



March 10, 2010

Corbin Newman
Southwest Regional Forester
US Forest Service-Southwestern Regional Office
333 Broadway SE
Albuquerque, NM 87102.

Mr. Newman,

The Pueblo of Jemez is in receipt of your letter regarding the SW Jemez Mountains Restoration Project under Title IV – FLRA. The Pueblo of Jemez is aware that our Tribal lands and adjacent agency lands are in need of treatment to improve the overall health of our forests; this proposal is one way of meeting the needs of all Jemez mountains lands.

The Pueblo of Jemez fully supports and endorses the proposal as a partner for this unique, multi-jurisdictional, landscape scale restoration strategy that is collaboratively developed for the SW Jemez Mountain Restoration Project.

The Pueblo of Jemez will continue to participate in sharing information and resources with the US Forest Service in implementation. As the Governor of Jemez Pueblo, I am very supportive and feel this has a positive start and hopes of a favorable response and that it will benefit all parties involved in the future.

If you have further questions please contact John Galvan, Forester 575-834-3211

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Joshua Madalena".

Joshua Madalena
Governor

Office of the Governors

PO Box 100 • Jemez Pueblo • New Mexico • 87024
(575) 834-7359 • Fax (575) 834-7331