

**NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE CHANGE TO THE
BEAVERHEAD-DEERLODGE NATIONAL FOREST LAND AND RESOURCE
MANAGEMENT PLAN (FOREST PLAN)**

The Beaverhead-Deerlodge National forest is making an administrative change to the Forest Plan. This change applies to the Elkhorn Landscape as described in the Beaverhead-Deerlodge Forest Plan on pages 124-125. The Elkhorn Mountains are managed in cooperation with the Helena-Lewis and Clark National Forest. The purpose for the change is to make a clerical correction to the Beaverhead-Deerlodge Forest Plan by adopting the Plan direction for this area of the Forest that was recently revised under the Helena-Lewis and Clark Forest Plan revision effort.

The administrative change implements the Record of Decision for the Beaverhead-Deerlodge https://www.fs.usda.gov/Internet/FSE_DOCUMENTS/stelprdb5052838.pdf and Helena-Lewis and Clark https://www.fs.usda.gov/Internet/FSE_DOCUMENTS/fseprd966035.pdf Forest Plans.

The administrative change is provided below and will be effective on December 21st 2021.

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Administrative change to Beaverhead-Deerlodge National Forest Land and Resource Management Plan (Forest Plan):

PAGE 125 – ELKHORN LANDSCAPE

REMOVE THE FOLLOWING:

~~Management areas in this landscape are jointly administered by the Helena National Forest. Management direction will be updated during revision of the Helena National Forest Plan.~~

INSERT THE FOLLOWING:

Both the *Forestwide Direction (Pages 13-121)* and *Elkhorns Geographic Area and Wildlife Management Area Direction (pages 155-162)* in the 2021 Land Management Plan for the Helena-Lewis and Clark National Forest apply to the Elkhorn Landscape and can be accessed here: https://www.fs.usda.gov/Internet/FSE_DOCUMENTS/fseprd965214.pdf