

**UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT  
SALMON FIELD OFFICE**

**Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI)**

**Environmental Assessment (EA) No.: EA # DOI-BLM-ID-I010-2014-0009-EA**

**Proposed Action:**

Issue a Special Recreation Permit (SRP) for a one-day competitive endurance run along portions of the Continental Divide Trail (CDT). At the end of the race, the course will follow a BLM-managed two-track road for two miles within the Bohannon drainage. The route then follows a well-established cattle trail on BLM-managed lands for an additional ½ mile, north of the fence line separating the privately owned Eagle Valley Ranch and BLM-managed lands. Upon course completion, the cattle trail connects with private property in the Geertson Creek drainage area. There will be one small aid station set-up along the BLM-managed portion of the CDT to attend to possible injuries and pass out water. Stipulations address trash removal, safety/emergency protocols, advertising event so the non-participating public is aware.

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**Contact Person: Shannon Bassista, Outdoor Recreation Planner**

**Location of Action:**

This endurance run incorporates a 100K and a 50K running race along the CDT. The 100K begins at Bannock Pass and the 50K begins at Lemhi Pass. The race is primarily located on US Forest Service-managed portions of the CDT. Land ownership breakdown for the endurance run course is: BLM manages 10 miles, US Forest Service manages 45 miles, the State of Idaho manages two miles, and private landowners own three miles. The portion of the race on BLM-managed land is broken down as follows: 7.5 miles on the CDT, approximately 2 miles on two-track in the Bohannon Creek drainage, ½ mile of well-established livestock trail from the Bohannon Creek drainage to private property in the Geertson Creek drainage area.

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I have reviewed this EA including the explanation and resolution of any potentially significant environmental impacts. I have determined that the proposed action will not have any significant impacts on the human environment and an Environmental Impact Statement is not required.

Salmon Field Manager /s/ Linda R. Price

Date: 06/04/2014