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Jarbidge Field Office

Recreation Fee Program Spending & Accomplishment Highlights 2021

Magic Valley Motocross Race



Annual motocross race

For the past several years the Magic Valley Motocross has held a desert motocross race in the Jarbidge Office in May. It is held in the Deadman Special Recreation Management Area or the Yahoo Special Recreation Management Area. There are different divisions with youth riders up to pro riders. Spectators can observe the race from designated areas.

Jarbidge River Launch Site



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The Jarbidge River Launch Site provides river access for whitewater boaters and anglers. The site includes boat ramps, picnic table, fire rings, and a vault restroom. There is also a foot trail that runs along the river's edge for approximately one mile and goes up out of the canyon. River users are required to fill out the free, self-registration permits located at the kiosk.

Recreation Fee Dollars

Recreation fee dollars are an investment in outdoor recreation. Current and future generations benefit as 100% of the funds collected are reinvested in the facilities and services that visitors enjoy, use, and value.

They support and enhance:

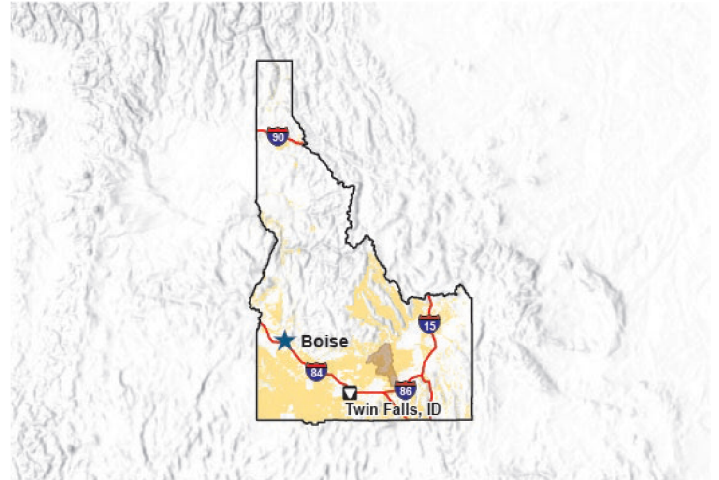
- Maintenance, repair, and facility enhancement related directly to visitor enjoyment, visitor access, and health and safety
- Interpretation, visitor information, visitor service, visitor needs assessments, and signs
- Habitat restoration directly related to wildlife- dependent recreation that is limited to hunting, fishing, wildlife observation, or photography
- Law enforcement related to public use and recreation Direct operating or capital costs associated with the recreation fee program



Other Accomplishments

There were no additional accomplishments for 2021.

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Revenue & Expenditures

FY21 Revenue

Recreation Use Permits (RUPs)	\$87.50
Special Recreation Permits (SRPs)	\$8,017.04
Individual Special Recreation Permits	\$0.00
Interagency Passes	\$7,260.00
Total Recreation Fee Revenue for FY21	\$15,364.54

FY21 Expenditures

Repair & Maintenance	\$0.00
Visitor Services	\$437.93
Law Enforcement	\$0.00
Habitat Restoration	\$3,862.46
Collections/Overhead	\$0.00
Total Recreation Fee Expenditures for FY21	\$4,300.40



Planned Activities



Salmon Falls Creek

- The previous river launch site for the Bruneau River needs rehabbed after a new and improved launch site was developed. Project will include cleanup of an old fire ring, seeding, and possible shrub and/or willow planting.
- Touchup painting of the Bruneau Canyon Overlook Fence. The fence is showing signs of vandalism as well as sun-fading.
- Purchase of 2-3 new semi-dry suits and other miscellaneous gear for the river monitoring program.
- New Boater Registration sign for the Jarbidge River Launch site.
- New picnic table for Jarbidge River recreation site.

FY22 Planned Expenditures

Repair & Maintenance	\$2,100.00
Visitor Services	\$4,500.00
Law Enforcement	\$0.00
Habitat Restoration	\$700.00
Collections/Overhead	\$0.00
Total Recreation Fee Expenditures for FY22	\$7,300.00
FY21 End of Year Carryover	\$20,109.00
FY22 Projected Revenue	\$10,000.00

Connecting with Communities

The Jarbidge Field Office has been working with Twin Falls County on the development of some mountain bike trails in the area. The proposed project currently consists of approximately 26 miles of novice to advanced mountain bike trails on BLM-managed lands. The trails are conceptually designed and will go through public scoping and environmental analysis soon. This partnership with Twin Falls County addresses increased pressure from the public for more recreational opportunities in the local area. The project would provide some relief to surrounding areas that already receive heavy public use. Because the proposed trail and trailhead are completely on BLM-managed lands, Twin Falls County would contribute to the project via planning and maintenance support, including hosting public meetings, trail maintenance, and noxious weed control. Interpretive signing, particularly along the portion of the trail that parallels Salmon Falls Canyon, would provide users with information about the natural and cultural features and history of the area.

