

Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI)
Skinny Dipper Hot Springs Temporary Restriction
Environmental Assessment - DOI-BLM- ID-B010-2012-0030-EA

On the basis of the information and analysis contained in the Skinny Dipper Hot Springs Temporary Restriction Environmental Assessment (DOI-BLM-ID-B010-2012-0030-EA), I have determined that there are no significant impacts associated with the proposed action. In carefully considering a variety of potential impacts and effects, I have determined that:

- 1) the region affected by the project is local, and not widespread;
- 2) the restriction would not have negative impacts on cultural or wildlife resources, threatened or endangered species, or sites listed on or eligible for the National Register of Historic Places, and no unique characteristics or special designations would be negatively affected by the project;
- (3) there is no apparent controversy about how this action might affect the quality of the human environment;
- (4) there are no highly uncertain or unknown risks in implementing this project;
- (5) the action appears to be unrelated with any other action that could be significant;
- (6) implementation of this action would not violate any law or regulation that protects the environment;
- (7) this action does not set a precedent for future actions that may have significant effects; and
- (8) the project will enhance public health and safety.

Based on the analysis of impacts contained in Environmental Assessment DOI-BLM-ID-B010-2012-0030-EA, and its supporting documentation, I have determined that the impacts of this action are not expected to be significant, and an Environmental Impact Statement is not required.

/s/ Terry A Humphrey

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