



United States
Department of
Agriculture

Forest
Service

Region 1

200 East Broadway
P. O. Box 7669
Missoula, MT 59807

File Code: 1570 (215)
#99-01-00-0151

Date: August 23, 1999

James Olsen, President
Friends of the Bitterroot, Inc.
P.O. Box 442
Hamilton, MT 59840

Dear Mr. Olsen:

I have received a letter from the West Fork District Ranger withdrawing his decision for the Nez Perce Fork Vegetation Management Project Appeals (Bitterroot National Forest). I am enclosing a copy of the letter.

Since the District Ranger has withdrawn his decision, we are dismissing your appeal in accordance with CFR 215.15(a)(6). This decision is the final determination of the Department of Agriculture.

Sincerely,

/s/ Earl A. Sutton (For)

KATHLEEN A. MCALLISTER
Appeal Reviewing Officer
Deputy Regional Forester

Enclosure

