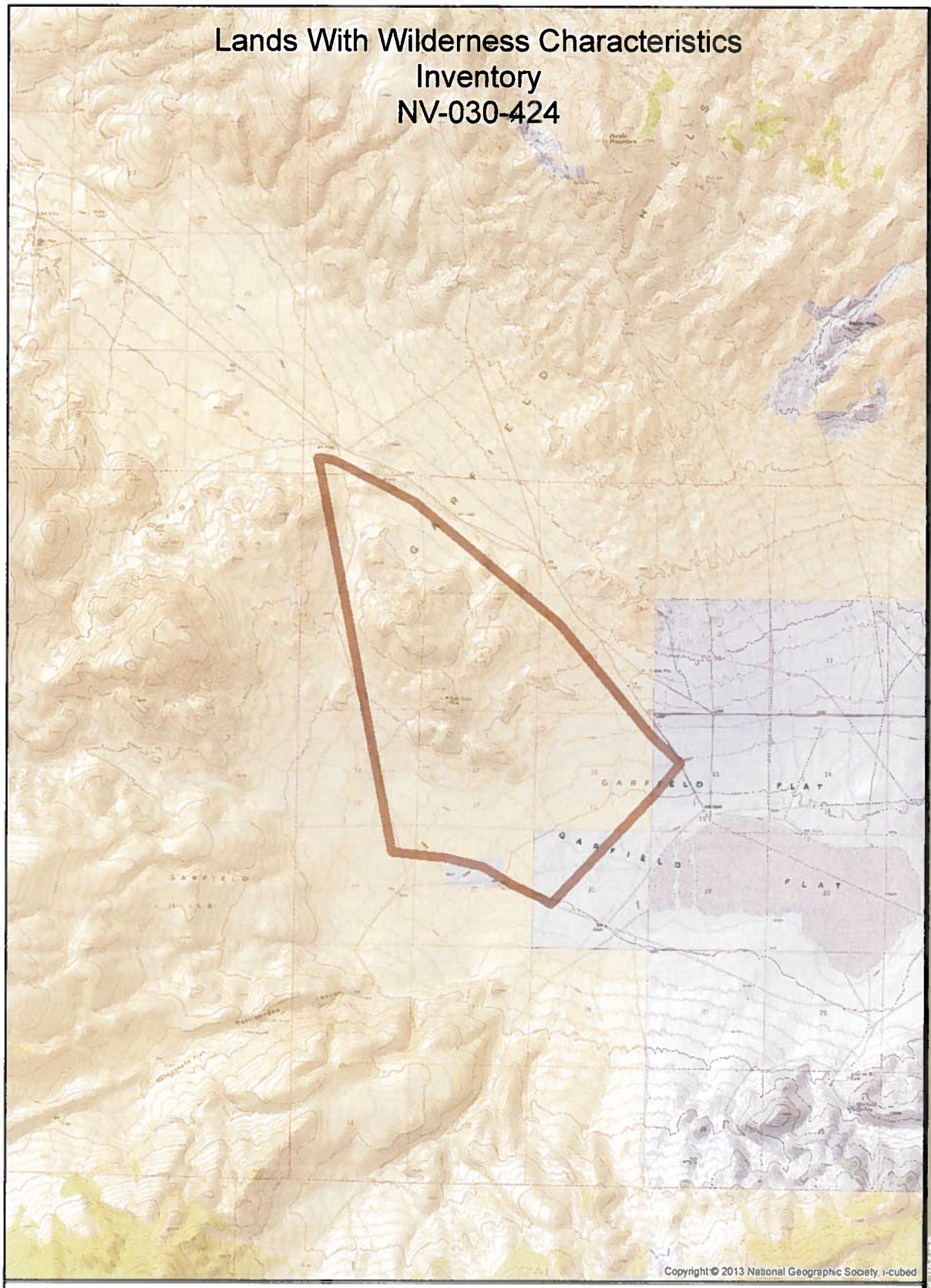
Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-424



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Land Status NV

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____Yes_X_(

   a) Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-425

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Excelsior Mountains / NV-030-425

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Carson City District / Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-425	Partial	Partial	No	Minimal	Minimal

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-425 Acreage: 51,058 (adjusted)

(1) Is the area of sufficient size?

Yes ___X___ No _____

Description:

1980 Inventory – The Excelsior Mountains unit consists of 66,850 acres of public land and approximately 683 acres of patented land. These figures are slightly different than those shown in the Situation Evaluation for this unit due to the exclusion of private land acreage along the unit boundary, and a more careful assessment of the public land acreage within the area. Road/way analysis proved to be a major factor in determining area size. The Wlilderness Inventory Handbook defines a road as a route which has been "improved and maintained by mechanical means to insure relatively regular and continuous use". A route which carries traffic but which appeared to have been created and maintained solely by the passage of vehicles was designated a way. Roads to the interior of a unit were intrusions on naturalness, and were removed from the unit by indenting the border to follow the road up one side, around the terminus, and down the other side. Ways that showed no mechanical improvement or maintenance and were not substantially noticeable were left within the unit. Boundary modifications removing roads from the unit deleted minimal acreage. Documented roads and ways each received a number for reference purposes. Early in the intensive inventory, road documentation necessitated the deletion of 1,140 acres of public land due to inadequate size. The remaining 65,710 acres of public land finally assessed for wilderness characteristics consist only of the actual roadless area within the original unit. The three subunits deleted due to the documentation of roads:
Area A: A relatively new road (Road 20) connects Roads 13 and 03. The circumscribed area contains 240 acres.
Area B: This 50-acre parcel is completely surrounded by a portion of Road 22.
Area C: Portions of Road 27 form all but the southern boundary of this subunit. County Road 365 makes up the area's southern boundary. This 850-acre parcel also is bisected by the eastern portion of Road 28. These areas are of insufficient size for wilderness consideration. After the deletion of the roaded area, the inventory unit consists of one area, area D.
Area D: This area consists of 65,710 acres and was fully evaluated for the presence or absence of wilderness characteristics. Private acreage totaling 683 acres is scattered throughout this subunit.
Conclusion: Area D contains over 5,000 acres of roadless land.
2014 Inventory – The 1980 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the Excelsior Mountains unit, as described above, do not remain current. The BLM 1980 Wilderness Inventory documented a total of 66,850 acres of Unit 425. The 2014 inventory describes this area as 54,464 acres which also includes a portion of acreage from Unit 425a (1979

initial inventory unit) to the north. The 2014 inventory found that the area needed to be divided into two subunits (Excelsior West, Excelsior East) because of a constructed route that crosses the range just east of Moho Mountain. Excelsior West (NV-030-425e) consists of 42,722 acres and Excelsior East (NV-030-425f) consists of 8,336 acres. The 2014 inventory found these two subunits individually meet the requirements for LWC consideration. External new information was also considered in the evaluation.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

NV-030-425e	Yes _X_	No ____	N/A_____
NV-030-425f	Yes _X_	No ____	N/A_____

Description:

1980 Inventory – A boundary modification was necessary to exclude part of the unit that shows substantially noticeable imprints of man's work. The term "essentially natural" has been employed here to describe an area where the works of man are substantially unnoticeable to the average visitor.

Area D: This subunit of 65,710 acres is bounded by two BLM maintained roads, a county road, seven documented roads, patented lands, and the Toiyabe National Forest. The major impacts upon naturalness consist of roads and mining activity, both of which are numerous. Road 05, north of Marietta, was deleted from the unit during the initial inventory phase. This road leads to extensive mining activity, primarily on patented lands. The same is true of Road 04. Roads 21 and 22 provide access to mining activity on the west side of Moho Mountain and in the vicinity of Subunit B. Roads 11, 12, 29, 30 and 32 also provide access to prospects and mining activity. Road 13 provides access to patented land and, though a way in portions, further provides a means of traversing the unit from north to south. Eight other roads extend into the subunit and have been excluded from the area. In addition, several ways enter the subunit, some of which provide access to mining claims, prospects and old mining activity. Although they are substantially unnoticeable from a naturalness standpoint, they do have an effect upon primitive recreational opportunities. This will be addressed in the next section of this report. Two fence lines enter the subunit. Their total length is less than three miles and they are not substantially noticeable. Much of the mining activity in the subunit occurs on patented land. Approximately 150 acres of public land impacted by mining and roads have been deleted from the subunit based on naturalness considerations, leaving approximately 65,560 acres that are in an essentially natural state.

Conclusion: Area D is in an essentially natural state where the imprint of man's work is substantially unnoticeable.

2014 Inventory – The area has a history of mineral exploration and mining as evidenced by the number of patented lands, Abandoned Mine Land features, access roads, and previous 3809 Notices (post 1981) located within the unit. Regardless, the 1980 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the Excelsior Mountains unit (425) which includes both subunits (51,058 acres) identified in the 2014 inventory. External new information was also considered in the evaluation.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

NV-030-425e	Yes _X_	No ____	N/A____
NV-030-425f	Yes _X_	No ____	N/A____

Description:

1980 Inventory – Area D:
Size: Although the subunit is large, its configuration restricts the opportunity for an outstanding solitude experience. The area measures approximately eight miles (north-south) by eighteen miles (east-west) at its extremes, though it narrows to less than two miles in width in the eastern portion of the subunit. More than thirty roads and ways penetrate the subunit and many of them provide access into the center of the area. Once the documented roads are deleted from the area, the border of the subunit shows several deep indentations, thus causing a major alteration in the configuration of the subunit. Virtually no point within the area is further than one and one- half miles from a documented road. The ability of a visitor to the area to avoid the sights and sounds of other people, as well as the impacts of man's works, is greatly restricted by the area's configuration. Despite its large size, the area's configuration is not conducive to an outstanding opportunity for solitude.
Natural Screening: Topographic and vegetative screening ranges from poor to very good within the area. The sagebrush covered flats and low hills in the northwest, north central and far eastern portions of the unit, as well as in Little Huntoon Valley and the area around Marietta, provide virtually no vegetative screening and only minimal topographic screening. As the elevation in the subunit increases, the amount and quality of natural screening increases. On the southern flank of the mountainous portion of the subunit, vegetative screening below 7200' elevation is minimal. In the northern portions of the area, vegetative screening is minimal below 6600' elevation. Above these elevations, however, the subunit is vegetated by a pinyon-juniper association which provides generally good vegetative screening. The density of this coverage is variable and the screening which it provides changes markedly from one part of the area to another. In most places, screening opportunities are fair, while at the higher elevations, dense stands of vegetation are found that provide extremely good screening within the immediate vicinity. Such stands are interspersed with open and sparsely covered areas, however, such that the overall screening effect is only moderate. Topographic screening in the mountainous portion of the unit is generally good. The terrain is moderately to highly dissected throughout and visitors to the area would be well-screened from other users on nearby hills and in washes. The mountain tops within the subunit provide generally unrestricted views of the surrounding area and the rolling character of these mountains allows a visitor to see, in many cases, either a boundary road, a penetrant road, or some of the extensive mining activity within the area. While both vegetative and topographic screening are generally conducive to seclusion and isolation, numerous man-made intrusions limit their actual overall effectiveness.
Ability of the User to Find a Secluded Spot: Despite the large size of the subunit, the impacts of man can be found interspersed throughout the area. Moho Mountain, the highest point within the subunit and a likely destination point for a visitor to the area, has a documented road climbing to mining activity less than half a mile northwest of its summit.

Mining on the south side of Moho Mountain is even more extensive. Excelsior Mountain, another likely destination point for a visitor, provides views of both the north and south boundary roads of the unit and lies within a mile of mining activity north of the Bird-song Mine. Approximately 2,700 acres in the northwest and north central part of the subunit are included in an ordinance impact testing area utilized by the U.S. Army Ammunition Depot in Hawthorne, Nevada. Documented roads provide access to virtually every part of the area, thus making it difficult for a visitor to avoid the impacts of man or to avoid the sights and sounds of other people. Secluded spots can be found, however, given the proximity of man-made intrusions and the fact that many of the key features in the area are relatively accessible by vehicle, it is unlikely that a visitor to the subunit would be able to experience a feeling of seclusion and isolation such as is expected within a wilderness area.
Conclusion: Despite its large size, the area's configuration is not conducive to an outstanding opportunity for solitude. Natural screening ranges from poor to very good within the area and, while generally conducive to a feeling of seclusion and isolation, its overall effectiveness is limited by the numerous works of man found within the subunit. Although secluded spots can be found within the area, most of the key features can either be reached by, or are within a short distance of, a documented road. No point within the subunit is more than a mile and one-half from a documented road. The feeling of seclusion and isolation necessary to a wilderness experience is not present within the area. This area does not possess outstanding opportunities for solitude.
2014 Inventory – The 2014 inventory determined that by reconfiguring Unit 425 into two subunits provides outstanding opportunities for solitude within each subunit. It is important to note that a portion of Unit 425e was also used to define the Excelsior East subunit. The current inventory documented historic, unreclaimed mining activity near the outer edge of the west and east subunits, and excluded the most highly disturbed areas. Mining activity has waned over the years and in some cases ceased altogether. Subsequently, many of the unreclaimed mining routes in each subunit have not been maintained and show signs to be naturally reclaiming and do not detract of the sense of solitude. The 2014 inventory has determined that the entire 51,058 acres of the two subunits (and a portion of Unit 425e) located within Unit 425 meet the criteria for outstanding opportunities for solitude. New information from a citizen proposal was also considered in the evaluation.

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

NV-030-425e	Yes _X_	No ____	N/A_____
NV-030-425f	Yes _X_	No ____	N/A_____

Description:

1980 Inventory – Area D:
Hunting/Trapping: Hunting and trapping opportunities are poor to fair. Some chukar are present although populations are small (less than 15 birds per square mile). The area provides winter range for migratory mule deer populations and supports a small resident herd. Hunting opportunities are considered poor to fair. The western portion of the subunit

is believed to support a small mountain lion population which follows the movements of the deer herds. Mountain cottontails and black-tailed jackrabbits are found throughout the subunit. Trapping of bobcat and coyote takes place within the area and opportunities are considered fair.

Winter Sports: Snow travel on skis and snowshoes is possible at times, although snow cover can vary considerably from year to year. Lower elevations receive marginal snow cover and coverage at the higher elevations is frequently spotty. Access to the snow generally requires some walking or difficult driving due to limited winter access conditions. The area is not known for quality opportunities of this type and little such use presently occurs. Although there is some potential, it could not be considered outstanding.

Day Hiking: Day hiking opportunities are fair to good. Several roads provide relatively easy access to the interior of the area, from which a visitor can reach the higher elevations with little difficulty. Circle hikes are possible, as are short hikes along the main ridge- top. It also would be feasible to hike across the range and be picked up on the opposite side.

Backpacking and Camping: Backpacking and camping opportunities are marginal. As noted earlier, no spot within the subunit is more than one and one-half miles from a documented road. Mining activity is extensive within the central portion of the unit and it would be virtually impossible for a visitor to avoid the impacts of man's activity while undertaking a camping or backpacking trip. Many of the key features within the area are accessible by road. Water is extremely scarce within the subunit. Only three springs exist within the area and two of these are accessible by documented roads. There are no perennial streams in the subunit. The lack of water and the proximity of many key features to physical intrusions severely limit the number of suitable campsites within the subunit.

Mountain/Rock Climbing: The mountainous character of much of the unit necessitates a certain amount of easy mountain and rock climbing simply to get around within the unit. However, opportunities for this type of activity alone are limited. There are no good technical climbing opportunities within the subunit.

Horseback Riding: Horseback riding opportunities are marginal. Although the size of the area is conducive to such opportunities, the lack of water and limited forage greatly inhibit the enjoyment of this activity. Furthermore, the more highly dissected and heavily vegetated portions of the subunit present additional obstacles to a quality experience.

Sightseeing: Sightseeing opportunities are moderate to good. The mountainous character of the area and the pinyon-juniper woodland at the higher elevations provides pleasing vistas. Views from the heights, looking outside the unit toward the Sierra Nevada, Walker Lake and the White Mountains, are impressive. However, botanical, zoological and geological features within the area are limited and opportunities for sightseeing inside the area are marginal. In addition, the intrusions discussed previously further limit sightseeing opportunities.

Conclusion: No single dispersed recreation opportunity is outstanding. Although opportunities exist for hunting and trapping, day hiking, backpacking, horseback riding and sightseeing, all of these are limited and even when combined, they could not provide an outstanding opportunity for primitive and unconfined recreation. Opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation are not outstanding within the unit.

2014 Inventory – The 2014 inventory of Unit 425 and a portion of Unit 425e found many outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation in the deep canyons, pinyon forested uplands, unusual geologic features in the west part of the west subunit, and

big game hunting in the deep canyons of the eastern subunit. Outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation include hiking, horseback riding, rockhounding, camping, wildlife viewing, dark skies (stargazing), and photography. New information from a citizen proposal was also considered in the evaluation.

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

NV-030-425e	Yes _X_	No ____	N/A____
NV-030-425f	Yes _X_	No ____	N/A____

Description: Teels Marsh, located below the Excelsior Range to the south, was the site of "Borax" Smith's first borax works at Marietta, Nevada in 1872, and became the start of his operations that soon became the largest borax operation in the world. The subunits have historic context as resources acquired from these units supported the borax mining operations. Ecological value is exhibited by the diverse habitats and desert big horn sheep population. Portions of each subunit overlap with the Marietta Wild Burro Range that was established in 1991.

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-425

Summary

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1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? __X__ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __X__ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? __X__ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? __X__ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

Check one:

__X__ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Lands with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

____ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *SFFO LWC Team (see report for list)*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Stillwater Field Manager

Name: Teresa J. Knutson Title: _____

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-425

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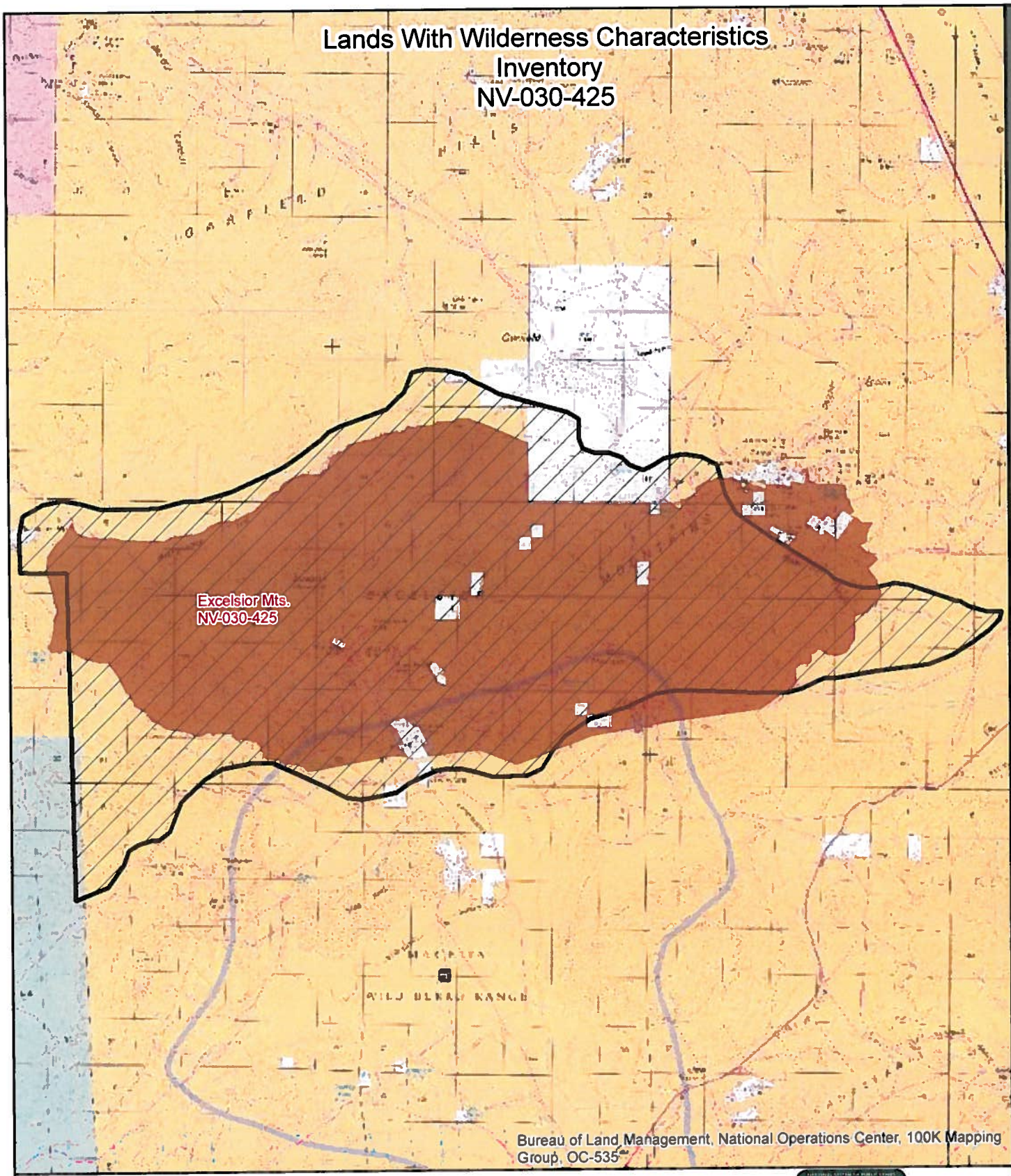

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- Bureau of Indian Affairs
- Bureau of Land Management
- Bureau of Reclamation
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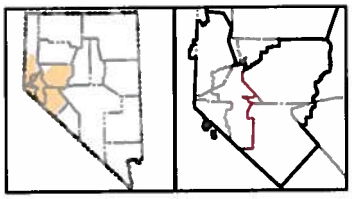

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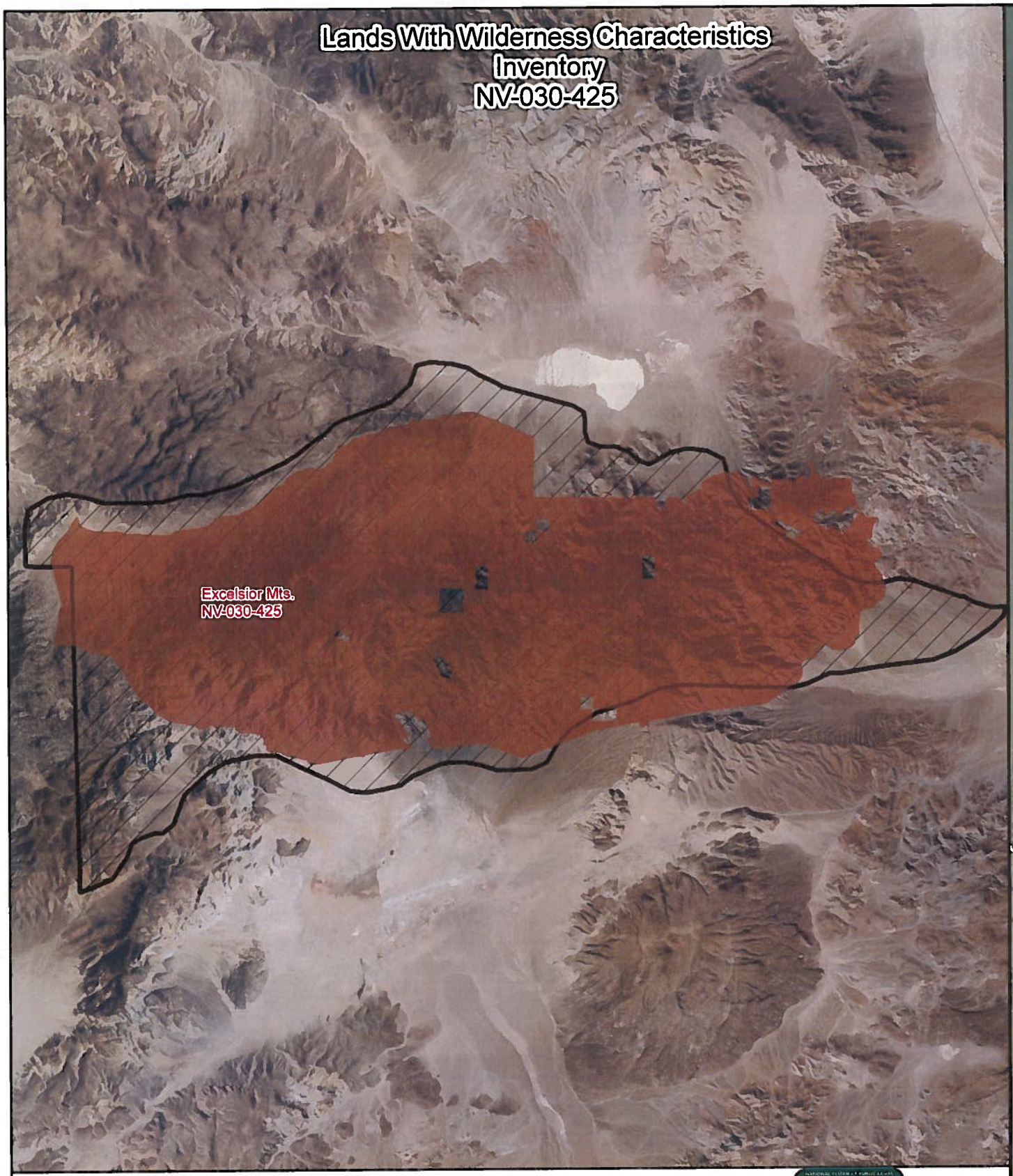

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-425a

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Camp Douglas – Silver Dyke

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-425a	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-425a Acreage: 23,600
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ___X___ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No __X__ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-425a

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager)*:

Name: _____ Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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NV 030-425a

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Land Status NV

Agency

- BIA
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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-426

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Baker Well

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-426	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-426 Acreage: 13,440
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X__ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X_

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X___

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-426

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes __X_ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

__X_ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager)*:

Name: [signature] Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-426

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Land Status NV

Agency

BIA

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-427

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Candelaria Hills

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-427	Yes	Yes	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-427 Acreage: 25,480
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ___X___ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes ___X___ No ____ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No ___X___ N/A___

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on solitude, remains current for the unit.

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No ___X___ N/A____

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on primitive and unconfined recreation, remains current for the unit.

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-427

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? _X_ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: Teresa J. Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-427

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Land Status NV

Agency

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-428

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Candelaria West

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-428	Yes	Yes	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-428 Acreage: 24,640
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _X_ No ____ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No __X____ N/A___

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on solitude, remains current for the unit.

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No __X____ N/A____

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation)*:

2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on primitive and unconfined recreation, remains current for the unit.

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-428

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? _X_ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: Teresa J. Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 8 4 2014

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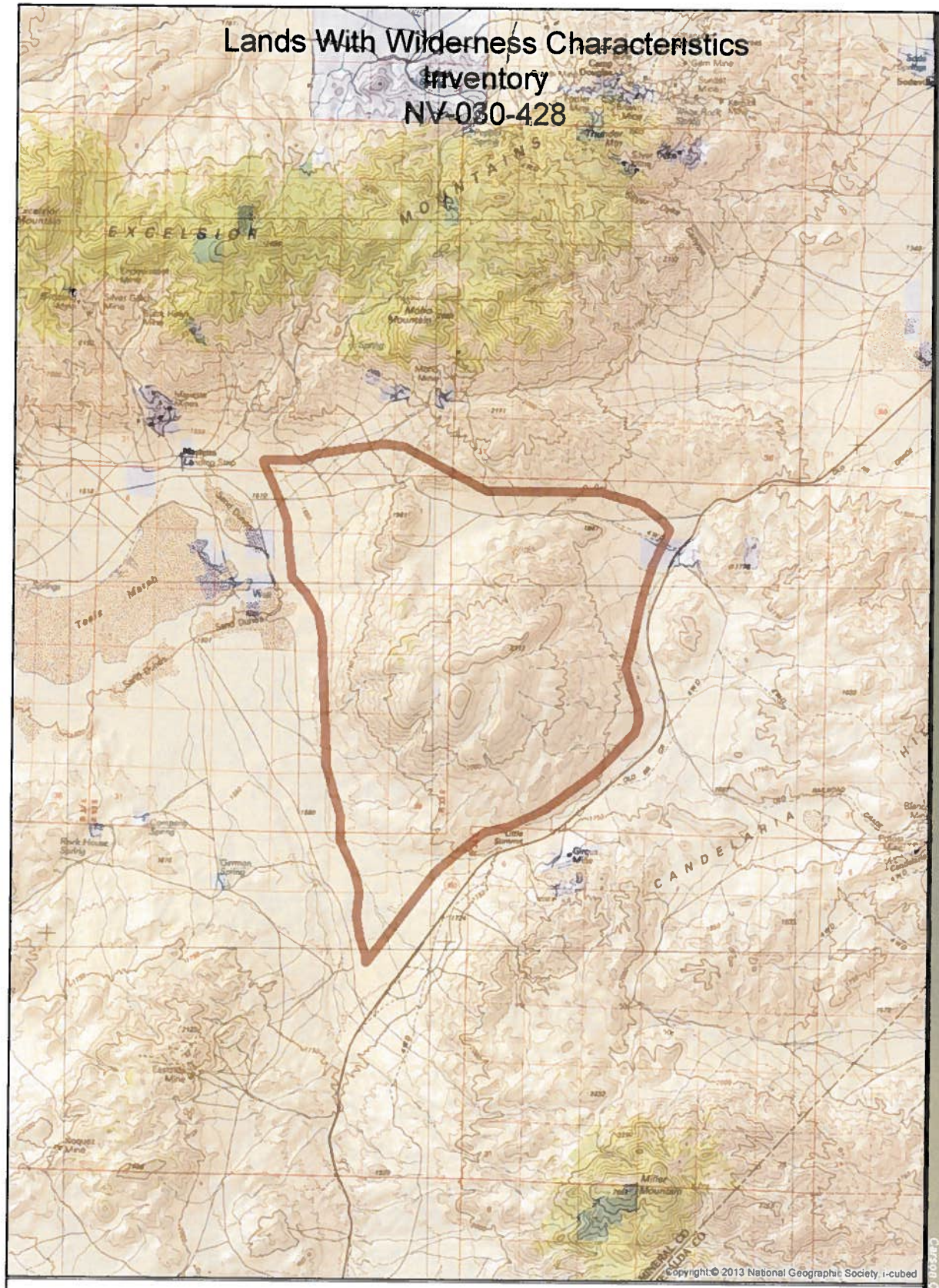
Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-428



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Carson City District Project Area

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Land Status NV

Agency

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-429

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): German Spring

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-429	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-429 Acreage: 11,600
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X__ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X_

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X_

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation)*:

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-429

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? X__ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes __**X**_ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _**X**__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _**X**__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_**X**__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager)*:

Name: [signature] Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory
NV-030-429

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UNIT_ID

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Land Status NV

Agency

- BIA
- Bureau of Land Management
- DOD
- FS

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes__X__*(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-430

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Teels Marsh / NV-030-430

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Carson City District / Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-430	Partial	Partial	Partial	Partial	Yes

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-430 Acreage: 58,560 (adjusted)

(1) Is the area of sufficient size?

Yes ____X____ No _____

Description:

1980 Inventory – The unit contains approximately 55,450 acres of public land and 500 acres of private lands. Private lands on the boundary or mapped as inholdings were not part of the evaluation. Documented roads separate out two subunits of less than 5,000 acres, and two subunits over 5,000. Three subunits are under 5,000 acres, but are adjacent to the proposed Excelsior Wilderness (USFS) and subsequently meet the size criteria. The acreage dropped for size totals 1,570. The portions subjected to intensive inventory total 53,880 acres of public land.
2014 Inventory – Approximately 7,680 acres located southwest and adjacent to the 1980 polygon were acquired into public ownership from the USFS through the National Forest and Public Lands of Nevada Act of 1988 (PL 100-550). During the 1980 inventory the 1988 "acquired" lands were identified by the USFS as RARE II lands; about 5% of the total RARE II lands for that particular USFS unit. The 1988 acquired lands are contiguous with the main intensive inventory unit and should not be separated as a distinct subunit. Moreover, approximately 3,000 acres of public land were transferred from this unit in the western "finger" to the USFS through the same 1988 Act. It is recommended that the southern acquisition lands be included into the main unit (430), Subsection A, for the purposes of this evaluation. Subsequently, 58,560 acres (53,880 + 7,680 -3,000) will be evaluated for naturalness, outstanding opportunities for solitude or primitive and unconfined recreation. Adjacent USFS lands are not WSA or areas of Recommended Wilderness. External new information was also considered in the evaluation.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes __X__ No ____ N/A_____

Description:
1980 Inventory – An area of 49,720 acres was determined to be in an essentially natural condition. Two thousand two hundred and forty acres around the East Side Mine were eliminated due to extensive mining and associated road building. Two subunits, adjacent to the Forest Service boundary and totaling 1,780 acres, have roads and ways penetrating in such a concentration that the lands no longer retain their primeval character nor do they appear substantially natural. Approximately 140 acres around the Noquez Mine in Subunit A were eliminated due to their unnatural condition.

2014 Inventory – In the 2014 inventory, the Teels Marsh unit appeared to be effected primarily by natural processes. Although there is some evidence of old mining exploration activity and a small number of old claim posts, it appears the areas are reclaiming/restoring to a natural state. The vegetation varies from small sage brush to mature pinion trees over the hills. There are geologic areas and features throughout the unit. There are many wild burros roaming around the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No __X__ N/A____

Description:

1980 Inventory – Subunit A has rugged, dissected desert topography, extensive basalt cliffs and mesas, and dense pinyon stands in the south, as well as sufficient size, configuration, natural screening, isolation and remoteness to offer outstanding opportunities for solitude when considered in conjunction with the U.S. Forest Service's proposed wilderness. Subunit B contains little vegetative screening, topographic relief, and insufficient opportunities for seclusion to offer an outstanding solitude opportunity. Subunit C lacks sufficient size, natural screening and secluded spots to provide an outstanding solitude opportunity. This is true even when it is considered in conjunction with the Forest Service wilderness proposal. **2014 Inventory** – The 1980 evaluation, including the conclusion for solitude, remains current for the Teels Marsh unit with the exception of Subunit A (Basalt). The 1980 inventory found that within Subunit A *"...opportunities for solitude are considered outstanding only in conjunction with adjoining Forest Service RARE II lands."* The USFS RARE II lands were not designated as Wilderness Study Areas or areas of Recommended Wilderness. Subsequently, this factor is a moot point. Subunit A is large enough to be evaluated on its own merit per current LWC evaluation criteria. New information from citizen based proposal was considered in the evaluation including the additional acreage acquired in the SW portion of Subunit A, and it is the conclusion of this evaluation that there are outstanding opportunities for solitude in the Teels Marsh unit that are superior to its kind as demonstrated by the vast emptiness of the basalt canyons and wide open valley in the northern section of the unit.

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes __X__ No ____ N/A____

Description:

1980 Inventory – Only one subunit, Area A, possesses any significant recreation values that would attract or sustain primitive type use, and these values were deemed outstanding

only in conjunction with the adjacent Forest Service wilderness proposal. Subunit A offers day hiking, backpacking, horseback riding and sightseeing opportunities.
2014 Inventory – The unit offers both outstanding opportunities in several primitive and unconfined types of recreation and a diversity of recreational opportunities. Current signs of recent fire rings indicate people are visiting the unit for recreational opportunities. Photographers and artists can view the Wild Burros that frequent the area. The area offers diverse recreation opportunities for camping, backpacking, hiking, running, and horseback riding. New information from citizen based proposal were considered in evaluating this unit such as the diversity of outstanding recreation activities.

