

**DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE****Forest Service****Newspapers Used for Publication of Legal Notice of Appealable Decisions for the Intermountain Region; Utah, Idaho, Nevada, and Wyoming**

**AGENCY:** Forest Service, USDA.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** This notice lists the newspapers that will be used by all ranger districts, forests, and the Regional Office of the Intermountain Region to publish legal notice of all decisions subject to appeal under 36 CFR 215 and 36 CFR 217. The intended effect of this action is to inform interested members of the public which newspapers will be used to publish legal notices of decisions, thereby allowing them to receive constructive notice of a decision, to provide clear evidence of timely notice, and to achieve consistency in administering the appeals process.

**DATES:** Publication of legal notices in the listed newspapers will begin with decisions subject to appeal that are made on or after December 1, 2000. The list of newspapers will remain in effect until June 1, 2001, when another notice will be published in the **Federal Register**.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Barbara Schuster, Regional Appeals Manager, Intermountain Region, 324 25th Street, Ogden, UT 84401, and Phone (801) 625-5301.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The administrative appeal procedures 36 CFR 215 and 36 CFR 217, of the Forest Service require publication of legal notice in a newspaper of general circulation of all decisions subject to appeal. This newspaper publication of notices of decisions is in addition to direct notice to those who have requested notice in writing and to those known to be interested and affected by a specific decision.

The legal notice is to identify: the decision by title and subject matter; the date of the decision; the name and title of the official making the decision; and how to obtain copies of the decision. In addition, the notice is to state the date the appeal period begins which is the day following publication of the notice.

The timeframe for appeal shall be based on the date of publication of the notice in the first (principal) newspaper listed for each unit.

The newspapers to be used are as follows:

**Regional Forester, Intermountain Region**

For decisions made by the Regional Forester affecting National Forest in Idaho:

*The Idaho Statesman*, Boise, Idaho

For decisions made by the Regional Forester affecting National Forests in Nevada:

*The Reno Gazette-Journal*, Reno, Nevada

For decisions made by the Regional Forester affecting National Forests in Wyoming:

*Casper Star-Tribune*, Casper, Wyoming

For decisions made by the Regional Forester affecting National Forests in Utah:

*Salt Lake Tribune*, Salt Lake City, Utah

If the decision made by the Regional Forester affects all National Forests in the Intermountain Region, it will appear in:

*Salt Lake Tribune*, Salt Lake City, Utah

**Ashley National Forest**

Ashley Forest Supervisors decisions:

*Vernal Express*, Vernal, Utah

Vernal District Ranger decisions:

*Vernal Express*, Vernal, Utah

Flaming Gorge District Ranger for decisions affecting Wyoming:

*Casper Star Tribune*, Casper, Wyoming

Flaming Gorge District Ranger for decisions affecting Utah:

*Vernal Express*, Vernal, Utah

Roosevelt and Duchesne District Ranger decisions:

*Uintah Basin Standard*, Roosevelt, Utah

**Boise National Forest**

Boise Forest Supervisor decisions:

*The Idaho Statesman*, Boise, Idaho

Mountain Home District Ranger decisions:

*The Idaho Statesman*, Boise, Idaho

Idaho City District Ranger decisions:

*The Idaho Statesman*, Boise, Idaho

Cascade District Ranger decision:

*The Long Valley Advocate*, Cascade, Idaho

Lowman District Ranger decisions:

*The Idaho World*, Garden Valley, Idaho

Emmett District Ranger decisions:

*The Messenger-Index*, Emmett, Idaho

**Bridger-Teton National Forest**

Bridger-Teton Forest Supervisor decision:

*Casper Star-Tribune*, Casper, Wyoming

Jackson District Ranger decision:

*Casper Star-Tribune*, Casper, Wyoming

Buffalo District Ranger decisions:

*Casper Star-Tribune*, Casper, Wyoming

Big Piney District Ranger decisions:

*Casper Star-Tribune*, Casper, Wyoming

Pinedale District Ranger decisions:

*Casper Star-Tribune*, Casper, Wyoming

Greys River District Ranger decisions:

*Casper Star-Tribune*, Casper, Wyoming

Kemmerer District Ranger decisions:

*Casper Star-Tribune*, Casper, Wyoming

**Caribou-Targhee National Forest**

Caribou-Targhee Forest Supervisor decisions for the Caribou portion:

*Idaho State Journal*, Pocatello, Idaho

Soda Springs District Ranger decisions:

*Idaho State Journal*, Pocatello, Idaho

Montpelier District Ranger decisions:

