From: Grim, Mary
To: Lueders, Amy
Subject: Re: IJNR tour
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Yes, but not sure everyone has been identified yet. I know there are at least three external affairs folks that aren't listed above.

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On Wed, Mar 4, 2015 at 5:00 PM, Lueders, Amy <alueders@blm.gov> wrote:

> thanks. hadn't seen the agenda. Does FWS have anyone attending outside of Jason in ID?
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> On Wed, Mar 4, 2015 at 4:45 PM, Grim, Mary <mary_grim@fws.gov> wrote:
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> > Here is the info I have on the IJNR tour. Its a couple of weeks old, so it may be outdated, but it will give you a sense of what the tour.
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> > **SATURDAY APRIL 11th**
> >
> > 7:00 AM – Up bright and early, bus departs for Idaho's Jim Sage Mountains
> >
> > 9:00 AM – Group tours field sites and talks juniper, cheatgrass and restoring/protecting sagebrush ecosystems from invasive species impacts
> > Scott Scroggie, Pheasants Forever
> > Jason Pyron, USFWS
> > Tricia Cracroft, NRCS
> > Others TBD
> >
> > 12:30 PM – Bus departs for wildfire talk (Murphy Complex fire)
> >
> > 2:00 PM – Wildfire in sagebrush country
> > Dustin Smith, fire ecologist, Bureau of Land Management
> > Others TBD, need wildfire scientist/maybe firefighter?
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> > 5:00 PM -Early/Mid afternoon – Bus departs for Jackpot, Nevada, where the house always wins
> >
> > Overnight – TBD, (so many choices!)
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> > **SUNDAY, APRIL 12th**
> >
> > 7:00 AM – Bus departs for a working cattle ranch, TBD
> >
> > 8:00 AM - SANE, "The Stewardship Alliance of Northeast Elko County," Grassroots, Site-Specific Conservation Efforts
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> > Group meeting at the Wine Cup Gamble Ranch.
> > James Rogers, general manager, Winecup Gamble Ranch
> > Other ranchers, TBD
> > Kent McAdoo, University Nevada

Jaime Jasmine, NRCS
Thad Heater, state wildlife biologist, NRCS (*maybe?)*
County Board Commissioner *(invited)*
Bryan Mulligan, Nevada BLM
Others TBD

11:00 AM – Bus departs for Wells, Nevada

2:00 PM – Wild Horses, U.S. Government's Iconic "Adopted" Species Poses Problems for Sagebrush Habitat
Speakers
Wild horse lead, Nevada BLM
Others TBD

4:30 PM – Bus heads back to Wells

Overnight, Wells, NV

MONDAY, APRIL 13th

8 AM – Mining, mitigation banking and sagebrush conservation

Bus travels to Carlin, just outside of Elko for tour of Newmont gold mine. And talk on mining, mitigation banking, sagebrush conservation, etc.
Bryan Mulligan, BLM
Jeff White, director of environmental stewardship, Newmont Mining
Michael Cameron, TNC

12 Noon – Bus departs for Salt Lake City

6 PM – Closing Dinner

Overnight – SLC.TBD

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