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No ___X___ N/A___

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-430

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? _X_ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? _X_ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ____ Yes _X_ No ___ N/A

Check one:

_X_ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Lands with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

___ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *Melanie Hornsby*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: Teresa J. Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 8 4 2014

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-430

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Teels Marsh - Basalt
NV-030-430

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Legend

- LWC
- LWC 1980 Instensive
- Bureau of Indian Affairs
- Bureau of Land Management
- Bureau of Reclamation
- California County
- Department of Defense
- Department of Energy
- Fish and Wildlife Service
- Forest Service
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Teels Marsh - Basalt
NV-030-430

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- LWC 1980 Instensive
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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-431

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Huntoon Valley

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-431	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-431 Acreage: 26,440
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ____X____ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory – The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit do not remain current. Approximately 40% of the public land mass in this unit was transferred to the USFS in 1988. Subsequently, the eastern half of the unit retains about 16,000 acres of public land.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No __X__ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-431

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes __X_ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

__X_ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager)*:

Name: _____ Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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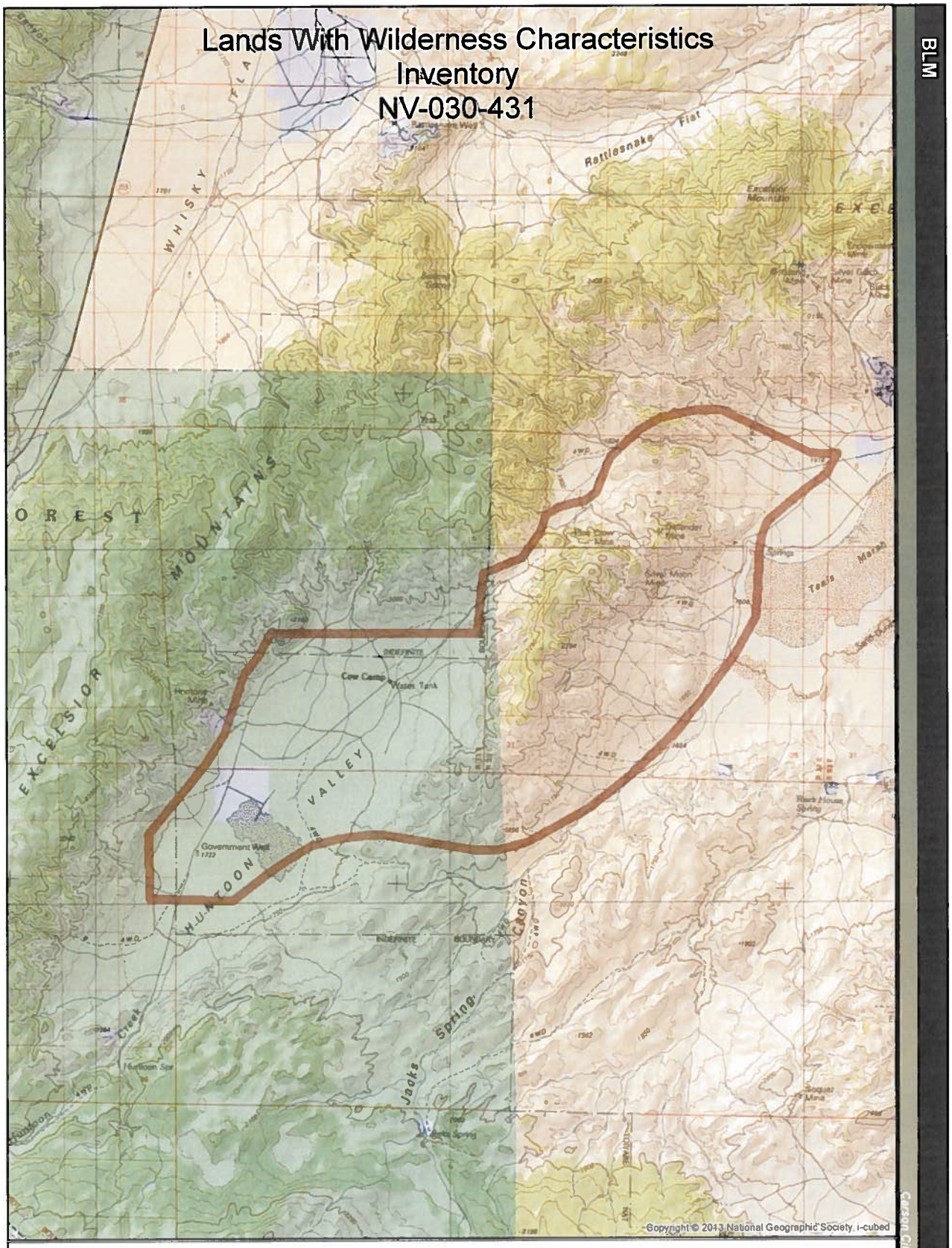
Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory
NV-030-431



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Land Status NV

Agency

- BIA
- Bureau of Land Management
- DOD
- FS

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes __X____ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-432

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Hontone Mine / NV-030-432

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-432	Partial	Partial	Partial	Partial	Yes

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-432 Acreage: 2,570
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes _____ No __X____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

1980 Inventory – The Hontone Mine Unit is located on the southeast side of the Excelsior Mountains, in Mineral County, Nevada. The unit is triangular in shape bordered by the Toiyabe National Forest on the north and west sides and bordered on the east by a county maintained road in Huntoon Valley. It is approximately 30 miles south of Hawthorne, NV and 45 miles east of Bridgeport, CA. The Hontone Mine Unit contains 2,570 acres. This intensive inventory unit is contiguous to a Forest Service Rare II Unit consisting of 163,670 acres.
2014 Inventory - The USFS RARE II lands were not designated as Wilderness Study Areas or areas of Recommended Wilderness. The 2,570 acre unit does not meet size criteria for Lands with Wilderness Characteristics.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No ____ N/A__X_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X___

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-432

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? __ Yes _X__ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

__X_ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members): Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager)*:

Name: Teresa J. Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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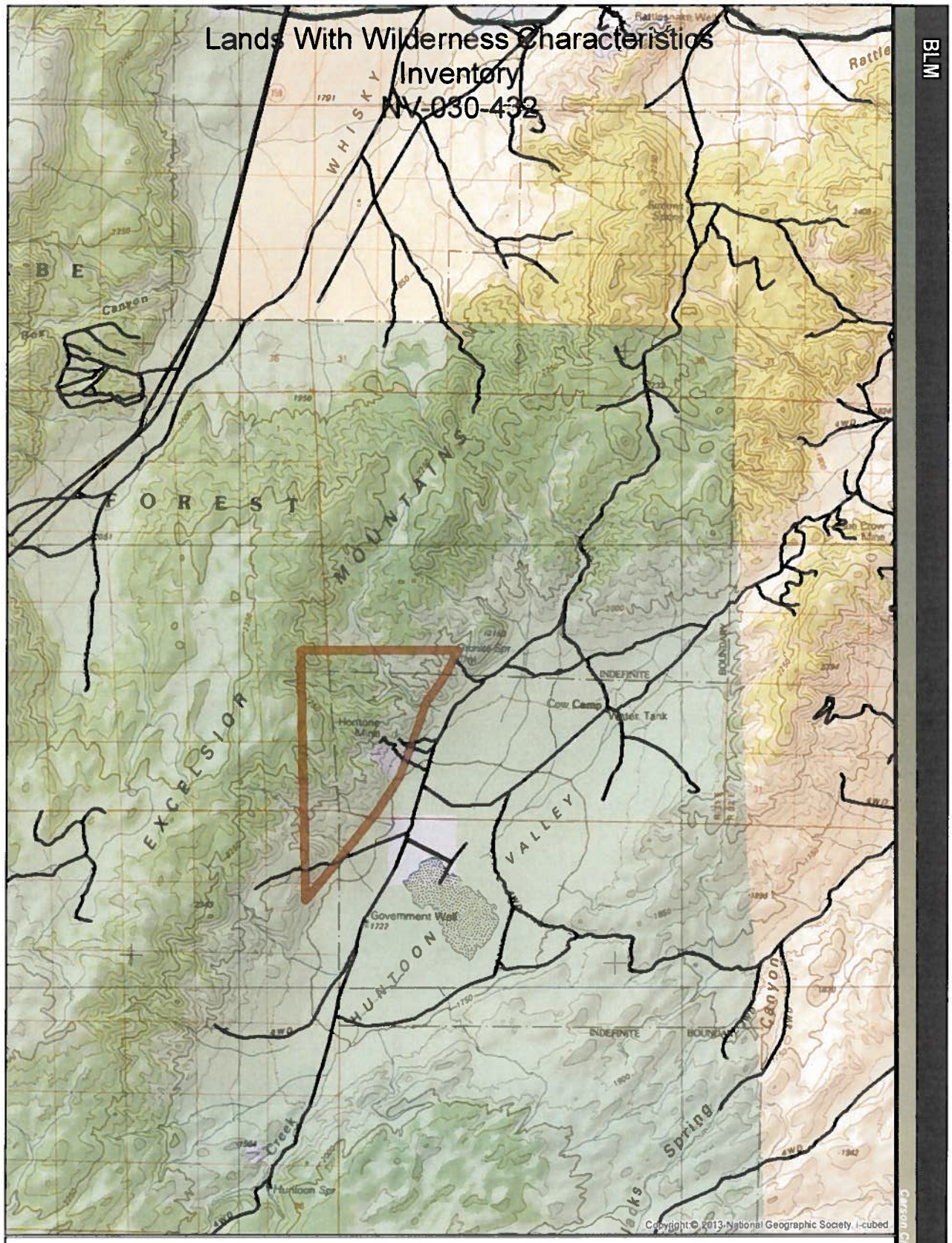

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UNIT_ID
- 432
- Road
- BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

Agency
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- Bureau of Land Management
- DOD
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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-433

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Miller Mountain

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-433	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: Acreage: 68,700
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ___X___ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X___ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X___

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation)*:

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-433

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

__X_ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: [signature] Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 04 2014

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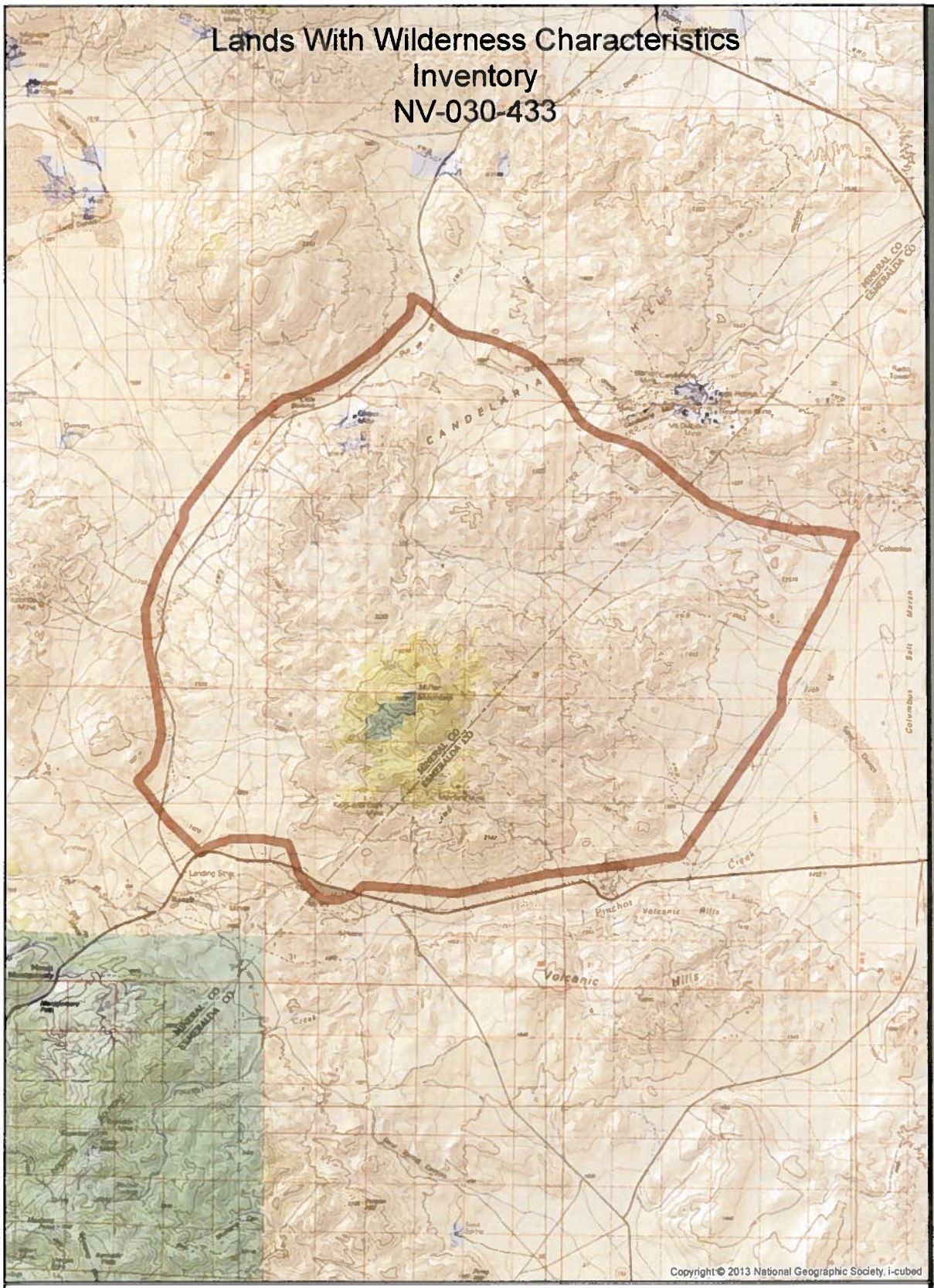
Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-433



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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.)*:

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-434

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Mt. Montgomery North

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-434	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-434 Acreage: 11,060
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ____X____ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory – The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit do not remain current. Approximately 20% of the public land mass in this unit was transferred to the USFS in 1988. Subsequently, the eastern half of the unit retains about 9,000 acres of public land.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X___ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X___

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-434

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes __X_ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

__X_ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members): Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: Teresa J. Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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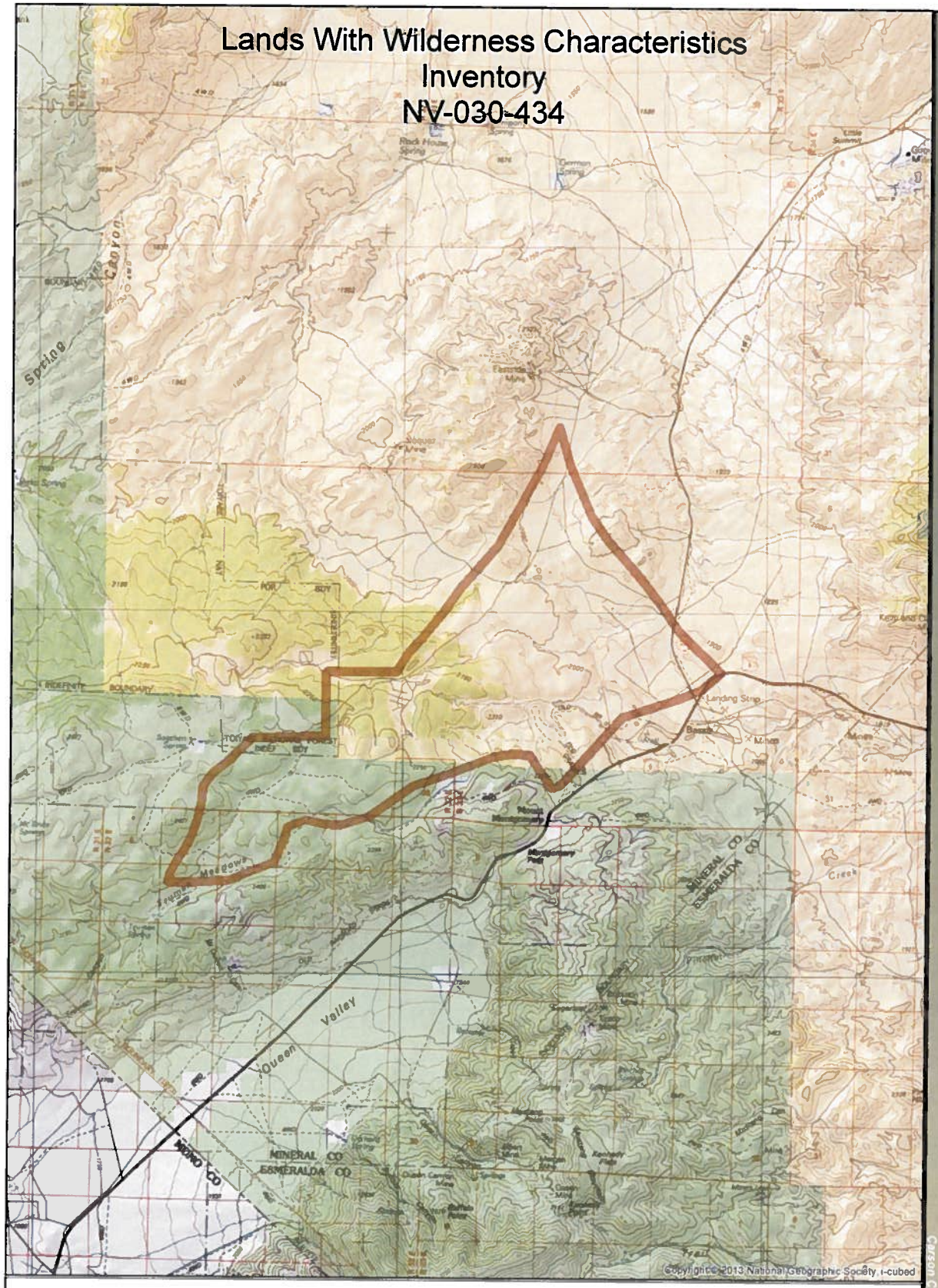
Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-434



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Land Status NV

Agency

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes __X____ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-435

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Truman Meadows / NV-030-435

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-435	Partial	No	No	Minimal	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-435 Acreage: 7,560
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

1980 Inventory - The unit contains 7,560 acres of public lands. The Inyo National Forest moved their wilderness boundary 600 feet west of a documented road through section 6, T. 2 N., R. 32 E., and the Toiyabe National Forest used the same road through the extreme southeastern corner of RARE II unit 4-989 to redefine the recommended wilderness boundary. The Sagehen-McBride Springs Road was therefore adopted as the revised east boundary for the Truman Meadows unit, eliminating 1,620 acres, and leaving 6,030 for further evaluation. Subunit A contains 330 acres, subunit B has 660 acres, and subunit C has 5,040 acres. All three meet the WIH size criteria.
2014 Inventory - The 1980 unit boundary's and size recommendations for the Truman Meadows unit, as described above, remains current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X__ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
1980 Inventory - None of the three subunits evaluated appear primarily natural or retain their "primeval character". Subunit C is laced with a network of jeep trails, and the heavy influence of grazing improvements and apparent vehicle-based recreation dominate the views on the BLM acreage as well as the adjacent RARE II units. It is nearly impossible for the improved springs on private lands and the boundary roads to go unnoticed from any point within subunits A and B.
2014 Inventory - The 1980 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the Truman Meadows unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-435

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

__X_ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members): Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: Teresa J. Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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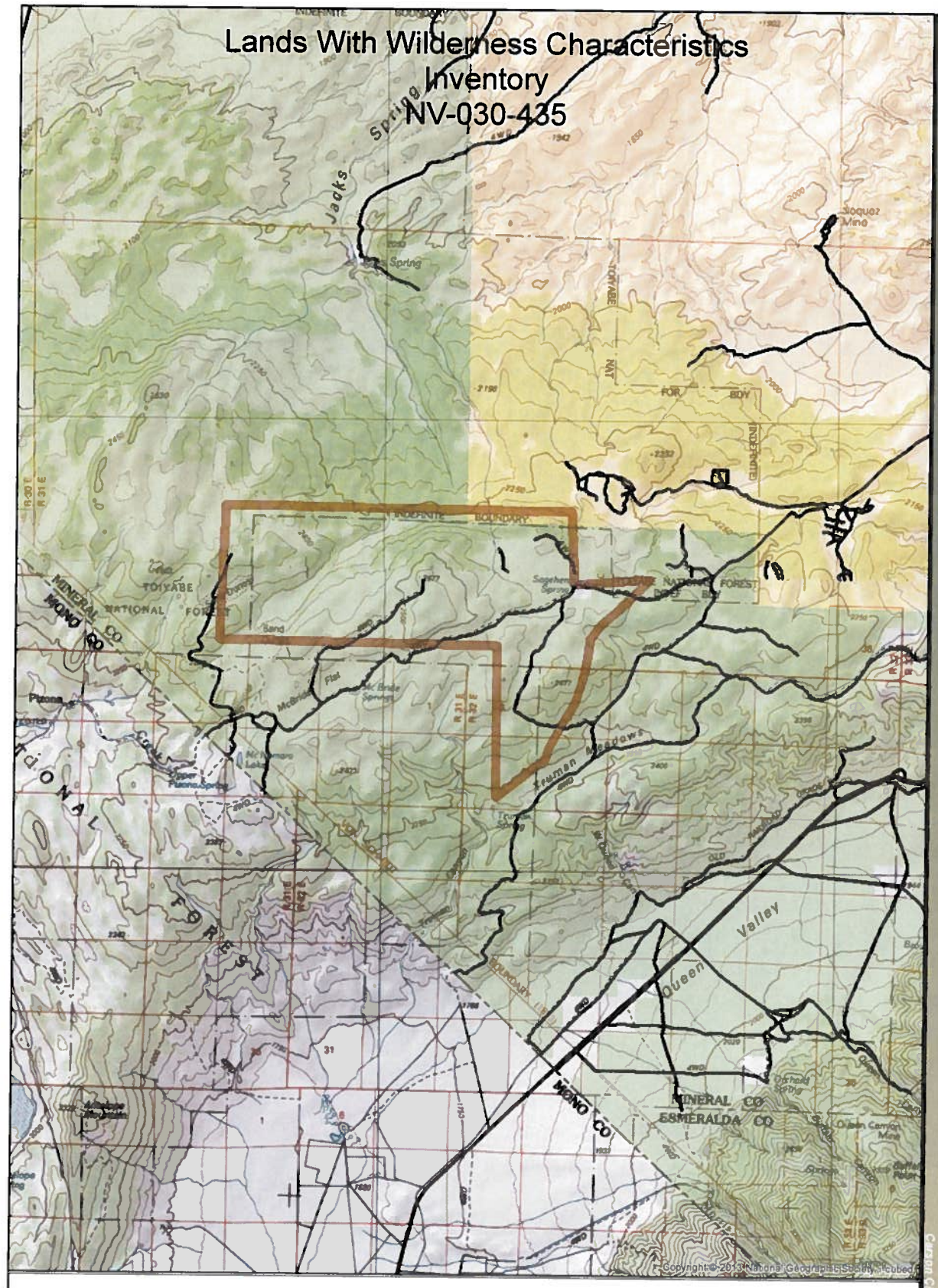

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes __**X**____ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-436

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Queen Valley North / NV-030-436

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-436	Partial	Partial	Minimal	Minimal	Minimal

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-436 Acreage: 7,640
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

1980 Inventory - Rationale for Recommendation - The original rationale for intensive inventory was dependent on the adjacent RARE II area, however, Toiyabe National Forest has altered its original boundary so that the Queen Valley North unit is no longer adjacent to the Excelsior Wilderness Study Area.

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

1980 Inventory - The Queen Valley North Unit is comprised of a narrow, hilly ridge at the south end of the Excelsior Mountains in Mineral County, Nevada. An alluvial fan slopes toward U.S. Highway 6 and Queen Valley, which forms the south boundary. The Toiyabe National Forest borders on the west end; all other boundaries are documented roads. Vegetation varies from pinyon woodlands on the hill tops and upper canyons, to low sage rabbitbrush aspect on the lower slopes and valley bottoms. The unit contains 7,640 acres of public lands. Private parcels on the boundaries were eliminated by readjusting the border. An abandoned railroad grade connects U.S. 6 with the south boundary road, separating a narrow, 500 acre strip and a loop access road to Queen Canyon Springs (private) dropped another parcel of 250 acres. Penetrant roads were redrawn to form "cherry-stem" boundary configuration to subtract another 20 acres. The remaining 6,870 acres were subjected to intensive inventory.
2014 Inventory - The 1980 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the Queen Valley North unit, as described above, remains current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _X_ No ____ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
1980 Inventory - Prospecting pits and bulldozer tracks have disturbed about 15 acres in several acres of concentration, notably around West Queen Canyon and the dead-end roads. The unit appears essentially natural.

2014 Inventory - The 1980 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the Queen Valley North unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No __X____ N/A___

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

1980 Inventory - Opportunities for solitude are far less than outstanding due to the units relatively small size, vary narrow configuration, and narrow spaces between penetrant roads and mining intrusions. Secluded spots are few, and screening is minimal.
2014 Inventory – The 1980 evaluation, including the conclusion on solitude, remains current for the Queen Valley North unit. It is the conclusion of this evaluation that there are no outstanding opportunities for solitude in the unit that are superior to its kind. The opportunities for solitude in this unit are represented throughout the CCDO.

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No __X____ N/A____
Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

1980 Inventory - Primitive Recreation - The unit has some hunting, sightseeing and hiking potential, but overall primitive recreation opportunities are less than outstanding.
2014 Inventory - The 1980 evaluation, including the conclusion on primitive and unconfined recreation, remains current for the Queen Valley North unit. It is the conclusion of this evaluation that there are no outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation in the unit that are superior to its kind. The opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation in this unit are represented throughout the CCDO.

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-436

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? _X_ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members): Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: [signature] Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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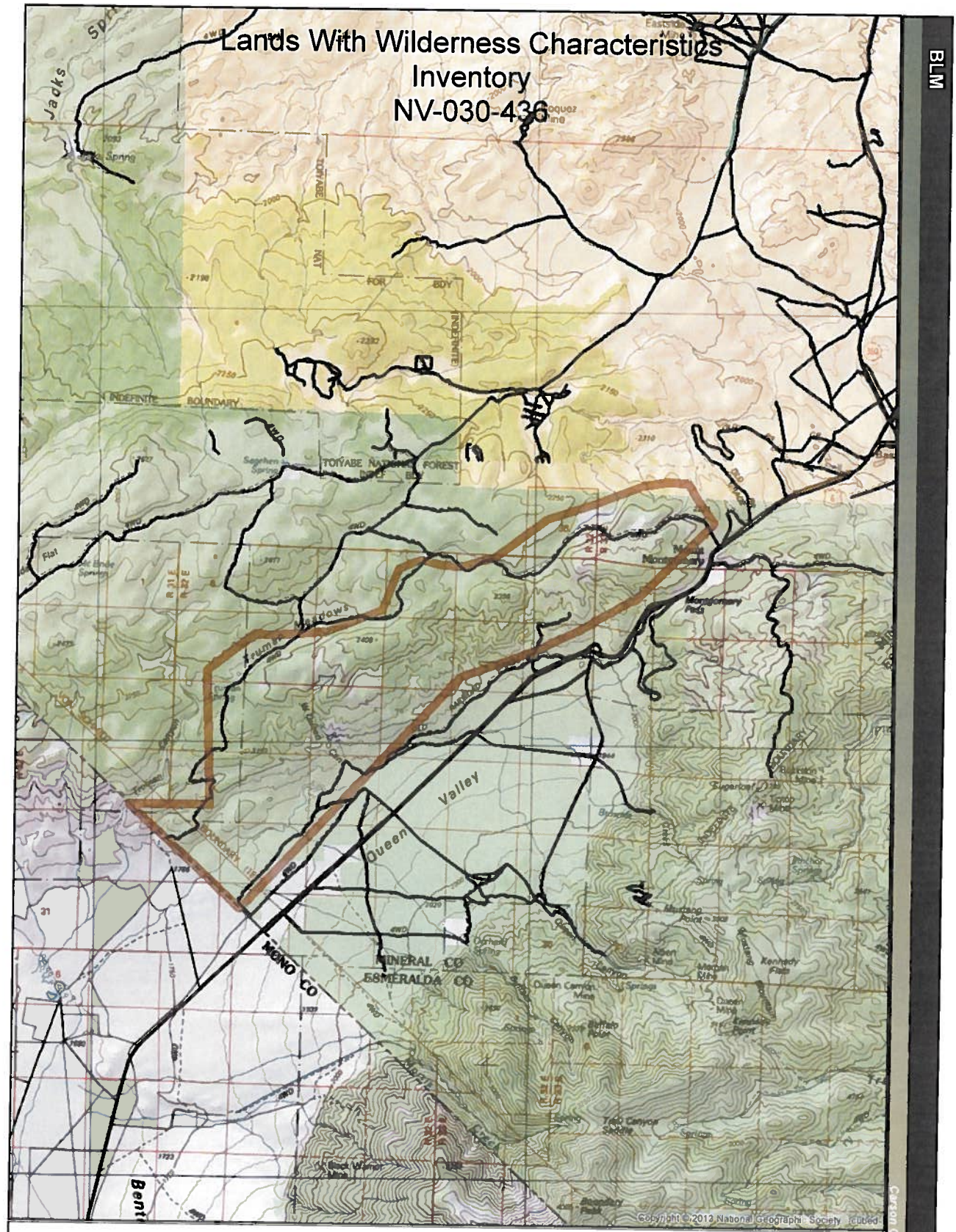
NV-030-436



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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes __X____ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-437

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Queen Valley Ranch / NV-030-437

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-437	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-437 Acreage: 610
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes _____ No ___X____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*
1980 Inventory - The Queen Valley Ranch Unit is located between U. S. Highway 6 and the Inyo National Forest, just southwest of Montgomery Pass in southern Mineral County, Nevada. The Hereford Valley Ranch road forms the west boundary, private land borders on the east. Topography and vegetation vary from pinyon-covered foothills of the White Mountains, to low sage brush - rabbitbrush community. The initial decision to conduct an Intensive Inventory was based on the rationale that the unit was contiguous to a RARE II Area proposed for further study. However, the Inyo National Forest has since relocated the wilderness study area line away from the BLM / FS common boundary. Subsequently, the original 610 acre roadless area no longer meets the size criteria.
2014 Inventory - The USFS RARE II lands were not designated as Wilderness Study Areas or areas of Recommended Wilderness. The 610 acre unit does not meet size criteria for Lands with Wilderness Characteristics.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No ____ N/A____X____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-437

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? __ Yes _X__ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

__X_ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members): Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager)*:

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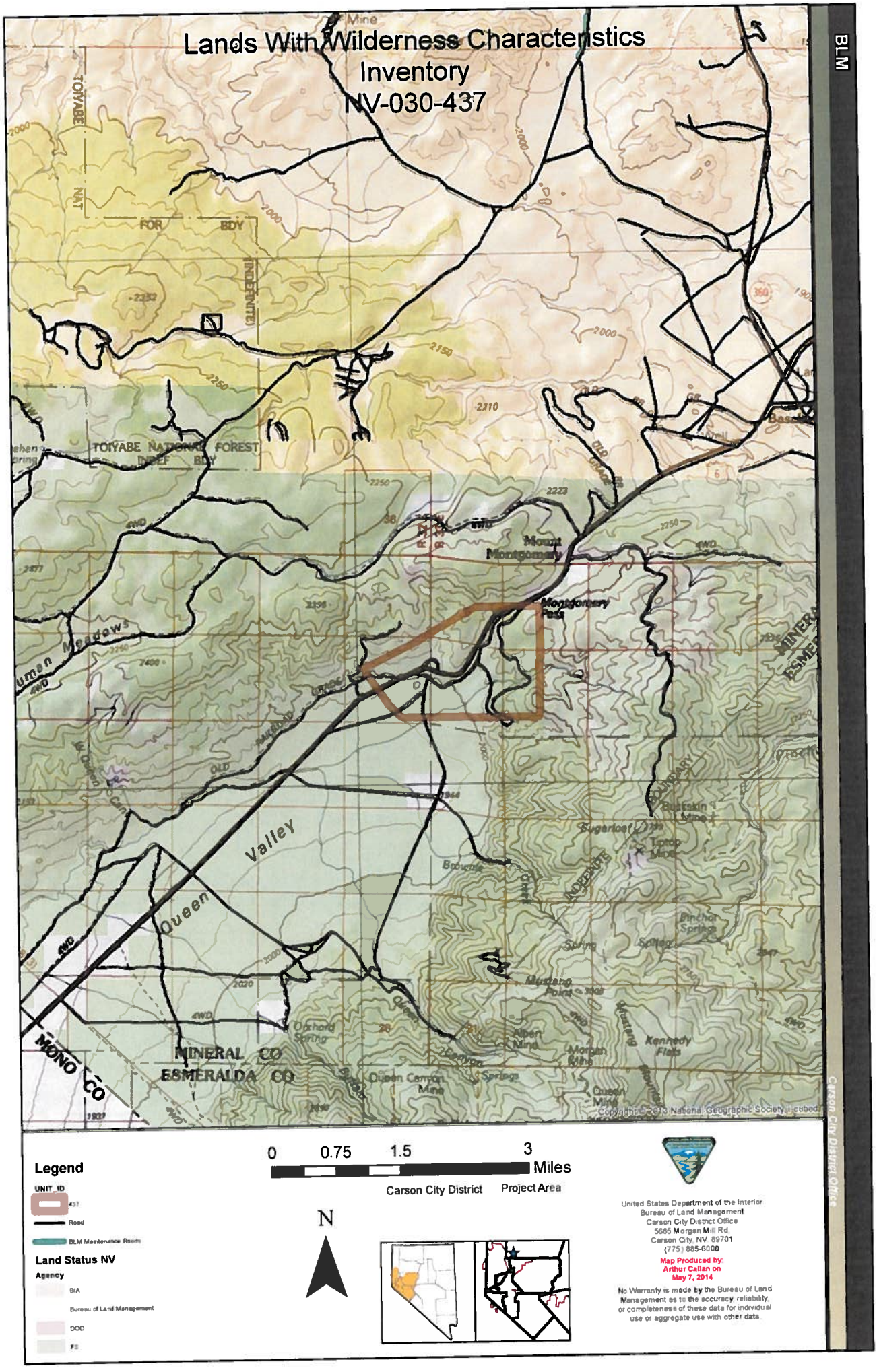

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.)*:

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-438

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Queen Valley

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-438	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-438 Acreage: 6,440
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes _____ No ___X_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit does not remain current. All public land in this unit was transferred to the USFS in 1988. The land acquired by USFS in 1988 is not WSA or an area of Recommended Wilderness (USFS).

