

SANDY CREEK C&H
ANNUAL OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

This is the annual operating instructions for the 2004 grazing season for the Sandy Creek Allotment and will be considered part of the terms and conditions of the grazing permit.

I. Permitted / Authorized Use

Steve and Deeann Crofoot							
Term Grazing Permit				Authorized use			
No.	On Date	Off Date	H.M.s	No.	On Date	Off Date	H.M.s
15	6/1	7/31	30	15	6/1	7/31	30

II. Grazing Schedule and Monitoring Utilization Standards

Actual Grazing Schedule				Allowable Standards	
Unit No.	Unit Name	# head	Dates	Riparian	Uplands
1	Sandy Creek	15	6/1-7/31	**50%	**50%

**** - It is the permittee's responsibility to insure cattle are moved before utilization levels are exceeded.**

III. PERMITTEE MANAGEMENT RESPONSIBILITIES

A STATE CLOSURE ORDER EXISTS - Any hay or straw used in association with this permit, will be certified and tagged as noxious weed, or noxious weed seed free as directed by the order.

To meet the State of Idaho's provision for trichomoniasis testing, all bulls must be tested at least 45 days prior to the turnout date.

Cattle that die from a contagious disease, or that die at a location where they may contaminate water or become a public nuisance, must be properly disposed of.

At the end of the grazing season, please mail in the actual use booklet that you have received.

IV. IMPROVEMENT MAINTENANCE/CONSTRUCTION

Fence and spring improvements on the Sandy Creek Allotment are the sole responsibility of the permittee and will be maintained prior to livestock entry into the unit being grazed. Maintenance should be completed before adjoining federal allotments are stocked.

V. ACTION SUMMARY

Watch for weeds, knapweed or leafy spurge, along the road right-of-ways. Please let us know if you see any new infestations or any new species we may not know about.

I have reviewed and accepted this Annual Operating Instructions for the 2004 grazing season. Any changes to this Annual Operating Instructions must be approved by the District Ranger.

Permittee	Date
Forest Officer /S/ Dennis M. Hilliard	Date 4/30/04