

## Idaho Community Pits

### Southwest Idaho: Boise District

#### Four Rivers Field Office

Community Pit	Description	Location	Price	Minimum Amount	Closures
Almaden	Blocky sandstone: lichen covered used for decorative purposes	Washington County: east of Weiser, ID	\$20/ton; reclamation fee \$0.80/ton	Minimum: 1 ton; Maximum: 5 ton/yr Restriction: Hand tools only	Dec. 01 - Apr. 30 (seasonal); Jul. 01 – Oct. 01 (potentially closed for fire danger)
Four Mile	Blocky sandstone: lichen covered used for decorative purposes	Gem County: north of Emmett, ID	\$20/ton; reclamation fee \$0.20/ton	Minimum: 1 ton; Maximum: 2 ton/yr Restriction: Hand tools only	Dec. 01 - Apr. 30 (seasonal)
Long Gulch	Blocky basalt: lichen covered used for decorative purposes	Elmore County: near Prairie, ID	\$20/ton; reclamation fee \$0.20/ton	Minimum: 1 ton; Maximum: No Limit Restriction: Hand tools only	Dec. 01 - Apr. 30 (seasonal); Apr 01- Jun 15 (Nesting Raptors)
Pickles Butte	Cinders	Canyon County: south of Lake Lowell	\$3.75/cubic yard; reclamation fee \$0.60/cubic yard	Minimum: 3 cubic yards; Maximum: No limit	N/A
Weiser	Sand and Gravel	Washington County: west of Weiser, ID	\$1.00/cubic yard; reclamation fee \$0.60/cubic yard	Minimum: 10 cubic yards; Maximum: 20 cubic yards/yr	N/A

#### Morley Nelson Snake River Birds of Prey National Conservation Area

Community Pit	Description	Location	Price	Minimum Amount	Closures
Little Valley Clay	White clay material	Owyhee County: near CJ Strike Dam	\$2/cubic yard; reclamation fee \$0.20/cubic yard.	No established minimum or maximum	Temporarily closed – until site conditions are resolved.
Rattlesnake Creek	Brown and gray beds of pebble gravel, sand, silt, and some larger cobbles	Owyhee County: near Bruneau, ID	\$1/cubic yard; reclamation fee \$0.40/cubic yard	Minimum: 10 cubic yards; Maximum: none	N/A
Chattin Hill Clay	White clay material	Elmore County: near Grand View, ID	\$2/cubic yard; reclamation fee \$0.20/cubic yard	No established minimum or maximum	N/A
Robinson Road	Red to black volcanic cinders	Ada County: near Melba, ID	\$3.75/cubic yard; reclamation fee \$0.50/cubic yard	Minimum: 3 cubic yards; Maximum: No limit	Temporarily closed – until site conditions are resolved.
Hammett Sand Pit	Medium grain gray sand	Elmore County: near Hammett, ID	\$1/cubic yard; reclamation fee \$0.50/cubic yard	Minimum: 10 cubic yards; Maximum: none	N/A

## Owyhee Field Office

Community Pit	Description	Location	Price	Permitted Amounts
Flat Top Butte	Sandstone; used for decorative purposes.	Owyhee County	\$30/ton; reclamation fee \$0.90/ton.	Minimum: 1 ton Maximum: 5 tons/year
Marsing	Sand and gravel	Owyhee County	\$1/cubic yard; reclamation fee \$0.30/cubic yard	Minimum: 15 cubic yards Maximum: No limit
Murphy 2	Sand and gravel	Owyhee County	\$1/cubic yard; reclamation fee \$0.20/cubic yard	Minimum: 15 cubic yards Maximum: No limit
New York Summit	Sand and gravel	Owyhee County	\$1/cubic yard; reclamation fee \$0.20/cubic yard	Minimum: 15 cubic yards Maximum: No limit
Wood Canyon	Rhyolite; used for decorative purposes	Owyhee County	\$1/ton; reclamation fee \$0.30/cubic yard	No established minimum or maximum