*Idaho State Journal*, Pocatello, Idaho

Westside District Ranger decisions:

*Idaho State Journal*, Pocatello, Idaho

Caribou-Targhee Forest Supervisor

decisions for the Targhee Portion:

*The Post Register*, Idaho Falls, Idaho

Dubois District Ranger decisions:

*The Post Register*, Idaho Falls, Idaho

Island Park District Ranger decisions:

*The Post Register*, Idaho Falls, Idaho

Ashton District Range decisions:

*The Post Register*, Idaho Falls, Idaho

Palisades District Ranger decisions:

*The Post Register*, Idaho Falls, Idaho

Teton Basin District Ranger decisions:

*The Post Register*, Idaho Falls, Idaho

**Dixie National Forest**

Dixie Forest Supervisor decisions:

*The Daily Spectrum*, St. George, Utah

Pine Valley District Ranger decisions:

*The Daily Spectrum*, St. George, Utah

Cedar City District Ranger decisions:

*The Daily Spectrum*, St. George, Utah

Powell District Ranger decisions:

*The Daily Spectrum*, St. George, Utah

Escalante District Ranger decisions:

*The Daily Spectrum*, St. George, Utah

Teasdale District Ranger decisions:

*The Daily Spectrum*, St. George, Utah

**Fishlake National Forest**

Fishlake Forest Supervisor decisions:

*Richfield Reaper*, Richfield, Utah

Loa District Ranger decisions:

*Richfield Reaper*, Richfield, Utah

Richfield District Ranger decisions:

*Richfield Reaper*, Richfield, Utah

Beaver District Ranger decisions:

*Richfield Reaper*, Beaver, Utah

Fillmore District Ranger decisions:

*Richfield Reaper*, Fillmore, Utah

**Humboldt—Toiyabe National Forests**

Humboldt—Toiyabe Forest Supervisor decisions for the Humboldt portion:

*Elko Daily Free Press*, Elko, Nevada  
Humboldt-Toiyabe Forest Supervisor  
decisions for the Toiyabe portion:  
*Reno Gazette-Journal*, Reno, Nevada  
Sierra Ecosystem Coordination Center  
(SECO):  
Carson District Ranger decisions:  
*Reno Gazette-Journal*, Reno, Nevada  
Bridgeport District Ranger, decisions:  
*The Review-Herald*, Mammoth Lakes,  
California  
Spring Mountains National Recreation  
Area Ecosystem (SMNRAE):  
Spring Mountains National Recreation  
Area District Ranger decisions:  
*Las Vegas Review Journal*, Las Vegas,  
Nevada  
Central Nevada Ecosystem (CNECO):  
Austin District Ranger decisions:  
*Reno Gazette-Journal*, Reno, Nevada  
Tonopah District Ranger decisions:  
*Tonopah Times Bonanza-Goldfield  
News*, Tonopah, Nevada  
Ely District Ranger decisions:  
*Ely Daily Times*, Ely, Nevada  
Northeast Nevada Ecosystem (NNECO):  
Mountain City District Ranger decisions:  
*Elko Daily Free Press*, Elko, Nevada  
Ruby Mountains District Ranger  
decisions:  
*Elko Daily Free Press*, Elko, Nevada  
Jarbidge District Ranger decisions:  
*Elko Daily Free Press*, Elko, Nevada  
Santa Rosa District Ranger decisions:  
*Humboldt Sun*, Winnemucca, Nevada  
*Manti-Lasal National Forest*  
Manti-LaSal Forest Supervisor  
decisions:  
*Sun Advocate*, Price, Utah  
Sanpete District Ranger decisions:  
*The Pyramid*, Mt. Pleasant, Utah  
Ferron District Ranger decisions:  
*Emery County Progress*, Castle Dale,  
Utah  
Price District Ranger decisions:  
*Sun Advocate*, Price, Utah  
Moab District Ranger decisions:  
*The Times Independent*, Moab, Utah  
Monticello District Ranger decisions:  
*The San Juan Record*, Monticello,  
Utah  
*Payette National Forest*  
Payette Forest Supervisor decisions:  
*Idaho Statesman*, Boise, Idaho  
Weiser District Ranger decisions:  
*Signal American*, Weiser, Idaho  
Council District Ranger decisions:  
*Council Record*, Council, Idaho.  
New Meadows, McCall, and Krasel  
District Ranger decisions:  
*Star News*, McCall, Idaho  
*Salmon-Challis National Forests*  
Salmon-Challis Forest Supervisor  
decisions for the Salmon portion:  
*The Recorder-Herald*, Salmon, Idaho  
Salmon-Challis Forest Supervisor  
decisions for the Challis portion:

