Range-Wide Management Considerations

Habitat Management Area (HMA) Alignments

- Review new information and consider adjustment or confirmation of HMA boundaries.
- Consider criteria for addressing non-habitat within HMAs.
- Review ACEC nominations as required.

Mitigation Process

 Identify mitigation standard and strategies needed to support conservation and restoration of resilient habitats.

Habitat Objectives

• Provide consistent application of habitat objectives while allowing for site variability across the range and flexibility to account for new information.

Disturbance Caps

• Minimize disturbance to habitats consistent with impacts to local populations and lessons learned during implementation.

Fluid Mineral Development and Leasing Objective

• Improve clarity and consistency of fluid mineral objective in greater sage-grouse HMAs.

Oil and Gas Waivers, Exceptions, and Modifications (WEMs)

• Improve the clarity and consistency for circumstances when BLM managers could consider granting WEMs in HMAs.

Renewable Energy Development and Transmission

 Review and consider updates to management for these uses that are increasing in importance and prevalence range-wide.

Livestock Grazing

• Simplify and focus RMP-level livestock grazing management actions that guide implementation-level authorizations to maintain land health.

Wild Horses and Burros

• Clarify RMP-level management actions guiding implementation-level activities to maintain land health and meet habitat objectives.

Threats from Predation

 Provide management and guidance within BLM's jurisdiction for addressing threats from predation

Adaptive Management

 Consider management responses to population and habitat changes unrelated to climate factors regardless of state boundaries.

State-Specific Circumstances

• Address unique specific circumstances that need to be addressed at the RMP level.