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Dear Permittee:

On April 23rd, 2020 you called Andy to adjust your Annual Operating Instructions for the 2020 grazing year on the Willow Wash Allotment. At first, you were scheduled for non-use for personal convenience. You have decided to put cows on the Forest this year and the pasture rotation and numbers agreed upon are as follows:

<u>Pasture</u>	<u>Head</u>	<u>Dates</u>
Pulp Mill	11 cow/calf	May 1 to June 9
Government	11 cow/calf	June 10 to June 24
Southeast Willow	11 cow/calf	June 25 to July 1
Ranch	11 cow/calf	July 2 to July 20
Yarrow	11 cow/calf	July 21 to August 3
Bear Springs	11 cow/calf	August 4 to August 24
Hall	11 cow/calf	August 25 to September 14
Sacket	11 cow/calf	September 15 to October 4
Northeast Willow	11 cow/calf	October 5 to October 25
West Sundown	11 cow/calf	October 26 to November 16
East Sundown	11 cow/calf	November 17 to November 30

The SW Willow, NW Willow, Decker, Phelps and Cottonwood pastures will be rested this grazing year. The desired utilization level for the 2020 grazing season will be 25% on herbaceous forage species, 20% of terminal buds on riparian trees, and 45% on browse species. Utilization monitoring will take place on key species within key areas when livestock leave the pasture.

Adjustments to this rotation may be needed during the grazing season. Any adjustments to the rotation need to be coordinated and approved by Forest Service one week prior to the scheduled move date. When moving between pastures, livestock need to be completely moved out of the pasture within 3 days of the planned rotation date. You must notify the Forest Service if there is a need to deviate away from the planned move date.

By this letter, I also authorize you, or people working for you, to cut, use or remove any trees needed for fence posts and stays for maintenance of structural range improvements within the Willow Wash Allotment. A copy of this letter must be in possession with you or them while engaged in any tree cutting.



Your new 2020 grazing bill is included with this letter. This letter will serve as your adjusted Annual Operating Instructions for the 2020 grazing season on the Willow Wash Allotment. If you have any questions, concerns or issues, please contact Kendell, Matt, Andy, or myself at the Black Mesa District Office at (928) 535-7300.

Sincerely,

