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Ted S. Owens
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CERTIFIED MAIL – RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Dear Supervisor Owens:

We received the appeal you filed on behalf of the County of Nevada. You appealed the decision by District Ranger Gary Schiff approving the Decision Notice and Finding of No Significant Impact for the Martis Travel Management Plan.

By letter dated July 31, 2007, District Ranger Schiff advised me that he has withdrawn the decision and will be issuing a new decision. Since the decision has been withdrawn, your appeal is dismissed without further review (36 CFR 215.16(a)(7)). District Ranger Schiff will notify you when the new decision is issued.

I have been advised that the project record indicates that you did not provide written or oral comments during the 30-day comment period that was initiated by publication of a legal notice in the paper of record, the Reno Gazette Journal on June 6, 2007. To be eligible to appeal, individuals or organizations must submit written or oral comments during the 30-day comment period (36 CFR 215.13). A new comment period is required only if the Environmental Assessment is revised. If a new comment period is not offered, you will not be eligible to appeal.

This constitutes the final administrative determination of the U.S. Department of Agriculture under 36 CFR 215.18(c).

Sincerely,

/s/ Jeremiah C. Ingersoll for
EDWARD C. MONNIG
Forest Supervisor

cc: Gary Schiff

