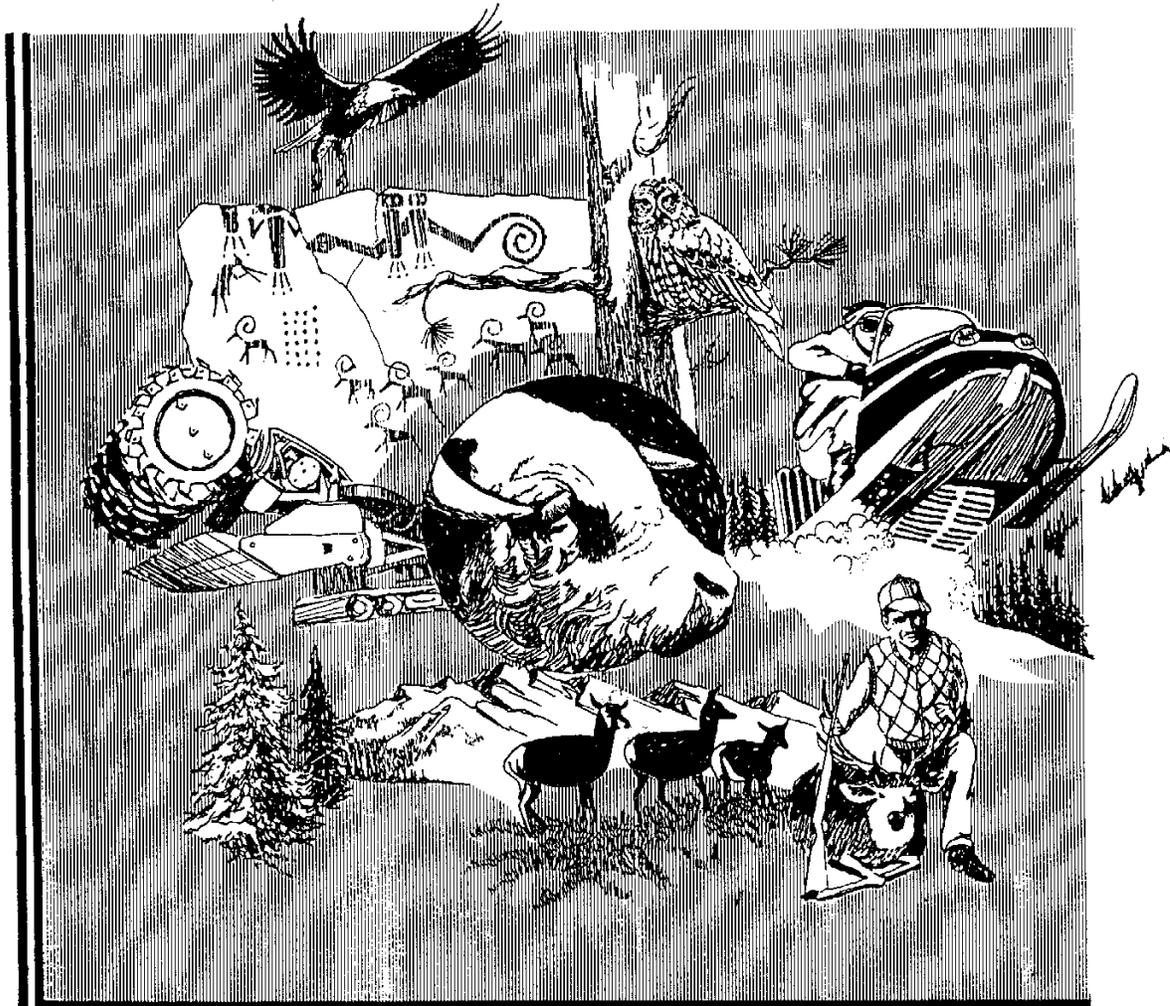


LAND AND RESOURCE MANAGEMENT PLAN



MANTI-LASAL NATIONAL FOREST



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PREFACE

This Land and Resource Management Plan has been developed for the Manti-LaSal National Forest. For information pertaining to the development of this Forest Plan, details can be provided by :

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Applicable Laws and Regulations

The principal acts providing direction in developing this Land and Resource Management Plan are:

1. Multiple Use and Sustained Yield Act of 1960
2. National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) of 1969
3. Forest Rangeland Resources Planning Act (RPA) of 1974
4. National Forest Management Act (NFMA) of 1976

RPA requires the Forest Service to conduct an assessment or inventory of the Nation's renewable resources and develop a program for use of the resources. The assessment includes the determination of the capability of all National Forest System lands to provide various goods and services. It also includes an estimation of future demands for those goods and services.