## Bruneau Field Office

Community Pit	Description	Location	Price	Permitted Amounts
Grandview Community Pit	Sand	Owyhee County	\$1/cubic yard; reclamation fee \$0.20/cubic yard	Minimum: 15 cubic yards Maximum: No limit
Grasmere Community Pit	Sand and gravel	Owyhee County	\$1/cubic yard; reclamation fee \$0.20/cubic yard	Minimum: 15 cubic yards Maximum: No limit
Missile Site Common Use Area	Rhyolite; used for decorative purposes	Owyhee County	\$20/ton; reclamation fee \$0.30/Ton	Minimum: 1 ton Maximum: no limit
Missile Site Common Use Area	Broken rhyolite; used for decorative purposes	Owyhee County	\$1/cubic yard; reclamation fee \$0.30/cubic yards	Minimum: 15 cubic yards Maximum: No limit
Sugar Creek Common Use Area	Rhyolite; used for decorative purposes.	Owyhee County	\$20/ton; reclamation fee \$0.50/ton	Minimum: 1 ton Maximum: 5 tons/year
Worthless Butte	Sand and gravel	Owyhee County	\$1/cubic yard; reclamation fee \$0.40/cubic yard	Minimum: 15 cubic yards Maximum: No limit

## South-Central Idaho: Twin Falls District

### Jarbidge Field Office

Community Pit	Description	Location	Price (Minimum \$10)
Balanced Rock	Sand and Gravel	Twin Falls County, Northwest of Castleford, ID	\$1.47/CY
Bell Rapids West	Sand and Gravel	Twin Falls County, South of Bliss, ID	\$1.47/CY
Big Flat Creek	Sand and gravel	Owyhee County, South of Three Creek, ID	\$1.47/CY
Grindstone	Sand and gravel	Owyhee County, South of Glenns Ferry, ID	\$1.47/CY

Pasadena Valley	Sand and gravel	Elmore County, South of King Hill, ID	\$1.47/CY
Salmon Falls/Browns Bench	Rhyolite	Southwest of Rogerson	\$10.00/Ton
Three Island	Sand and gravel	Elmore County, South of Glens Ferry, ID	\$1.47/CY

## Shoshone Field Office

Community Pit	Description	Location	Price	Permitted Amounts
Black Butte	Platy, ropy lava rock, brownish red to black in color, used for decorative purposes.	Lincoln County, north of Shoshone.	Mineral - \$20.00/ton Reclamation - \$4.00/ton Total -\$24.00/ton	Minimum -1 ton Maximum -5 tons/ year
Camp Creek	Flagstone of various shapes and sizes, useful for walkways and patios.	Blaine County, between Fairfield and Hailey.	Mineral -\$20.00/ton Reclamation -\$4.00/ton Total -\$24.00/ton	Minimum -1 ton Maximum -5 tons/ year
Cinder Butte	Volcanic cinder, used for rock gardens, landscaping, and road material.	Jerome County, northeast of Hazelton.	Mineral -\$20.00/ton Reclamation -\$4.00/ton Total -\$24.00/ton	Minimum -1 ton Maximum -5 tons/ year
Owinza Butte	Volcanic cinder, used for rock gardens, landscaping, and road materials.	Lincoln County, east of Shoshone.	Mineral -\$20.00/ton Reclamation -\$4.00/ton Total -\$24.00/ton	Minimum -2 tons Maximum - 5 tons/year
Bliss-Hill City Road	Lichen covered lava rock, rhyolite landscape boulders.	Gooding County, between Bliss and Hill City.	Mineral - \$20.00/ton Reclamation - \$4.00/ton Total - \$24.00/ton	Minimum - 2 tons Maximum - 20 tons
Mammoth Cave	Lichen covered blocky lava rock used for rock walls and landscaping.	Lincoln County, north of Shoshone.	Mineral - \$20.00/ton Reclamation fee - \$4.00/ton Total - \$24.00/ton	No maximum or minimum
Old Highway 75	Lichen covered blocky lava rock used for rock walls and landscaping.	Lincoln County, north of Shoshone.	Mineral - \$20.00/ton Reclamation - \$4.00/ton Total - \$24.00/ton	No maximum or minimum
Old Shoshone-Gooding Highway	Lichen covered blocky and angular lava rock used for rock walls and landscaping.	Lincoln County, west of Shoshone.	Mineral - \$20.00/ton; Reclamation - \$4.00/ton Total - \$24.00/ton	No maximum or minimum
Big Wood	Colorful river gravel, golf ball to baseball size, used for landscaping and rock gardens.	Lincoln County, north of Shoshone.	Mineral -\$2.00/ cubic yard Reclamation - \$0.40/cubic yard Total -\$2.40/cubic yard	Minimum -10 cubic yards Maximum -100 cubic yards/year
Cottonwood Slough	Bean to golf ball size river gravel, used for road material.	Lincoln County, southwest of Richfield.	Mineral - \$2.00/cubic yard Reclamation - \$0.40/cubic yard Total - \$2.40/cubic yard	Minimum -15 cubic yards Maximum -100 cubic yards/year
East Magic	Decomposed granite, used for road materials.	Blaine County, near East Magic town site.	Mineral -\$4.00/cubic yard Reclamation -\$1.00/ cubic yard Total -\$5.00/cubic yard	Minimum -10 cubic yards Maximum -200 cubic yards/year
Midpoint	Fill material, used for road base.	Jerome County, south of Shoshone.	Mineral -\$2.00/cubic yard Reclamation -\$0.40/cubic yard Total -\$2.40/cubic yard	Minimum -15 cubic yards Maximum -100 cubic yards/year
West Magic	River gravel smaller than Sun Valley rock, but larger than driveway gravel.	Blaine County, near West Magic town site.	Mineral -\$2.00/cubic yard Reclamation - \$0.40/cubic yard Total -\$2.40/cubic yard	Minimum -15 cubic yards Maximum -100 cubic yards/year
Windsand	Windblown sand, used for fill material, sand may only be removed from areas marked with white posts, permittees using dump trucks and front end loaders will be limited to a two day permit.	Lincoln County, between Shoshone and Gooding.	Sand - \$2.00/cubic yard Reclamation - \$0.40/cubic yard Total -\$2.40/cubic yard	Minimum -15 cubic yards Maximum -100 cubic yards/year