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A___X_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-438

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? __ Yes _X__ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: [signature] Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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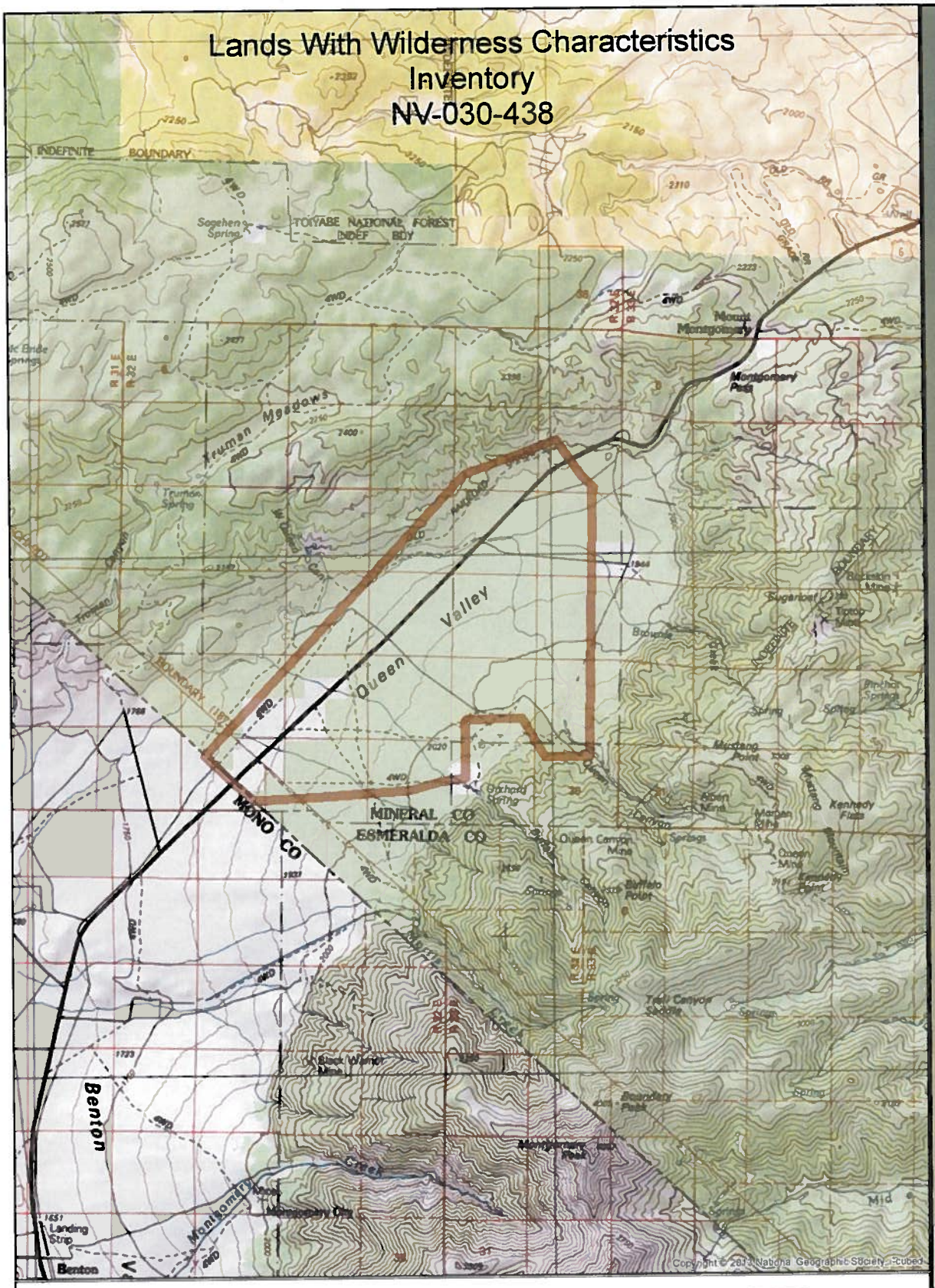
NV-030-438



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Land Status NV

Agency

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes __X____ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-439

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Orchard Spring / NV-030-439

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-439	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 2

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-439 Acreage: 760
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes _____ No __X____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

1980 Inventory - The Orchard Spring Unit is located just south of U. S. Highway 6 in Queen Valley, in southern Mineral County, Nevada. The unit is comprised of two separate parcels. The west parcel is bounded by the California- Nevada border (Von Schmidt Line) on the west, a documented road on the north and the Inyo National Forest on the south, and east. The east unit is adjacent to the Inyo National Forest on the south, and is bordered by a documented road. Topography is nearly flat, and vegetation is low-growing sage, rabbitbrush, and Cholla cactus. The west unit contains 560 acres, at one time directly adjacent to the Inyo National Forest RARE II Area A5058 (White Mountains). The east parcel has only 200 acres, also adjacent to the original RARE II boundary. Since the decision was made to conduct an Intensive Inventory, Inyo NF moved their proposed wilderness boundary away from the common BLM-USFS boundary, subsequently; the original rationale and initial size determination no longer apply. The unit does not meet any of the three size criteria for roadless areas under 5,000 acres.
2014 Inventory – This unit is not represented on the 1979 initial inventory map or the related GIS data. There is no USFS WSA or areas of Recommended Wilderness within the area of this unit's location description. The 1980 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the Orchard Spring unit, as described above, remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No ____ N/A__X_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-439

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? __ Yes _X__ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members): Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager)*:

Name: Teresa J. Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 04 2014

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-MAP-

No polygon data is represented on the 1979 Initial Inventory Map for unit 439 – Orchard Spring. The GIS data layer for the 1979 unit polygons does not include data on unit 439. Subsequently, no map is provided for unit 439.

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-515

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Reno, Carson City, Washoe Valley, Virginia Range

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-515	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-515 Acreage: 10,500 public (367,000 total)
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current. The geographic and demographic context of this unit is defined by the city of Reno, Nevada including the outlying communities of New Washoe City, Pleasant Valley, Dayton and Virginia City. Subsequently, the unit is defined by the urban interface between private and public land. Washoe Lake, Truckee River and Virginia Range are prominent geographic features in the unit. The unit is also defined by Highways 80, 880 and State Route 341.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No __X__ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit. Approximately 75% of the unit is private or other agency land. Core public land is situated in the Virginia Range in the Virginia City area. The following evaluation focuses on public land in the "core" area: There are a couple of power lines and a least one pipeline within the unit. There is a mineral material site in the Jumbo Grade and another two located to the north. There is an extensive road network within the area. Public lands east of Virginia City become checkerboard. There is an array of communication towers and masts on McClelland Peak. There is an OHV staging area in Jumbo Grade area.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-515

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _**X**_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _**X**__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _**X**__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No __**X**_ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

__**X**_ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members)*: Arthur Callan - ORP

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager)*:

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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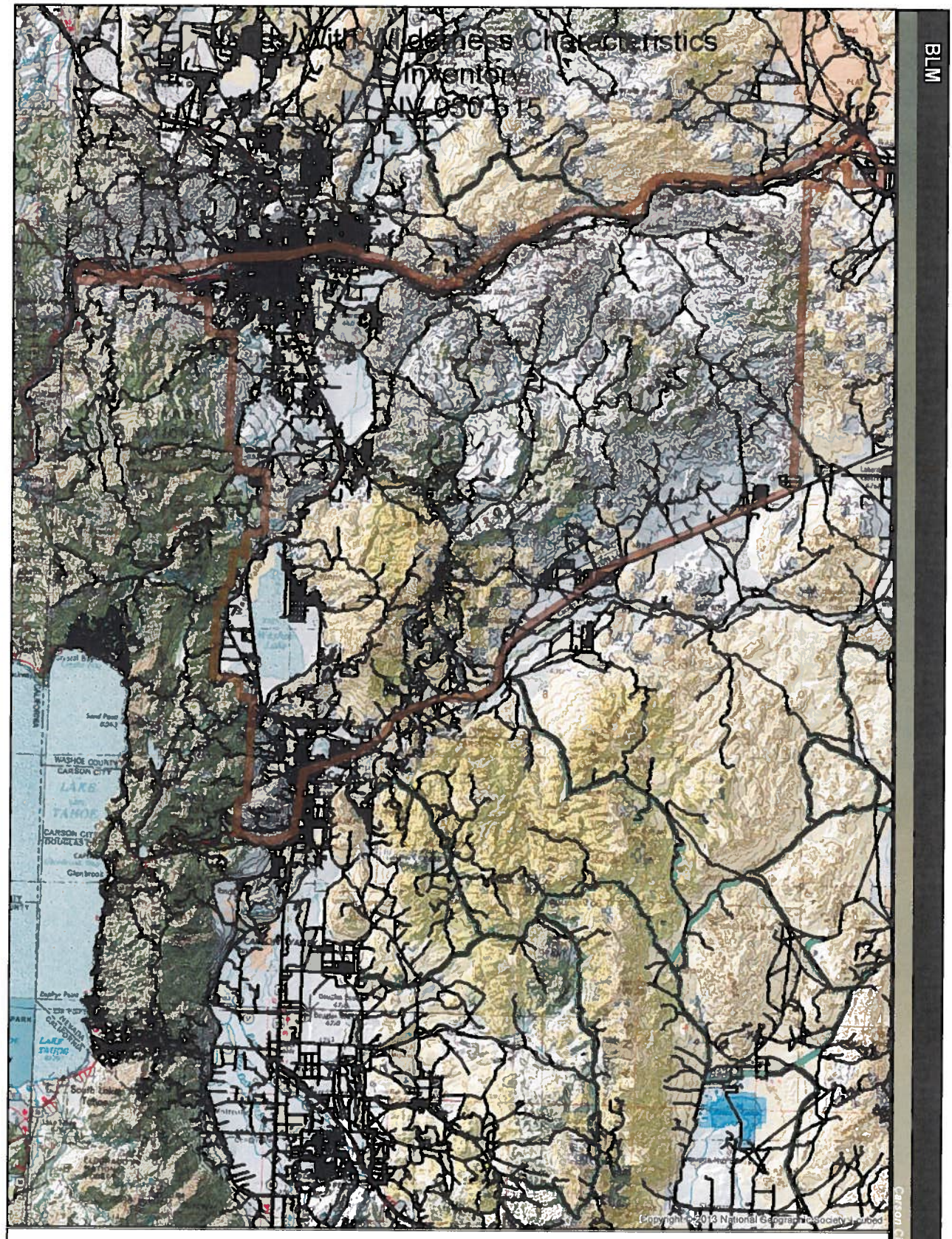

Wilderness Characteristics Inventory
NV-030-515

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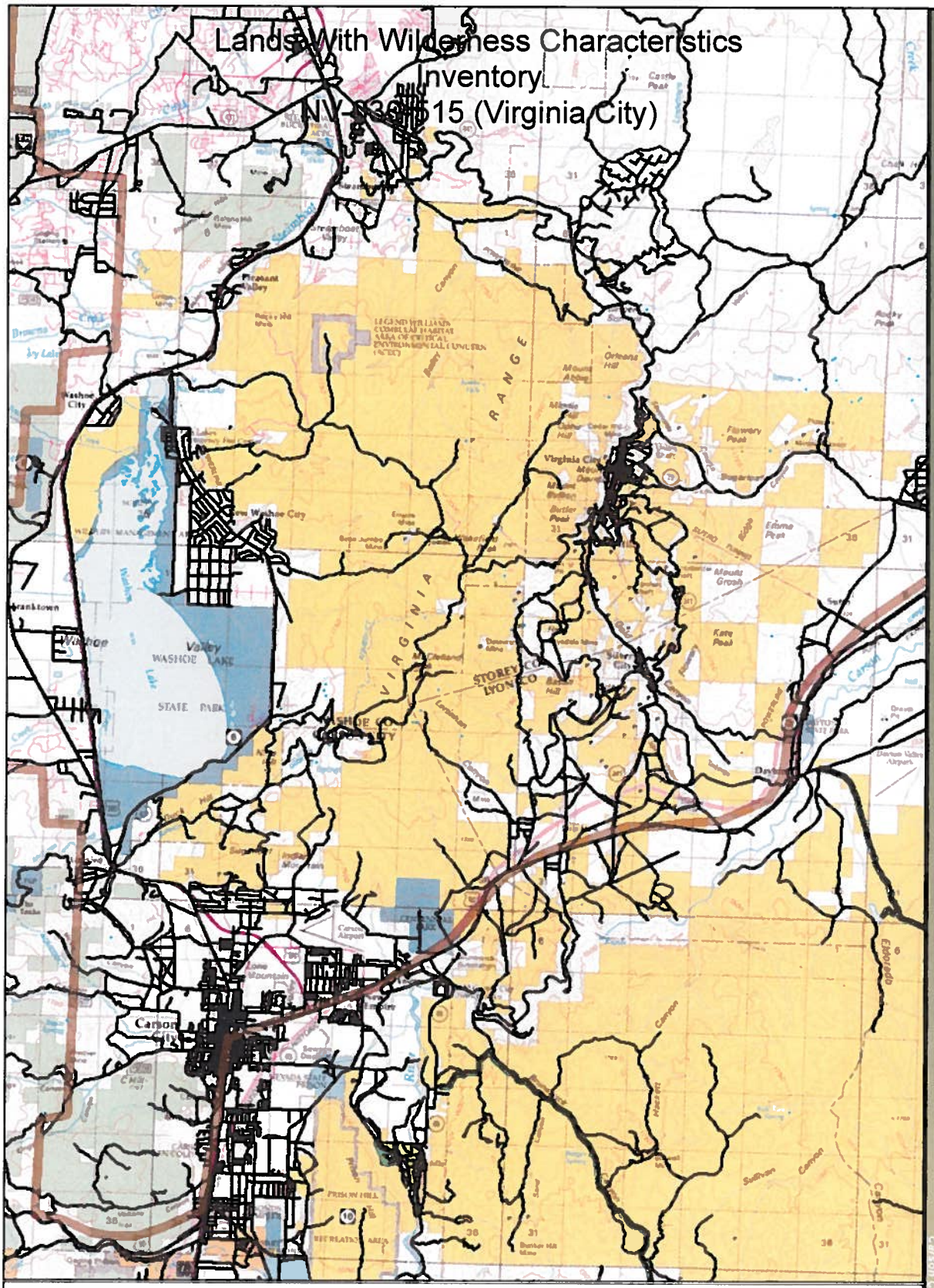
NV-030-515 (Virginia City)



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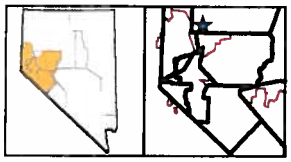

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-516

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Carson Plains

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-516	No	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-516 Acreage: 4,900
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes _____ No ___X_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current. The public land status in this unit is checkerboard; about eight public land sections total. Public land makes up about 20% of the unit.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No ____ N/A___X_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X___

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-516

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? __ Yes _**X**__ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes ___ No __**X**_ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No __**X**_ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No __**X**_ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_**X**__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):* Arthur Callan - ORP

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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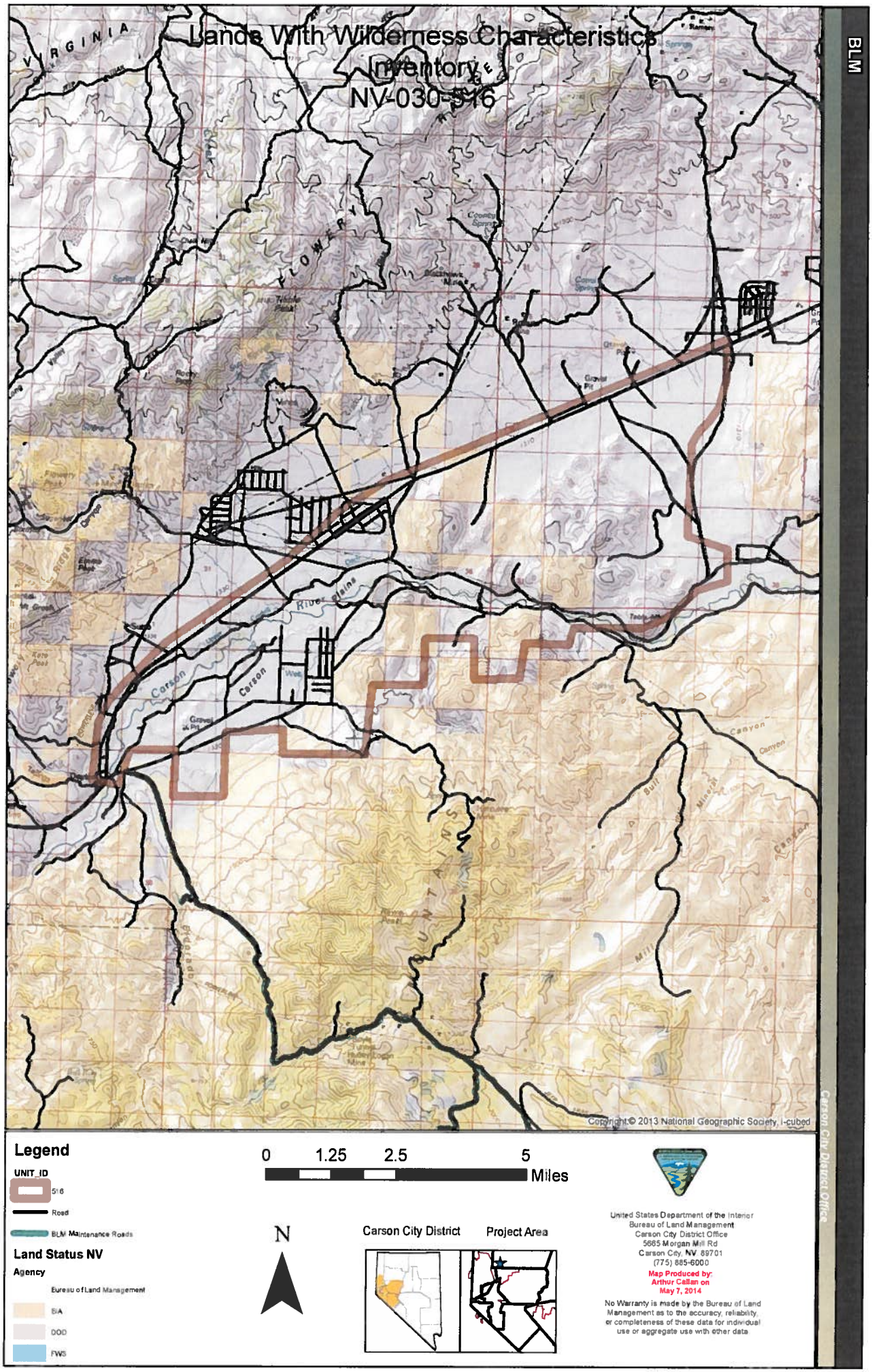
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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes__X__*(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-517

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Rawe Peak / NV-030-517

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-517	Partial	Partial	Minimal	Minimal	Yes

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-517 Acreage: 47760

NV-030-517a 7,100 acres
NV-030-517b 32,660 acres

(1) Is the area of sufficient size?

Yes ___X___ No _____

Description:
1980 Inventory – The Rawe Peak unit contains about 49,480 acres of public land and 920 acres of private land. The documentation during intensive inventory of roads resulted in the removal of 4 small subunits from further consideration: Subunits A (520 acres), B (880 acres), C (280 acres), and D (40 acres). These subunits total 1,720 acres, and the remaining area contains about 47,760 public acres.
2014 Inventory – The BLM 1980 Wilderness Inventory documented a total of 47,760 acres of Unit 517. The 2014 inventory describes this area as 39,760 acres. The 2014 inventory found that the unit needed to be divided into two subunits because of a constructed, maintained route that crosses the range in a north/south direction just east of Rawe Peak. The Rawe Peak West subunit (NV-030-517a) consists of 7,100 acres and Rawe Peak East (NV-030-517b) consists of 32,660 acres. The 2014 inventory found these two subunits individually meet the size criteria for LWC consideration.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

NV-030-517a Yes __X__ No ____ N/A_____
NV-030-517b Yes __X__ No ____ N/A_____

Description:

1980 Inventory – The largest part of the unit is in a natural condition with the exception of a number of significant man-caused intrusions in the form of mining disturbances, roads, and water catchment devices including four gallinaceous guzzlers, one reaper, three spring developments, and two earthen reservoirs. The water developments either do not represent severe impacts upon naturalness, or they could be removed and the sites feasibly returned to a natural condition. The roads and mining scars are being removed from the unit by adjusting the boundary. Roads 517.01 and 517.02 form a loop which separates Subunit A. The roads lead to a BLM-authorized communications site which consists of several radio repeaters and a microwave station. Road 517.03 leads 3 miles from the town site of Como to a mining site and private land. Road 517.04 leads to the Pony Mine area, where Subunit C is removed from the unit due to major mining ground disturbances. In the vicinity are spring developments, residential buildings, and many short spur roads. Road 517.05 is a spur from the power line road in Section 16 of T. 15 N., R. 23 E. Road 517.06 is a road

system at the west end of the unit, which provides access to water developments, livestock operations, and a large burned area. The road and dozer scars from fire suppression form a loop that contains Subunit B. Road 517.07 is a road 10 miles long which leads from Bull Canyon, past Mineral Canyon, and into Mill Canyon. A water catchment and a 120-acre private parcel are along it. Road 517.08 leads past two water developments and a mining site in Bull Canyon. It is about 4 miles long. Road 517.09 leads 3 miles to the Hercules Mine. Road 517.10 leads to a spring in the northern part of the unit. Road 517.11 is a 3-mile long spur road to the south.

2014 Inventory – Road 517.09 extends beyond Hercules Mine up to the private land parcel located in T.16 N., R. 22 E., S. 25. Roads 517.09 and 517.03 each connect to the aforementioned private land parcel. This road extension was constructed with heavy equipment in approximately 2007. The 1980 evaluation, including the conclusion for naturalness, remains current for the Rawe Peak subunits.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

NV-030-517a	Yes _X_	No ____	N/A_____
NV-030-517b	Yes _X_	No ____	N/A_____

Description:

1980 Inventory – The quality of the opportunity for solitude in the unit is determined by size and configuration of the unit, natural topographic and vegetative screening, and the ability of a person to find a secluded spot. The effect of the unit's size on solitude is modified by its configuration or shape. The Rawe Peak unit is 16 miles long and 8 miles wide, but the boundary is deeply indented due to the presence of intruding roads mentioned earlier. The result is that, although the unit contains a roadless acreage of 47,760, that acreage is deeply dissected into lobes. A person cannot get as far as two miles away from the unit boundary at any point in the unit. This distance is not great enough to contribute outstanding quality to the opportunity for solitude. Vegetative screening is available in the pinyon pine and juniper stands on the middle elevations of the unit. While it would be possible for a person on foot or horse back to hide among the trees from the view of others, this type of vegetative screening and the opportunity for solitude it provides are commonplace in the region. It does not contribute outstanding quality to the opportunity for solitude in the unit. Topographic screening in the unit is very limited. The steep ridges and intervening ravines on the high slopes of Rawe Peak are visually very exposed to Highway 50 and other developments in the valley below. A broad alluvial plain is below them. Bull Canyon, Mineral Canyon, and Mill Canyon to the west have been intruded by two main roads, and they contain no rugged or otherwise protective features. The size and shape of the unit and the natural screening available do not combine to make an outstanding opportunity for a person to find a secluded spot. Consequently, the unit does not provide an outstanding opportunity for solitude.

2014 Inventory –

Rawe Peak West NV-030-517a: This subunit is characterized by the prominence of Rawe Peak at an elevation of 8,228 feet and several deep canyons on the north side that provide outstanding opportunities for solitude. Also contributing to the opportunities for solitude is the vegetative cover that is comprised mainly of pinyon pine and dense thickets of mountain mahogany in the higher elevations.
Rawe Peak East NV-030-517b: This subunit is characterized by expansive basalt, sagebrush table lands and long, winding shallow canyons. This is in contrast to the western side of the subunit that has more rugged terrain with higher topographic relief. All of these characteristics contribute to the presence of outstanding opportunities for solitude in this unit.

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

NV-030-517a	Yes __X__	No ____	N/A_____
NV-030-517b	Yes __X__	No ____	N/A_____

Description:

1980 Inventory – Opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation include horseback riding, hiking, and hunting. Horseback and foot travel is easy in the unit except on the highest steep slopes of Rawe Peak. However, there is a lack of any outstanding feature to attract equestrians and hikers. The presence of communications facilities less than a half mile from the Rawe Peak summit detracts from the appeal of climbing the mountain, although that hike still constitutes a recreational opportunity. Mule deer hunting in parts of the unit was excellent in the past. Deer habitat potential, ease of hunter movement, and shooting opportunities are all good. At present, competition for forage from excessive numbers of wild horses greatly suppresses deer populations, and hunting is fair to good. Hunting for chukar partridge and mountain quail is rated only fair. Trapping for coyote, bobcat and gray fox also takes place. Several sites in the unit could be used for camping, but none of them are feature attractions or likely destinations. Firewood is abundant in some places, but water is very limited. The opportunity for a primitive and unconfined type of recreation in the unit is not outstanding.
2014 Inventory – The 2014 inventory found many outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation in both subunits. Outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation include hiking, horseback riding, rock hounding, and hunting.

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

NV-030-517a	Yes ____	No __X__	N/A_____
NV-030-517b	Yes ____	No __X__	N/A_____

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-517

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? __X__ Yes ____ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __X__ Yes ____ No ____ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? __X__ Yes ____ No ____ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ____ Yes __X__ No ____ N/A

Check one:

__X__ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

___ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *SFFO LWC Team*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-517

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Rawe Peak
NV-030-517

Bureau of Land Management, National Operations Center, 100K Mapping Group, OC-535

0 1.25 2.5 5 Miles

N

Legend

- LWC
- LWC 1980 Instensive
- Bureau of Indian Affairs
- Bureau of Land Management
- Bureau of Reclamation
- California County
- Department of Defense
- Department of Energy
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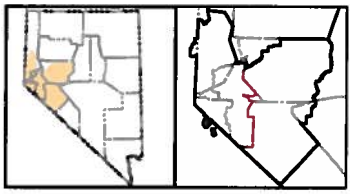

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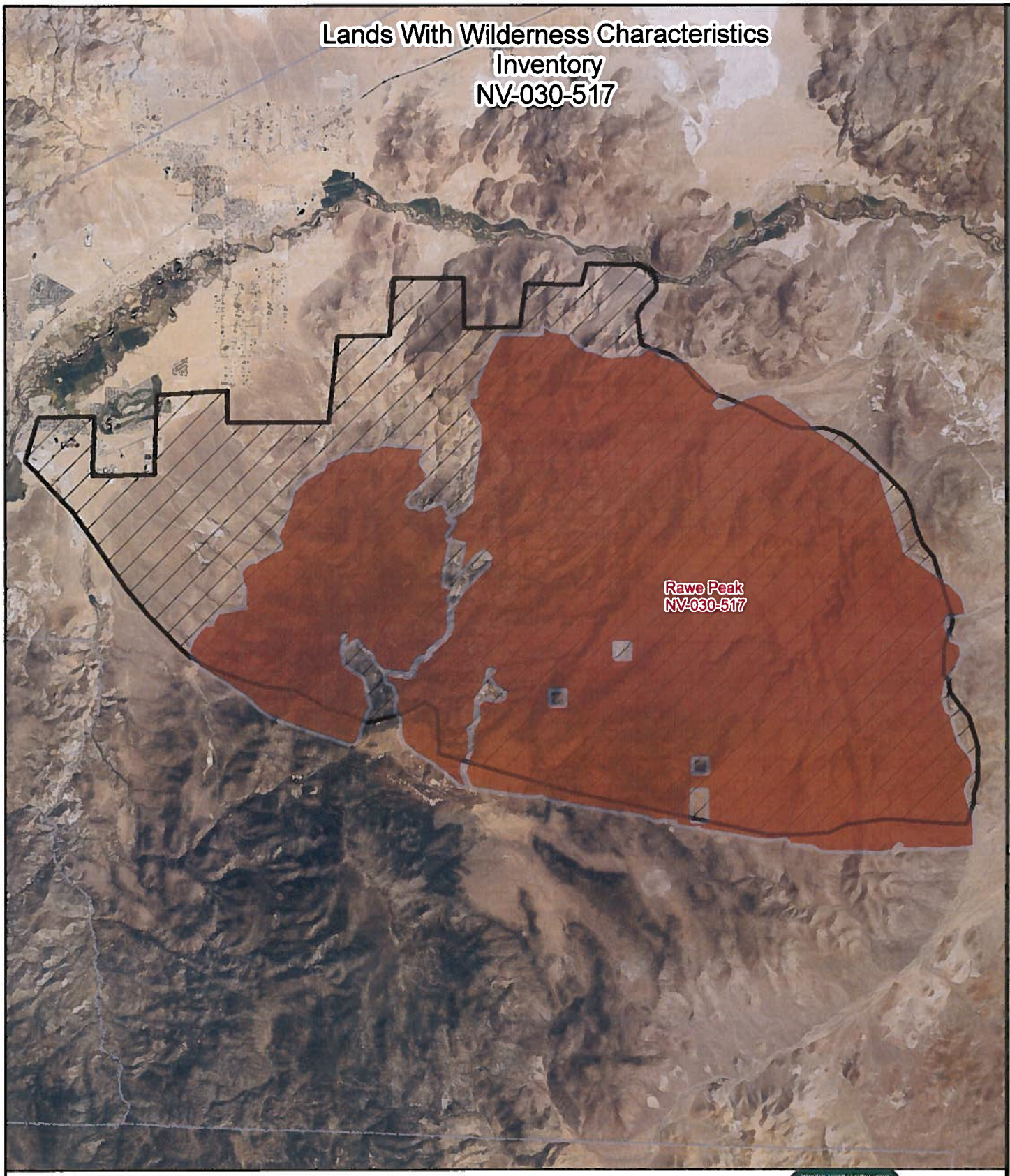

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Legend

- LWC
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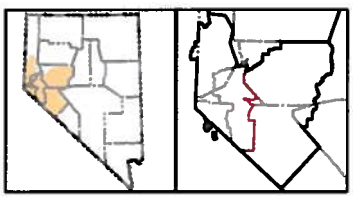

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-518

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Como

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-518	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-518 Acreage: 9,900
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ____X____ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current. The boundaries are defined by Como Road, transmission line and Carson River.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No __X__ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit. Transmission lines and a major access road define this unit. About 20% of the unit is private land. A portion of the eastern unit (foot shaped) has been identified in a citizen based LWC proposal under the Rawe Peak unit (517). Subsequently, this eastern portion is evaluated separately in the Rawe Peak unit (517).

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-518

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members)*: Arthur Callan

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager)*:

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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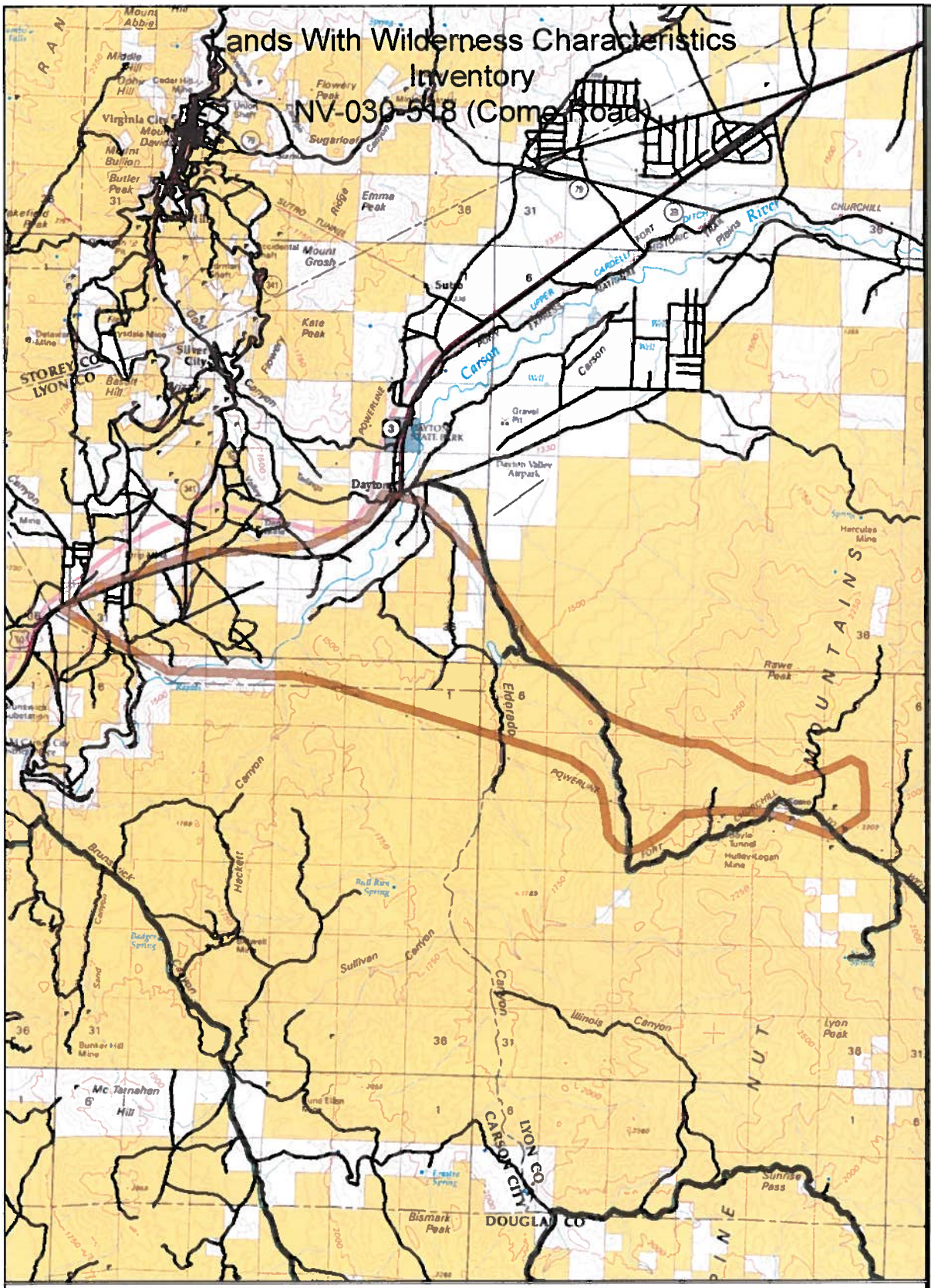

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- 518
- Road
- BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

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- Bureau of Land Management

0 0.75 1.5 3 Miles

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NV-030-518 (Como Road)

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UNIT_ID

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes__X__*(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-520

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Lyon Peak / NV-030-520

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Carson City District / Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-520	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-520 Acreage: 32,960

(1) Is the area of sufficient size?

Yes __X__ No _____

Description:

1980 Inventory – The Lyon Peak Unit contains about 36,000 acres of public land and about 2,120 acres of private land. Subunits A and B were removed from the unit during the initial inventory due to the documented lack of wilderness characteristics. Subunit C (360 acres), D (1,840 acres), E (640 acres), and F (200 acres) have also been found to be separated from the rest of the unit by documented intrusions upon naturalness, as will be explained in the next section on naturalness. The remaining 32,960 public acres will be further evaluated for wilderness characteristics. The main part of the unit, after exclusion of the subunits, contains 880 acres of private land in eight parcels ranging from 40 to 480 acres.
2014 Inventory – Unit boundaries are formed by power lines, roads and property lines. Approximately 640 acres on the north boundary in Eldorado Canyon were acquired and placed into federal ownership. Sullivan Canyon is prone to washout and is not a reliable access route. The 1980 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the Lyon Peak unit, as described above, remain current. External new information from citizen based proposals was also considered in the evaluation.
Subunits C, D, E, F: These subunits do not meet the 5,000 acreage minimum and subsequently will not be carried forward for further evaluation.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes __X__ No _____ N/A_____

Description:
1980 Inventory – Although the largest part of the unit is in essentially natural condition, significant man-caused intrusions on naturalness are present in the forms of vegetative chaining treatments, mining disturbances, roads, and vehicle ways. Subunit C is separated from the rest of the unit by a loop in Road 520.02. Subunit D in the northeast portion of the unit is distinct from the rest of the unit by its preponderance of intrusions and a large amount of private land. It is adjacent to the historical Como Mining District and contains several mining sites, involving Roads 520.11, 520.12, and 520.14. About 920 acres, nearly half the land in Subunit D, is privately owned. The 400-acre Stone Spring vegetative chaining and seeding of 1972 occurs in Subunit D. BLM has sold hundreds of Christmas trees to commercial dealers from within the chained area, which would likely return to a natural appearance in perhaps 30 years if left alone. Subunit E is another chaining and reseeding project completed in 1972 in the southeast part of the unit near

Sunrise Pass. The area does not appear natural, as visitors have driven vehicles over much of it to collect firewood remaining from the chaining. Revegetation is not proceeding well and wild horses which gather in the cleared area cause much disturbance. In 1968, 500 acres of pinyon pine and juniper were chained and reseeded in upper Illinois Canyon. Plant succession in this area has proceeded to the extent that it does not appear to be unnatural. Road 520.01 is a spur leading to a spring. Road 520.02 is along the bottom of Illinois Canyon. Way 520.03 is a continuation of the vehicle route between Road 520.02 and the Como Road. Road 520.10 also connects the way to the Como Road. Road 520.04 nearly traverses the entire unit, leading from the Brunswick Canyon public woodcutting area to mining activity.

