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Final Environmental Impact Statement

Caribou Revised Forest Plan
Chapter 5—List of Preparers

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The interdisciplinary team is made up of core members and contributing members. Core members' names and titles are shaded. The core members were involved in all steps of the NEPA process. Contributing members are generally less involved in process; providing background information and analysis for their area of expertise only, for example. Other people were consultants and they are listed as "Other contributors". The Caribou Zone Forest Leadership Team also contributed information and decided upon the preferred alternative. It should also be noted that there have been many Supervisor's Office, Ranger District personnel and members of the public contributing information to the interdisciplinary team process.

INTERDISCIPLINARY TEAM

CHERYL PROBERT – ID TEAM LEADER, FOREST PLANNER, NEPA, APPEALS AND LITIGATION COORDINATOR

Sections in EIS: NEPA and NFMA Compliance, Quality Control, Plan Editor
Education: B.S. Forestry, Range Management
Years with Forest Service: 15 Years

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Education: B.A. English/Liberal Arts
Years with Forest Service: 14 Years

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Section in EIS: Public Involvement
Education: B.S. Forest Resource Management
Years with Forest Service: 27 Years

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Sections in EIS: Ecosystem Disturbance, Fire Management
Education: M.S. Forest Ecology
Years with Forest Service: 13 Years

James Capurso – Fisheries Biologist

Sections in EIS: Fisheries
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Years with Forest Service: 19 Years

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Sections in EIS: Maps, Database Management
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Years with Forest Service: 6 Years

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Sections in EIS: Livestock Grazing, Unique Ecosystems (RNAs), Noxious Weeds
Education: B.S. Resource Management
Years with Forest Service: 27 Years

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Years with Forest Service: 9 Years

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Years with Forest Service: 29 Years

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Sections in EIS: Properly Functioning Condition, Non-forested Vegetation, Soils and Air Quality
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Years with Forest Service: 25 Years

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Years with Forest Service: 29 years

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Sections in EIS: Maps, Databases, GIS Analysis
Education: B.S. Forest Management
Years with Forest Service: 20 Years

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Years with Forest Service: 26 years

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Years with Forest Service: 24 Years

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Years with Forest Service: 25 Years

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Years with Forest Service: 17 Years

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OTHER AGENCY CONTRIBUTORS

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Years with Idaho Fish and Game: 8 Years

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Years with Shoshone Bannock Tribes: 7 Years

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FOREST LEADERSHIP TEAM – CARIBOU ZONE

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