Johnson Hill	Rip-rap and decomposed granite used for flood control and roadbase.	Camas County, southeast of Fairfield.	Mineral - \$4.00/cubic yard No reclamation fee. Total - \$4.00/cubic yard	No maximum or minimum.
Great Flood	Dirt, lava rock, and gravel used for fill material and roadbase.	North of the Golf Course Road in Jerome County.	Mineral - \$2.00/cubic yard Reclamation - \$0.40/cubic yard Total - \$2.40/cubic yard	Minimum - 10 cubic yards Maximum - 100 cubic yards.
Portuguese Creek	Lichen covered rhyolite boulders used for landscaping.	Northeast of Gooding on the County Line Road.	Mineral - \$20.00/ton Reclamation - \$4.00/ton Total - \$24.00/ton	Minimum - 2 tons Maximum - 20 tons

### Burley Field Office

Community Pit	Description	Location	Price	Minimum Amount
Almo Community Gravel Pit	Pit run gravel, sand and dirt for fill and road base	East of Almo on the Narrows Road	\$1.00/CY	10 CY
Cottonwood Community Gravel Pit	Pit run gravel and sand for road base and fill material	West of Burley and south of Highway 30	\$1.00/CY	10 CY
Cottonwood Creek	Sand and gravel		\$0.80/CY	
Idahome Community Gravel Pit	Pit run gravel for road base and fill material	At the intersection of the Idahome Road and I-84.	\$1.00/CY	10 CY
Lake Channel Community Cinders Pit	Cinders and sand for road base and fill	Southwest of American Falls, near Lake Channel.	\$1.00/CY	10 CY
Malta Community Gravel Pit	Pit run gravel and sand for road base and fill material	East of Malta	\$1.00/CY	10 CY
Magic Valley		Twin Falls County, Northwest of Buhl, ID		
Naf Community Clay Pit	Clay material for fill and lining ponds	West of Naf	\$1.00/CY	10 CY
Nibbs Creek Community Building Stone Pit	Platy rhyolite with some lichen for use as flagstone, patio, and decorative stone	West of Malta, along the Nibbs Creek Road.	\$10.00/Ton	1 Ton
Oakley Community Gravel Pit	Pit run gravel and sand for road base and fill material.	South of the Oakley Fairgrounds	\$1.00/CY	10 CY
Salmon Falls Community Building Stone Pit	Platy rhyolite with some lichen for use as flagstone, patio, and decorative stone.	Southwest of Rogerson	\$10.00/Ton	1 Ton
Trapper Creek Community Building Stone Pit	Platy rhyolite with some lichen for use as flagstone, patio, and decorative stone.	Southwest of Oakley	\$10.00/Ton	1 Ton