2104 Inventory – From 2007-2010, the northeastern portion of the unit received eleven separate vegetative treatments. These treatments included mechanical (e.g. grinding/mastication) and hand treatments (e.g. thinning, lop and scatter). In 2011, the southeastern portion of the unit received vegetative treatments. The treatment involved chainsaw felling of trees and the lopping and scatter of material. Another treatment area occurred in the south end of Illinois Canyon. The vegetative treatments were designed to improve the natural character of the landscape by increasing the availability, quantity, and quality of sagebrush, woodland, and wet meadow/riparian habitats. Several segments of the north and south boundaries are defined by separate power lines and related power line roads. There have been a couple 3809 mineral notices in the northeast part of the unit since 1981.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes __X__ No _____ N/A_____

Description:

1980 Inventory – The quality of the opportunity for solitude in the unit is determined by size and configuration of the unit, natural topographic and vegetative screening, and the ability of a person to find a secluded spot. The effect of the unit's size on solitude is modified by its configuration or shape. The Lyon Peak Unit is 15 miles long but one and a half to three miles wide. The boundary is deeply indented due to the presence of intruding roads mentioned earlier. The result is that although the unit contains a roadless acreage of 32,960 acres, it is deeply dissected into lobes. A person cannot get any farther than one a half miles away from the unit boundary at any point in the unit. This distance is not great enough to contribute to outstanding quality for the opportunity for solitude. The screening effect of topographic features is diminished by the existence of roads in Sullivan and Illinois Canyons, which were excluded from the unit. These roads occupy most of the places where a person could have found seclusion and solitude. Topographic visual screening in the rest of the unit is limited and certainly not outstanding. Vegetative screening is afforded by pinyon pine and juniper stands and by very dense stands of mountain mahogany chaparral. While it would be possible for a person to hide among these trees from the view of others, this type of vegetative screening and the opportunity for solitude it provides are commonplace, not outstanding. The size and shape of the unit and the natural screening

available do not combine to make an outstanding opportunity for a person to find a secluded spot. Consequently, the unit does not provide an outstanding opportunity for solitude.
2014 Inventory – BLM guidelines for evaluating LWC have changed since 1980. New information from citizen based proposals was considered in the 2014 evaluation. The size, configuration, and diversity of topography allow for outstanding opportunities for solitude. Lyon Peak offers a distinct focal point and numerous canyons allow for isolated experiences of solitude.

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes __X__ No _____ N/A_____

Description:

1980 Inventory – Opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation include horseback riding, hiking, hunting and camping. Most of the terrain can be easily traveled by foot and horseback, except in the mountain mahogany thickets on the east slopes of Lyon Peak. The two main sightseeing attractions in the unit for hikers and horsemen are Lyon Peak and Eldorado Canyon. The climb to Lyon Peak (8,763 feet elevation) is about a four mile and 1700-foot walk southward along a ridge from the town site of Como. From Sunrise Pass on the south, the climb is about a three mile and 1700-foot walk. From the peak a person can get a rewarding view of the surrounding area. The hike or ride through Eldorado Canyon is about four miles on public land and one mile on private land. Travel is easy on the vehicle trail or way. The canyon is scenic and a pleasant trip prospect. Neither the trip to Lyon Peak nor the trip through Eldorado Canyon represents an opportunity for recreation with so great a value as to be considered outstanding in terms of wilderness experience. Mule deer hunting in parts of the unit were excellent in the past. Deer habitat potential, ease of hunter movement, and shooting opportunities are all good. At present, competition for forage from excessive numbers of wild horses greatly suppresses deer populations. A number of sites in the unit are suitable for camping, but none of them are feature attractions or likely destinations. Firewood is abundant, but water is very limited. The opportunity in the unit for a primitive and unconfined type of recreation is less than outstanding.
2014 Inventory – BLM guidelines for evaluating LWC have changed since 1980. New information from citizen based proposals was considered in the 2014 evaluation as the outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation.

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No ___X_____ N/A____

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-520

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? _X_ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? _X_ Yes ____ No ___ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes _X_ No __ N/A

Check one:

_X_ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Lands with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

___ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *Paul Fuselier*

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Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager)*:

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory :NV-030-520

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Lyon Peak
NV-030-520

Bureau of Land Management, National Operations Center, 100K Mapping Group, OC-535

0 1.25 2.5 5 Miles

N

Legend

- LWC
- LWC 1980 Instensive
- Bureau of Indian Affairs
- Bureau of Land Management
- Bureau of Reclamation
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- Department of Defense
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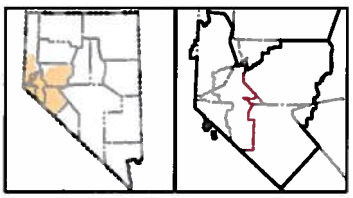

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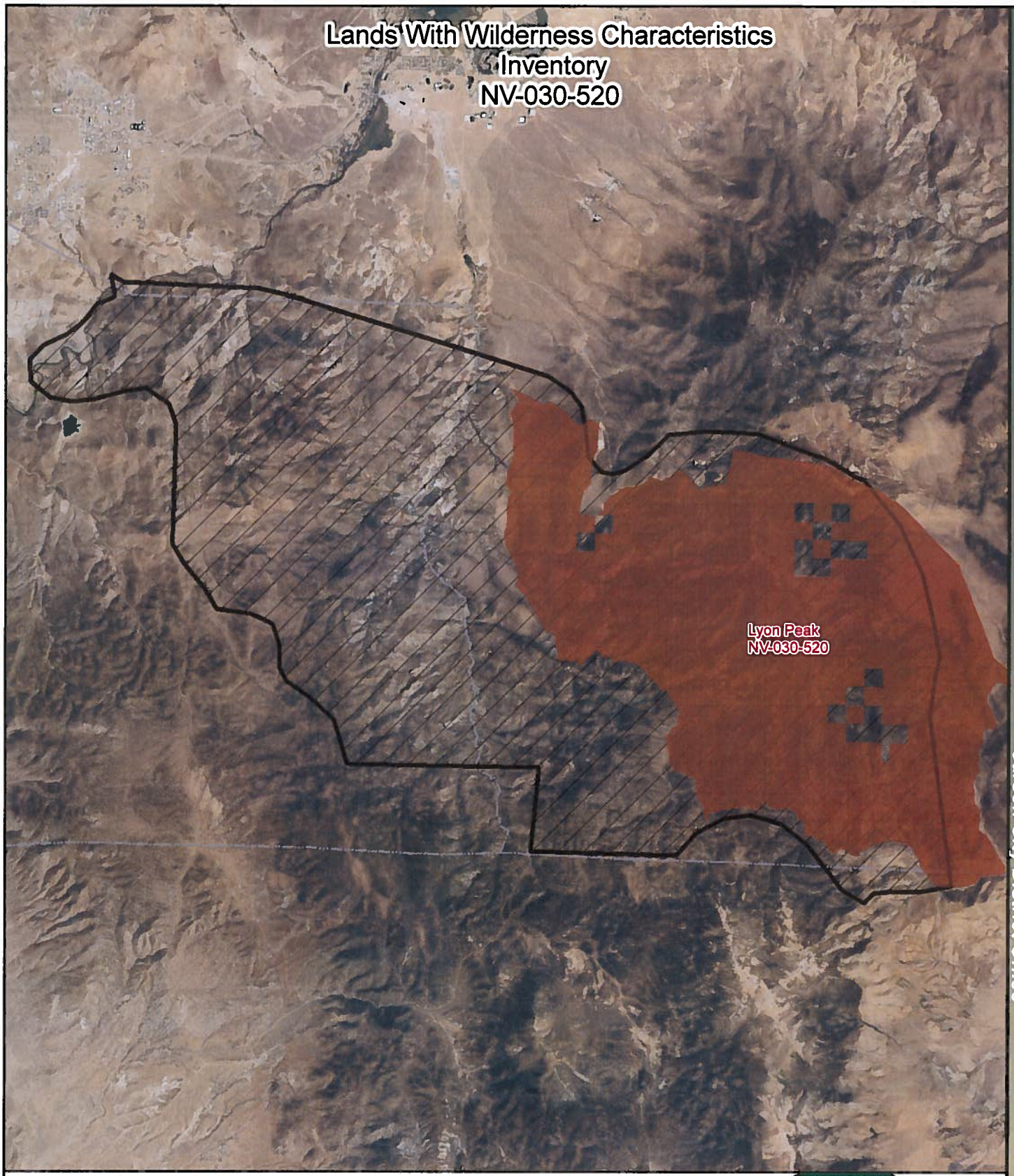

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-521

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Sario Well

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-521	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-521 Acreage: 7,700
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current. The unit boundary is defined by a transmission line to the north, Churchill Canyon Road to the SE, and Como Road to the SW.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X__ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit. Land status of unit is predominantly public. One small private land parcel located within unit. From 2007-2010 the western portion of the unit received eleven separate vegetative treatments. These treatments included mechanical (e.g. mastication) and hand treatments (e.g. lop and scatter).

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X_

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation).*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-521

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes __X_ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):* Arthur Callan - ORP

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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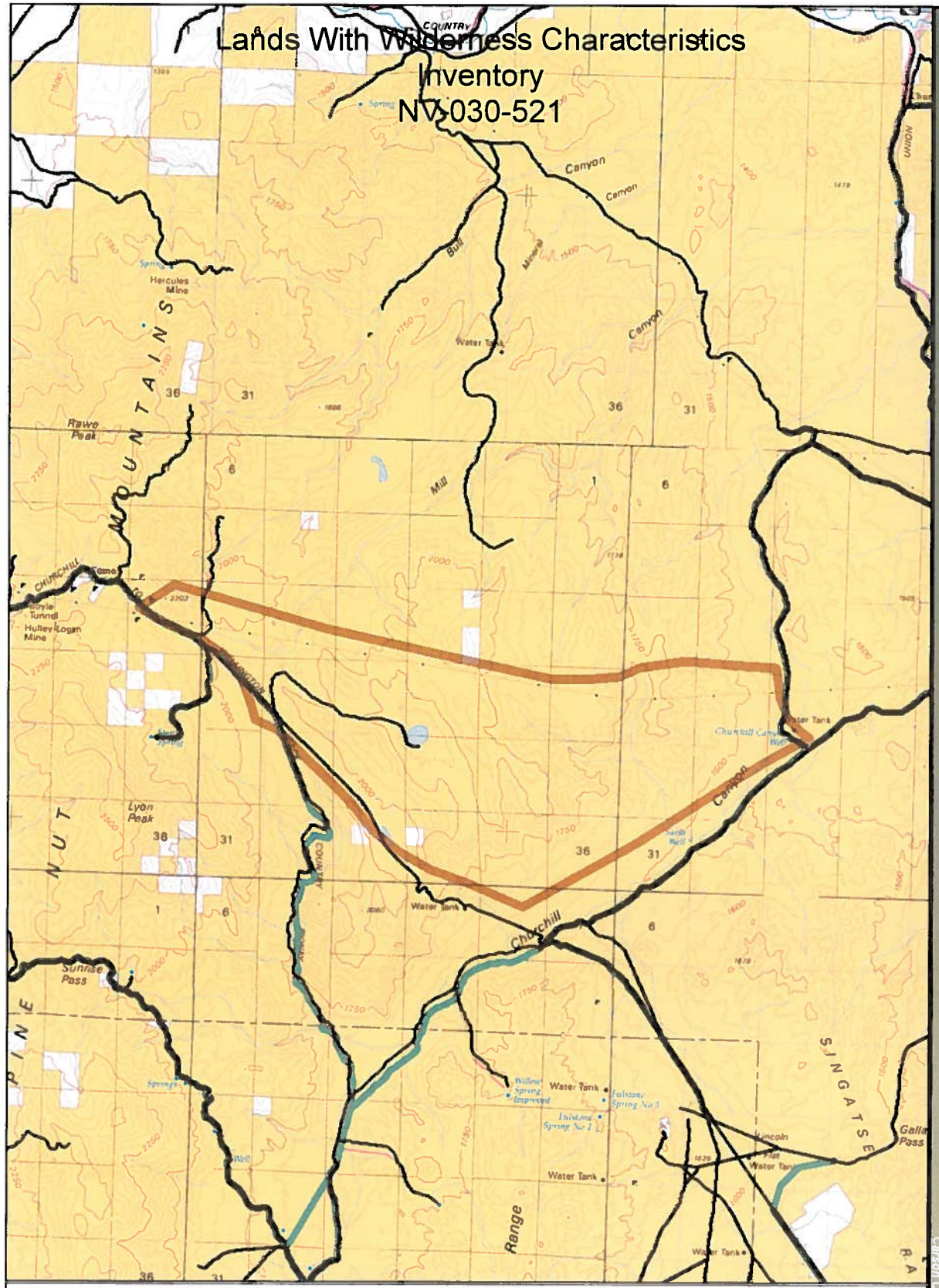

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UNIT_ID

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Road

BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

Agency

Bureau of Land Management

0 0.5 1 2 Miles

Carson City District Project Area

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-522

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Singatse Range

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-522	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-522 Acreage: 16,000
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ___X___ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.).*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current. Established dirt roads form the west and north boundaries whereas property lines form the eastern boundary. The unit is predominantly public land. The unit's geographical context is defined by the north end of the Singatse Range.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X___ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit. A transmission line crosses the south end of the unit in an east / west direction. The annual Vegas to Reno OHV race conducts an event on the unit's north boundary road, Churchill Canyon, as part of the race course. Valley Off-Road Racing Association uses the area road system for their annual OHV race.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X___

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-522

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):* Arthur Callan - ORP

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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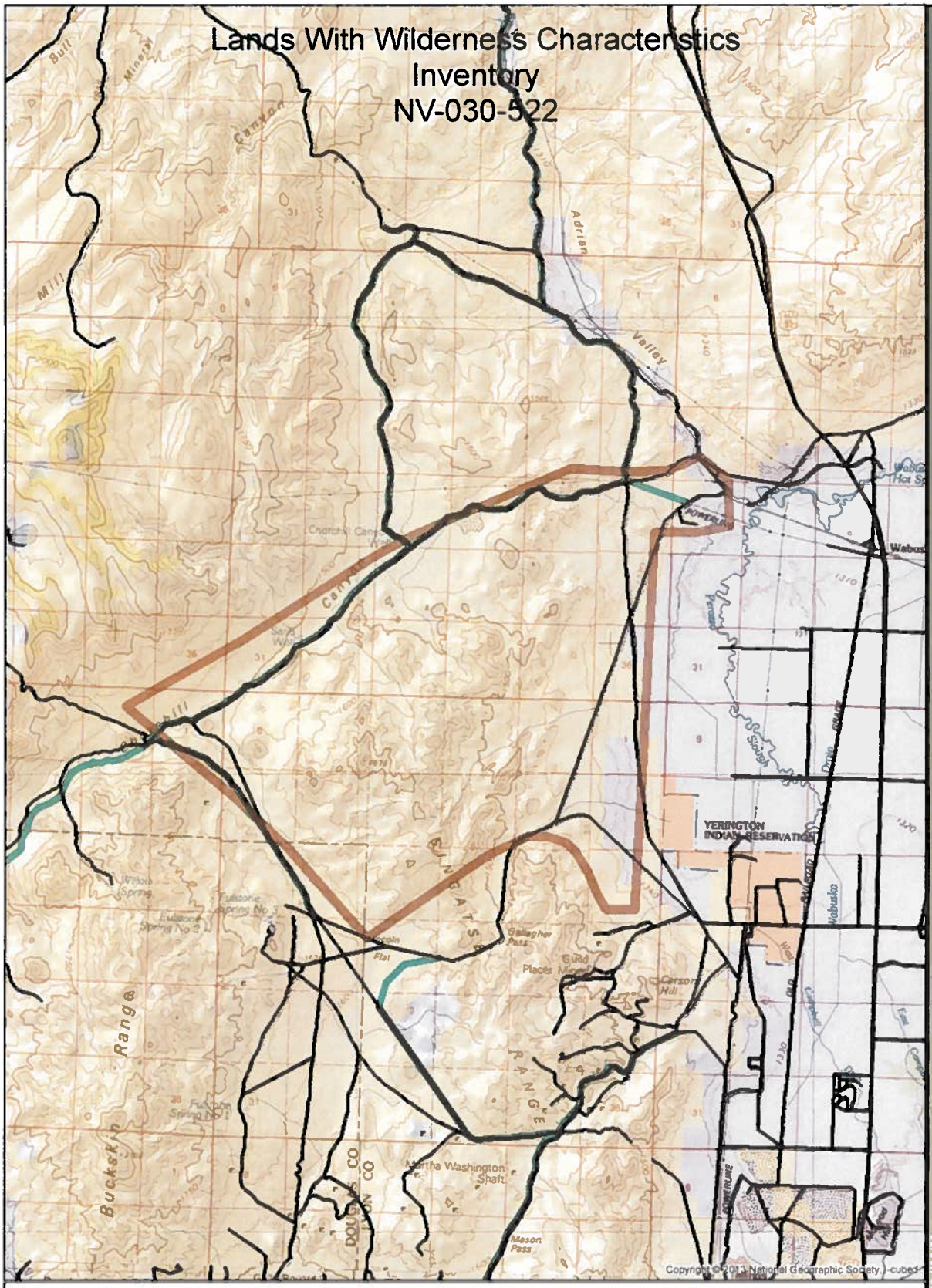

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- 522

Road

BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

Agency
- Bureau of Land Management
- BIA
- DOD
- FWS

0 1 2 4 Miles

N

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-523

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Sunrise Camp

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-523	No	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-523 Acreage: 4,900
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes _____ No ___X_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current. Aside from two small private land parcels, the unit's land status is public. Roads, a transmission line and county line make up unit's boundary.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A____X____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-523

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? __ Yes _**X**__ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes ___ No __**X**_ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _**X**__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No __**X**_ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

__**X**_ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):* Arthur Callan - ORP

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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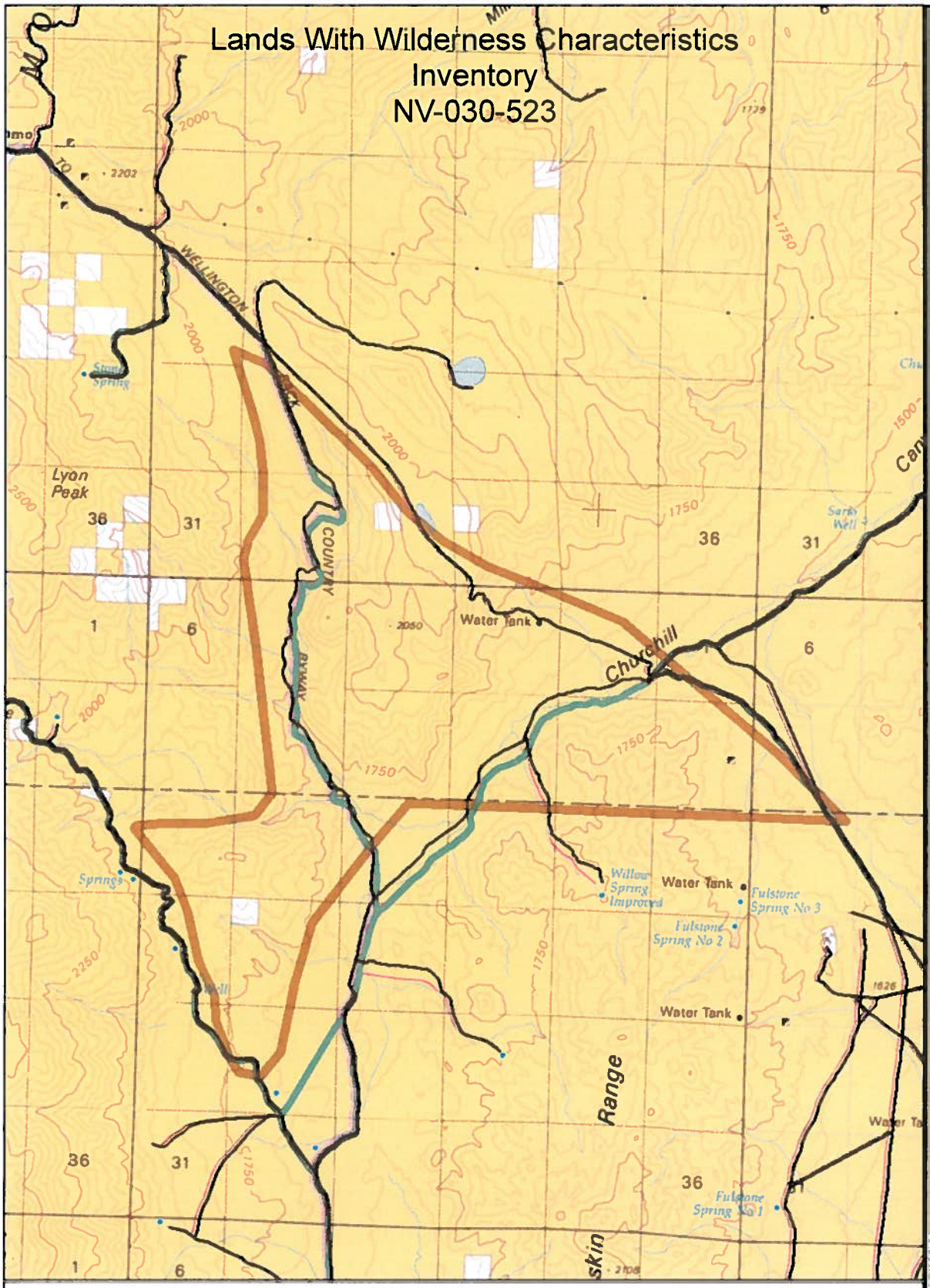

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Road

BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

Agency

Bureau of Land Management

0 0.5 1 2 Miles

Carson City District Project Area

N

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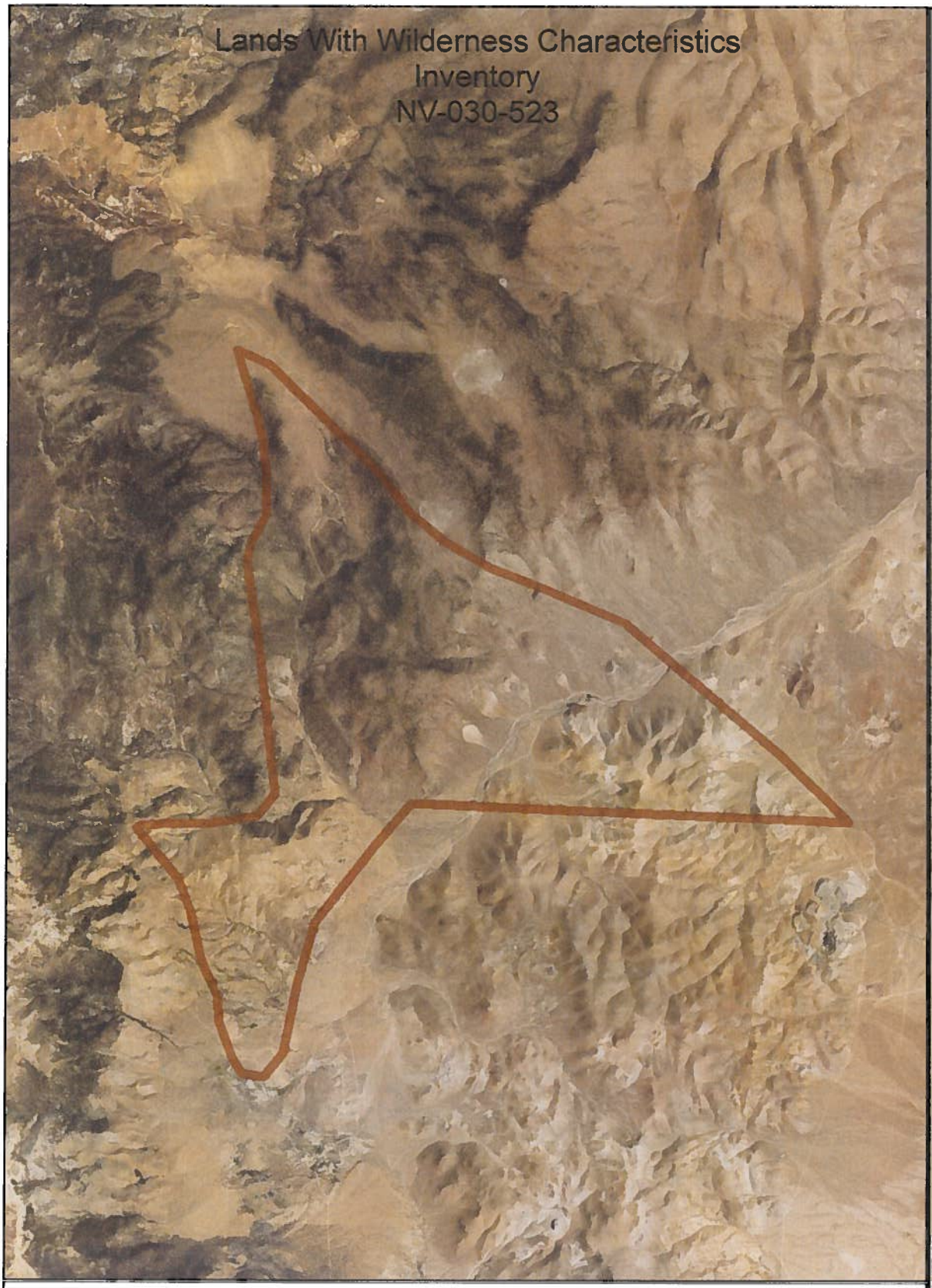

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-524

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Buckskin Range

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-524	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-524 Acreage: 19,000
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ____X____ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current. Aside from several private land and patented mining parcels, the unit's land status is public. Roads, a transmission line and county line make up unit's boundary.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No __X__ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit. The Buckskin Range is the dominant landform in this unit. The Buckskin Mine is located in the SE corner of the unit. Several water tank range improvements exist in the NE corner of the unit near Fulstone Spring(s). From 2007-2012 the unit received ten separate vegetative treatments on the western side of the unit. These treatments included mechanical (e.g. mastication) and hand treatments (e.g. lop and scatter).

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X___

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation).*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-524

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _**X**_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _**X**__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes _**X**__ No ___ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes _**X**__ No ___ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

__**X**_ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):* Arthur Callan - ORP

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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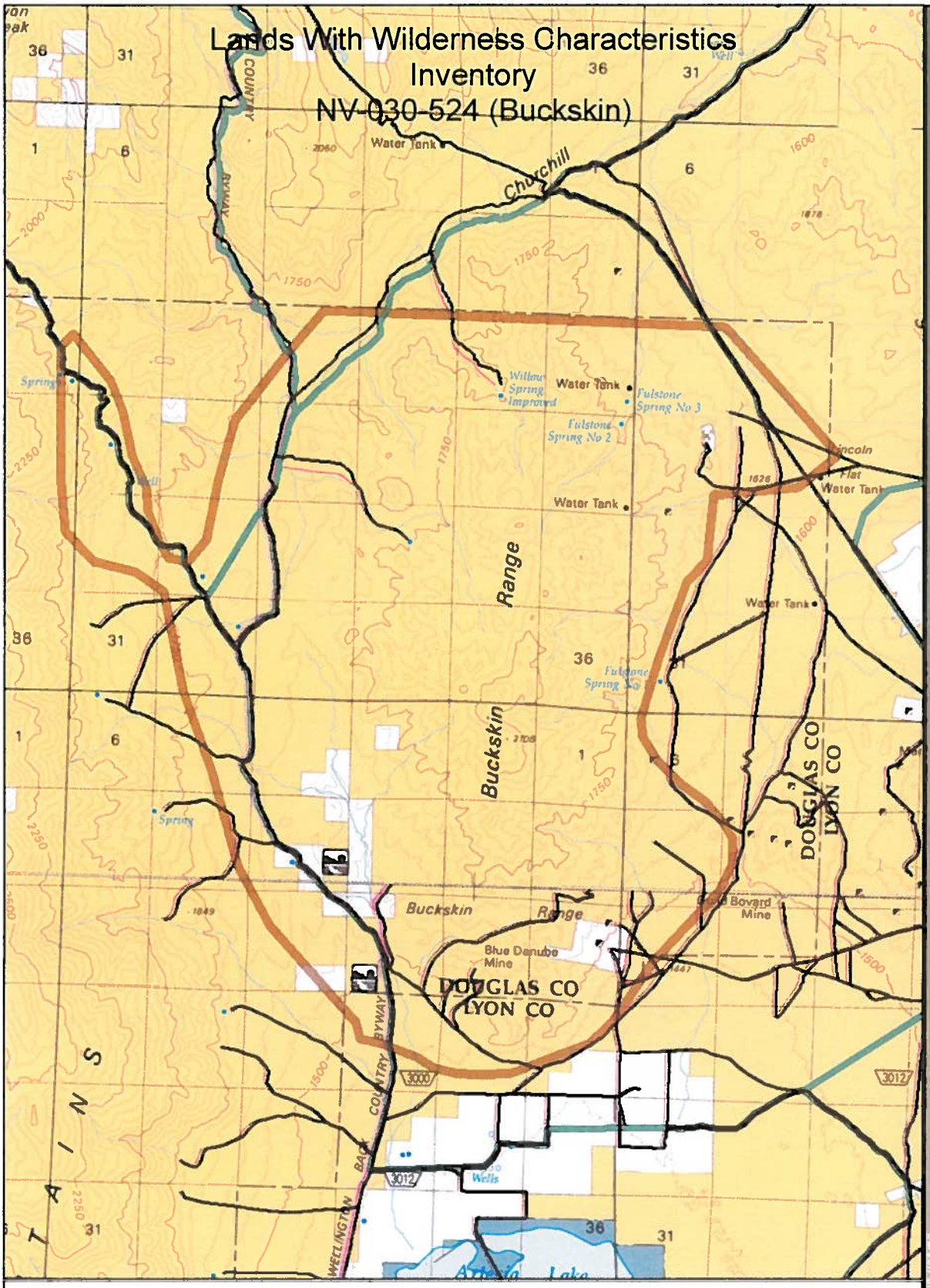
NV-030-524 (Buckskin)



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Road

BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

Agency

Bureau of Land Management

0 0.5 1 2 Miles

Carson City District Project Area

N

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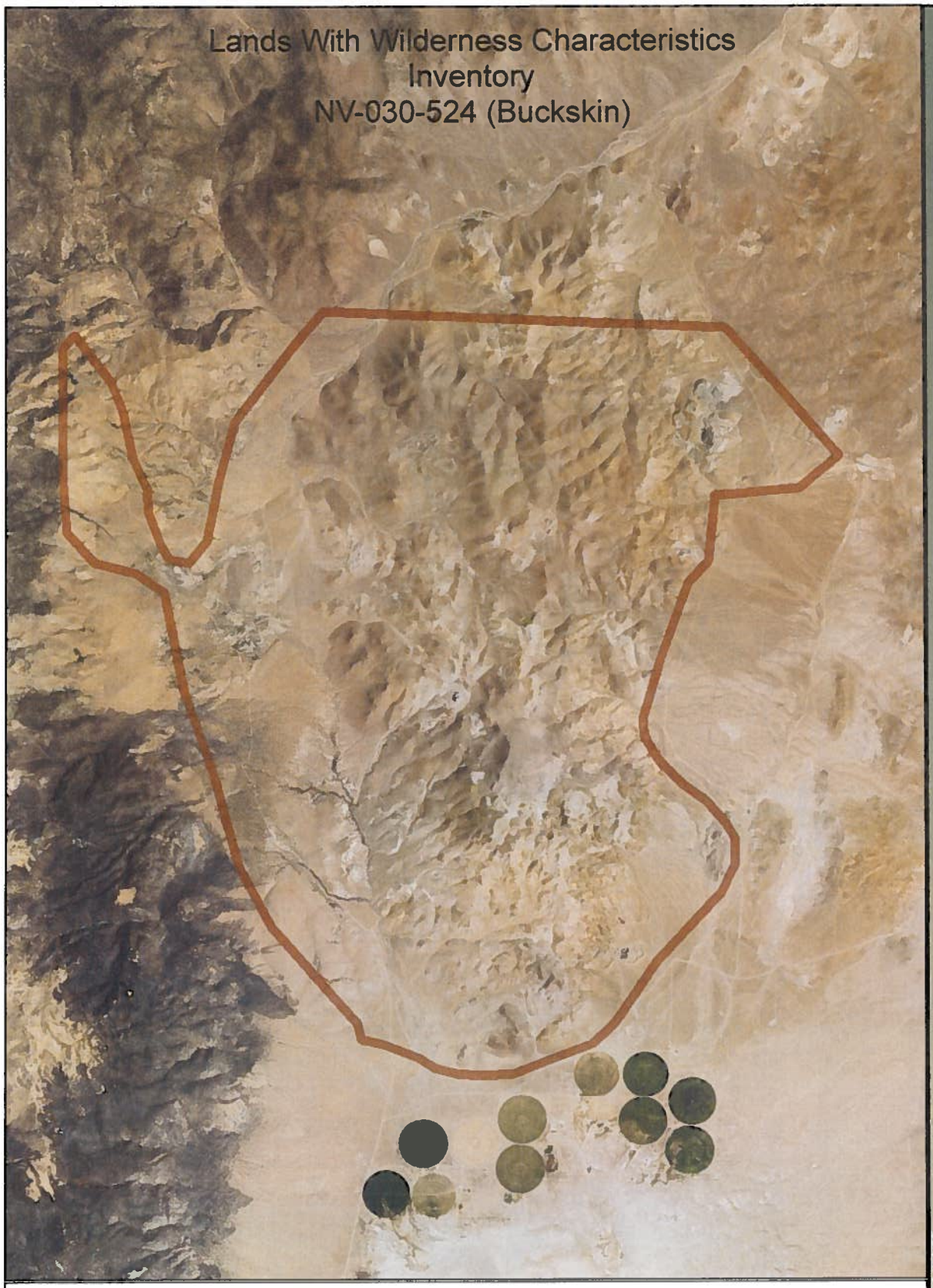
NV-030-524 (Buckskin)



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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes __X____ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.)*:

   a) Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-525

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): East Pine Nuts / NV-030-525

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-525	Partial	Partial	Minimal	Minimal	Yes

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: BV-030-525 Acreage: 38,785
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

1980 Inventory – INTRODUCTION AND SUMMARY - The Eastern Pine Nuts intensive inventory unit is in Douglas County, Nevada. It contains approximately 38,785 acres of public land and 320 acres of private land. About 34,850 acres remain for consideration after documentation, during intensive inventory, of roads which separate six small areas from the main unit. Map 1 shows roads, intrusions, and the altered boundary determined in the intensive inventory. The largest part of the unit is in a natural state where the imprint of man's work is substantially unnoticeable, with the exception of certain intrusions. Documented roads have been excluded by altering the unit boundary. An abandoned rock and wire livestock drift fence on Mount Como is a very noticeable structure which could be obliterated with the use of hand tools and manual labor. A few vehicle ways are noticeable, but they could be returned to nearly natural condition without much difficulty. The unit is about 17 miles long from north, near Mount Como, to south, near Oreana Peak. It is from one-half to five miles wide, roughly straddling a ridge on the divide between the Carson River and Walker River Basins. Opportunities for solitude are limited to several small ravines and the pinyon pine-juniper forest, and they are clearly not out- standing. Opportunities exist for primitive and unconfined types of recreation - including horseback riding, hiking, hunting, camping, skiing and snowshoeing - but these are not outstanding. Supplemental values present in the unit include wildlife, wild horses, scenery, and limited cultural resources. Primarily due to the lack of outstanding opportunities for either solitude or primitive and unconfined types of recreation, no portion of the unit qualifies for wilderness study area designation. The inventory team recommends that the unit be removed from further wilderness review.

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

1980 Inventory - The Eastern Pine Nuts unit contains approximately 38,785 acres of public land and 320 acres of private land. (Note: The 62,000 acreage indicated in the initial inventory evaluation was an error.) Subunit A was removed from the unit at the initial inventory stage due to the lack of wilderness characteristics. The documentation, during intensive inventory, of Roads 525.01, 525.02, 525.11, 515.13, 525.15, 525.20, 525.21, 525.22, and 525.24 resulted in the removal of six small areas from further consideration: subunits B (815 acres), C (1285 acres), D (40 acres), E (625 acres), F (470 acres), and G

(700 acres). The remaining contiguous roadless area is 34,850 acres. There are six private parcels of 40 acres each and one parcel of 80 acres. Three other private parcels and their access roads were excluded from the unit in the final initial inventory. Several other private parcels on the periphery of the unit were excluded and used to determine the unit boundary along private/public ownership lines in the intensive inventory.

