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Dear Reader:

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The Bureau of Land Management (BLM), Sierra Front Field Office in Carson City, Nevada, is initiating a 30-day external scoping period and is seeking public input in preparation of a National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) document for the proposed Lahontan wild horse gather. The BLM is also seeking public comments and input under Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act for the project. This includes seeking information and identifying historic properties in or near the project area. Please reference the attached map for the location of the Lahontan Herd Management Area (HMA) within Lyon County, NV.

BLM is considering a gather to remove excess wild horses inside and outside of the Lahontan HMA to achieve the low end of the established appropriate management level (AML). The AML for the Lahontan HMA is 7-10 wild horses. The estimated wild horse population is 518 wild horses based on an aerial census flight from 2024.

The 30-day public scoping period is from December 11, 2024 to January 10, 2025. BLM prefers comments to be submitted via the ePlanning website at: <https://eplanning.blm.gov/eplanning-ui/project/2035674/510>. Comments may also be submitted via mail to: 5665 Morgan Mill Road, Carson City, NV 89701, or fax at (775)-885-6147. Written comments must be postmarked or otherwise hand delivered by 4:30 PM on or before January 10, 2025. There will be an opportunity to comment on the NEPA document once it is prepared.

Should you have any questions or access issues, email blm_nv_ccd_whb@blm.gov. Please do not submit scoping comments through this email.

Privacy notice: before including address, phone number, email-address, or any other personal identifying information in your comments, be advised that your entire comment, including personal identifying information, may be made publicly available at any time. While individuals may request that the BLM withhold personal identifying information from public view, the BLM cannot guarantee it will be able to do so. If you wish us to withhold your personal information you must state this prominently at the beginning of your comment. We will make all submissions from organizations or businesses, available for public disclosure in their entirety.

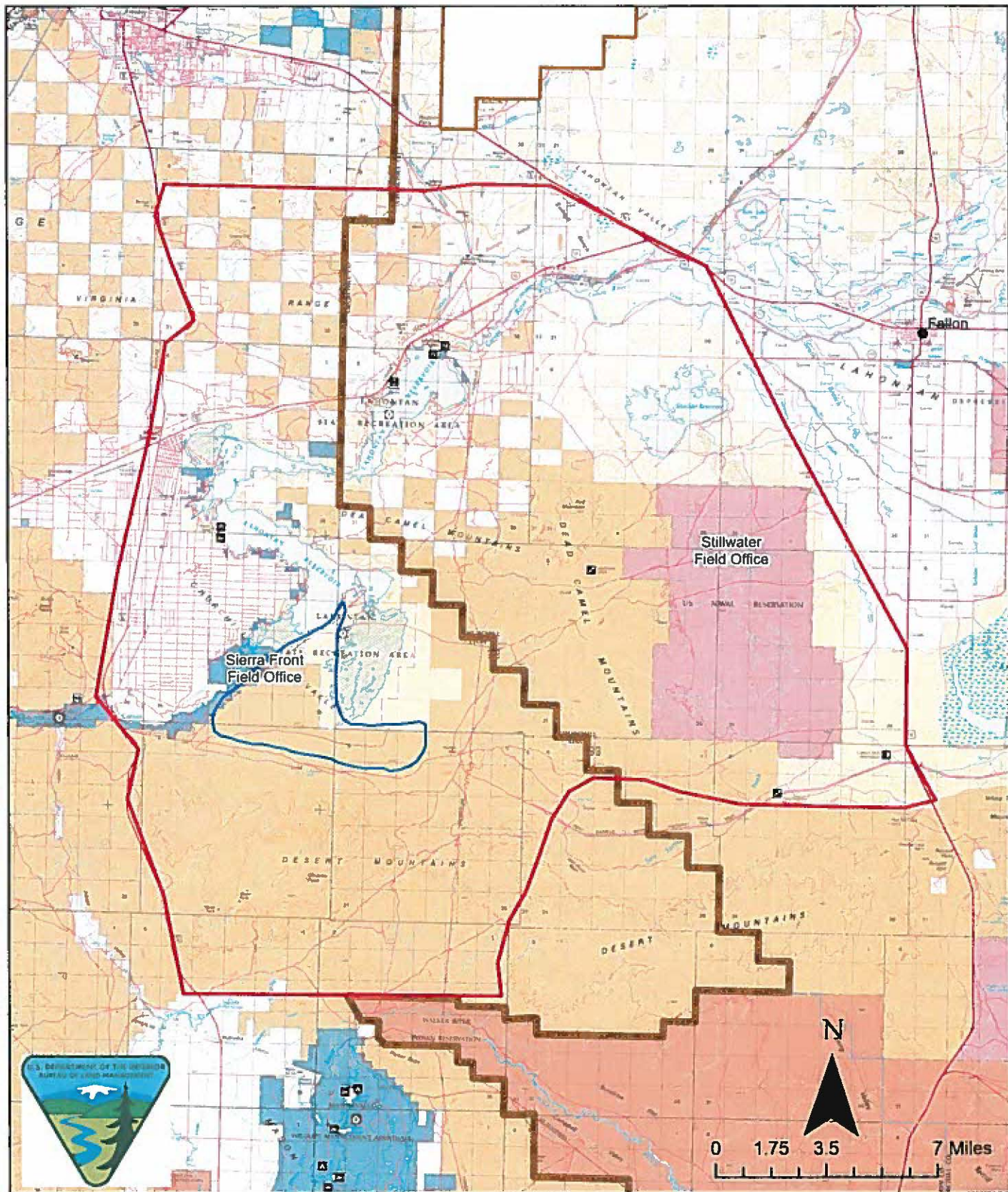
Sincerely,

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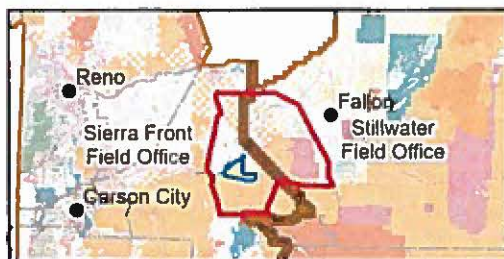
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