

# Clover Mountains Herd Management Area

Clover Mountains Wild Horse



#8811 – Captured 12/19/06

### **Quick Facts:**

Last Removed: December 2006  
 Herd Management Acreage: 173,087  
 Appropriate Management Level: 16 Horses  
 Acres per Horse: 10,817  
 Estimated Population as of 1/07: 40  
 Habitat Status: - 2,630 Acres

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### **Reported Populations-Wild Horses**

2004  
 Reported Population: 14  
 + 20% Reproduction Rate: 3  
 Estimated 2005 Population: 17

2005  
 Reported Population: 41  
 + 20% Reproduction Rate: 8  
 Estimated 2006 Population: 49

2006  
 Reported Population: 40  
 + 20% Reproduction Rate: 8  
 Estimated 2007 Population: 48 (Projected Population)  
 FO Reported Population: 40 (Post-gather Population)

**AML**  
2004: 16    2005: 16    2006: 16

### **Gather History**

<u>Gather</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Removed</u>	<u>Remains</u>
Emergency	12/06	17	40
Emergency	2/06	11	40
Maintenance	10/00	NA	NA

### **ACREAGE**

<b>HA:</b>	173,087	BLM: 172,398	Other: 689	<u>1997</u> - Total: 175,717 Acres
<b>HMA:</b>	173,087	BLM: 172,397	Other: 690	BLM acres: 175,717 Other: 0
<b>Change:</b>	None			AML: 60 Population: 60
<b>Transfers:</b>	None			
<b>Status:</b>	- 2,630 Acres			

### **Comments:**

- 2006 Emergency removals due to wildfire damage: 3,634 acres between Clover Creek HMA & Clover Mts. HMA.
- 2003 re-issued new AML from 60 to 16 – 44 less horses.
- Habitat Status based on 1997 reported acreage.
- Significant discrepancies in reported populations; 2004/2005 150% increase. Due to removals, estimated population on range should be 31, not 40.

**Livestock Allotments:** 5 Livestock AUMs: 15,964 Wild Horse AUMs: 192

Allotments: Cliff Springs, Clover Creek, Indian Creek, Muncy Creek, and Simpson

**Wildlife (2006):** Desert Bighorn: 484 Mule Deer: 700 Pronghorn Antelope: 185 Rocky Mt. Elk: 138