2014 Inventory – A powerline ROW was issued in 2005 through the upper north end of the unit south of Sunrise Pass Road, the original unit boundary feature. The line was constructed soon after, effectively eliminating the acreage (~2,000 ac) between Sunrise Pass Road and the powerline. The powerline now forms the north boundary of Unit 525. Aside from the powerline change, the 1980 unit boundary's and size recommendations for East Pinenut unit, as described above, remains current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _X_ No ____ N/A_____

Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

1980 Inventory - The largest part of the unit is in a natural condition with the exception of a number of significant man-caused intrusions in the form of mining disturbances, roads, and vehicle ways. Road 525.01, in Section 32, T. 12 N., R. 23 E., is a mile- long road connecting two private parcels. It separates subunit G from the rest of the unit. Road 525.02 makes a loop separating subunit F and penetrates the unit for one and a half miles up Pipeline Canyon. It leads to a mining site in Section 19, T. 12 N., R. 23 E.
Road 525.07 leads two miles into the unit to a mining site in Section 20, T. 13 N., R. 23 E. Road 525.11 separates subunit D from the unit, then dead-ends in Section 14, T. 13 N., R. 22 E. Roads 525.13, 525.10, and the Sunrise Pass Road form a circle that separates subunit C from the unit. These roads lead to two springs in Sections 6 and 8, T. 13 N., R. 23 E. Subunit C also contains Roads 525.22, 525.23, 525.24 and 525.25. Roads 525.15 and 525.16 join in Section 23, T. 14 N., R. 22 E., to separate subunit B from the unit. Along 525.16, there is a barbed-wire livestock enclosure fence around a meadow. Roads 525.03 and 525.20 separate subunit E from the unit in Sections 12 and 13, T. 12 N., R. 22 E. Roads 525.03, 525.04, 525.05, 525.06, 525.08, 525.09, 525.10, 525.12, 525.14 and 525.17 all penetrate the unit various distances before they terminate. They were excluded from the unit by redrawing the unit boundary along the edges of each road. Vehicle Ways 525.18 and 525.19 connect Roads 525.17 and 525.03 to make a marginal passage across the middle of the unit, but their intrusive impact is minimal. A stone wall and barbed-wire livestock drift fence extends approximately five miles along the Mount Como ridge. Constructed by Civilian Conservation Corps in 1940, it has not been maintained and is not now used for livestock control. However, it is still a very conspicuous feature on the land- scape.
Conclusion: Once the roads mentioned above have been excluded from the unit, it appears that the remainder of the unit is in an essentially natural state where the imprint of man's work is substantially unnoticeable. Exceptions to this are the livestock drift fence on Mount Como and several vehicle ways.

2014 Inventory – Under a minerals 3809 Notice explorative trenching was conducted in the mid 2000's within the unit near Winters Mine. In the SE part of the unit a road was illegally bulldozed from the terminus of an existing road to the ridgeline. This occurred in the early 1990's. Although the unit is located adjacent to the front-range that receives considerable OHV use, the topography of Unit 525 deters route proliferation from recreation use. The 1980 evaluation, including the conclusion for naturalness, remains current for the Eastern Pinenuts unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No ___X_____ N/A___

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

1980 Inventory – The quality of the opportunity for solitude in the unit is determined by size and configuration of the unit, natural topographic and vegetative screening, and the ability of a person to find a secluded spot. The influence of the unit's size on solitude is modified by its configuration or shape. The Eastern Pine Nuts Unit is 17 miles long and from one-half to five miles wide. The boundary is drawn with several involutions to exclude the intruding roads mentioned earlier. The result is that, although the unit contains a roadless acreage of 34,850 acres, a person cannot get any farther than one and a half miles away the unit boundary at any point. This distance is not great enough to contribute outstanding quality to the opportunity for solitude in the unit. Vegetative screening is available in the pinyon pine and juniper stands on the lower elevations of the unit. While it would be possible for a person on foot or horseback to hide among the trees from the view of others, this type of vegetative screening and the opportunity for solitude it provides are commonplace in the region. It does not contribute outstanding quality to the opportunity for solitude in the unit. At elevations above the pinyon pine and juniper stands, there is only low shrub vegetative cover which provides practically no visual screening. This part of the unit is visually very open and exposed. Topographic screening in the unit is very limited. Most canyons and ravines contain roads in their bottoms which have been excluded from the unit. Most of the rest of the unit is merely one long ridge or divide, on which Mt. Como is the highest point. Topography is not highly varied or diverse. The size and shape of the unit and the natural screening available do not combine to make an outstanding opportunity for a person to find a secluded spot. In conclusion, the unit does not provide an outstanding opportunity for solitude.

2014 Inventory - The 1980 evaluation, including the conclusion for solitude, remains current for the Eastern Pinenuts unit. It is the conclusion of this evaluation that there are no outstanding opportunities for solitude in the unit that are superior to its kind. The opportunities for solitude in this unit are represented throughout the CCDO.

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No ___X_____ N/A____

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

1980 Inventory – Opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation include horseback riding, hiking, hunting, camping, skiing and snowshoeing. Most of the terrain can be easily travelled by foot and horseback, but there are not many features in the unit which attract visitors to hike or ride them. Oreana Peak, the highest elevation (9,309 feet) in the unit, is about one quarter of a mile from the road and unit boundary and is easily reached on foot. The easy two to three mile hike or climb up Mount Como (elevation 9,005 feet) from the road in Mineral Valley to the west can be a worthwhile recreational experience, but it is not outstanding in terms of wilderness experience. Deer hunting in parts of the unit were excellent in the past. Deer habitat potential, ease of hunter movement, and shooting opportunities are all good. At present, competition for forage from excessive numbers of wild horses greatly suppresses deer populations. Visitors could camp in a number of sites within the unit, but none of them would be attractions or likely destinations. Firewood is abundant, but water is very limited. Skiing and snowshoeing opportunities are significant in some winters. However, winter access to the unit is difficult over unpaved roads. Since the highest elevations are only slightly more than 9,000 feet, snow cover is marginal in years of average precipitation. Conclusion: Opportunities in the unit for primitive and unconfined types of recreation are not outstanding.

2014 Inventory - The 1980 evaluation, including the conclusion for primitive and unconfined recreation, remains current for the Eastern Pinenuts unit. It is the conclusion of this evaluation that there are no outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation in the unit that are superior to its kind. The opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation in this unit are represented throughout the CCDO.

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-525

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? _X_ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members): Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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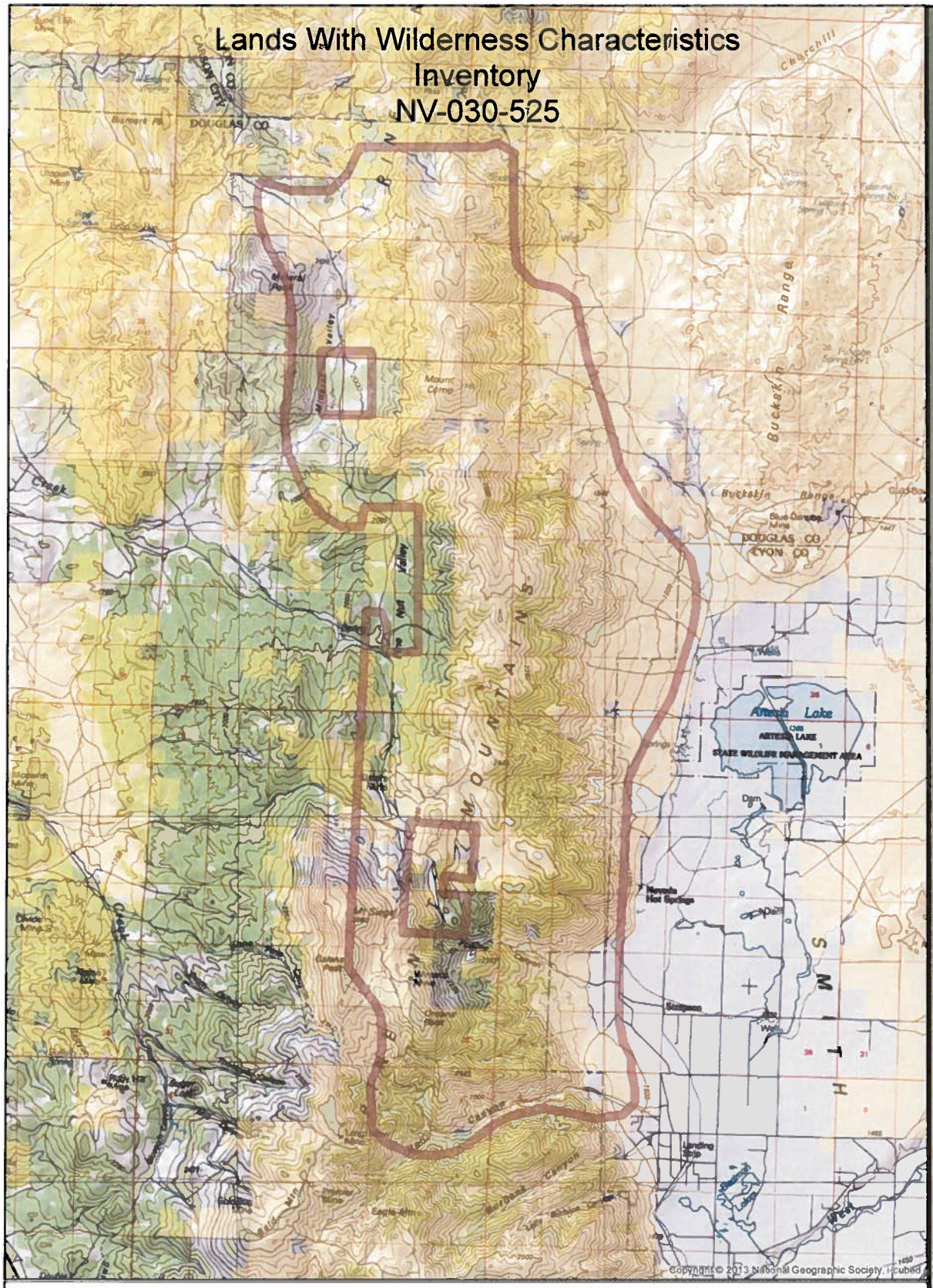
Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-525



BLM

0 1.25 2.5 5 Miles

Carson City District Project Area

N

Legend

UNIT_ID

525

Land Status NV

Agency

BIA

Bureau of Land Management

DOD

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-525b

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Bald Mountain / NV-030-525b

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Stillwater Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-525b	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-525b Acreage: 15,000
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ____X____ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No __X__ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X_

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-525b

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes __X_ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members): Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: Teresa J. Knutson Title: Stillwater Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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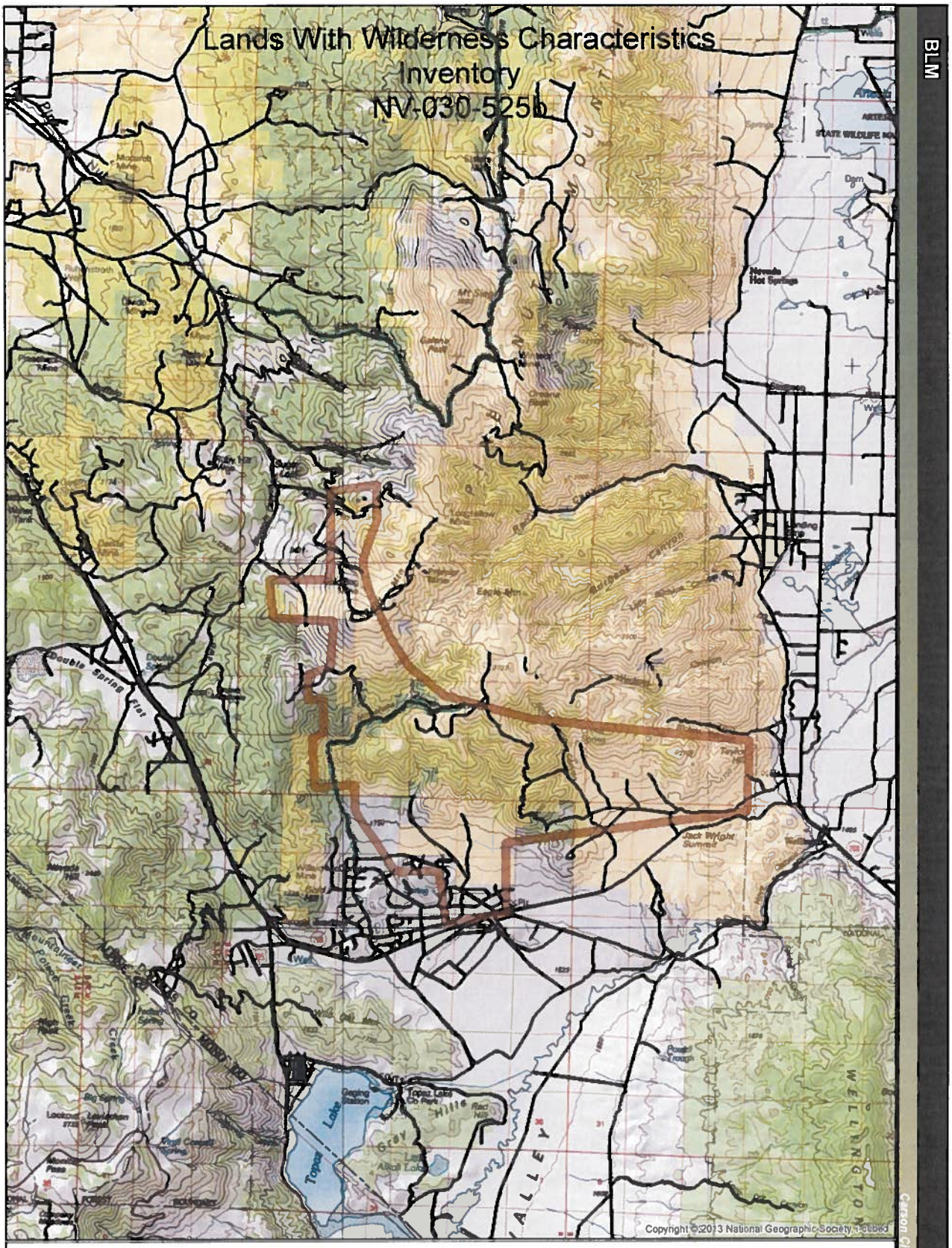
Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-525b



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UNIT ID

525B

Road

BLM Maintained Roads

Land Status NV

Agency

BIA

Bureau of Land Management

DOD

FS

0 1.25 2.5 5 Miles

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N

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-526

c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Pine Nut Foothills

d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-526	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-526 Acreage: 92,000
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current. The geographical context of this unit is defined by the front-range of the Pine Nut Mountain Range, the Carson River and the urban interface. The boundary of the unit is mostly defined by property lines.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X__ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit. The unit is defined by the urban interface area of Carson/Eagle Valleys and the Pine Nut Mountain Range. The land status is a mix of public, private and Indian Allotment lands. A large portion of public land south of Highway 395 was transferred into USFS ownership via the Forest Service Enhancement Act of 1989. About 40% of the unit is private or "other" agency land. Prison Hill Recreation Area and Silver Saddle Ranch, both of which will be formerly transferred to the Carson City under the 2009 Omnibus Act, are located within the unit. The unit has significant wildland fire history within the Wildland Urban Interface; subsequently, aggressive initial attack tactics often involve the use of heavy equipment (e.g. dozers). Several transmission lines run through the unit. An extensive road system exists within the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X___

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-526

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):* Arthur Callan - ORP

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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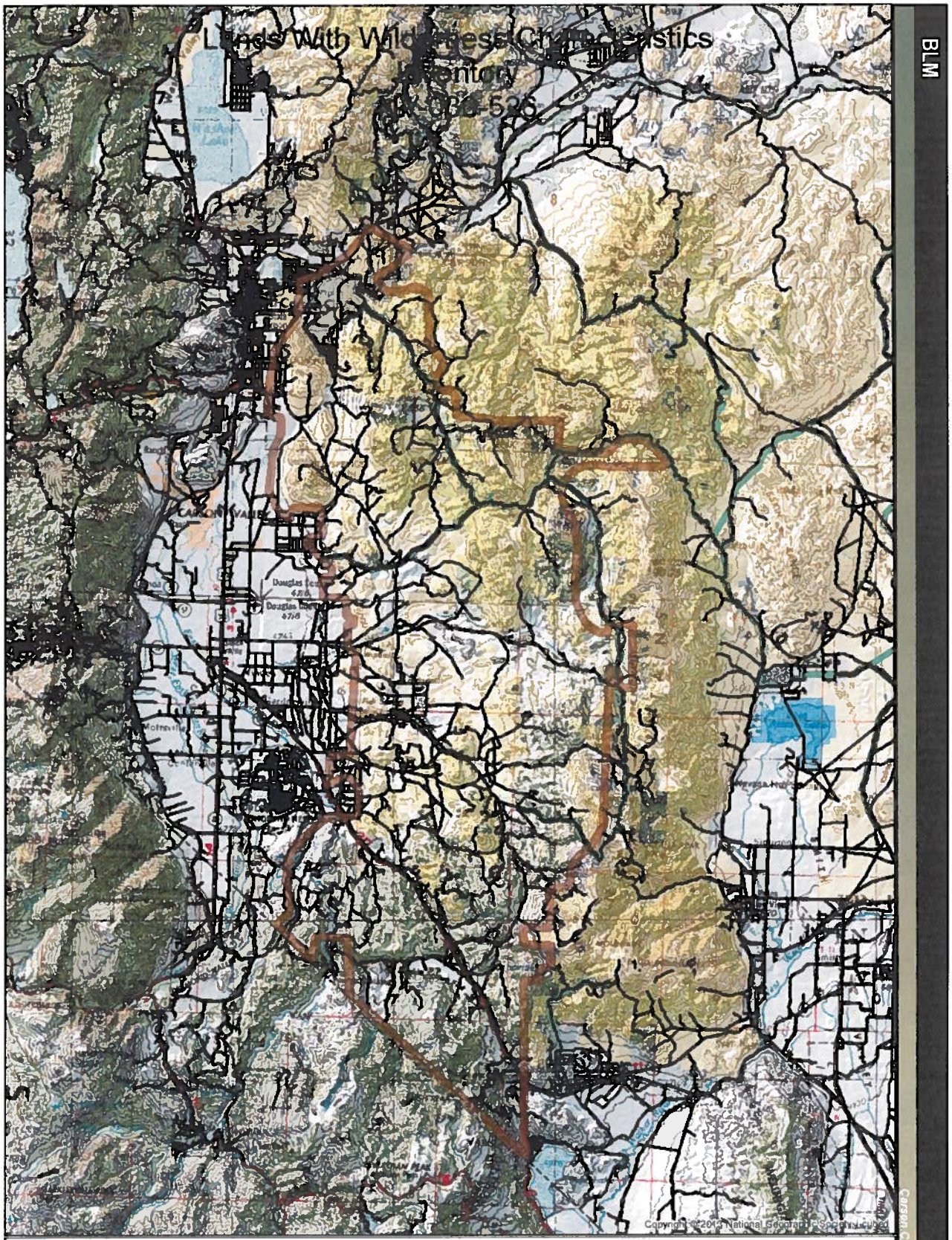

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UNIT_ID
526
Road
BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

Agency
Bureau of Land Management
BIA
DOD
FWS

0 3 6 12 Miles

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-527

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Carson Valley

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-527	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-527 Acreage: 8,600
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes _____ No ___X_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit do not remain current. Public lands in the Jacks Valley and the southeast portion of the unit were transferred to the U.S. Forest Service in the Forest Enhancement Act of 1989. Subsequently, there is less than 5,000 acres of contiguous public land in this unit.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No ____ N/A____X____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-527

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? __ Yes __X_ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):* Arthur Callan

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manager

Date: DEC 04 2014

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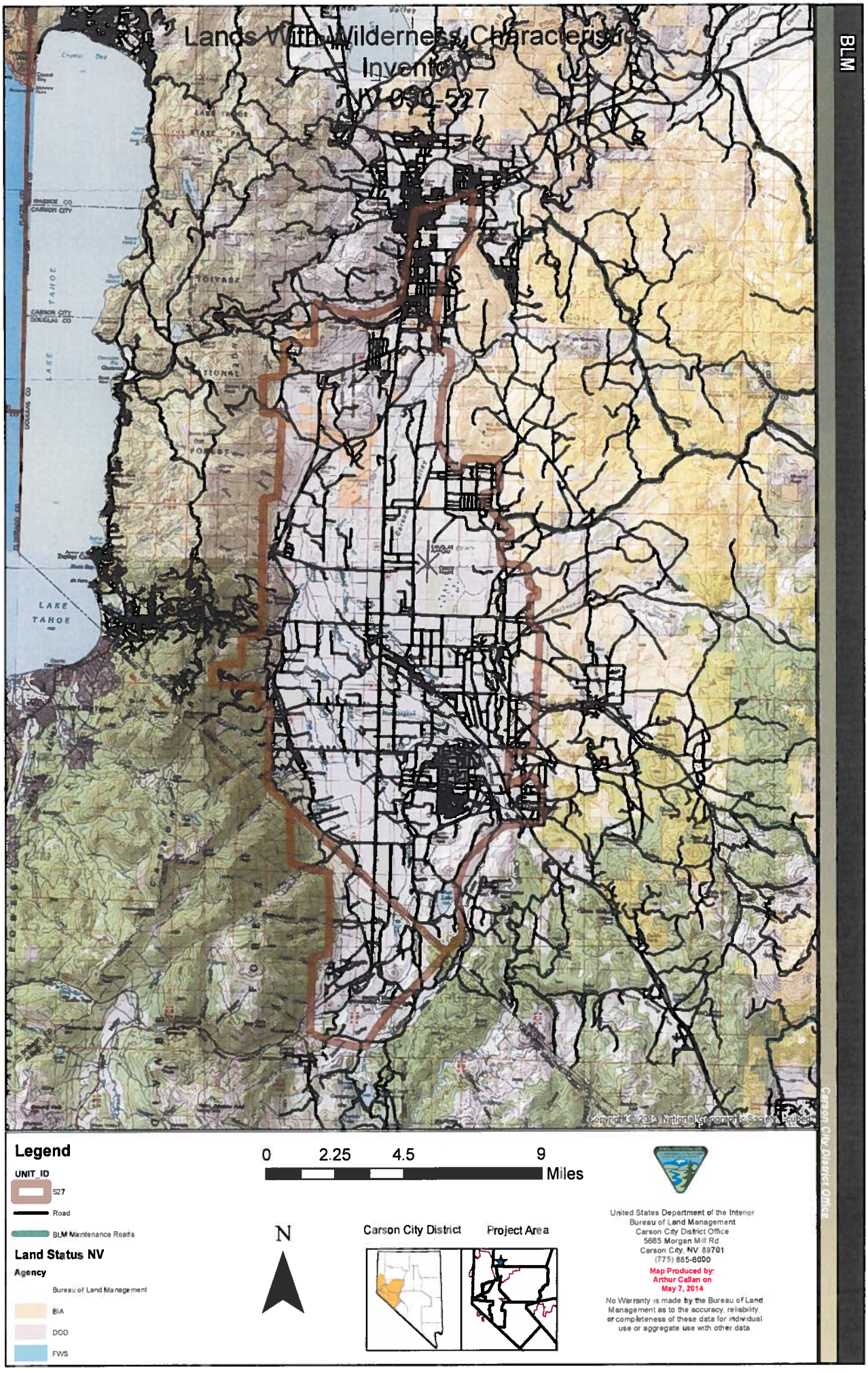
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Inventory
NV-030-527
BLM
LAKE TAHOE
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Road
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Land Status NV
Agency
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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-528

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): East Fork Carson River

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-528	Yes	Yes	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-528 Acreage:
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ____X____ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current. Boundary of unit is defined by property lines, Scossa Canyon Road and Indian Creek.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes ____X__ No ____ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit. The geographical context of this unit is defined by the East Fork of the Carson River and Indian Creek Recreation Area. The unit has a reservoir, paved access road, a developed campground, boat launches and several developed trailheads. Patented land within the unit has a developed air strip.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No ___X____ N/A__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on solitude, remains current for the unit.

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No ___X____ N/A____

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on primitive and unconfined recreation, remains current for the unit.

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-528

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? _X_ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes _X__ No __ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):* Arthur Callan

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manager

Date: DEC 04 2014

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory
NV-030-528
BLM
Mud Lake
Long Valley
WASHOE INDIAN LANDS (WOODFORDS COMMUNITY)
Diamond Valley
Indian Creek Reservoir
Campground
BOUNDARY
NEVADA
CALIFORNIA
GROVER HOT SPRINGS STATE PARK
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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-529

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Markleeville

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-529	No	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-529 Acreage: 3,600
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes _____ No ___X____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current. About 50% of the unit is private. The remaining public land is not contiguous.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No ____ N/A____X____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-529

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? __ Yes _X__ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):* Arthur Callan

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manager

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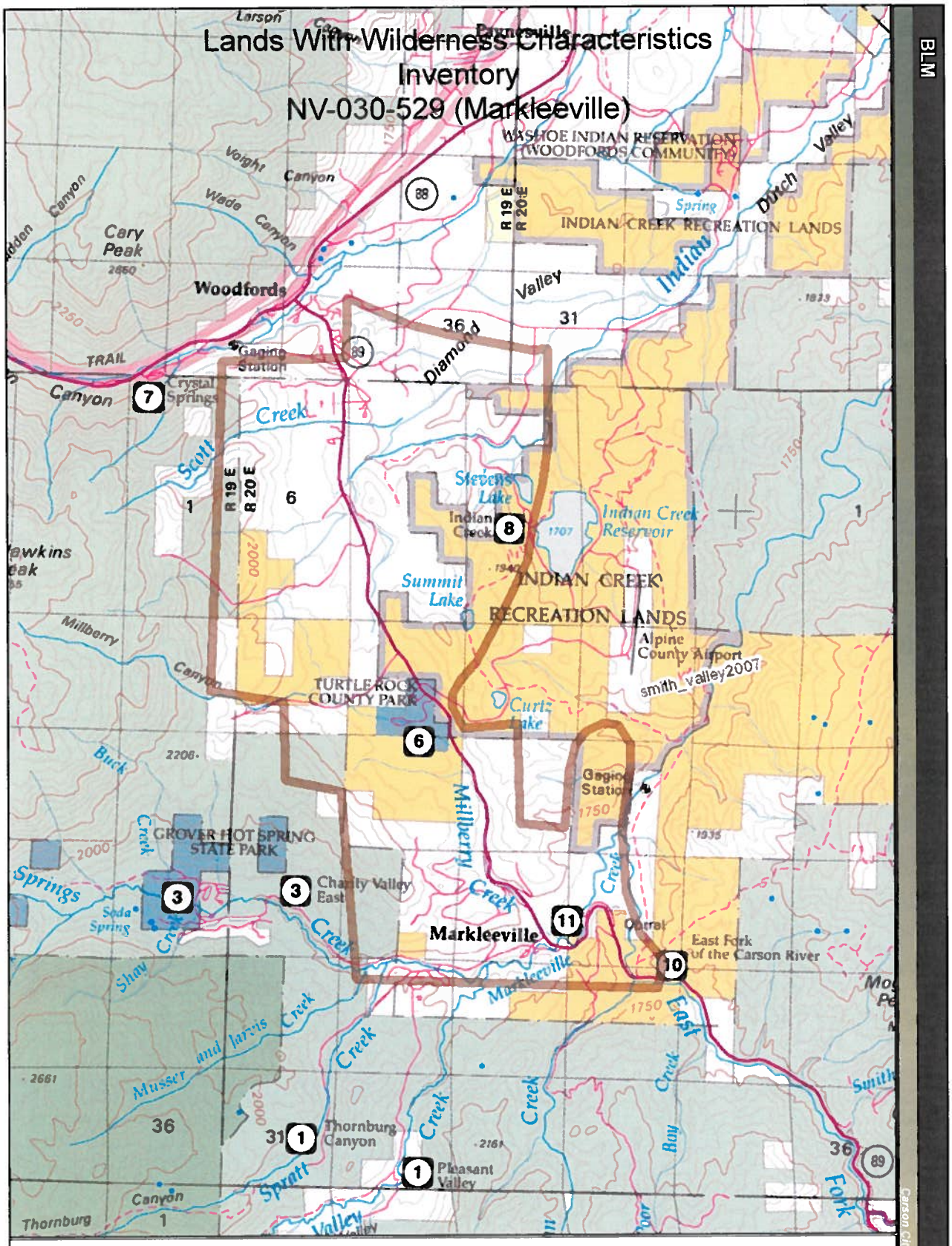

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-530

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Bagley Valley

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-530	No	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-530 Acreage: 200
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes _____ No __X____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current. A small parcel exchange between the BLM and the State of California in the early 2000's resulted in no discernible net loss or gain of public land in the unit. All private land in this unit was acquired by the USFS in the 1990's. The land acquired by USFS in the 1990's is not USFS WSA or an area of Recommended Wilderness.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No ____ N/A_____X___
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X___

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-530

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? __ Yes _**X**__ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes ___ No __**X**_ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _**X**__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _**X**__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

__**X**_ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager)*:

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manage

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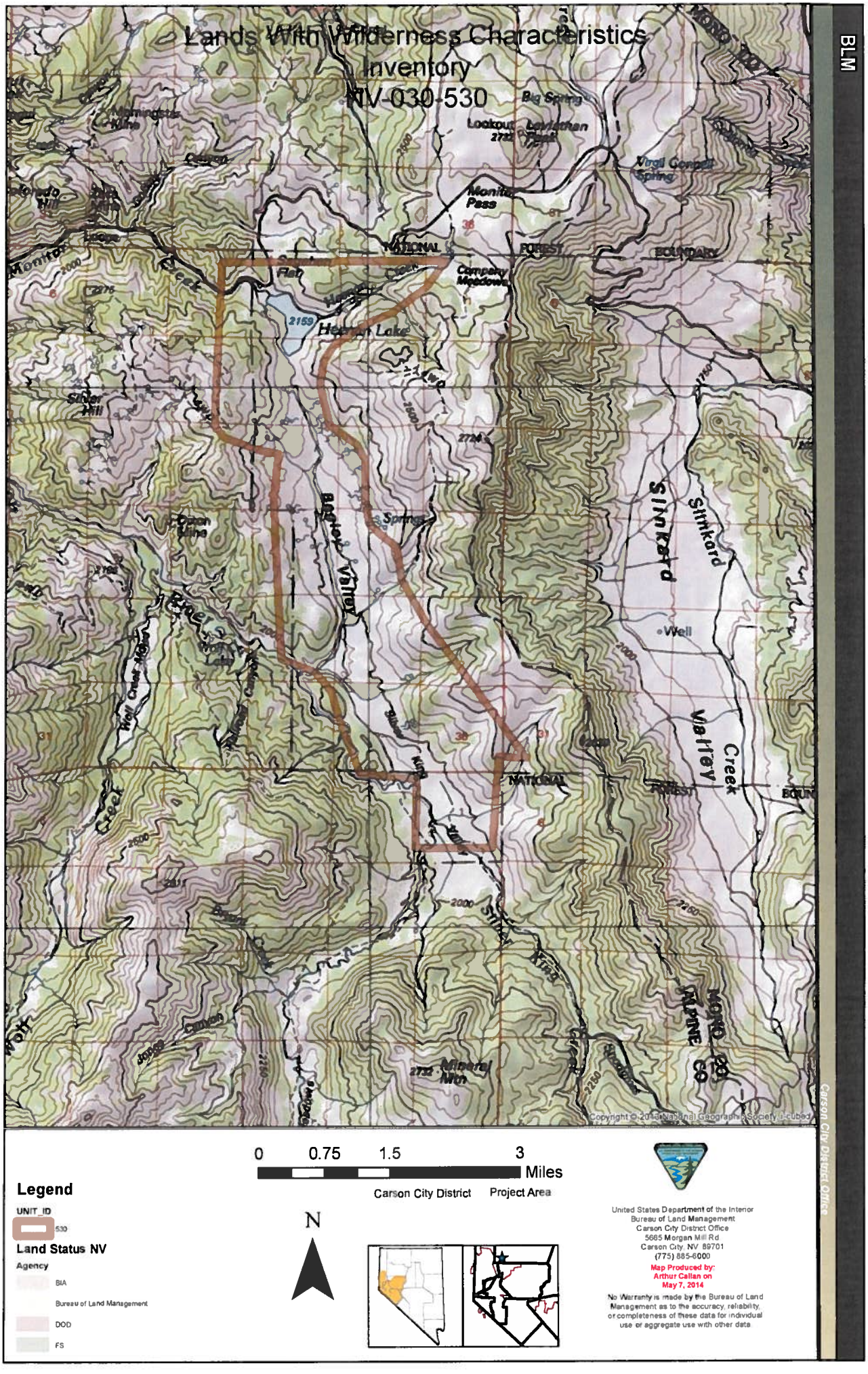
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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-601

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Terraced Hills

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-601	No	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-601 Acreage: 4,700
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes _____ No ___X_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A___X_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-601

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? __ Yes _X__ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manage

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-601

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Land Status NV

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-602

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Honey Lake Valley

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-602	Yes	Yes	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-602 Acreage: 16,640
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ____X____ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current. The unit is comprised of the Honey Lake Valley area. The Nevada/California Stare line constitutes the western boundary and the southern boundary follows legal boundaries. The north and east boundaries follow established roads.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X___ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, does not remain current for the unit. Over two-thirds of the unit is in private ownership. The remaining public land is fractured; or interspersed with the private. Significant development occurs on the private lands in this unit including two separate railway lines.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-602

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

__X_ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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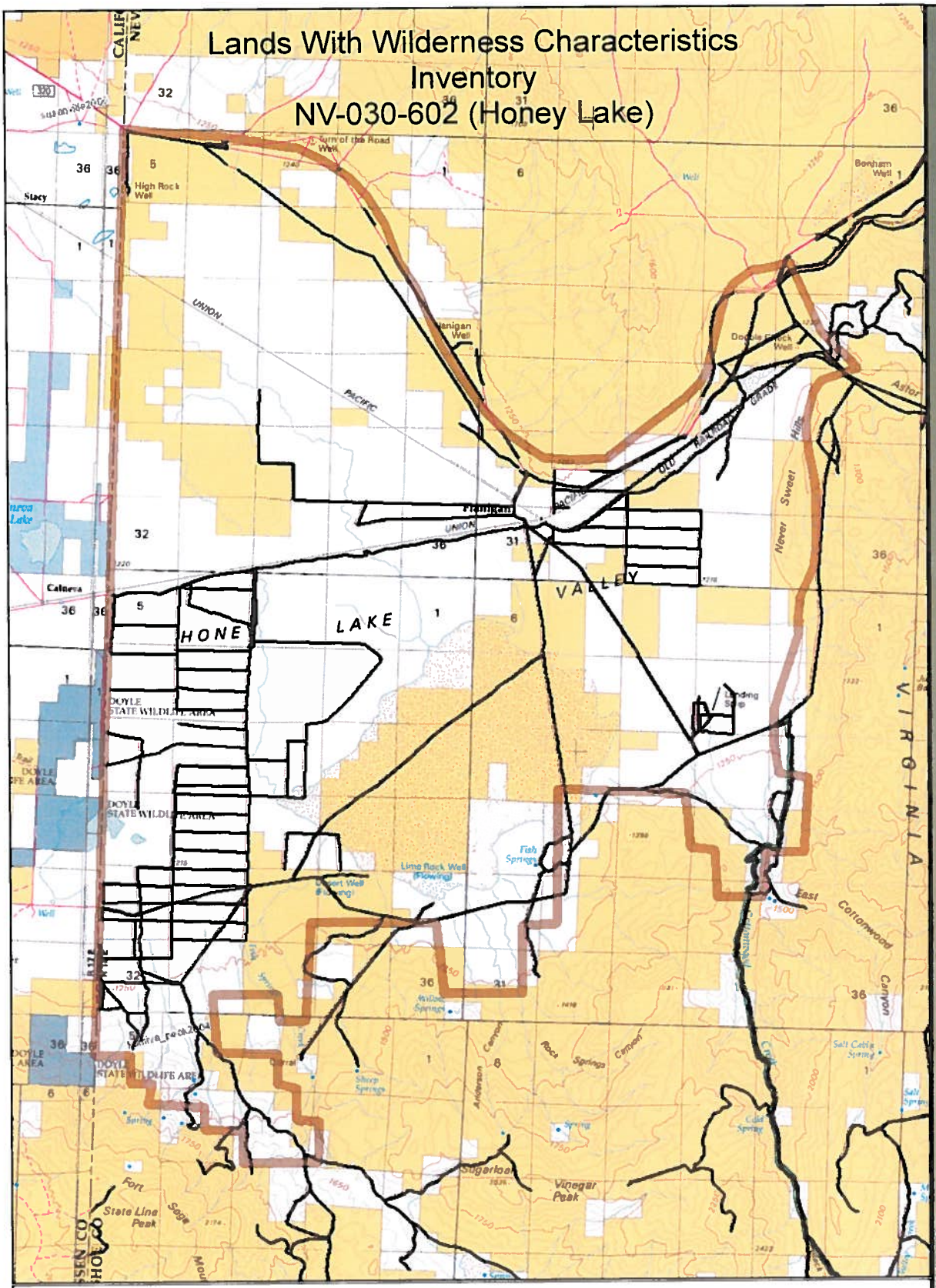
Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory
NV-030-602 (Honey Lake)



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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes __X____ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-603

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Fort Sage Mt. / NV-030-603 / CA-020-403

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-603	Partial	No	Minimal	Minimal	Yes

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-603 Acreage: 12,600
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

1980 Inventory – Summary:
WILDERNESS CHARACTERISTICS
A. Size - The unit boundary was altered to separate subunits A (2,200 acres) and B (200 acres) from the 10,200-acre primary unit along documented roads and ways.
B. Naturalness - The cumulative effects of numerous vehicle ways, eight miles of dead-end roads, prospecting and past mining scars, and other imprints of man create an unnatural aspect to the unit's appearance.
C. Outstanding Opportunities:
1. Solitude - Topographic and vegetative screening is in- sufficient to provide an outstanding opportunity for solitude when considered in relation with the unit's relatively small size and irregular configuration.
2. Recreation - Primitive recreation opportunities are less than outstanding due to a lack of natural values that would attract or sustain wilderness use.
No significant supplemental values are present. Re- habilitation of intrusions would require intensive application of heavy equipment.
3. RECOMMENDATION - The Nevada portion of the Fort Sage Unit (CA-02-403/NV-030-603) does not qualify for wilderness study.
4. RATIONALE - The Nevada portion of the Fort Sage unit contains imprints of man that are substantially noticeable, and which cannot be rehabilitated without heavy machinery. Opportunities for primitive recreation and solitude are not outstanding.

