

Huckleberry Landscape Restoration Project Draft Environmental Impact Statement (DEIS) Changes

The DEIS was made available via the Project webpage on May 20, 2019 when the document was completed due to public interest. The 45-day public comment period was not initiated at that time. The Notice of Availability (NOA) was published in the Federal Register June 21, 2019. The date the NOA is published is the exclusive means for calculating timeframes of the 45-day public comment period for a DEIS.

A document posted on the Project webpage at the time the DEIS made available stated, “Should any changes, other than to correct typographical, grammatical or changes in format, to this DEIS prior to the official publication of the document via a notice in the Federal Register, a document listing all changes will be posted on the website.” This is that document.

Several small edits to correct typographical, grammatical or changes in format were made to the document from when the DEIS was made available and the NOA was published. The only changes that warrant identification are as follows:

On Page 46 – The underlined portion of the sentence was added.

Prescribed fire treatment (PFT) on private property would only occur if landowner agreements are in place under Wyden amendment or other authority.

On page 174 – In Table 3.4-1, under the “Status in the Project Area” column, a statement was made in error for three species (Fisher, Great Grey Owl, and Mountain Quail). It was stated, “Species not analyzed in DEIS, but will be included in FEIS.” The corrected Statement is “Species analysis not presented in DEIS, but is included in the Wildlife Specialist Report.”

Two additional Maps were added to the Project webpage depicting road treatments overlaid on the Management Prescription Categories (MPCs) for each action alternative. They are “Huckleberry_Map_Alt2_Road_Treatments” and “Huckleberry_Map_Alt3_Road_Treatments.”

In addition, A Summary of the DEIS was added to the Project Webpage.