*The Challis Messenger*, Challis, Idaho  
North Fork District Ranger decisions:  
*The Recorder-Herald*, Salmon, Idaho  
Leadore District Ranger decisions:  
*The Recorder-Herald*, Salmon, Idaho  
Salmon/Colbalt District Ranger  
decisions:  
*The Recorder-Herald*, Salmon, Idaho  
Middle Fork District Ranger decisions:  
*The Challis Messenger*, Challis, Idaho  
Challis District Ranger decisions:  
*The Challis Messenger*, Challis, Idaho  
Yankee Fork District Ranger decisions:  
*The Challis Messenger*, Challis, Idaho  
Lost River District Ranger decisions:  
*The Challis Messenger*, Challis, Idaho  
*Sawtooth National Forest*  
Sawtooth Forest Supervisor decisions:  
*The Times News*, Twin Falls, Idaho  
Burley District Ranger decisions:  
*Ogden Standard Examiner*, Ogden,  
Utah, for those decisions on the  
Burley District involving the Raft  
River Unit.  
*South Idaho Press*, Burley, Idaho, for  
decisions issued on the Idaho  
portion of the Burley District.  
Twin Falls District Ranger decisions:  
*The Times News*, Twin Falls, Idaho  
Ketchum District Ranger decisions:  
*Idaho Mountain Express*, Ketchum,  
Idaho  
Sawtooth National Recreation Area:  
*Challis Messenger*, Challis, Idaho  
Fairfield District Ranger decisions:  
*The Times News*, Twin Falls, Idaho  
*Uinta National Forest*  
Uinta Forest Supervisor decisions:  
*The Daily Herald*, Provo, Utah  
Pleasant Grove District Ranger  
decisions:  
*The Daily Herald*, Provo, Utah  
Heber District Ranger decisions:  
*The Daily Herald*, Provo, Utah, and  
Spanish Fork District Ranger decisions:  
*The Daily Herald*, Provo, Utah  
*Wasatch-Cache National Forest*  
Wasatch-Cache Forest Supervisor  
decisions:  
*Salt Lake Tribune*, Salt Lake City,  
Utah  
Salt Lake District Ranger decisions:  
*Salt Lake Tribune*, Salt Lake City,  
Utah  
Kamas District Ranger decisions:  
*Salt Lake Tribune*, Salt Lake City,  
Utah  
Evanston District Ranger decisions:  
*Uintah County Herald*, Evanston,  
Wyoming  
Mountain View District Ranger  
decisions:  
*Uintah County Herald*, Evanston,  
Wyoming  
Ogden District Ranger decisions:  
*Ogden Standard Examiner*, Ogden,

Utah  
Logan District Ranger decisions:  
*Logan Herald Journal*, Logan, Utah  
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## DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

### Rural Business-Cooperative Service

#### Maximum Dollar Amount on Loan and Grant Awards Under the Rural Economic Development Loan and Grant Program for Fiscal Year 2001

**AGENCY:** Rural Business-Cooperative Service, USDA.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Rural Business-Cooperative Service hereby announces the maximum dollar amount on loan and grant awards under the Rural Economic Development Loan and Grant (REDLG) program for fiscal year (FY) 2001. The maximum dollar award on zero-interest loans for FY 2001 is \$450,000. The maximum dollar award on grants for FY 2001 is \$200,000. The maximum loan and grant awards stated in this notice are effective for loans and grants made during the fiscal year beginning October 1, 2000, and ending September 30, 2001. REDLG loans and grants are available to Rural Utilities Service electric and telephone utilities to assist in developing rural areas from an economic standpoint.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Patricia Wing, Loan Specialist, Rural Business-Cooperative Service, USDA, STOP 3225, Room 6870, 1400 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington, DC 20250. Telephone: (202) 720-9558. FAX: (202) 720-6561. E-mail: PWing@rus.usda.gov.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The maximum loan and grant awards are determined in accordance with 7 CFR 1703.28. The maximum loan and grant awards are calculated as 3.0 percent of the projected program levels; however, as specified in 7 CFR 1703.28(b), regardless of the projected total amount that will be available, the maximum size may not be lower than \$200,000. The projected program level during FY 2001 for zero-interest loans is \$15 million and the projected program level for grants is \$3 million. Applying the specified 3.0 percent to the program level for loans results in the maximum loan award of \$450,000. Applying the specified 3.0 percent to the program level for grants results in an amount lower than