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below).*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

1980 Inventory - The Fort Sage Mountains Unit contains 12,600 acres of public land and 60 acres of patented land. Documented roads and ways separated two parcels from the primary unit - Subunit NV-030-603-A (2,200 acres) and Subunit NV-030-603-B (200 acres). Neither subunit was subjected to intensive analysis of wilderness characteristics, since they do not meet the minimum 5,000 acre roadless area minimum, nor were the patented parcels. The primary unit inventoried includes 10,200 acres of public land, with two parcels totaling 60 acres of patented land inholdings in the N , Section 17, T. 25 N., R. 18 E., and the W , Section 27, T. 25 N., R. 18 E. Subunit A is bounded by Road Number NV-030-603-1 on the north and east, by Way Number NV-030-603-2 on the north and west, and by patented lands on the south (see Figure 1). It includes portions of Section 34, T. 25

N., R. 18 E., and Section 2, 3, 4, 9, 10 and 11, T. 24 N., R. 18 E. Subunit B was eliminated by two separate vehicle ways which connect with BLM Road 3130 on the east boundary, creating a figure 8-shaped parcel of only 200 acres located in Section 15, and the W. Section 14, T. 25 N., R. 18 E. The primary unit's configuration is narrowed and intruded by three documented roads forming "cherry-stem" exclusions toward the center from the southwest, north, and southeast boundaries (see Figure 2). The ends of the penetrant roads are only about one and one-half miles apart, separated by the highest relief in the unit, Stateline Peak.

2014 Inventory – The 1980 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the Fort Sage unit, as described above, remain current.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X___ N/A_____

Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

1980 Inventory – The 10,200-acre Fort Sage Mountain Unit contains eight miles of documented ways, and two areas of substantially noticeable mining and prospecting disturbance which were eliminated from the primary unit. One livestock trough is located in Section 27, T. 25 N., R. 18 E. Barbed wire fences extended four miles into the center of the unit from the south boundary, and two miles into the northeast boundary from the center of Subunit B. One wildlife guzzler is located in Section 32, T. 25-N:-; R. 18 E. Jeep trails and vehicle tracks are scattered throughout the gentle slopes and lower elevations. These are substantially unnoticeable, and do not appear to be major imprints, therefore, they are not mapped in detail for inventory purposes. The cumulative effect of vehicle use in the Fort Sage Mountain Unit gives an impression of recent, extensive disturbance throughout the southern portion and near other documented roads and ways. The unit's natural vegetation has a dominant sagebrush-rabbitbrush aspect, with an understory of native grasses or cheatgrass in burned areas. Pure juniper stands create an open woodland appearance throughout much of the south half, and in scattered groves on the slopes. Except for dense, brushy washes, drainages and seeps, very little variety in vegetative composition exists.

2014 Inventory - The 1980 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the Fort Sage unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X___

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-603

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members): Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manager

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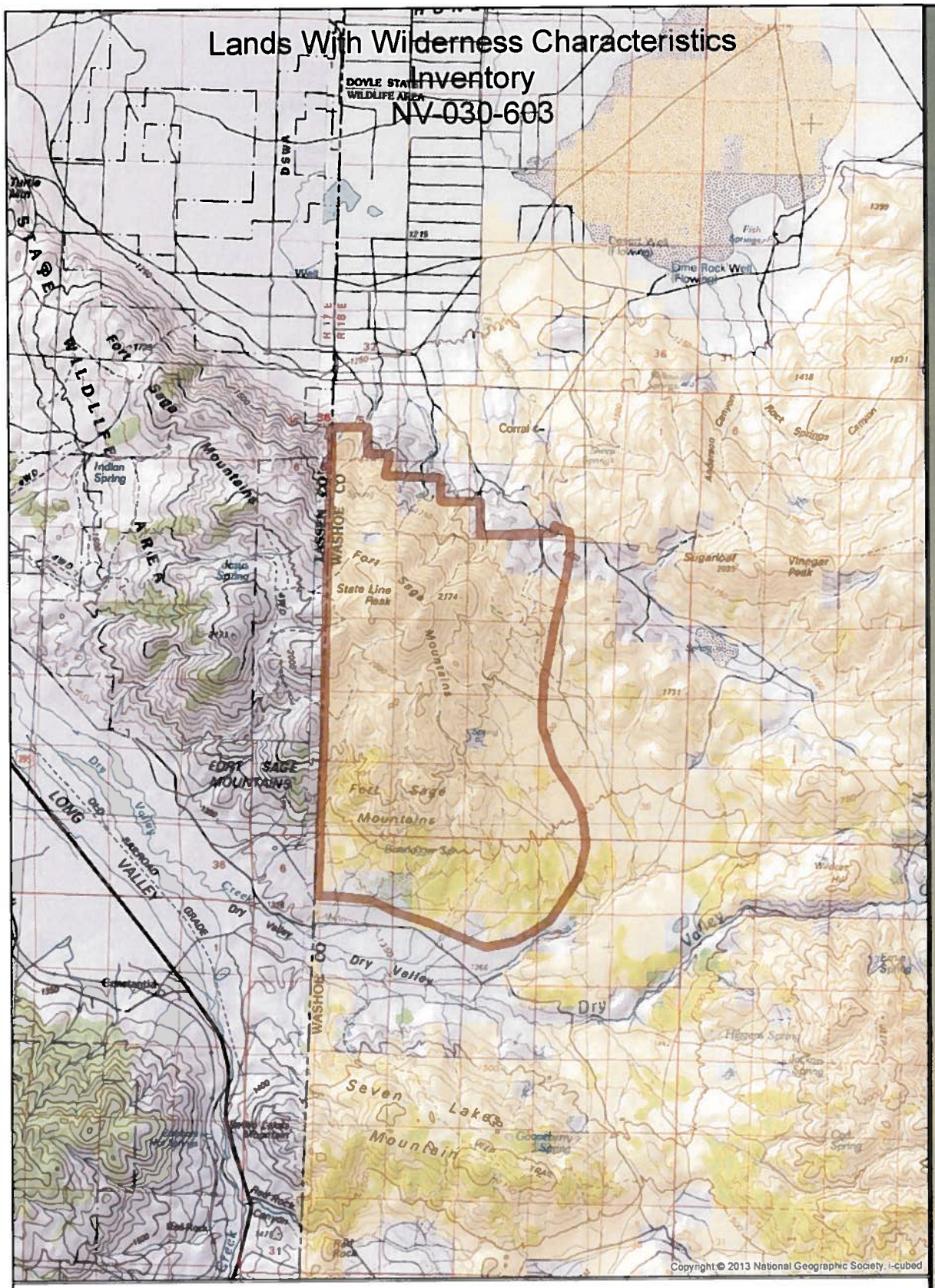

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-604

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Wildcat Springs

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-604	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-604 Acreage: 8,850
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics, check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current. Unit is located north of Dry Valley Creek and east of Fort Sage Mountains. Irregular shaped unit with boundaries formed by established dirt roads.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X__ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit. Approximately 10% of the unit is private lands. There are several main roads that traverse the unit including two BLM maintenance roads. There are several range improvements including fence lines and spring developments. There is also a buried pipeline and transmission line that both run in a north/south direction through the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A___

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A____

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A___

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-604

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes __X_ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members): Arthur Callan - ORP*

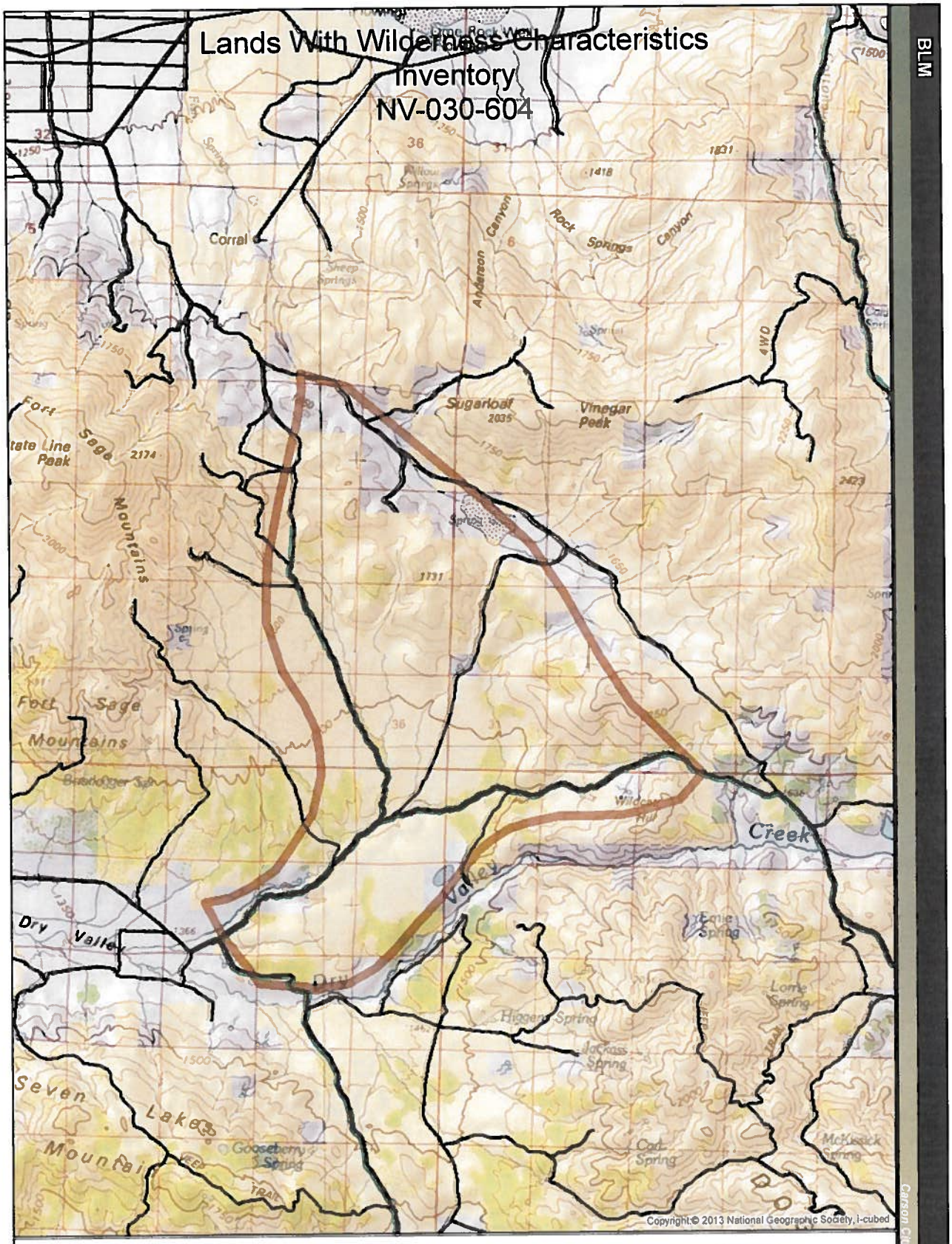
Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager)*:

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

* This form documents information that constitutes and inventory finding on wilderness characteristics. It does not represent a formal land use allocation or a final agency decision subject to administrative remedies under either 43 CFR parts 4 or 1610.5-3.

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-604



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- Road
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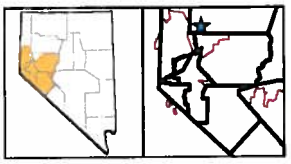

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____ Yes __X__

   a) Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-605

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Virginia Mountains / NV-030-605

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Carson City District / Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-605	Partial	Partial	Minimal	Minimal	Yes

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-605 Acreage: 79,490

(1) Is the area of sufficient size

Yes ___X___ No _____

Description:

1980 Inventory – The Virginia Mountains unit is located approximately twenty-five miles north of Reno via State Highway 33. Topography is fairly level at the lower elevations around the perimeter of the unit, and rises to steep mountainous terrain which is dissected by deep canyons within the unit's interior. Vegetation is considered fair in density and is typical of the Northern Great Basin shrub type community. The inventory unit is bounded on the south, west and on the north by Washoe County roads; on the east by the Pyramid Lake Indian Reservation. The Wilderness Inventory Handbook defines a road as a route which has been "improved and maintained by mechanical means to insure relatively regular and continuous use." A route which carries traffic, but which appeared to have been created and maintained solely by the passage of vehicles was designated a way. Roads to the interior of a unit were intrusions on naturalness, and were removed from the unit by indenting the border to follow the road up one side, around the terminus, and down the other side. Ways, which showed no mechanical improvement or maintenance and were not substantially noticeable, were left within the unit. Documented roads and ways each received a number for reference purposes.

Tule Peak Subunit: The Tule Peak Subunit (NV-030-605F) of the Virginia Mountains contains approximately 22,220 acres of contiguous public lands and 280 acres of private inholdings. Road/way analysis proved to be a major factor in determining area size. The inventory subunit is bounded on the north by private property within Black Canyon and the Upper Scott Spring area, and the Scott Pass Road, Number 605.21; on the east by private property within Little Valley and the Little Valley to Hardscrabble Creek Road, Number 605.11; on the south by the Piute Canyon Road, Number 605.06 and 605.09; and on the west by Washoe County Road Number 398, Road Numbers 605.08 and 605.14, and private property. The inventory subunit is roadless and is in excess of 5,000 acres of contiguous public lands. Therefore, the unit meets minimum size requirements.

Mullen Pass Subunit: The Mullen Pass subunit (NV-030-605C) of the Virginia Mountains contains approximately 6,460 acres of contiguous public lands and 130 acres of private inholdings. Road/way analysis proved to be a major factor in determining area size. The inventory subunit is bounded on the north by private property within the Hardscrabble Creek drainage; on the east by private property and the boundary of the Pyramid Lake Indian Reservation; on the south by road number 605.01 which extends nine miles from the SW of Section 3, T. 23 N., R. 20 E. to the SE of Section 29, T. 24 N., R. 21 E. and road number 605.04 which extends 1.3 miles from the NE of Section 11, T. 23 N., R. 20 E. to the SW of Section 12, T. 23 N., R. 20E., and on the west by road number 605.06 which extends

six miles from the NW of Section 11, T. 23 N., R. 20 E. to the NE of Section 13, T. 24 N., R. 20 E. The inventory subunit is roadless and is in excess of 5,000 acres of contiguous public lands. Therefore, the unit meets minimum size requirements.

Vinegar Peak Subunit: The Vinegar Peak subunit (NV-030-605L) of the Virginia Mountains contains approximately 21,370 acres of contiguous public lands and 650 acres of private inholdings. Road/way analysis proved to be a major factor in determining area size. The inventory subunit is bounded on the north by private property and Washoe County Road Number 821; on the east by private property, Road Number 605.23 which is an unnumbered BLM road known as the "Cottonwood Stock Trail" and Road Number 605.25; on the south by private property and Road Number 605.25; and on the west, by private property, private road, and BLM Road Number 3130. The inventory subunit is roadless and is in excess of 5,000 acres of contiguous public lands. Therefore, the unit meets minimum size requirements.

Juniper Basin Subunit: The Juniper Basin subunit (NV-030-605M) of the Virginia Mountains contains approximately 22,840 acres of contiguous public lands and 260 acres of private inholdings. Road/way analysis proved to be a major factor in determining area size. The inventory subunit is bounded on the north by Washoe County roads number 821 and 819; on the east by the Pyramid Lake Indian Reservation boundary; on the south by private property located within Big Canyon, and road numbers 605.24 and 605.30; and on the west by road number 605.23 which is commonly known as the "Cottonwood Stock Trail". The inventory subunit is roadless and is in excess of 5,000 acres of contiguous public lands. Therefore, the unit meets minimum size requirements.

Jigger Bob Subunit: The Jigger Bob Canyon subunit (NV-030-605J) of the Virginia Mountains contains approximately 6,600 acres of contiguous public lands and 150 acres of private inholdings. Road/way analysis proved to be a major factor in determining area size. The inventory subunit is bounded on the north by private property within Big Canyon; on the east, by the Pyramid Lake Indian Reservation boundary; on the south, by private property and Road Number 605.11; and on the west, by Road Numbers 605.11, 605.17, 605.19, 605.31 and private property. The inventory subunit is roadless and is in excess of 5,000 acres of contiguous public lands. Therefore, the unit meets minimum size requirements.

2014 Inventory – The 2014 inventory identified a contiguous core unit of 34,210 acres that constitutes the only subunit with Unit 605 that has been determined to meet all LWC criteria. This core unit comprises acreages, whole or in part, from subunits A, B, C, E, F, J, O, and P. This reconfiguration of a core unit was made possible by combining units that no longer were separated from other units by roads. Boundary roads from the 1980 inventory were either not being maintained or were in a state of natural reclamation. External new information from citizen proposals was also considered in the evaluation.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes __X__ No ____ N/A_____

Description

1980 Inventory – The Wilderness Act of 1964 defines a wilderness as an area that "generally appears to have been affected primarily by the forces of nature, with the imprint of man's work substantially unnoticeable." Using this definition, a boundary modification was necessary to exclude part of the unit which shows substantially noticeable imprints of man's work. The term "essentially natural" has been employed here to describe an area where the works of man are substantially unnoticeable to the average visitor.

Tule Peak Subunit: Approximately 20 acres of the subunit have been severely disturbed by past mining activity in the vicinity of Section 9, T. 24 N., R. 20 E. This acreage and the road leading to it have been withdrawn from the subunit and eliminated from any further wilderness consideration. Ten roads and ways intrude into the interior of the subunit forming "cherrystems." Road Number 605.12 extends two miles from the SE ¼ of Section 19 to the NW ¼ of Section 21, T. 24 N., R. 20 E., and provides access to a spring development. Way Number 605. 3 extends one mile from the NE ¼ of Section 20, T. 24 N., R. 20 E., to the SW ¼ of Section 16, T. 24 N., R. 20 E., the purpose of which could not be ascertained. Road Number 605.15 extends 1.5 miles from the SE ¼ of Section 17, T. 24 N., R. 20 E., to the SW ¼ of Section 9, T. 24 N., R. 20 E., and provides access to mining activity and Cove Spring. Road Number 605.22 extends .75 miles from the SE ¼ of Section 24, T. 25 N., R. 19 E., to the NW ¼ of Section 30, T. 25 N., R. 20 E., and provides access to the dam for Spanish Flat Reservoir. Road Number 605.20 extends 1.7 miles from the SE ¼ of Section 20, T. 25 N., R. 20 E., to the SE ¼ of Section 32, T. 25 N., R. 20 E., and provides access to Horse Spring. Way Number 605.18 extends 0.75 miles from the SW ¼ of Section 34, T. 25 N., R. 20 E., to the N ¼ of Section 33, T. 25 N., R. 20 E., and provides access to private property and fence. Road Number 605.16 extends one mile from the NW ¼, Section 3, T. 24 N., R. 20 E., to the NW ¼ of Section 10, T. 24 N., R. 20 E., and provides access to a private parcel. Way Number 605.46 extends .75 mile from the NW ¼ of Section 3, T. 24 N., R. 20 E., to the NW ¼ of Section 3, T. 24 N., R. 20 E., and is used for placement of salt blocks; and, Way Number 605.47 extends .75 miles from the NE ¼ of Section 14, T. 24 N., R. 20 E., to the NE ¼ of section 11, T. 24 N., R. 20 E., and provides access to a fence and private parcel. Road Number 605.48 extends 0.75 miles from the SW ¼ of Section 2, T 24 N., R 20 E., to the NW ¼ of Section 11, T 24 N., R 20 E., and provides access to a fence line. Road intrusions into the subunit would be easily recognized from adjacent vantage points by visitors to the area. In addition to being substantially noticeable, it is questionable whether these road intrusions could be rehabilitated without further adverse impacts. All six roads extending into the subunit have been "cherrystemmed." Although ways are noticeable, they have not been "cherrystemmed" because their impact is not substantial and rehabilitation potential is adequate. Fences approximately eleven miles in length extend throughout the inventory subunit. Grazing by cattle and wild horses within the inventory subunit has resulted in several areas where vegetation has been adversely impacted by overgrazing and trampling. These imprints are not "substantially noticeable" however, and their degree varies with the season and use pattern. Known spring developments include Pradere Spring, West Springs, Lower Scott Spring, Upper Scott Spring, and Horse Spring. All of these springs are located on private inholdings which have been eliminated from the inventory subunit. There are numerous unnamed minor spring developments located throughout the area which are entirely on public domain. There are no known pipeline developments, chainings, seedings, or other vegetative manipulations within the inventory subunit. It would be very difficult to

move about within the inventory subunit without coming into contact with an intrusion. Although roads, private parcels, and mining activities have been eliminated from the inventory subunit, their impact is readily apparent to a visitor to the area in addition to not being conducive to the natural integrity of the area. Net acreage after "cherrystemming" and elimination of private property has resulted in an inventory subunit of approximately 22,220 acres which is essentially roadless and natural in character. The Tule Peak subunit is essentially in a natural state with the imprint of man's work substantially unnoticeable.

Mullen Pass Subunit: Approximately 250 acres of the inventory subunit have been severely disturbed in the vicinity of Section 36, T. 24 N., R. 20 E. and Section 1ofT. 23 N., R. 20 E. This acreage has been withdrawn from the inventory unit and eliminated from any further wilderness consideration due to access routes, adits, tailings, and mining exploration. Three documented roads intrude into the interior of the unit forming "cherrystems". Road Number 605.01 extends one mile from the NE of Section 33 to the SE of Section 29, T. 24 N., R. 21 E. and provides access to the Needle Rock Area; Road Number 605.03 extends two miles from the NE ¼ of Section 12, T. 23 N., R. 20 E. to the SW of Section 6, T. 23 N., R. 21 E. and is utilized as access to the so called "Incandescent Rocks" area and a BLM wildlife development. Road number 605.07 extends one mile from the NW of Section 20 to the NW of Section 29, T. 24 N., R. 21 E. and has been utilized for mining activity and recreation purposes. Road intrusions into the inventory subunit would be easily recognized from adjacent vantage points by visitors to the area. In addition to being substantially noticeable, none of the aforementioned road intrusions could be rehabilitated without further adverse impacts and consequently have been "cherrystemmed" out of the inventory unit. A six mile fence extends the entire length of the inventory unit in a northwesterly direction. Grazing by cattle and wild horses within the inventory subunit has resulted in some areas where vegetation has been adversely impacted by overgrazing and trampling. These imprints are not "substantially noticeable" however, and their degree varies with the season and use pattern. Several developed springs are located within the SE of Section 13, T. 24 N., R. 20 E. There are no known water pipeline developments, chainings, seedings, or other vegetative manipulations within the unit. It would be very difficult to move about within the unit without coming into contact with an intrusion. Although intrusive roads and mining activities have been eliminated out of the subunit, their impact is readily apparent to a visitor to the area in addition to not being conducive to the natural integrity of the area. Net acreage after "cherrystemming" and elimination of private property and mining activity has resulted in a natural roadless subunit of approximately 6,460 acres. The Mullen Pass subunit is essentially in a natural state with the imprint of man's work substantially unnoticeable.

Vinegar Peak Subunit: Approximately five acres of the inventory subunit have been adversely impacted by road cuts approximately one-half mile due east of Vinegar Peak within the SE ¼ of Section 8, T. 25 N., R. 19 E. Three roads intrude into the interior of the subunit: Road Number 605.40 extends three miles from Washoe County Road 821 to Sheep Springs located in the SE of Section 2, T. 25 N., R. 18 E.; Road Number 605.42 extends 1.5 miles from the NW of Section 13, T. 25 N., R. 18 E., to a developed spring located at the head of Anderson Canyon in the NE ¼, Section 7, T. 25 N., R. 19 E.; and Road Number 605.26 extends 1.5 miles from Cold Spring, located in the NW 1/4 of Section 11, T. 25 N., R. 19 E., to the NW ¼, Section 10, T. 25 N., R. 19 E. In addition, four ways intrude into the subunit: Way Number 605.41 extends 1.5 miles from the NE ¼ of Section 35, T. 26 N., R.

18 E., to a corral located within the NE ¼ SE ¼ , Section 3, T. 25 N., R. 18 E.; Way Number 605.43 extends mile south from Road Number 605.42 located within the SE ¼ , Section 7, T. 25 N., R. 19 E., and terminates in the NE ¼ of Section 18, T. 25 N., R. 19 E.; Way Number 605.44 is a 1.5 mile continuation of Road Number 605.26 extending from the NW ¼ of Section 10, T. 25 N., R. 19 E., to the SW ¼ of Section 15, T. 25 N., R. 19 E.; and Way Number 605.45 extends approximately one mile southeast from Way Number 605.44 located within the SW ¼ of Section 10, T. 25 N., R. 19 E., and terminates in the SE ¼ of Section 15, T. 25 N., R. 19 E. Road intrusions into the inventory subunit would be easily recognized from adjacent vantage points by visitors to the area. It is questionable whether the road intrusions could be rehabilitated without further adverse impacts. All three roads within the inventory subunit have been "cherrystemmed" and eliminated from further consideration. Ways have not been "cherrystemmed" because their impact is not substantial and rehabilitation potential is adequate. Fences approximately eight miles in length extend throughout the subunit. Grazing by cattle and wild horses has resulted in several areas where vegetation has been adversely impacted by overgrazing and trampling. These imprints are not "substantially noticeable", however, and their degree varies with the season and use pattern. Developed springs are located in Sections 1, 2 and 12, T. 25 N., R. 18 E.; and Sections 5 and 11, T. 25 N., R. 19 E. In addition, approximately ten documented springs exist in the area. There are no known pipeline developments, chainings, seedings, or other vegetative manipulations within the inventory subunit. It would be difficult to move about within the inventory subunit without coming into contact with an intrusion. Although intrusive roads have been eliminated from the inventory subunit, their impact is readily apparent to a visitor to the area in addition to not being conducive to the natural integrity of the area. Net acreage after "cherrystemming" and elimination of private property has resulted in an inventory subunit of approximately 21,370 acres which is essentially roadless and natural in character. The Vinegar Peak subunit is essentially in a natural state with the imprint of man's work substantially unnoticeable.

Juniper Basin Subunit: Approximately 15 acres of the inventory subunit have been severely disturbed by past mining activity in the vicinity of Section 29, T. 27 N., R. 20 E. This acreage and the road leading to it have been withdrawn from the inventory subunit and eliminated from any further wilderness consideration. Four additional prospects have occurred in the SW ¼ of Section 8 of T. 26 N., R. 20 E. Eight roads intrude into the inventory subunit. Road number 605.27 extends 1.5 miles from the NW ¼ of Section 12, T. 25 N., R. 19 E. to the NW ¼ of Section 13, T. 25 N., R. 19 E. and provides access to a private parcel and a fenceline. Road number 605.28 extends one mile from the NE ¼ of Section 12, T. 25 N., R. 19 E to the NE ¼ of Section 1, T. 25 N., R. 19 E. and provides access to a private parcel and Salt Cabin Spring. Road 605.29 extends to the NW ¼ of Section 32, T. 26 N., R. 20 E., and provides access to a fenceline. Road number 605.34 extends one mile from the NE ¼ of Section 21, T. 26 N., R. 20 E to the SW ¼ of Section 21, T. 26 N., R. 20 E. and provides access to a private parcel. Road number 605.35 extends one mile from the SE ¼ of Section 16, T. 26 N., R. 20 E. to the SW ¼ of Section 16, T. 26 N., R. 20 E. and provides access to a private parcel. Road number 605.36 extends 1.5 miles from the SW ¼ of Section 9, T. 26 N., R. 20 E., to the SE ¼ of Section 17, T. 26 N., R. 20 E. and provides access to a private parcel. Road number 605.37 extends 2.5 miles from the SW ¼ of Section 4, T. 26 N., R. 20 E. to the NE ¼ of Section 12, T. 26 N., R. 19 E. and provides access to Juniper Basin, Upper and Lower Adobe Springs. Road number 605.38

extends one mile from the NW ¼ of Section 29, T. 27 N., R. 20 E. to the SW ¼ of Section 29, T. 27 N., R. 20 E. and provides access to a marl pit. These road intrusions into the inventory subunit would be easily recognized from adjacent vantage points by visitors to the area. In addition to being substantially noticeable, it is questionable whether these road intrusions could be rehabilitated without further adverse impacts. All eight roads extending into the inventory subunit have been "cherrystemmed". Fences approximately 14 miles in length extend throughout the inventory subunit. Grazing by cattle and wild horses within the inventory subunit has resulted in several areas where vegetation has been adversely impacted by overgrazing and trampling. These imprints are not "substantially noticeable" however, and their degree varies with the season and use pattern. There are approximately twenty developed springs within the inventory subunit. In addition, there are four pipelines within the inventory subunit approximately 4.5 miles in length. There are no known chainings, seedings, or other vegetative manipulations within the inventory subunit. It would be very difficult to move about within the inventory subunit without coming into contact with an intrusion. Although roads, private parcels, and mining activities have been "cherrystemmed" out of the inventory subunit, their impact is readily apparent to a visitor to the area in addition to not being conducive to the natural integrity of the area. Net acreage after "cherrystemming" and elimination of private property has resulted in an inventory subunit of approximately 22,840 acres which is essentially roadless and natural in character. The Juniper Basin Inventory Subunit is essentially in a natural state with the imprint of man's work substantially unnoticeable.

Jigger Bob Subunit: The inventory subunit has been heavily impacted by water developments. The subunit has eight separate water pipelines approximately seven miles in length. Two roads intrude into the interior of the subunit forming "cherrystems." Road Number 605.33 extends one mile from the SE ¼ of Section 9, T. 25 N., R. 20 E., to the SE ¼ of Section 10, T. 25 N., R. 20 E., and provides access to water developments. Road No. 605.19 extends 3.5 miles from the SW ¼ of Section 27, T. 25 N., R. 20 E., to the NW ¼ of Section 22, T. 25 N., R. 20 E., and also provides access to water developments. These road intrusions into the inventory subunit would be easily recognized from adjacent vantage points by visitors to the area. In addition to being substantially noticeable, it is questionable whether these road intrusions could be rehabilitated without further adverse impacts. Both roads extending into the inventory subunit have been cherrystemmed. Fences approximately three miles in length extend throughout the inventory subunit. Grazing by cattle and wild horses within the inventory subunit has resulted in several areas where vegetation has been adversely impacted by overgrazing and trampling. These imprints are not "substantially noticeable" however, and their degree varies with the season and use pattern. There are approximately eleven developed springs within the inventory subunit and fourteen water troughs which are fed from the previously indicated pipelines. There are no known chainings, seedings, or other vegetative manipulations within the inventory subunit. It would be very difficult to move about within the inventory subunit without coming into contact with an intrusion. Although intrusive roads and private parcels have been eliminated out of the inventory subunit, their impact is readily apparent to a visitor to the area in addition to not being conducive to the natural integrity of the area. Net acreage after "cherrysteming" and elimination of private property has resulted in an inventory subunit of approximately 6,600 acres which is essentially roadless and natural in character. The Jigger

Bob Canyon subunit is essentially in a natural state with the imprint of man's work substantially unnoticeable.
2014 Inventory – The 1980 inventory made note of Incandescent Rocks as a feature within the Mullen Pass Subunit. In the mid 1980's RMP Incandescent Rocks was designated an Area of Critical Environmental Concern for its scenic (supplemental) values. The ACEC is also protected from mineral entry.

The 2014 inventory identified a contiguous core unit of 34,210 acres that constitutes the only subunit with Unit 605 that has been determined to meet all LWC criteria. This core unit comprises acreages, whole or in part, from subunits A, B, C, E, F, J, O, and P. External new information from a citizen proposal was also considered in the evaluation.
The contiguous core unit meets naturalness criteria.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes ___X___ No _____ N/A___

Description:

1980 Inventory – Solitude is defined in the Wilderness Handbook as "the state of being alone or remove from others, isolation; a lonely or secluded place." Although some subjective judgments must be made in assessing this criterion, the Handbook has established guidelines delineating factors which influence solitude, including "size, natural screening, and the ability of the user to find a secluded spot." Configuration of an area, as well as size, is important in determining a user's ability to avoid the sights and sounds of other people. Natural screening is a product of interaction between varied topography and the presence of vegetation, resulting in seclusion and isolation. All of these factors are addressed below.
Tule Peak Subunit
Size: The subunit is approximately 22,220 acres in addition to 280 acres of private inholdings. The inventory subunit is irregular in shape, approximately eight miles in length and four miles in width; and an approximate outside boundary of 45 miles. There are nine documented roads intruding into the inventory subunit leading to developed springs, private parcels, previous mining activity, and Spanish Flat Reservoir. Seldom is a visitor within the subunit more than 1.5 miles from a road. Boundary and "cherrystemmed" roads are visible from virtually any high point within the subunit. The area's size, configuration, and presence of documented intrusions would not be considered conducive to an outstanding opportunity for solitude.
Natural Screening: Topographic and vegetative screening can be termed moderate within the inventory subunit. Topography is fairly level at the lower elevations around the perimeter of the inventory subunit and rises to steep mountainous terrain which is highly dissected by deep canyons within the subunit's interior. Topographic screening is rather poor at the lower elevations due to its flat appearance and is considered good at the higher elevations due to the highly dissected character of the inventory subunit. Vegetation within the inventory subunit is typical of the northern Great Basin shrub type community.

