



# OREGON\_WASHINGTON Ashland

Field Office

## Recreation Fee Program Spending & Accomplishment Highlights 2022

### Applegate Open Monitoring



*Pilots flying in the Applegate Open*

The Applegate Open is a 2-day hang gliding, and paragliding event held at Woodrat Mountain and is authorized annually under a special recreation permit (SRP). Event monitoring was conducted to ensure compliance with SRP stipulations and the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) analysis.

### Pacific Crest Endurance Ride



*Water Location Monitoring*

The Pacific Crest Endurance Ride (PCER) is a 35, 55, and 75-mile endurance horse ride event held over two days that utilizes portions of roads and trails in the Cascade Siskiyou National Monument (CSNM) and is authorized annually under an SRP. Event monitoring was conducted to ensure compliance with SRP stipulations and the NEPA analysis.

## Recreation Fee Dollars

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

*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.*



Other Accomplishments

Due to staffing constrictions, wildland fire season disruptions, and COVID-19 considerations, no additional monitoring was conducted.

Vicinity Map



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[Published FLREA Triennial Report](https://doi.sciencebase.gov/flrea/)

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[Published FLREA Annual Revenue and Spending Plans](https://www.blm.gov/programs/recreation/permits-and-fees/flrea-revenue)

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[Connecting with Communities BLM Recreation Strategy](https://www.blm.gov/national-office/public-room/strategic-plan/connecting-communities-blm-recreation-strategy-summary)

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Revenue & Expenditures

End of Year Carryover:	\$14,982.00
<b>FY22 Revenue</b>	
Recreation Use Permits (RUPs)	\$0.00
Special Recreation Permits (SRPs)	\$1,737.00
Individual Special Recreation Permits	\$0.00
Interagency Passes	\$0.00
<b>Total Recreation Fee Revenue for FY22:</b>	<b>\$1,737.00</b>

<b>FY22 Expenditures</b>	
Repair & Maintenance	\$0.00
Visitor Services	\$0.00
Law Enforcement	\$0.00
Habitat Restoration	\$0.00
Collections/Overhead	\$0.00
<b>Total Recreation Fee Expenditures for FY22:</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>



Planned Activities



*Pacific Crest Trail*

- Trail tread Improvement on impacted sections of the PCT.
- Refresh signage at Woodrat Mid Launch

FY23 Planned Expenditures

Repair & Maintenance	\$2,000.00
Visitor Services	\$0.00
Law Enforcement	\$0.00
Habitat Restoration	\$0.00
Collections/Overhead	\$2,000.00
<b>Total Recreation Fee Expenditures for FY23:</b>	<b>\$4,000.00</b>
<b>Carryover Funds To FY23:</b>	<b>\$16,719.00</b>
<b>FY23 Projected Revenue:</b>	<b>\$1,700.00</b>

Connecting with Communities

The Ashland Field Office partners with SRP holders to provide high-value recreation opportunities that benefit the local communities and visitors. These permittees help educate recreationists on the multiple uses of public lands and contribute significantly to the socioeconomic health of communities by bringing in visitors who reside outside of the area. The SRP partnerships help the Ashland Field Office to meet the Strategic Focus 2: Plan and Manage Recreation Efforts to Achieve Specific and Desired Benefits to the Community While Promoting Responsible Shared Use of Public Lands under the External Strategy.