Public Review and Appeal

If any particular provision of this proposed action, or the application thereof to any person or circumstances, is held invalid, the remainder of the proposed action and the application of such provision to other persons or circumstances shall not be affected thereby.

The right to request an administrative appeal of the Regional decision to approve a forest plan is contained in 36 CFR 211.18 (d), which describes the appeal process. The appeal is limited to the issues raised during the planning process. Intermediate decisions made during the planning process prior to the approval or disapproval decisions are not reviewed.

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KEY TO ABBREVIATIONS

Many of the terms used in Forest Planning are often abbreviated in tables and text to conserve space. Those abbreviations are listed below. Terms with an asterisk have a complete definition in the Glossary.

Ac.Ft.*	-Acre-feet	MVP	-Minimum Viable Population
AF	-Alpine fir	NA	-No Action Alternative
AMS	-Analysis of the Management	NEPA	-National Environmental Policy Act
ATV	Situation	NFS	-National Forest System
AUM*	-All Terrain Vehicle	NFMA	-National Forest Management Act
BACT*	-Animal Unit Month	NPB*	-Net Public Benefit
Bd. Ft.*	-Best Available Control Technology	ORV's*	-Off-Road Vehicles
BCI*	-Board Foot	PA	-Preferred Alternative
BCR*	-Biological Condition Index	PAI	-Periodic Annual Increment
BMP*	-Benefit Cost Ratio	PAOT*	-Persons at One Time
BTU	-Best Management Practice	PNV*	-Present Net Value
CFR*	-British Thermal Unit	PP	-Ponderosa Pine
Cu. Ft.*	-Code of Federal Regulations	PVB*	-Present Value of Benefits
DAT*	-Cubic Foot	PVC*	-Present Value of Costs
DBH*	-Diversity Index	RARE II*	-Roadless Area Review and Evaluation No. Two
DF	-Diameter at Breast Height	RIM*	-Recreation Information Management
DIB	-Douglas Fir	RPA*	-Forest and Rangeland Renewable Resource Planning Act
EIS	-Diameter Inside Bark	RNA*	-Research Natural Area
FIL*	-Environmental Impact Statement	ROS*	-Recreation Opportunity Spectrum
FSH	-Fire Intensity Level	ROW	-Rights-of-Way
FSM	-Forest Service Handbook	RSM*	-Reduced Service Management
G.A.	-Forest Service Manual	RVD's*	-Recreation Visitor Days
GAWS	-General Administration	SDI	-Stand Density Index
HCI*	-General Aquatic Wildlife Systems	SP	-Spruce
HRU*	-Habitat Condition Index	S&W	-Soil and Water
ID*	-Human Resource Unit	SPM*	-Semiprimitive Motorized
lb(s)	-Interdisciplinary Team	SPNM*	-Semiprimitive Nonmotorized
M	-Pounds	SRU*	-Social Resource Unit
Max	-Thousand	TEP*	-Trade-off Evaluation Process
MBF*	-Maximum	TSI*	-Timber Stand Improvement
MC	-Thousand Board Feet	UDWR	-Utah Division of Wildlife Resource
MCF	-Mixed Conifer	VQO*	-Visual Quality Objective
MIS*	-Thousand Cubic Feet	WF	-White Fir
MKT	-Management Indicator Species	WFUD's	-Wildlife and Fish User Days
MM	-Market	ZOI*	-Zone of Influence
MMBF	-Million		
MMCF	-Million Board Feet		
MRVD	-Million Cubic Feet		
	-Thousand Recreation Visitor Days		