Vegetation also includes juniper, cottonwood, and isolated pockets of aspen and mountain mahogany. Vegetative screening at the lower elevations is poor and fair to moderate within canyon bottoms and at higher elevations. It would be reasonable to assume that ridges and mountain tops would be destination points for the dispersed recreation user. These areas tend to level off and are only moderately vegetated, thereby providing little screening from other visitors to the area or from adjacent ridges and mountaintops. The area's natural topographic and vegetative screening would not be conducive to the inventory subunit having an outstanding opportunity for solitude.

Ability of the User to Find a Secluded Spot: From nearly every vantage point from within the inventory subunit, a visitor could look out and see boundary roads, "cherrystemmed roads", fences, mining activity, and water impoundments, as well as other visitors within the inventory subunit. It is doubtful any sense of solitude could be achieved at the lower elevations or canyons within the inventory subunit due to inadequate topographic and vegetative screening. This would result in visitors congregating at the higher elevations where size, screening, and crowding would not be conducive to solitude.

It would be difficult for a visitor to the area to avoid the sights, sounds, and evidence of other people within the inventory subunit.

Summary of Factors or Elements Influencing Solitude: The rather moderate size, dissected character, and unusual configuration of the inventory subunit are not considered conducive to an outstanding opportunity for solitude. Topographic and vegetative screening within the subunit can be termed fair to moderate. The majority of the unit is open with little opportunity for screening except within some drainages and at higher elevations. There are relatively few secluded areas within the inventory subunit. Those few secluded areas that do exist would be highly attractive to any dispersed recreation user. Combined with the limited potential for screening within the subunit, a feeling of crowding would easily occur and thereby severely limit opportunities to find a secluded spot. The inventory subunit does not possess outstanding opportunities for solitude nor is it probable a visitor to the area would avoid the sights, sounds, and evidence of other people within the subunit.

Mullen Pass Subunit

Size: The subunit consists of approximately 6,460 acres of contiguous public land in addition to a 40 acre private parcel located in NE E of Sec. 12, T. 23 N., R. 20 E. The inventory subunit is irregular in shape; approximately eight miles in length and four miles in width; with an approximate outside boundary of twenty-five miles. There are two major road intrusions into the inventory subunit both leading to extensive mining activity. Mining intrusions are located within Section 36 of T. 24 N., R. 20 E. Section 1of T. 23 N., R. 20 E. and Section 32 of T. 24 N., R. 21 E. Seldom is a visitor more than a mile from either of these two major mining intrusions or the intrusive roads that penetrate into the subunit. Boundary roads and intrusions into the inventory subunit are visible from virtually any high point within the subunit. The areas' size, configuration, and the presence of documented intrusions would not be considered conducive to an outstanding opportunity for solitude.

Natural Screening: Topographic and vegetative screening can be termed fair to moderate within the subunit. Topography is fairly level at the lower elevations around the perimeter of the subunit and rises to steep mountains which are highly dissected with deep canyons within the unit's interior. Vegetative cover at the lower elevations and in particular, the southern portion of the unit, is sparse. Vegetation in this area is typical of the northern Great Basin shrub type community. Midway up the mountainsides, vegetation becomes sparse or

non-existent due to sheer vertical slope. The so-called "Incandescent Rocks" are an example of altered volcanics that, while providing good topographic screening, lack any vegetative screening opportunities. The uppermost portions of the inventory subunit are sparsely covered by trees and isolated pockets of mountain mahogany in addition to the northern Great Basin shrub type community. There are no particularly outstanding vegetative features within canyon bottoms or other drainages due to a lack of riparian features. Vegetative screening at the upper elevations and canyon bottoms can be termed fair to moderate and poor at the lower elevations. Topographic screening can be termed moderate at higher elevations due to the highly dissected character of the inventory subunit. It would be reasonable to assume that ridges and mountaintops would be destination points for the dispersed recreation user. These areas tend to level off and are sparsely vegetated, thereby providing little screening from other visitors to the area or from adjacent ridges and mountaintops. The area's natural topographic and vegetative screening would not be conducive to the inventory subunit having outstanding opportunities for solitude.

Ability of the User to Find a Secluded Spot: From nearly every vantage point from within the inventory subunit, a visitor could look out and see boundary roads, "cherrystemmed" roads, mining activity, and fences as well as other visitors within the inventory unit. It is doubtful any sense of solitude could be achieved at the lower elevations or canyons within the inventory subunit due to inadequate topographic and vegetative screening. This would result in visitors congregating at the higher elevations where size, screening, and crowding would not be conducive to solitude. It would be difficult for a visitor to the area to avoid the sights, sounds, and evidence of other people within the inventory subunit.

Summary of Factors or Elements Influencing Solitude: The rather small size and unusual configuration of the inventory subunit are not considered conducive to an outstanding opportunity for solitude. Topographic and vegetative screening within the unit can be termed fair. The majority of the unit is open with little opportunity for screening except within some drainages and at higher elevations. There are relatively few secluded areas within the inventory subunit. Those few secluded areas that do exist would be highly attractive to any dispersed recreation user. Combined with the potential for screening within the unit, a feeling of crowding would easily occur and thereby severely limit opportunities to find a secluded spot. The inventory subunit does not possess outstanding opportunities for solitude nor is it probable a visitor to the area could avoid the sights, sounds, and evidence of other people within the subunit.

Vinegar Peak Subunit

Size: The subunit is approximately 21,370 acres in addition to 650 acres of private inholdings. The inventory subunit is triangular in shape, approximately eight miles in length and six miles in width; and an approximate outside boundary of 38 miles. There are seven documented roads and ways intruding into the inventory subunit providing access to private parcels, spring developments, and fences. Seldom is a visitor within the subunit more than 1.5 miles from a road. Boundary and "cherrystemmed" roads are visible from virtually any high point within the subunit. The area's size, configuration, and presence of documented intrusions would not be considered conducive to an outstanding opportunity for solitude.

Natural Screening: Topographic and vegetative screening can be termed moderate within the inventory subunit. Topography is fairly level at the lower elevations around the perimeter of the inventory subunit and rises to rounded mountainous terrain which is dissected by canyons within the subunit's interior. Topographic screening is rather poor at

the lower elevations due to its flat appearance and is considered fair at the higher elevations due to the dissected character of the inventory subunit. Vegetation within the inventory subunit is typical of the northern Great Basin shrub type community. Vegetation also includes juniper, cottonwood, and isolated pockets of aspen and mountain mahogany. Vegetative screening at the lower elevations is poor and fair within canyon bottoms and at higher elevations. It would be reasonable to assume that ridges and mountaintops would be destination points for the dispersed recreation user. These areas tend to level off and are only moderately vegetated, thereby providing little screening from other visitors to the area or from adjacent ridges and mountaintops. The area's natural topographic and vegetative screening would not be conducive to the inventory subunit having an outstanding opportunity for solitude.

Ability of the User to Find a Secluded Spot: From nearly every vantage point from within the inventory subunit, a visitor could look out and see boundary roads, "cherrystemmed roads", fences, and water developments, as well as other visitors within the inventory subunit. It is doubtful any sense of solitude could be achieved at the lower elevations or canyons within the inventory subunit due to inadequate topographic and vegetative screening. This would result in visitors congregating at the higher elevations where size, screening, and crowding would not be conducive to solitude. It would be difficult for a visitor to the area to avoid the sights, sounds, and evidence of other people within the inventory subunit.

Juniper Basin Subunit

Size: The subunit is approximately 22,840 acres of contiguous public land in addition to 260 acres of private inholdings. The inventory subunit is irregular in shape, approximately twelve miles in length and four miles in width; and an approximate outside boundary of 45 miles. There are eight documented roads intruding into the inventory subunit leading to water developments, fences, private parcels, and previous mining activity. Seldom is a visitor within the subunit more than one mile from a road. Boundary and "cherrystemmed" roads are visible from virtually any high point within the subunit. The area's size, configuration, and presence of documented intrusions would not be considered conducive to an outstanding opportunity for solitude.

Natural Screening: Topographic and vegetative screening can be termed moderate within the inventory subunit. Topography is fairly level at the lower elevation around the perimeter of the inventory subunit and rises to steep mountainous terrain which is highly dissected by deep canyons within the subunit's interior. Topographic screening is rather poor at the lower elevations due to its flat appearance and is considered good at the higher elevations due to the highly dissected character of the inventory subunit. Vegetation within the inventory subunit is typical of the Northern Great Basin shrub type community. Vegetation also includes juniper, cottonwood, and isolated pockets of aspen and mountain mahogany. Vegetative screening at the lower elevations is poor, and fair to moderate within canyon bottoms and at higher elevations. It would be reasonable to assume that ridges and mountaintops would be destination points for the dispersed recreation user. These areas tend to level off and are only moderately vegetated, thereby providing little screening from other visitors to the area or from adjacent ridges and mountain tops. The area's natural topographic and vegetative screening would not be conducive to the inventory subunit having an outstanding opportunity for solitude.

Ability of the User to Find a Secluded Spot: From nearly every vantage point from within the inventory subunit, a visitor could look out and see boundary roads, "cherrystemmed roads", fences, mining activity, and water impoundments, as well as other visitors within the inventory subunit. It is doubtful any sense of solitude could be achieved at the lower elevations or canyons within the inventory subunit due to inadequate topographic and vegetative screening. This would result in visitors congregating at the higher elevations where size, screening, and crowding would not be conducive to solitude. It would be difficult for a visitor to the area to avoid the sights, sounds, and evidence of other people within the inventory subunit.

Summary of Factors or Elements Influencing Solitude: The rather moderate size, dissected character, and unusual configuration of the inventory subunit are not considered conducive to an outstanding opportunity for solitude. Topographic and vegetative screening within the subunit can be termed fair to moderate. The majority of the unit is open with little opportunity for screening except within some drainages and at higher elevations. There are relatively few secluded areas within the inventory subunit. Those few secluded areas that do exist would be highly attractive to any dispersed recreation user. Combined with the limited potential for screening within the subunit, a feeling of crowding would easily occur and thereby severely limit opportunities to find a secluded spot. The inventory subunit does not possess outstanding opportunities for solitude nor is it probable a visitor to the area would avoid the sights, sounds, and evidence of other people within the subunit.

Jigger Bob Canyon Subunit

Size: The subunit is approximately 6,600 acres in addition to 150 acres of private inholdings. The inventory subunit is rectangular in shape, approximately eight miles in length and 1.5 miles in width; and an approximate outside boundary of 21 miles. There are two documented roads intruding into the inventory subunit leading to water developments and fencing. Seldom is a visitor within the subunit more than one mile from a road. Boundary and "cherrystemmed" roads are visible from virtually any high point within the subunit. The area's size, configuration, and presence of documented intrusions would not be considered conducive to an outstanding opportunity for solitude.

Natural Screening: Topographic and vegetative screening can be termed fair within the inventory subunit. Topography is primarily mountainous, in character, consisting of relatively low relief in the western portion of the subunit. The eastern portion of the inventory subunit is highly dissected by deep canyons which terminate at Pyramid Lake. Topographic screening is rather poor throughout the subunit, however, the highly dissected character of canyons located in the eastern portion of the subunit do offer a moderate opportunity for topographic screening. Vegetation within the inventory subunit is typical of the northern Great Basin shrub type community. Vegetation also includes juniper, cottonwood, willows, and isolated pockets of aspen and mountain mahogany. Vegetative screening is considered fair throughout the subunit and fair to moderate within canyon bottoms. It would be reasonable to assume that ridges and mountaintops would be destination points for the dispersed recreation user. These areas tend to level off and are only moderately vegetated, thereby providing little screening from other visitors to the area or from adjacent ridges and mountaintops. The area's natural topographic and vegetative screening would not be conducive to the inventory subunit having an outstanding opportunity for solitude.

Ability of the User to Find a Secluded Spot: From nearly every vantage point from within the inventory subunit, a visitor could look out and see boundary roads, "cherrystemmed roads", fences, and water developments, as well as other visitors within the inventory subunit. It is doubtful any sense of solitude could be achieved within the inventory subunit due to inadequate topographic and vegetative screening. This would result in visitors congregating at the higher elevations and perhaps canyon bottoms where size, screening, and crowding would not be conducive to solitude. It would be difficult for a visitor to the area to avoid the sights, sounds, and evidence of other people within the inventory subunit.
Summary of Factors or Elements Influencing Solitude: The rather moderate size, dissected character, and unusual configuration of the inventory subunit are not considered conducive to an outstanding opportunity for solitude. Topographic and vegetative screening within the subunit can be termed fair to moderate. The majority of the unit is open with little opportunity for screening except within some drainages and at higher elevations. There are relatively few secluded areas within the inventory subunit. Those few secluded areas that do exist would be highly attractive to any dispersed recreation user. Combined with the limited potential for screening within the subunit, a feeling of crowding would easily occur and thereby severely limit opportunities to find a secluded spot. The inventory subunit does not possess outstanding opportunities for solitude nor is it probable a visitor to the area would avoid the sights, sounds and evidence of other people within the subunit.
2014 Inventory – The 2014 inventory identified a contiguous core unit of 34,210 acres that constitutes the only subunit with Unit 605 that has been determined to meet all LWC criteria. This core unit comprises acreages, whole or in part, from subunits A, B, C, E, F, J, O, and P. The reconfiguration of the core area subunit, using other subunits whole or in part, changes the footprint of the area so that outstanding opportunities for solitude are now present. The eastern portion of the core area is considered the most remote portion of the unit and offers outstanding opportunities for solitude. The ridgeline and associated relief on either side, including several of the high meadows also provide outstanding opportunities for solitude. External new information from a citizen proposals was also considered in the evaluation. The contiguous core unit meets solitude criteria.

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes ___X___ No _____ N/A____

Description:

1980 Inventory – The Wilderness Inventory Handbook defined "primitive and unconfined recreation" as "those activities that provide dispersed, undeveloped recreation which do not require facilities or motorized equipment." Examples of such activities include hiking, backpacking, hunting, horseback riding, rock climbing, and sightseeing for botanical, zoological or geological features. An area is considered to have outstanding opportunities for this type of recreation either through a diversity of possible activities, or the outstanding quality of one activity.
Tule Peak Subunit: The major recreation opportunities in the Tule Peak Subunit are limited to hiking, backpacking, camping, sightseeing, and hunting.

Day Hiking: The inventory unit possesses good opportunities for day hikes. The relatively moderate size of the area would afford hikers an opportunity to make circle hikes and view much of the unit in one day. There are no existing trails, potable waters or dispersed recreation sites within the subunit.
Backpacking and Camping: Opportunities are considered fair to moderate. Size of the subunit would preclude any lengthy overnight trips. It is reasonable to assume that visitors would tend to camp in the most attractive areas, i.e. Tule Peak at an elevation of 8,722 feet and Tule Ridge. Due to the moderate size and configuration of the subunit and limited number of attractive camping sites, it is likely that crowding would occur, leading to an inferior recreational experience.
Sightseeing: Opportunities are considered moderate. Higher peaks and ridges offer good views of Pyramid Lake and Warm Springs Valley. However, these vantage points also illustrate the imprint of man's work within the inventory subunit. Boundary roads, "cherrystems", fences, and water developments would be substantially noticeable from these vantage points.
Hunting: Moderate opportunities exist for hunting mountain and valley quail, deer, chukar, sage-grouse, and dove. Antelope inhabit the area, however, they are protected by the Nevada Department of Wildlife from hunting. Consideration is also being given to the reintroduction of bighorn sheep.
Mountain and Rock Climbing: The majority of the inventory subunit is mountainous in character with limited opportunities for challenging and diversified rock and mountain climbing.
Horseback Riding: The majority of the inventory subunit is suitable for horseback riding, however, this activity would be somewhat limited on mountain sides, peaks, and ridges.
Photography: Upper peaks and ridges in particular offer good opportunities for photography. Of particular interest would be the isolated aspen stands in fall foliage in addition to the panoramic views of Pyramid Lake.
Winter Sports: There are limited opportunities for cross-country skiing, snowshoeing, or dog sledding due to inadequate amounts of snow.
Other Opportunities: There are no opportunities for fishing, river running, canoeing, kayaking, sailing, or spelunking within the inventory subunit.
Summary of Primitive and Unconfined Types of Recreation: Nearly all of the previously mentioned examples of primitive and unconfined types of recreation are limited and none are considered individually outstanding. In addition, their cumulative effect would not be such as to provide an outstanding opportunity through a diversity of activities. The inventory subunit does not offer an outstanding opportunity for a primitive and unconfined type of recreation.
Mullen Pass Subunit: Primitive and unconfined types of recreation are limited within the inventory unit.
Day Hiking: The inventory subunit possesses good opportunities for day hikes. Of particular interest would be the so-called "Incandescent Rocks" and the higher elevations of the unit. The relatively small size of the area would afford hikers an opportunity to make circle hikes and view much of the unit in one day. There are no existing trails, potable water or dispersed recreation sites within the subunit.
Backpacking and Camping: These opportunities are considered only fair. Limited size of the unit would preclude any lengthy overnight trips. It is reasonable to assume that visitors

to the area would tend to camp in the most attractive areas. Due to size, configuration, and limited number of attractive camping sites, it is likely that crowding would occur, leading to an inferior camping experience.

Winter Sports: There are very limited opportunities for cross country skiing; snowshoeing, or dog sledding due to inadequate amounts of snow.

Mountain and Rock Climbing: Good opportunities for technical rock climbing exist within Section 32 of T. 24 N., R. 21 E. The remaining portion of the inventory subunit is primarily mountainous in character, however, there are limited opportunities for challenging and diversified rock and mountain climbing.

Hunting: Moderate opportunities exist for hunting mountain and valley quail, deer, chukar, sage-grouse, and dove. Antelope inhabit the area, but they are protected by the Nevada Department of Wildlife from hunting. Consideration is also given to the reintroduction of bighorn sheep.

Horseback Riding: A moderate portion of the inventory subunit would be suitable for horseback riding, however, this activity would be somewhat limited on mountainsides, peaks, and ridges.

Photography and Bird Watching: The upper peaks and ridges offer good views of Pyramid Lake and Warm Springs Valley. There is a raptor nesting area located in the southern portion of the inventory subunit which is inhabited by golden eagles, prairie falcons, owls, and redtail hawks. A potential problem would be that excessive human habitation would drive raptors away.

Sightseeing: Opportunities for sightseeing are considered moderate. There are several opportunities for sightseeing in the "Incandescent Rocks" and raptor nesting areas located in the southerly portion of the inventory subunit. Higher peaks and ridges offer good views of Pyramid Lake and Warm Springs Valley. However, these vantage points also illustrate the imprint of man's work within the inventory unit. Boundary roads, "cherrystems", mining activity, and fences would be substantially noticeable from these vantage points.

Other opportunities: There are no opportunities for fishing, river running, canoeing, kayaking, sailing, or spelunking within the inventory subunit.

Summary of Primitive and Unconfined Types of Recreation: Nearly all of the previously mentioned examples of primitive and unconfined types of recreation are limited and none are considered individually outstanding. In addition, their cumulative effect would not be such as to provide an outstanding opportunity through a diversity of activities. The inventory subunit does not offer an outstanding opportunity for a primitive and unconfined type of recreation.

Vinegar Peak Subunit: The major recreation opportunities in the Vinegar Peak subunit are limited to hiking, backpacking, camping, sightseeing, and hunting.

Day Hiking: The inventory unit possesses good opportunities for day hikes. The relatively moderate size of the area would afford hikers an opportunity to make circle hikes and view much of the unit in one day. There are no existing trails, potable waters or dispersed recreation sites within the subunit.

Backpacking and Camping: Opportunities are considered only fair. Size of the subunit would preclude any lengthy overnight trips. It is reasonable to assume that visitors would tend to camp in the higher elevations, i.e. Vinegar Peak, 6,722 feet and the higher peaks and ridges located in the easterly portion of the subunit. Due to the moderate size and

configuration of the subunit and limited number of attractive camping sites, it is likely that crowding would occur leading to an inferior recreational experience.
Sightseeing: Opportunities are considered moderate. Higher peaks and ridges offer good views of Honey Lake Valley, Dogskin Mountains, and the central portion of the Virginia Mountains. However, these vantage points also illustrate the imprint of man's work within the inventory subunit. Boundary roads, "cherrystems", fences, and water developments would be substantially noticeable from these vantage points.
Hunting: Moderate opportunities exist for hunting mountain and valley quail, deer, chukar, sage-grouse and dove. Antelope inhabit the area, but they are protected by the Nevada Department of Wildlife from hunting. Consideration is also being given to the reintroduction of bighorn sheep.
Mountain and Rock Climbing: The majority of the inventory subunit is mountainous in character with limited opportunities for challenging and diversified rock and mountain climbing.
Horseback Riding: The majority of the inventory subunit is suitable for horseback riding, however, this activity would be somewhat limited on mountain sides, peaks, and ridges.
Photography: Upper peaks and ridges in particular offer good opportunities for photography. Of particular interest would be the isolated aspen stands in fall foliage in addition to the panoramic views of Honey Lake Valley, Dogskin Mountains, and the central portion of the Virginia Mountains.
Winter Sports: There are very limited opportunities for cross-country skiing, snowshoeing, or dog sledding due to inadequate amounts of snow.
Other Opportunities: There are no opportunities for fishing, river running, canoeing, kayaking, sailing, or spelunking within the inventory subunit.
Summary of Primitive and Unconfined Types of Recreation: Nearly all of the previously mentioned examples of primitive and unconfined types of recreation are limited and none are considered individually outstanding. In addition, their cumulative effect would not be such as to provide an outstanding opportunity through a diversity of activities. The inventory subunit does not offer an outstanding opportunity for primitive and unconfined types of recreation.
Juniper Basin Subunit: The major recreation opportunities in the Juniper Basin subunit are limited to hiking, backpacking, camping, sightseeing, and hunting.
Day Hiking: The inventory unit possesses good opportunities for day hikes. The relatively moderate size of the area would afford hikers an opportunity to make circle hikes and view much of the unit in one day. There are no existing trails, potable waters or dispersed recreation sites within the subunit.
Backpacking and Camping: Opportunities are considered fair to moderate. Size of the subunit would preclude any lengthy overnight trips. It is reasonable to assume that visitors would tend to camp in the most attractive areas, i. e. the head water of Telephone Pole Canyon, East Cottonwood Canyon, and the higher elevations of the subunit. Due to the moderate size and configuration of the subunit and limited number of attractive camping sites, it is likely that crowding would occur leading to an inferior recreational experience.
Sightseeing: Opportunities are considered moderate. Higher peaks and ridges offer good views of Pyramid Lake and Honey Lake Valley. However, these vantage points also illustrate the imprint of man's work within the inventory subunit. Boundary roads,

"cherrystems", mining activity, fences, and water developments would be substantially noticeable from these vantage points.
Hunting: Moderate opportunities exist for hunting mountain and valley quail, deer, chukar, sage-grouse and dove. Antelope inhabit the area, but they are protected by the Nevada Department of Wildlife from hunting. Consideration is also being given to the reintroduction of bighorn sheep.
Mountain and Rock Climbing: The majority of the inventory subunit is mountainous in character with limited opportunities for challenging and diversified rock and mountain climbing.
Horseback Riding: The majority of the inventory subunit is suitable for horseback riding, however, this activity would be somewhat limited on mountain sides, peaks and ridges.
Photography: Upper peaks and ridges in particular offer good opportunities for photography. Of particular interest would be the isolated aspen stands in fall foliage in addition to the panoramic views of Pyramid Lake and Honey Lake Valley.
Winter Sports: There are limited opportunities for cross-country skiing, snowshoeing, or dog sledding due to inadequate amounts of snow.
Other Opportunities: There are no opportunities for fishing, river running, canoeing, kayaking, sailing or spelunking within the inventory subunit.
Summary of Primitive and Unconfined Types of Recreation: The inventory subunit does not offer an outstanding opportunity for a primitive and unconfined type of recreation.
Jigger Bob Canyon Subunit: The major recreation opportunities in the Jigger Bob Canyon subunit are limited to hiking, backpacking, camping, sightseeing, and hunting.
Day Hiking: The inventory unit possesses good opportunities for day hikes. The relatively moderate size of the area would afford hikers an opportunity to make circle hikes and view much of the unit in one day. There are no existing trails, potable waters or dispersed recreation sites within the subunit.
Backpacking and Camping: Opportunities are considered fair. Size of the subunit would preclude any lengthy overnight trips. It is reasonable to assume that visitors would tend to camp in the most attractive areas, i.e. peaks, ridges and canyons. Due to the moderate size and configuration of the subunit and limited number of attractive camping sites, it is likely that crowding would occur leading to an inferior recreational experience.
Sightseeing: Opportunities are considered excellent. Higher peaks and ridges offer good views of Pyramid Lake. However, these vantage points also illustrate the imprint of man's work within the inventory subunit. Boundary roads, "cherrystems", fences and water developments would be substantially noticeable from these vantage points.
Hunting: Moderate opportunities exist for hunting mountain and valley quail, deer, chukar, sage-grouse and dove. Antelope inhabit the area, but they are protected by the Nevada Department of Wildlife from hunting. Consideration is also being given to the reintroduction of bighorn sheep.
Mountain and Rock Climbing: The majority of the inventory subunit is mountainous in character with limited opportunities for challenging and diversified rock and mountain climbing.
Horseback Riding: Portions of the inventory subunit are suitable for horseback riding, however, this activity would be somewhat limited on mountain sides, peaks, and ridges.

Photography: Upper peaks and ridges, in particular, offer good opportunities for photography. Of particular interest would be the isolated aspen stands in fall foliage in addition to the panoramic views of Pyramid Lake.
Winter Sports: There are limited opportunities for cross-country skiing, snowshoeing, or dog sledding due to inadequate amounts of snow.
Other Opportunities: There are no opportunities for fishing, river running, canoeing, kayaking, sailing, or spelunking within the inventory subunit.
Summary of Primitive and Unconfined Types of Recreation: Nearly all of the previously mentioned examples of primitive and unconfined types of recreation are limited and none are considered individually outstanding. In addition, their cumulative effect would not be such as to provide an out- standing opportunity through a diversity of activities. The inventory subunit does not offer an outstanding opportunity for a primitive and unconfined type of recreation.
2014 Inventory – The 2014 inventory identified a contiguous core unit of 34,210 acres that constitutes the only subunit with Unit 605 that has been determined to meet all LWC criteria. This core unit comprises acreages, whole or in part, from subunits A, B, C, E, F, J, O, and P. The contiguous core unit meets primitive and unconfined recreation criteria. The core area offers outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation. From the lower foothills to the steeper and more challenging high country, the diversity of landscape and elevation gain offer opportunities for hikers of all skill levels. The south side of Tule Peak offers 3,700 feet of vertical gain and from the northern Pyramid Lake side, nearly 5,000 feet of gain. Outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation also include horseback riding, rockhounding, camping, wildlife viewing, hunting, and photography. External new information from citizen proposals was also considered in the evaluation.

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes __X__ No _____ N/A__

Description: The Incandescent Rocks ACEC forms a critical component of the southern portion of the area. The multi-colored rock formations found within the ACEC extend throughout the southern portion of the core area.

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-605

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? _X_ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? _X_ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? _X_ Yes ___ No ___ N/A

Check one:

_X_ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Lands with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

____ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *SFFO LWC Team*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manager

Date: DEC 04 2014

* This form documents information that constitutes and inventory finding on wilderness characteristics. It does not represent a formal land use allocation or a final agency decision subject to administrative remedies under either 43 CFR parts 4 or 1610.5-3.

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- Forest Service
- National Park Service
- Nevada State Lands
- Park
- Private
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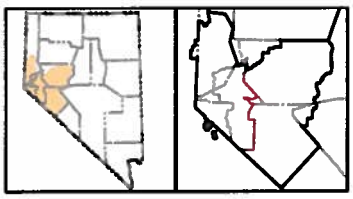

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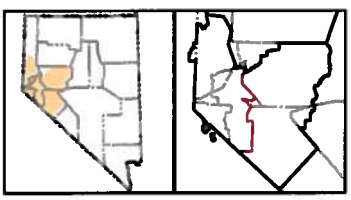

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-606

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Dogskin Mountains

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-606	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-606 Acreage: 33,000
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below).*

Yes ____X____ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current. The unit's geographical context is defined by Dog Skin Mountain Range. Established dirt roads make up most of the boundary. There are some irregular shaped property line boundaries on the eastern boundary due to land ownership patterns.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No __X__ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit. Approximately 5% of the unit is in private ownership. There are numerous well-defined roads with the unit. A portion of the Hungry Valley OHV Open Area is located within the southern part of the unit. Within this portion of the OHV area numerous user created motocross tracks exist. There are numerous range and spring developments within the unit. The unit has significant fire history. A buried gas pipeline is located within the unit along the western boundary.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-606

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _**X**_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _**X**__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _**X**__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _**X**__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_**X**__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

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Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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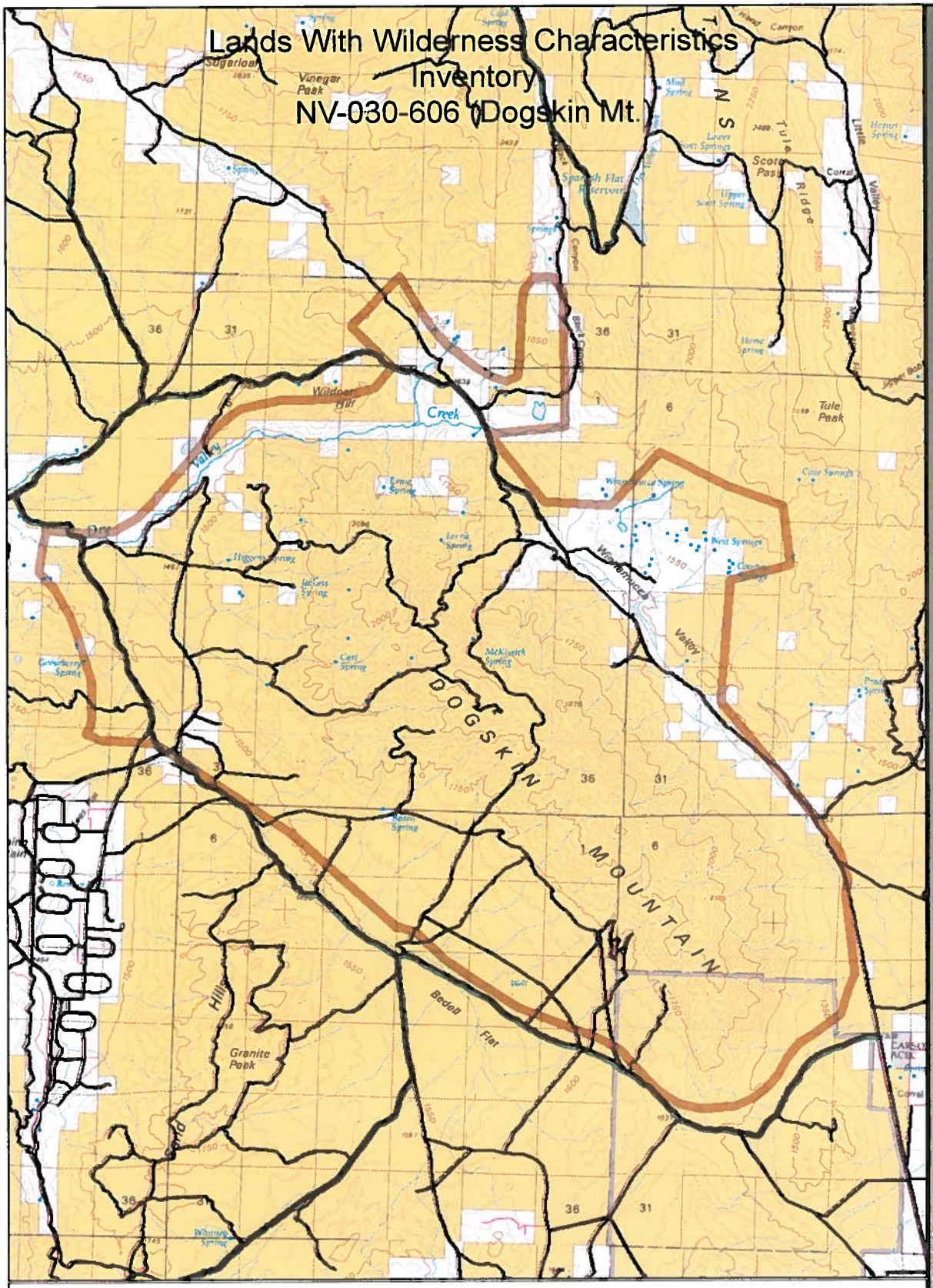
NV-030-606 (Dogskin Mt.)



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Road

BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

Agency

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NV-030-606 (Dogskin Mt.)

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Carson City, Nevada

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-607

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Seven Lakes Mountains

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-607	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-607 Acreage: 9,800
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ____X____ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current. The unit's geographical context is defined by Seven Lakes Mt. and Dry Valley. The unit boundary is defined by established dirt roads.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X___ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit. Private land makes up about 1/3 of the land status in this unit. A communication site with an engineered, bladed, maintained access road exists on the north side of Seven Lakes Mountain east of Highway 395. A power line exists in the unit on private land. The unit has a wild land fire history.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-607

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

__X_ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manager

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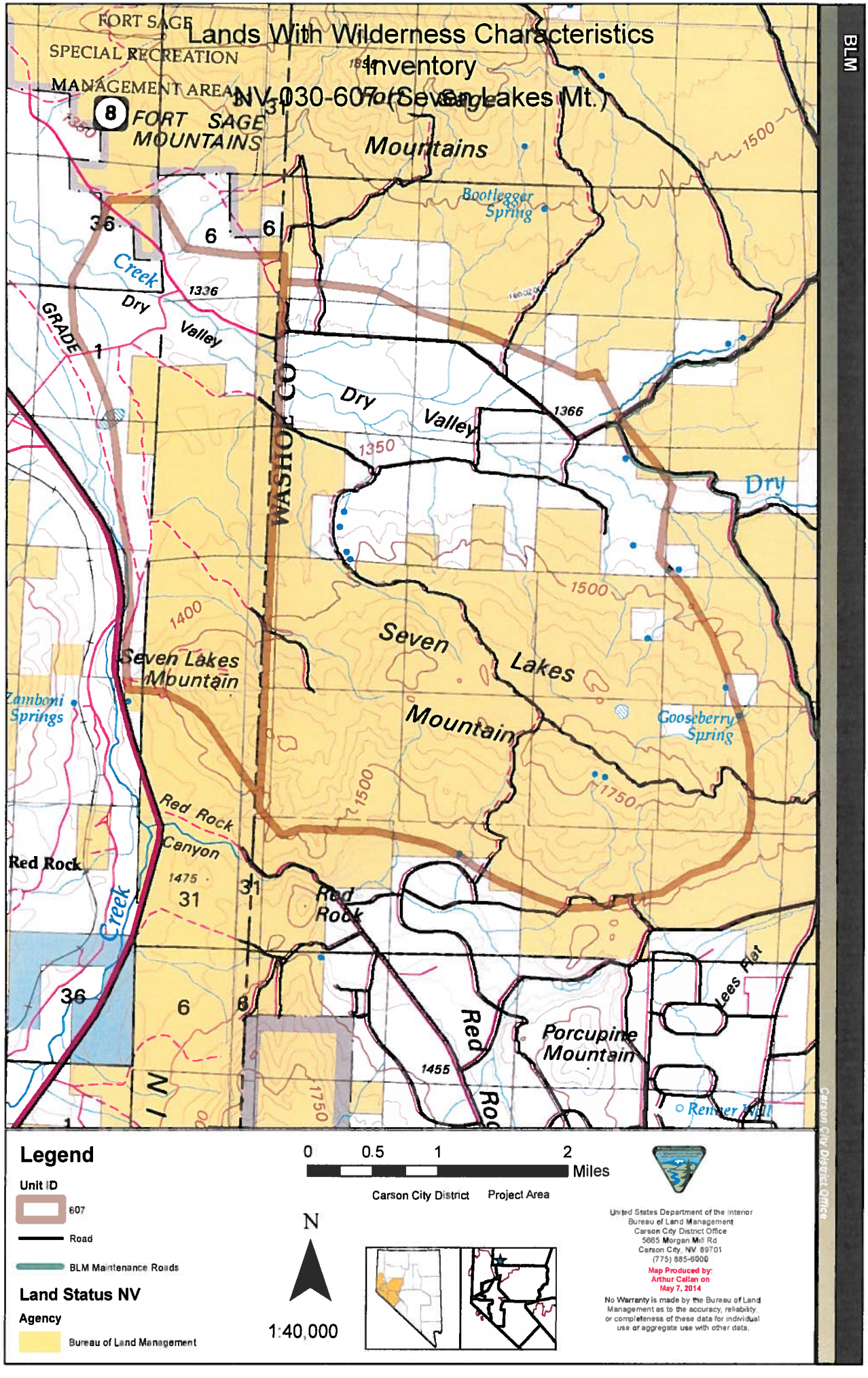

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
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NV-030-607 (Seven Lakes Mt.)
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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory
NV-030-607 (Seven Lakes Mt.)

