

HERD- DEER LODGE CANYON HMA (NV0521)

Field Office: Ely Field Office

Co-Managed with Wilson Creek HMA, Mt. Elinor HMA (UT) & Choke Cherry HMA (UT)

**Reported AML**

<u>Established In:</u>	<u>Acres Per Animal:</u>	<u>Last Reported Gather:</u>
FY06- 2002	FY06- 2,169	FY06- 8/02
FY05- 2002	FY05- 2,169	FY05- 8/02
FY04- 2002	FY04- 2,169	FY04- 8/02

**Wild Horses**

FY06 AML- 50  
FY05 AML- 50  
FY04 AML- 50

**Burros**

FY06 AML- 0  
FY05 AML- 0  
FY04 AML- 0

FY04 Reported Population: 103  
+ 20% Reproduction Rate: 21  
Estimated 2005 Population: 124

FY04 Reported Population:  
+ 20% Reproduction Rate:  
Estimated 2005 Population:

FY05 Reported Population: 89  
+ 20% Reproduction Rate: 17  
Estimated 2006 Population: 106

FY05 Reported Population:  
+ 20% Reproduction Rate:  
Estimated 2006 Population:

FY06 Reported Population: 110  
+ 20% Reproduction Rate: 22  
Estimated 2007 Population: 132

FY06 Reported Population:  
+ 20% Reproduction Rate:  
Estimated 2007 Population:

Fertility Control: Unknown  
Last Administered:

AML Determined in: 2003

Comments:

Population decreased between 2004-2005 by 35 head despite no reported gather.  
Last Census: March 2005 – Reports 650 wild horses for Wilson Creek and Deer Lodge Canyon HMA's combined.

In 1997, BLM reported:

106,607 BLM HA and HMA acres. No acres under "Other".  
No AML Established - Temporary AML of 50.  
Estimated population: 45 wild horses

**Acreage**

<u>Herd Areas (HA)</u>			<u>Herd Management Areas (HMA)</u>		
FY06-	BLM-	106,735	BLM-	106,735	
FY05-	BLM-	106,735	BLM-	106,735	
FY04-	BLM-	108,005	BLM-	108,005	
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FY06-	Other-	1,725	Other-	1,725	
FY05-	Other-	1,725	Other-	1,725	
FY04-	Other-	1,711	Other-	1,711	
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Current total HA acres: 108,460  
Current total HMA acres: 108,460

Between FY04 and FY05

BLM HA- - 1,270  
BLM HMA- - 1,270  
Other HA- + 14  
Other HMA- + 14

Between FY05 and FY06

BLM HA- No Change  
BLM HMA- No Change  
Other HA- No Change  
Other HMA- No Change

Current Difference in Acreage Between  
Herd Area and Herd Management Area: None

Comments:

**GATHER INFORMATION:**

2007 Gather Schedule Reporting:

Planned Gather Scheduled: 2/7/07-2/27/07

Gather: 125

Remove: 102

Estimated Remaining Population After Removals: 30

FISCAL IMPACT

Cost per wild horse gathered in \*: \$ 2,171.00

Total Estimated Cost of horses removed:\*\* \$ 221,442.00

Additional General Comments:

\*Includes cost of removal, transportation, medical, & assumes  
1 year containment with all animals successfully adopted.

\*\*Includes wild horses removed outside of HMA's.

Last Gathered On:

Total Horses Gathered:

Total Horses Removed:

Total Horses Returned:

Est. Remaining Population:

Estimated Population Before Gather:

Cost per/horse gathered, contained and adopted: \$

Estimated Cost of Total WH removed in : \$

**LIVESTOCK GRAZING ALLOTMENTS:**

Total Grazing Allotments Administered by Field Office:  
Total Grazing Allotments within HMA: 5

Total reported AUMs issued for livestock allotments in HMA: 2,743 AUMs  
Maximum AUMs allocated for wild horse use: 600 AUMs

**Known Livestock Allotments in HMA:**

Condor Canyon Allotment (FMUD 2003)

Public Acres- 44,035  
Rangeland Condition: Not evaluated/Needs Improvement  
Cattle AUMs- 676  
Suspended AUM's- 3,233 (Before 1986)  
Season of Use: 3/1 to 1/24

Deer Lodge Allotment (FMUD 2003)

Public Acres- 6,880  
Rangeland Condition: Needs Improvement/Not Evaluated as of 2005  
Cattle AUMs: 167  
Suspended AUM's: 481 (Before 1986)  
Season of Use: Year Round

Mahogany Peak Allotment (FMUD 2003)

Public Acres- 28,441  
Rangeland Condition: Custodial/Not Evaluated as of 2005  
Cattle AUMs- 718  
Suspended AUMs- 2,040 (before 1986)  
Season of Use- Year Round

McGuffy Allotment (FMUD 2003)

Public Acres- 22,115  
Rangeland Conditions: Custodial/No Evaluation as of 2005  
Cattle AUMs: 298  
Suspended AUMs: 2,010 (Before 1986)  
Season of Use: Year Round

Rabbit Springs Allotment (FMUD 2003)

Public Acres- 20,975  
Rangeland Conditions: Custodial/ Evaluated  
Cattle AUMs: 884  
Suspended AUMs: 1,115 (Before 1986)  
Season of Use: 6/1 to 3/15

Known Big Game Populations: \_\_\_\_\_