2007 Accomplishments
(2006) Native Seed & Plant Materials Restoration Project
Wallowa-Whitman National Forest

2006 Proposal: Expand areas from where seed is collected, increase variety of native grass and perennial forb species, and develop seed inventory on hand to meet a variety of restoration needs across the forest. Increase knowledge of collection, propagation and revegetation methods.

2006 funding:
Collection: 16 lbs native grass (2 species)
Propagation / Purchase (2007):
   32 lbs. herbaceous forb seed (2 species)
   335 lbs. native grass seed (2 species)
Propagation / Purchase (2008):
   900 lbs. native grass seed (2 species)

2007 funding: (received) was used primarily to purchase additional (2007) harvested crop seed, produced in excess of obligated task orders, currently under contract.
  795 lbs. excess grass seed (3 species) purchased 2007

Funding was also used to obligate production of additional grass species (western needlegrass) and additional pounds of seed for two other grass species.
  805 lbs. grass seed (3 species) under contract for 2008

Seeding: Seeded ~ 1,700 lbs. native grass seed on 5 projects totaling 175 acres on two districts; Included Fire Suppression Rehabilitation on 2 district (La Grande) fires.

Grass seed increase field in eastern Oregon

Year Awarded: 2006 ($64,000)
Project completion: 2008
Report number: 2 of 3

Expenditures:
FY07 funding: $20,000

Partners/Contractors/Cooperators:
2 Partnerships/Cooperators
7 Contractors

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10/31/07 Photo of Road closure area, seeded in 11/2006