

# 2007 NFN3 Accomplishments for North Umpqua, Diamond Lake, and Cottage Grove Districts, Umpqua Nat'l Forest

Using an existing BLM Oregon-wide seed production contract, we increased our stock of blue wildrye seed by 2330 lbs. and our stock of Columbia brome seed by 1250 lbs. Most of the three ranger districts fall within the same seed zone so that the seed may be used within the appropriate elevation band on each of the districts.

Each ranger district also made small collections of attractive wildflower species intended for outplanting at pre-identified sites that are highly visible to the public. Small collections were made of the following species:

Washington Lily	Snowy Thistle
Elegant Brodiaea	Ookow
Hyacinth Triteleia	Common tarweed
Oregon Sunshine	Yarrow
Purple Milkweed	Velvet Lupine
Cardwell's and Rydberg's Penstemon	

These collections are currently being cleaned at the Bend-Pine Extractory for future out-planting at the identified sites for aesthetic improvement.



*A roadbed vegetated with blue wildrye*



*Washington Lily, one of our showiest wildflowers.*

Year Awarded: 2007

Project completion: (year) 2007

Report number: 1 of 2

Expenditures:

- \$27,000 to purchase grass seed from contractor.
- \$3,000 to collect and clean wild-collected seed

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