

*2011 Annual Operating Instructions
Curlew Valley Cattle Association
Curlew National Grassland*

This is your 2011 Annual Operating Instructions for the Curlew Valley C&H Allotment. This plan is also part of the Grazing Agreement which has been updated and reauthorized on March 30, 2011. Your Grazing Agreement package has been sent.

As identified in the Rules of Management and Grazing Agreement, the Association is responsible for maintenance of range improvements. All range improvements, both fences and water developments, required to manage cattle must be maintained before cattle enter the Curlew National Grassland.

The authorized date of April 16th to November 30th could vary, depending on range readiness; or early removal if full utilization has occurred. The number of cattle will be 2367 which will be 96% of authorized numbers. The 2011 Grazing Schedule is listed on the next page.

It is important to monitor utilization in each field and move cattle when the percent of use as specified in the annual operating instructions (AOI) has been reached. The SW Peterson-Lonigan and the East Kurtz fields will be priority for monitoring this field season. Please advise the new range rider of these areas of emphasis.

When proper use in the last unit scheduled for use is achieved, cattle must be removed from the Curlew National Grassland. A field will be used only once during the grazing season.

Riding, salting, and watering away from stream bottoms and areas along roadways highly visible to the public is very important to livestock management on the Curlew National Grassland.
SALT MUST NOT BE LOCATED WITHIN ¼ MILE OF WATER OR HIGHWAYS.

YOUR GRAZING FEES MUST BE PAID BEFORE LIVESTOCK ARE AUTHORIZED ON THE CURLEW NATIONAL GRASSLAND.

If you have any questions, please contact Hans Bastian at 236-7526.

Sincerely,

JEFFERY J. HAMMES
Westside District Ranger

NAME	SIGNATURE	DATE
Curlew Valley Assoc. President	<i>Meeting with Association in Stone, ID</i>	3/11/2011

**CURLEW C&H ALLOTMENT
GRAZING SCHEDULE (2011)**

4/16 to 11/30

PERMITTEE	# Permitted	# 2011	FIELDS	% USE
GROUP 1	-		SOUTH 13	35-45
RUSS BOYER	93	93	WEST CARTER (head of creek)	35-45
MATT TUBBS	221	221	SW PETERSON-LONIGAN	35-45
FRANK HILL	155	135	NW PETERSON-LONIGAN	35-45
			EAST PETERSON-LONIGAN	50-60
SUB-TOTAL	469	449	SOUTH HUFFMAN	35-45
			WEST VANDERHOFF	50-60
GROUP 2	-		EAST GRANDINE	50-60
ELIASON LIVESTOCK	317	317	GRANDINE H & B PASTURES	35-45
JESS SHOWELL	157	100	EAST HUFFMAN	50-60
KAY HARRIS	55	53	WEST HUFFMAN	35-45
SUB-TOTAL	529	470	EAST STRONG	35-45
			NORTH CARTER	35-45
GROUP 3	-		WEST GRANDINE	35-45
R & V RANCHES	183	183	MIDDLE GRANDINE	50-60
VARD NEAL	62	62	SALYER (RIPARIAN)	35-45
RANDY SKIDMORE	40	40	SALYER	50-60
RON SKIDMORE	199	199	EAST KURTZ	35-45
SUB-TOTAL	484	484	WEST KURTZ	35-45
			NORTH CANYON RIPARIAN	35-45
			NORTH 13	50-60
GROUP 4	-		WEST 13	35-45
3R Ranch	70	62	HUFFMAN RIPARIAN	35-45
DAVE MILLS	67	67	WEST JACOBSON	60
TIM KELLER	155	155	ROCK CREEK RIPARIAN	35-45
GALE NEAL	200	200	MIDDLE VANDERHOFF	50-60
SUB-TOTAL	492	484	EAST VANDERHOFF	60
GROUP 5	-		WEST HURD	50-60
RON ANDERSON	190	190	EAST HURD	50-60
CODY CARTER	89	89	NORTH FUNK	35-45
BILL WILCOCK	147	147	EAST JACOBSON	50-60
ELDEN NIELSEN	54	54	BLM EXCHANGE	50-60
			SOUTH FUNK	60
SUB-TOTAL	480	480	SOUTH CARTER	35-35
NON-USE PERMITTED		87	Notes:	
TOTAL		2454	West Strong available after August 1st.	
		2367	Available as needed:	
			WEST STRONG	35-45
			THOMPSON BULL	50-60
			FUNK BULL PASTURE	50-60