

A Message

FROM THE FOREST

As I enter my fourth year of leading the Siuslaw National Forest, the power of partnerships becomes more and more apparent to me. Whether it is money we leverage to get work done on the ground, or with people who offer their valuable skills and time to help us, we could not manage without them.

Partners helped us win not one, but three Chief of the Forest Service's top honors this year. **Breaking Gridlock**—by building a community of trust; **Stewardship**—watershed protection and conservation, and **Rise to the Future**—watershed restoration and fish program.

Partners got us to Australia, where we were one of five river restoration nominations for the Brisbane **RiverPrize** award. Competing internationally was thrilling and quite an honor.

What else was outstanding? We not only met our timber target but exceeded it through thinning sales. A successful alcohol ban in off-highway vehicle riding areas created a family-friendly recreation opportunity once again. Thinking outside the box provided goods for services through our stewardship pilot project.

Much of the work we accomplished helped our local economy and/or helps us improve our visitors' recreation experience. Add to all of this, the fact that we are making a difference on the landscape by improving habitat for important plant and wildlife species. My Chief always says "do not concentrate on what we take off of the land...concentrate on what we leave behind." Well, the Siuslaw employees and partners can be very proud. Our actions directly result in clean water, healthy ecosystems, and sustainable goods and services.

Stay tuned! The Siuslaw and its partners will continue to amaze you. I know they do me.



GLORIA BROWN
Forest Supervisor

Expenditures, Receipts, Goods and Services

PROGRAM YEAR 10/1/02 TO 9/30/03

Goods and Services Provided by the
Siuslaw National Forest

FIRE & ENGINEERING

Wildfires (acres)	5
Fire Hazard Reduction (acres)	140
Person-Days Fire Support	2,554
Number of Fires	15
Roads Decommissioned (miles)	11
Roads Constructed (miles)	0
Roads Reconstructed (miles)	9
Total High Clearance Roads (miles)	1,650
Total Passenger Car Roads (miles)	297
Total Closed Roads (miles)	326

FY 2003 BUDGET & EXPENDITURES

Final Budget	\$20,266,595
Expenditures	\$18,170,579

NATURAL RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

Forest Products	32.8
MMbf* Timber offered	20.1
MMbf* Timber Cut	5.7
MMbf* Alternative Volume	
*Million Board Feet	
Acres Reforested	255
Timber Stand Improvement (acres)	3,408
Christmas Trees Harvested	670
Firewood (cords)	2,096

PAYMENTS TO COUNTIES (Public Law 106.393)

COUNTY	TITLE I	TITLE II	TITLE III
Benton	\$408,522	\$8,651	\$63,441
Coos	\$654,373	\$10,047	\$15,012
Douglas	\$18,403,618	\$154,590	\$1,039,263
Lane	\$26,115,666	\$556,655	\$3,329,747
Lincoln	\$4,300,419	\$505,881	\$252,966
Polk	\$9,404	0	0
Tillamook	\$2,298,739	\$243,396	\$162,264
Yamhill	\$638,036	\$3,378	\$109,217
TOTAL	\$52,828,777	\$1,482,598	\$4,971,910

RECREATION, LANDS & MINERALS

Recreation Site Capacity (people per year)	3,430,640
Trails Reconstruction (miles)	2
Trails Construction (miles)	230
Trails Available (miles)	25,500
Wilderness Managed (acres)	8
Recreation Special-Use Permits	2
Passport in Time Projects	1
Heritage Expeditions	1
Campground Receipts	\$1,034,400
Oregon Pacific Coast Passport Receipts	\$308,700
Northwest Forest Pass Receipts	\$524,600
Leveraged Funds (from partnerships)	\$891,000

FOREST FACTS

Number of Permanent Employees	165
Acres	630,000
Elevation:	Lowest
	Highest
Length	135 miles
Width	27 miles
Natural Lakes	30
Anadromous Streams	1,200 miles
Wildlife:	
Amphibians and Reptiles	26 species
Birds	235 species
Fishes	Over 200 species
Mammals	69 species

For More Information

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