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File Code: 1950

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Mike Garrity
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Dear Mike,

On August 30, 2007, I issued a Decision Memo to implement the Berry Creek Prescribed Burn project. The project was designed to use prescribed fire to accomplish vegetation objectives toward bettering wildlife habitat in mountain big sagebrush and aspen vegetation types.

I have decided not to implement the Berry Creek Prescribed Burn project at this time and therefore I am withdrawing the decision. The Berry Creek project may not be implemented without the issuance of a new written decision which will be subject to public notice, comment, and appeal in accordance with 36 CFR 215.

Please contact me at 208-374-5422 if you have questions regarding this matter.

Thank you for your interest in the management of the Dubois Ranger District of the Caribou-Targhee National Forest.

Sincerely,

RICHARD E. NEWTON
District Ranger