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-609

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Long Valley

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office /Susanville, CA

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-609	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-609 Acreage: 12,850
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes ____X____ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current. This unit's geographical context is defined by Upper Long Valley and the Highway 395 corridor. Most of the unit boundary is defined by property lines. There are about 12,850 acres of public land within this unit. Approximately half of the unit is private land.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No __X__ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit. Public land configuration within this unit is fractured. Highway 395, State Route 70 and Union Pacific rail line are located within this unit. A power line is located within the highway corridor.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-609

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X__ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members): Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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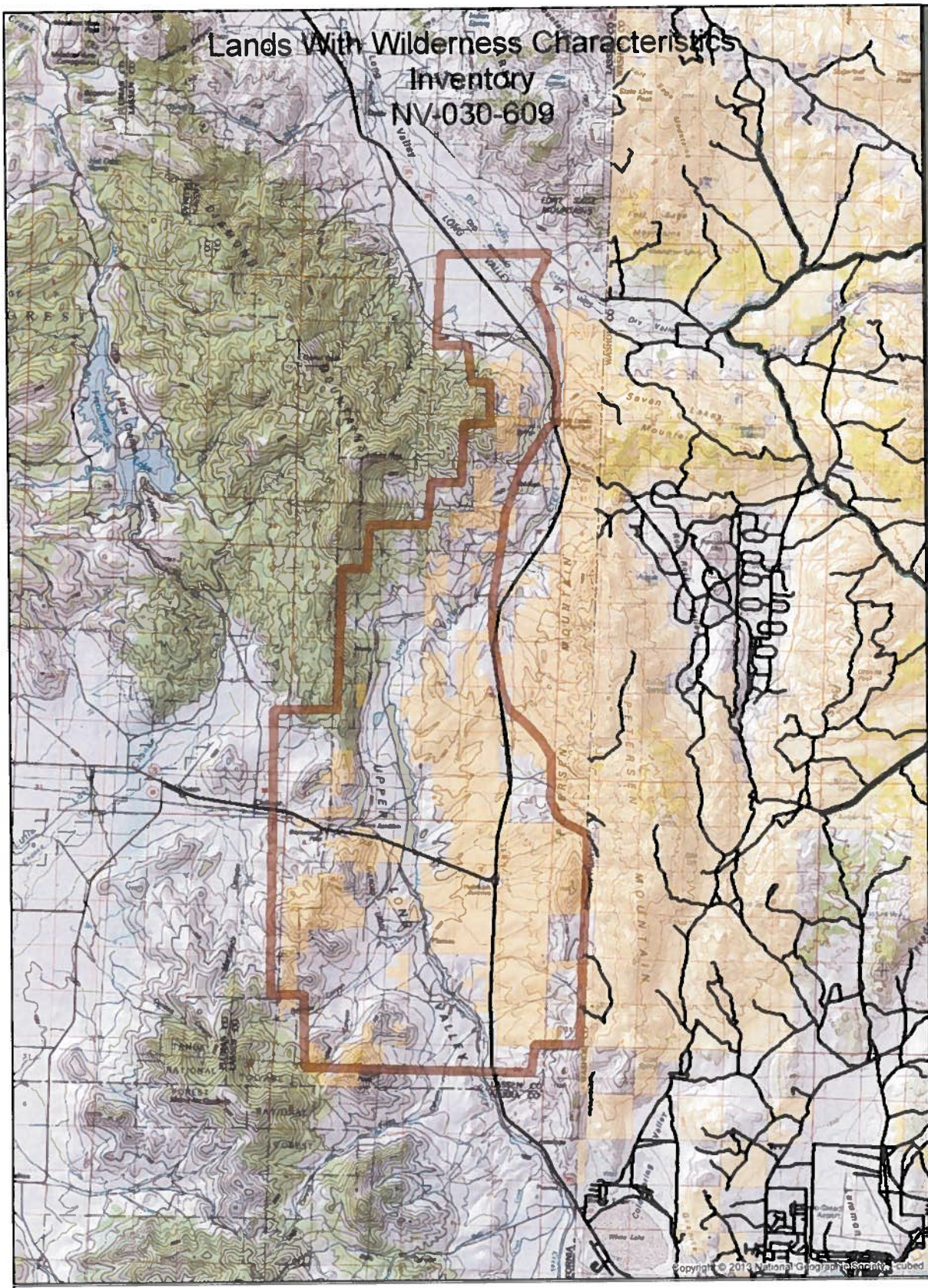

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UNIT_ID
- 609
- Road
- BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

Agency
- Bureau of Land Management
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- DOD
- FWS

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes__X__

   a) Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980; 1997 Inventory (partial)

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-610

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Petersen Mountain / NV-030-610

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Carson City District / Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Intensive Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1980; 1998 Acquired Lands – Petersen Mountain

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-610	Partial	Partial	Minimal	Minimal	Limited

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-610 Acreage: 16,354 (adjusted)

(1) Is the area of sufficient size?

Yes ___X___ No _____

Description:

1980 Inventory – The Petersen Mountain unit consists of 17,170 acres of public land and 480 acres of patented land. These figures are slightly different than those shown in the Situation Evaluation for this unit due to a more careful assessment of the public land acreage within the area during the intensive inventory. Approximately 6,700 acres of this public land is located in California, with the remaining 10,470 acres located in Nevada. The entire unit lies within the Carson City District. Road/way analysis proved to be a major factor in determining area size. The Wilderness Inventory Handbook defines a road as a route which has been "improved and maintained by mechanical means to insure relatively regular and continuous use." A route which carries traffic, but which appeared to have been created and maintained solely by the passage of vehicles was designated a way. Roads to the interior of a unit were intrusions on naturalness and were removed from the unit by indenting the border to follow the road up one side, around the terminus, and down the other side. Ways that showed no mechanical improvement or maintenance and were not substantially noticeable were left within the unit. Documented roads and ways each received a number for reference purposes. Early in the intensive inventory, road documentation necessitated the deletion of 540 acres of public land due to inadequate size. The remaining 16,630 acres of public land finally assessed for wilderness characteristics consist only of the actual roadless area within the original unit.
Area A: U.S. 395 and documented Road 01 form the western and northern boundaries respectively. The eastern boundary is formed by patented lands and the southern boundary consists of a power line and its maintenance way stretching the width of the unit. These boundaries encircle approximately 540 acres of public land. This area is of insufficient size for wilderness consideration. After deletion of the roaded area, the inventory unit consists of one area, Area B.
Area B: This area consists of 16,630 acres and was fully evaluated for the presence or absence of wilderness characteristics.
Conclusion: Area B contains over 5,000 acres of roadless land.
1997 Inventory – In 1996, approximately 3,812 acres of land in the south end of the Petersen Range were transferred into federal ownership. Prior to the transfer, lands south of Petersen Ridge were characterized as checkerboard. With the acquisition of these lands, about 5 ¾ sections were added, effectively changing the south end to a homogenous public land unit. Subsequently, the 1996 transfer prompted a re-evaluation in 1997 for LWC in the Petersen Unit (610). The inventory involved a road inventory with completed worksheets, field pictures, and the production of several maps, however, the report does not include a

narrative evaluation or a final recommendation on the findings. The 1997 report identified four roads and three ways in the acquired lands: Road 015, a complex of roads which form portions of the western boundary in three separate areas, Road 008 which forms the east boundary, Road 010 which provides access to Mud Spring, and Road 011 which provides recreational access (e.g. hunting, camping, other recreation).
2014 Inventory – The southern acquired lands were not included into the 610 unit due to continued travel on ways. A total of 16,354 acres were considered for the 610 unit. External new information was also considered in the evaluation.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes __X__ No _____ N/A_____

Description:
1980 Inventory – This area of 16,630 acres is bounded by U.S. 395, documented roads, a power line, and private lands. Roads 13, 15, 17 and 18 extend into the subunit and have been excluded from the area. These roads approximate seven miles in length. Several other physical intrusions are found within the area. Roughly twenty-six miles of ways are scattered throughout the subunit. Ways 2 and 12 extend into the heart of the area and are used to access springs and fences. Several other ways on the western side of the area provide access to mining activity. Approximately nineteen miles of fence are found within the unit, primarily along the main ridge and running almost the entire length of the area. The remaining fence-lines are found mainly in the southeast portion of the subunit. At least two major and several minor fires have occurred on the mountain in the past thirty years and as a consequence, a great deal of the original vegetation has been eliminated from the area. The entire north central portion of the unit (4,500 acres) was seeded to crested wheatgrass in 1954. Despite the loss of much of the natural vegetation, the area is still apparently natural. This loss of vegetation does have an effect on solitude and recreational opportunities, however, and this will be addressed in the next section of this report. A short pipeline and associated stock tanks are found in the south central portion of the area. As noted earlier, several ways are found on the western side of the unit in association with mining activity. A good deal of uranium exploration has occurred in T. 23 N., R. 18 E., Sec. 29. This activity and the road leading to it was excluded from the unit during the initial inventory. Several other ways and roads in the northwest portion of the subunit also provide access to prospects and mining claims. From the air, these intrusions are substantially noticeable, however, on the ground, the area still appears apparently natural unless one is in close proximity to an intrusion itself. Portions of two grazing allotments are found within the unit and use is heavy throughout much of the area. The northeast part of the unit is utilized primarily by a migratory deer herd. Grazing impacts are not "substantially noticeable", however, and their degree varies with the seasons and use patterns. Boundary modifications to Area B, made in order to exclude three roads and associated mining activity, result in an apparently natural roadless area of approximately 16,610 acres.
Conclusion: Area B is in an essentially natural state where the imprint of man's work is substantially unnoticeable.

1997 Inventory – Based on the information provided in the 1997 inventory, the two boundary roads, two intrusion roads, and three ways identified in the 1997 evaluation of the acquired lands does not detract from the naturalness of the overall unit. In terms of naturalness, the acquired lands appear to be consistent with the original north unit. This assessment is based on the 1997 photo documentation of the unit.
2014 Inventory – The 1980 and 1997 evaluations, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the Petersen unit. External new information from citizen based proposals was also considered in the evaluation.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes ____ No __X__ N/A____

Description:

1980 Inventory –
Solitude Narrative: Solitude is defined in the Wilderness Handbook as "the state of being alone or remote from others, isolation; a lonely or secluded place". Although some subjective judgments must be made in assessing this criterion, the Handbook has established guidelines delineating factors which influence solitude, including "size, natural screening, and the ability of the user to find a secluded spot". Configuration of an area, as well as size, is important in determining a user's ability to avoid the sights and sounds of other people. Natural screening is a product of interaction between varied topography and the presence of vegetation, resulting in seclusion and isolation. All of these factors are addressed below.
Area B Size: This elongated unit ranges from two to four miles in width (east-west), and seven to nine miles in length (north-south). It contains 16,610 acres of public land. A 480-acre private in-holding is found in the southern portion of the unit and the majority of the unit's boundaries are formed by adjacent private lands, thus giving the subunit a somewhat odd configuration. Development in the Rancho Haven subdivision on the east side of the unit already butts up against the unit's boundary in this area. At no point within the unit is a visitor more than 1.5 miles from a road. A boundary road or mining activity is visible from virtually any high point within the unit. Given these considerations, the area's size is not conducive to an outstanding solitude experience.
Natural Screening: Topographic and vegetative screening is moderate within this area. There is one main ridgeline running the length of the unit, with a shorter ridge running for about two miles just to the west of it in the center of the unit. Other than the relatively open valley between these two ridges, and the basin further south around Lake Spring, there are no other major valleys or canyons within the area. The mountain rises from the flats on either side of it and culminates in the one main ridgeline. Drainages tend to be relatively small and not deeply cut. Topographic screening is poor in the lower parts of the unit, both on the west side where flats and low hills predominate, and on the east side where one can look along virtually the entire length of the unit and to the top of the main ridge. Even in the mountainous terrain, the topography is not highly dissected and a visitor is not that well screened. Only in the northwest corner of the subunit does the topography provide good

screening opportunities. The fact that there is only one major ridgeline and that the area is only moderately dissected, greatly limits the effectiveness of topographic screening within this area. Vegetative screening is poor. As mentioned earlier, fires have ravaged the mountain in the past and much of the original vegetation has been eliminated.Consequently, dominant species are sagebrush, cheatgrass and rabbitbrush, none of which provide any substantial screening. Several of these species prevail even at the higher elevations, thus giving the mountain a stark, relatively barren appearance. Some juniper can be found scattered throughout the northern and western portions of the area, but there are no thick stands and they provide only moderate screening. In the southeast portion of the subunit, somewhat denser stands of juniper and mountain mahogany can be found, but even here, vegetative screening is only fair due to the fact that these stands occur primarily along a small section of the mountain's eastern slope and southern end. An isolated stand of Jeffrey pine is found in T. 23 N., R. 18 E., Sec. 33, and small stands of aspen are found in the area north of Horse Spring. The main ridge, which would almost certainly be the primary destination point for a dispersed recreation user, offers little screening and frequent unrestricted views of one or more boundary roads and/or human activity in either Long or Red Rock Valleys. The loss of much of the original vegetation to fire has adversely impacted vegetative screening in the area also.

Ability of the User to Find a Secluded Spot: From virtually any high point in the area a visitor can see at least one boundary road as well as other parties on nearby ridges or mountaintops. The mountainous portion of the unit likely would be the primary destination point for most visitors, yet the lack of natural screening would make it difficult to avoid the sights and sounds of other persons in the area. There are few good camping areas and water availability is restricted to six small springs on the east side of the unit and a stock tank in the south central part of the area. All but one of these springs is accessible by a documented way and several have been impacted by grazing activities. What water is available would have to be purified before it could be used for human consumption. It would be extremely difficult to find spots where true seclusion and isolation could be experienced.

Conclusion: Area B does not possess outstanding opportunities for solitude due to its elongated configuration around a single ridgeline and the significant presence of human activity immediately adjacent to its northwestern and northeastern boundaries, the general lack of natural screening, and the limited opportunities for a user to find a secluded spot within the area.

1997 Inventory – No assessment was made on the impacts of the additional 3,812 acres on the southern end of range and its impacts on solitude.

2014 Inventory – BLM guidelines for evaluating LWC have changed since 1980.The southern and eastern boundary of the unit border residential areas. There is continual off-road motorized recreational use within the unit that detracts from solitude. The 2014 evaluation documented a lack of solitude due to the long and narrow configuration of the 610 unit. New information from a citizen based proposal was considered. It is the conclusion of this evaluation that there are no outstanding opportunities for solitude in the unit that are superior to its kind.

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No ___X___ N/A____

Description:

1980 Inventory – The Wilderness Inventory Handbook defined "primitive and unconfined recreation" as "those activities that provide dispersed, undeveloped recreation which do not require facilities or motorized equipment." Examples of such activities include hiking, backpacking, hunting, horseback riding, rock climbing and sightseeing for botanical, zoological or geological features. An area is considered to have outstanding opportunities for this type of recreation either through a diversity of possible activities, or the outstanding quality of one activity.

Area B Hunting: Deer and chukar hunting is considered to be only fair. Part of the Lassen-Washoe migratory deer herd winters in the unit.

Winter Sports: The area above 7,000' elevation generally receives a good snow- pack, while snowfall at lower elevations is spotty and coverage poor. Access to the higher elevations is restricted in the winter months and would require either difficult four-wheel driving or more likely, walking. The area is not known for its quality skiing and snowshoeing opportunities, and little use of this type occurs. The feasibility of enjoying a quality winter sport's experience is poor.

Day Hiking: Opportunities are moderate to good. The relatively small size of the unit allows a recreationist to make circle hikes and yet see much of the unit within the space of a day. One could also be dropped off on either the east or west side of the area, cross the unit, and be met on the opposite side. There are few features which would be an attraction to day hikers however, and the various intrusions noted earlier would detract from a quality experience. The north-south fence-lines also may prove to be an impediment to cross-country travel.

Backpacking/Camping: Opportunities for backpacking and camping are marginal. The relatively small size of the unit precludes lengthy trips and no spot within the area is more than one and one-half miles from a documented road. Several man-made intrusions would undoubtedly be encountered during such a trip and the nearly twenty miles of fence in the area could present an impediment to persons traversing the unit. Water is scarce within the subunit (as noted above) and would need to be purified before drinking. There are no perennial streams in the subunit. Limited natural screening and the dearth of suitable campsites likely would result in recreationists frequently being able to see and hear other users in the area. In addition, given the general character of the subunit (largely a single mountain and ridgeline), it is highly probable that backpackers often would encounter other users while hiking along or across this key feature. While limited opportunities for backpacking and camping do exist, they are far from outstanding.

Mountain/Rock Climbing: The mountainous character of much of the subunit necessitates a certain amount of relatively easy mountain and rock climbing simply to get around within the area. However, opportunities for this type of activity alone are poor. There are no good technical climbing opportunities within the subunit.

Horseback Riding: Opportunities for horseback riding are fair. Forage and water are both available, but in limited quantities. A horseback rider could traverse the unit within a day even if he rode along the north-south ridgeline. Much of the terrain is rocky and steep however, and would be rough going for a horse and rider. There are no outstanding features to attract a rider and he frequently would be in sight of the works of man. Suitable campsites require water, thus limiting the possibilities to those areas around springs on the east side of the unit.

Sightseeing: Sightseeing opportunities are fair. Looking outside the unit from the area's ridge tops, vistas frequently include major works of man such as the Rancho Haven subdivision in Red Rock Valley on the east, and U.S. 395 and State Highway 24 on the west. The stands of mountain mahogany and Jeffrey pine on the south-east side of the area provide limited botanical sightseeing opportunities. Deer and rabbit are the major animal species which a visitor might encounter. Mountain lions are believed to migrate across the mountain, but there have been no reported sightings. A small golden eagle population is known to nest in the area. There is an interesting rock formation in T. 23 N., R. 18 E., Sec. 32, but otherwise there are no geological features which would attract a recreationist to the area.

Conclusion: No single dispersed recreation opportunity is outstanding. Day hiking and sightseeing opportunities are fair to good, but all of the other activities discussed above provide only poor to marginal opportunities. Even in combination, these activities do not provide an outstanding opportunity for primitive and unconfined recreation.

1997 Inventory – No assessment was made on the impacts of the additional 3,812 acres on the southern end of range and its impacts on primitive and unconfined recreation.

2014 Inventory – BLM guidelines for evaluating LWC have changed since 1980. The 1980 evaluation, including the conclusion on primitive and unconfined recreation, remains current for the Petersen unit. New information from a citizen based proposal was considered in the evaluation. It is the conclusion of this evaluation that there are no outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation in the unit that are superior to its kind.

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A___X___

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-610

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? __X__ Yes ____ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __X__ Yes ____ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? _____ Yes _X_ No ___ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? _____ Yes ____ No _X_ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Lands with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

_X_ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *Niki Cutler*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics Inventory NV-030-610

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Petersen Mt.
NV-030-610

Bureau of Land Management, National Operations Center, 100K Mapping Group, OC-535

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N

Legend

- LWC
- LWC 1980 Instensive
- Bureau of Indian Affairs
- Bureau of Land Management
- Bureau of Reclamation
- California County
- Department of Defense
- Department of Energy
- Fish and Wildlife Service
- Forest Service
- National Park Service
- Nevada State Lands
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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-611

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Granite Peak

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-611	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-611 Acreage: 14,400
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current. The geographical context of this unit is defined by Sand Hills and Red Rock Valley. The boundary is irregular shaped and is defined by established dirt and paved roads.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X__ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit. At least 1/3 of the unit is developed, residential private land. Numerous range developments exist within the Sand Hills and Bedell Flat area including a corral and several vegetation treatment areas and enclosed plot study sites. A pipe line is also located within the unit along the ridge.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-611

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

__X_ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manager

Date: DEC 04 2014

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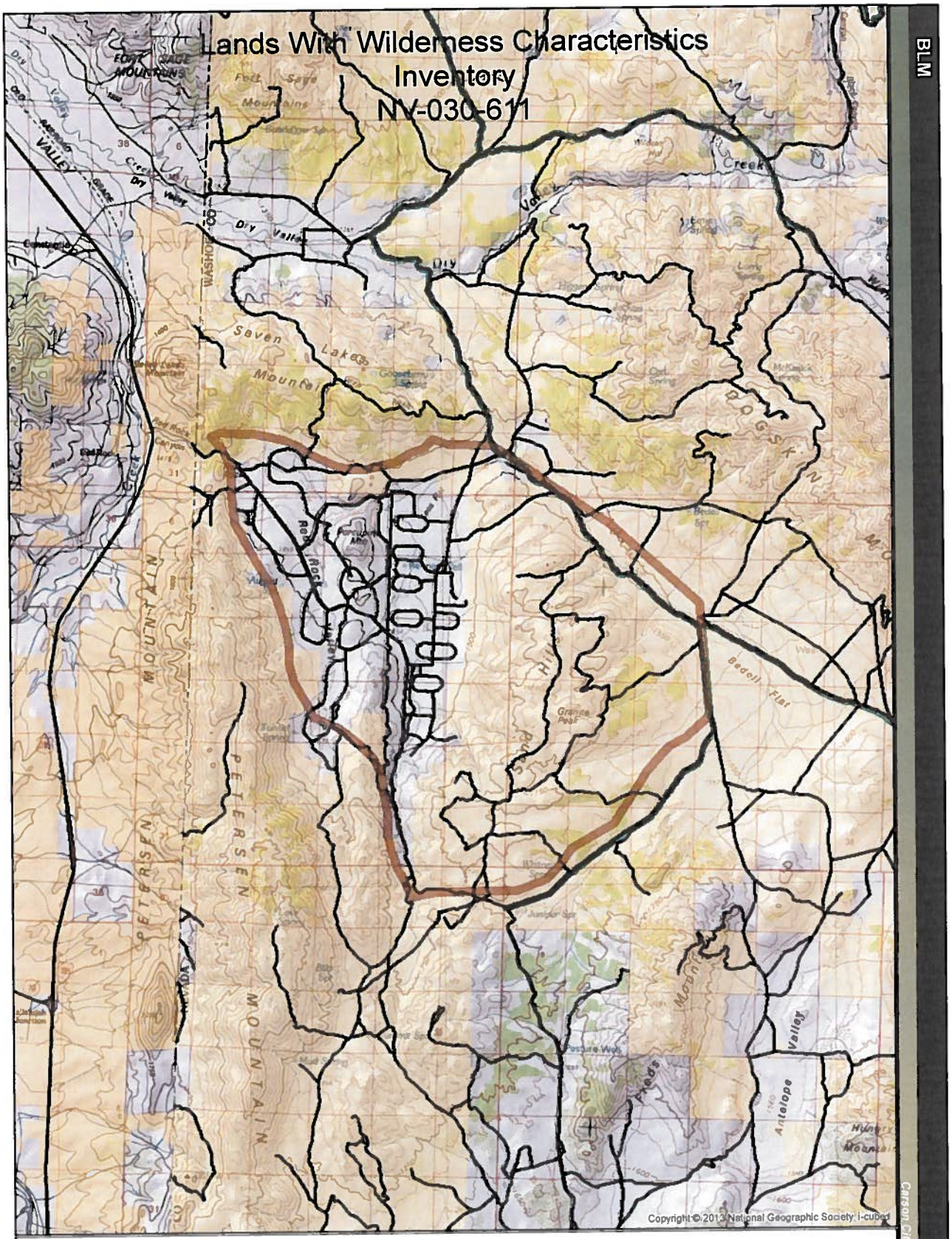

BLM

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Legend

UNIT_ID

611

Road

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Land Status NV

Agency

Bureau of Land Management

BIA

DOD

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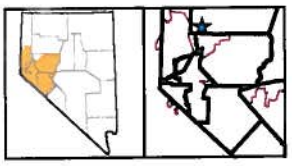

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
Inventory Area Evaluation

Form 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-612

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Hungry Valley

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-612	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-612 Acreage: 77,400
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below).*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current. The geographical context of this unit is defined by the cities of Reno and Sparks, Nevada including outlying communities such as Sun, Lemmon, Spanish Springs, Cold Springs, and Golden Valleys. Subsequently, the unit is defined by the urban interface between private and public land. Hungry Valley Recreation Area and Stead Motocross, both popular BLM OHV attractions, are also located within the unit.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X__ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit. This unit is the public and private land urban interface for the Reno, Nevada metropolitan area. NOTE: several small parcels (previously private lands) on the south end of Petersen Mountain have been identified by a citizen based inventory as having LWC. This area will be further addressed in the evaluation of the Petersen Mt. unit (610).

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-612

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes _X__ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

__X_ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager)*:

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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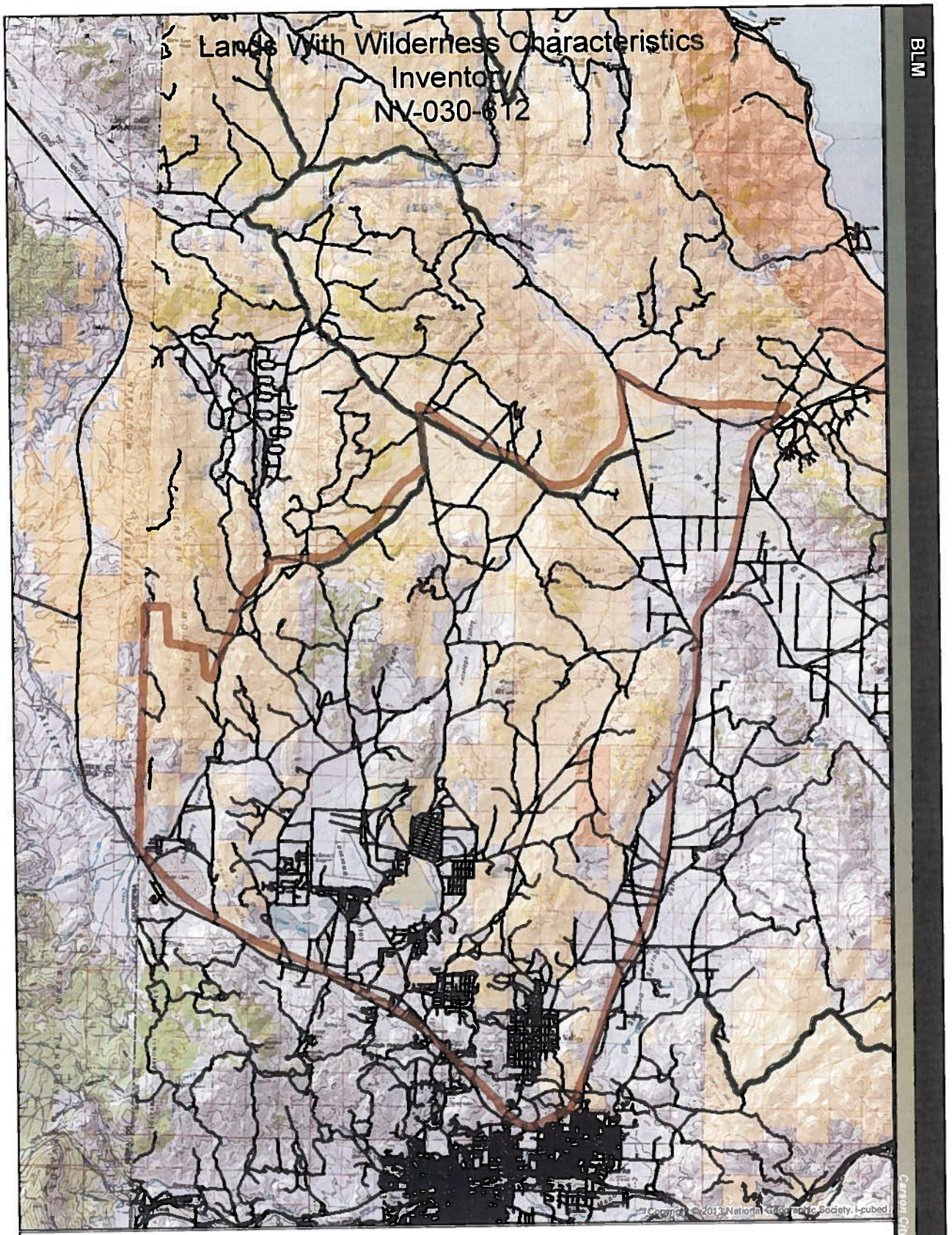

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UNIT_ID
- 612
- Road
- BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

Agency
- Bureau of Land Management
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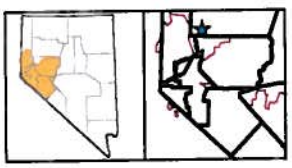

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-613

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Pah Rah Range

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-613	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-613 Acreage: 230,000
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes __X__ No _____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit remain current. The geographic and demographic context of this unit is defined by the cities of Reno and Sparks, Nevada including the outlying community of Spanish Springs. Subsequently, the unit is defined by the urban interface between private and public land. Warm Springs Valley and the Pah Rah Range are prominent geographic features in the unit.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No _X__ N/A_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*
2014 Inventory - The 1979 evaluation, including the conclusion on naturalness, remains current for the unit. This unit constitutes the public and private land urban interface for the Reno, Nevada metropolitan area. Approximately 2/3 of the unit land status is private land. Some of the public land in the south part of the unit is checkerboard. The unit's south boundary is delineated by Highway 80 corridor whereas the western boundary by Pyramid Highway. The "north" and east boundaries are defined by property lines. There are numerous roads within the unit. There are at least two pipelines and a transmission line in the southern portion of the unit. Several mineral material sites are located within the unit near Mullen Pass. Numerous range developments exist in the western section of the unit.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X__

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-613

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? _X_ Yes ___ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes __X_ No ___ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No X___ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

__X_ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members): Arthur Callan - ORP*

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

Name: _____ Title: Sierra Front Field Manager

Date: DEC 0 4 2014

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Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 1**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

   No _____*(Go to Form 2)* Yes ____**X**___ *(If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):*

   a) Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

   b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): NV-030-614

   c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): Peavine

   d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Sierra Front Field Office

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

   Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):
   Inventory Source: Initial Inventory Decisions Public Lands Administered by the BLM Nevada 1979

Area Unique Identifier	**Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)**	**Naturalness? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No**	**Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No**	**Supplemental Values? Yes/No**
NV-030-614	Yes	No	No	No	No

Lands With Wilderness Characteristics **Form 2**
Inventory Area Evaluation

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-614 Acreage: 7,350
(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately)

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? *(If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception in the space provided below),*

Yes _____ No ___X_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc.):*

2014 Inventory - The 1979 unit boundaries and size recommendations for the unit do not remain current. All public lands within this unit were transferred to the U.S. Forest Service in the Forest Enhancement Act of 1988. The land acquired by USFS in 1988 is not WSA or an area of Recommended Wilderness (USFS).

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes _____ No ____ N/A___X_____
Note: If "No" is checked the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for the remaining questions below.

Description: *(include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities):*

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X_

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):*

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A__X__

Note: If "No" is checked for both 3 and 4 the area does not have wilderness characteristics; check "NA" for question 5.

Description: *(describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):*

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes _____ No _____ N/A_X_

Description:

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: NV-030-614

Summary

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? __ Yes _X__ No

2. Does the area appear to be natural? __ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? ___ Yes ___ No _X__ N/A

4. Does the area have supplemental values? ___ Yes ___ No __X_ N/A

Check one:

___ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as Land with Wilderness Characteristics (LWC).

__X_ The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

Prepared by: *(team members):* Arthur Callan - ORP

Reviewed by *(District or Field Manager):*

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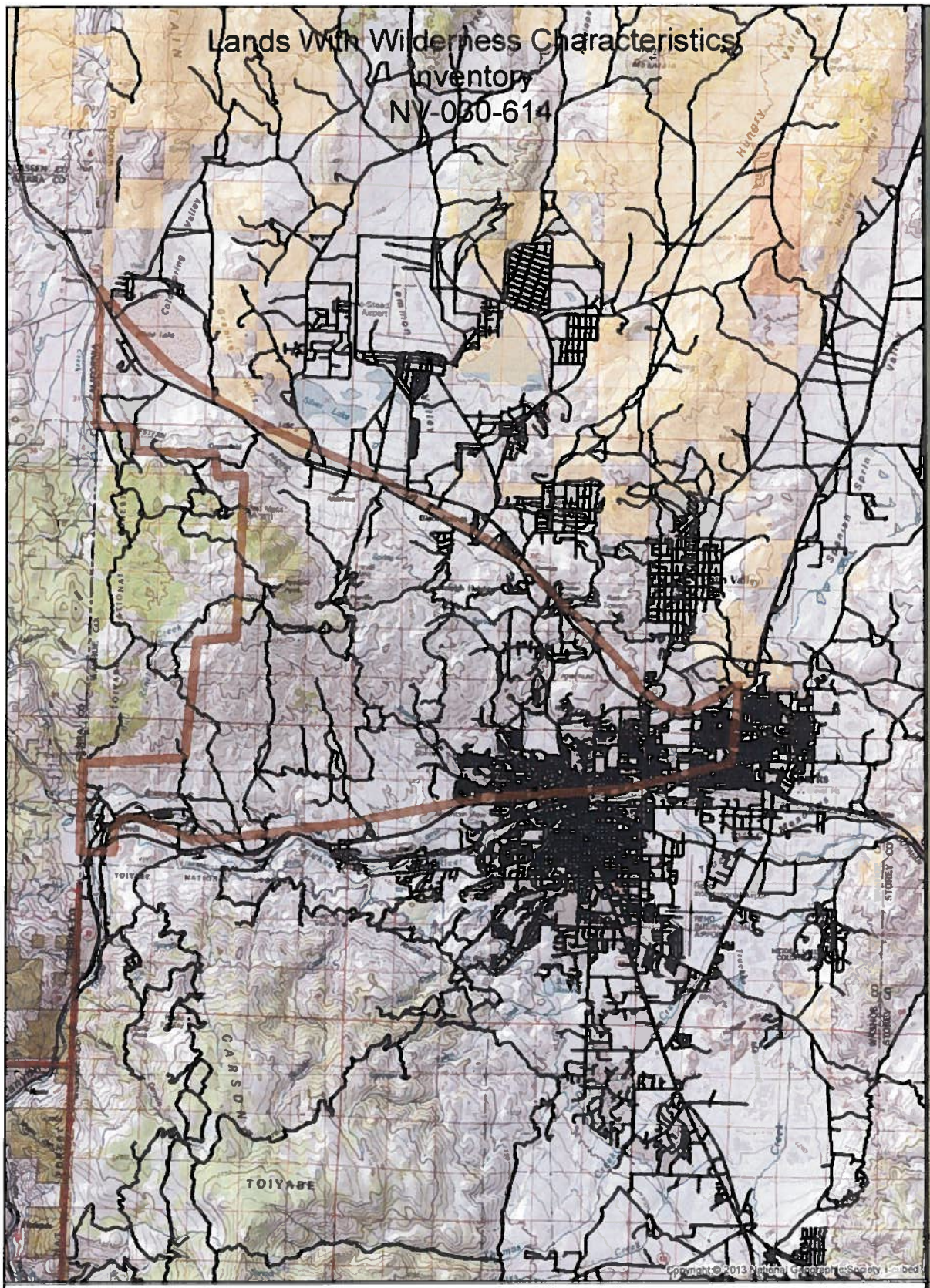

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BLM Maintenance Roads

Land Status NV

Agency

Bureau of Land Management

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DOD

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0 1.75 3.5 7 Miles

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