

**BLAINE COUNTY RESOLUTION NO. 2013-62**

**BEAVER CK. FIRE BURN AREA RESEEDING ON U. S. FOREST SERVICE LAND  
LAND, WATER & WILDLIFE LEVY PROJECT FUNDING**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE BLAINE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS APPROVING, PURSUANT TO THE ESTABLISHED CRITERIA AND PROCEDURES OF THE LAND, WATER AND WILDLIFE LEVY PROGRAM, THE DISPERSAL OF LAND, WATER AND WILDLIFE LEVY FUNDS.**

WHEREAS, the Land, Water and Wildlife Levy passed successfully through general election on November 4, 2008 to collect funds to protect land, water and wildlife in Blaine County;

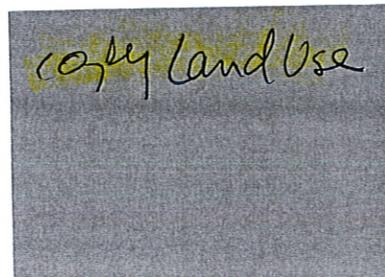
WHEREAS, the Blaine County Board of County Commissioners, per Blaine County Resolution #2008-71, set out the goals and purposes of the Land, Water & Wildlife Levy;

WHEREAS, the Blaine County Board of County Commissioners, consistent with the goals and purposes of the Land, Water and Wildlife Levy and per Blaine County Resolution #2011-20, established the working procedures for the Land, Water and Wildlife Levy Program including project evaluation criteria, a citizen advisory committee recommendation process and procedures for the dispersal of levy funds; with amendments adopted by Blaine County Resolution #2013-24.

WHEREAS, the Idaho Conservation League and The Nature Conservancy requested up to forty-nine thousand dollars (\$49,000.00) from the Land, Water and Wildlife Levy Fund for the cost of providing an upgraded native, wildlife friendly seed mix to be aerielly distributed on approximately 4900 acres of U.S. Forest Service land in Blaine County as shown on the attached Exhibit A;

WHEREAS, the Idaho Conservation League (\$1000.00) in partner the Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation (\$7500.00), The Nature Conservancy (\$7500.00) and the Lufkin Family Foundation (\$10,000.00) have agreed to contribute a total of twenty-six thousand dollars (\$26,000.00) to supplement to the Land, Water & Wildlife allocation for a total of \$75,000.00 for this reseeding project.

WHEREAS, the duly appointed nine-member volunteer citizen advisory committee, known as the Levy Advisory Board (LAB), after a finding that this project meets the Land, Water & Wildlife Levy Program's conservation criteria recommends approval of the dispersal of up to forty-nine thousand dollars (\$49,000.00) from the Land, Water and Wildlife Levy Fund for the cost of providing an upgraded native, wildlife friendly seed mix to be aerielly distributed on approximately 4900 acres of U.S. Forest Service land as shown on the attached Exhibit A;



WHEREAS, the Blaine County Board of County Commissioners finds that this U.S. Forest Service Beaver Ck. Fire Burn Area Reseeding Project meets the Land, Water & Wildlife Levy Program's conservation criteria; and

WHEREAS, the Blaine County Board of County Commissioners authorizes the dispersal of up to forty nine thousand dollars (\$49,000.00) from the Land, Water and Wildlife Levy Fund for the cost of providing an upgraded native, wildlife friendly seed mix to be distributed on approximately 4900 acres of U.S. Forest Service land as shown on the attached Exhibit A;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE BLAINE COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS HEREBY APPROVES FROM THE LAND, WATER & WILDLIFE LEVY FUND THE DISPERSAL OF UP TO FORTY NINE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$49,000.00) TO GRANITE SEED & EROSION CONTROL OF LEHI, UTAH FOR AN UPGRADED, NATIVE, WILDLIFE FRIENDLY SEED MIX, PURCHASED AND DISTRIBUTED PURSUANT TO U.S. FOREST SERVICE CONTRACTS ON APPROXIMATELY 4900 ACRES OF U.S. FOREST SERVICE LAND WITHIN BLAINE COUNTY.**

REGULARLY PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Commissioners of Blaine County, Idaho, on this 3rd day of December, 2013.

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF BLAINE COUNTY, IDAHO**

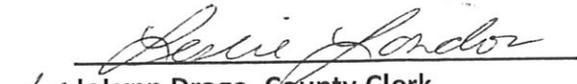
  
Lawrence Schoen, Chairman

  
Angenie McCleary, Commissioner

Absent  
Jacob Greenberg, Commissioner



ATTEST:

  
for JoLynn Drage, County Clerk

# Beaver Creek Fire 2013 Stabilization Treatments

Sawtooth National Forest

-  Aerial Seed Only (5,936 acres, 4,931 acres in Blaine County)
-  Aerial Seed and Straw Mulch (1,325 acres)
-  Greenhorn Straw Mulch (439 acres)

