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BLM Rock Springs Field Office Draft Resource Management Plan Information

1) How to access the document:

- View the project page at: <https://eplanning.blm.gov/eplanning-ui/project/13853/510>
- Click on the 'Documents' tab on the left side of the screen.
- Open the document labeled 'Volume 1_Rock Springs RMP Revision Draft EIS_v2.pdf'

2) How the document works:

- Chapter 1 – Introduction to the document / purpose and need.
- Chapter 2 – Alternatives: tables contain management actions split by each alternative.
- Chapter 3 – Affected Environment: explains the current state of the affected resource within the planning area.
- Chapter 4 – Environmental Consequences: explains the anticipated consequences for each of the management actions in Chapter 2.
- Chapter 5 – Consultation and Coordination: explains the consultation processes.

3) How to formulate and submit a substantive comment:

- Comments that provide relevant and new information with sufficient detail are most useful and are referred to as substantive comments. A substantive comment is a comment that does one or more of the following:
 - Questions, with reasonable basis, the accuracy of information in the EIS;
 - Questions, with reasonable basis, the adequacy of, methodology for, or assumptions used for the environmental analysis;
 - Presents new information relevant to the analysis; or
 - Causes changes or revisions in one or more of the alternatives.
- Once you have formulated your comment, follow the steps in item (1) to get to the ePlanning Document tab.
- Click on the green 'Participate Now' button next to the document link.
- Follow the steps on the screen to submit your comment.

4) Timeline going forward:

- The 90 day public comment period is open now until November 16th.
- The Rock Springs BLM will review comments and prepare the Final EIS for release in the spring of 2024.

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- The Final EIS publishing will initiate a 60 day protest period; followed by the Record of Decision.

5) Upcoming public meetings:

Tuesday, September 19, 3-6 PM

Lyman Branch Library
129 South Franklin St
Lyman, WY 82937

Tuesday, September 26, 3-6 PM

Big Piney/ Marbleton Town Hall
10700 HWY 189
Big Piney, WY 83113

Wednesday, September 27, 3-6 PM

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