### Eastern Idaho: Idaho Falls District Office

#### Pocatello Field Office

BLM Pocatello Field Office Community Pits				
Community Pit	Description	Location	Price	Permitted Amounts
Marsh Valley Community Pit	Gravel: well sorted, flood gravel for driveways, gardens or concrete.	Bannock Co., 1 mile south of Arimo along west side of US Highway 91.	Gravel = \$2.30/yd; Reclamation fee = \$0.45/yd	Minimum: 4 yds
			Total = \$2.75/yd	Maximum: 200 yds

<b>Bear Lake Community Pit</b>	Sandstone: buff to red colored flagstone for facing sidewalks, patios, gardens and retaining walls. Range in size from a book to large boulders.	Bear Lake Co., Northeast of Bear Lake, access via Indian Creek Road.	Stone = \$13.20/ton	Minimum: 1 ton
				No commercial sales
<b>Stone Community Pit</b>	Limestone: fragments of gray and tan weathered shale utilized for decorative purposes	Oneida Co., 2 miles west of Stone. Accessed via W 11500 S.	Decorative Rock = \$5.00/yd Rec lam ation Fee = \$0.45/yd Total= \$5.45/yd	Minimum: 2 yds
<b>Caddy Canyon Common Use Area</b>	Fractured quartzite: fragments of tan and brown weather quartzite utilized for landscaping and other decorative purposes.	Bannock Co., 2.5 miles northwest of Inkom. Accessed via Blackrock Canyon road and BLM Designated Route 0324.	Decorative rock = \$5.00/yd	Minimum: 2 yds

### Challis Field Office

<b>Community Pit</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>Price (Minimum \$10)</b>	<b>Minimum Permitted Amounts</b>
Bartlett Point Road Community Topsoil Pit	Sandy loam used for topsoil, fill and general landscaping.	Southwestern portion of the Thousand Springs Valley.	\$2.35/CY	4.3 CY
Bradbury Flat Community Pits --Topsoil and Fill	Silty, sandy loam used for topsoil, fill and general landscaping.	Northern portion of Bradbury Flat approximately 9 miles south of Challis.	Topsoil: \$2.35/CY Fill: \$0.95/CY	Topsoil: 4.3 CY Fill: 10.5 CY
Burstedt Lane Community Sand and Gravel Pit	Silt, sand and gravel used for fill and surfacing roads.	Near the mouth of the Pahsimeroi Valley at the intersection of Burstead Lane and the West Side Pahsimeroi Valley Road.	\$1.55/CY	6.5 CY
California Ditch Community Borrow Pit	Gravelly clay used for lining ponds and ditches and surfacing roads.	In upper portion of the Pahsimeroi Valley approximately ¾-mile west of Hatch Lane and ¼-mile southeast of the California Ditch.	\$0.95/CY	10.5 CY
Challis Creek Community Borrow Pit	Andesite and welded tuff fragments used for fill and surfacing roads.	Northwest portion of Round Valley.	\$1.20/CY	8.3 CY

Chilly Buttes Community Sand and Gravel Pit	Sand and gravel used for common borrow and production of aggregates.	Central portion of the Thousand Springs Valley.	\$1.55/CY	6.5 CY
Goldburg Creek Community Gravel Pit	Sand and gravel used for road construction and surfacing.	In upper portion of the Pahsimeroi Valley near the intersection of Hatch Lane and the West Side Pahsimeroi Valley Road.	\$1.55/CY	6.5 CY
Lake Creek Community Rip-Rap Pit	Basaltic lava used as decorative rock and small diameter rip-rap.	Southwestern portion of Thousand Springs Valley.	\$1.25/CY \$0.95/T	8.0 CY 10.5 T
Lake Creek Community Shale Pit	Calcareous shale to shaley limestone used for road surfacing.	Southwestern portion of the Thousand Springs Valley.	\$1.15/CY \$1.05/T	8.7 CY 9.5 T
Morgan Creek Community Rip-Rap Pits (No.1-5)	Quartzite used for decorative rock and mall- and medium-sized rip-rap.	Along Morgan Creek Road commencing 3.5 miles from the intersection of Morgan Creek Road and State Route 93 South to a point 5 miles from the intersection.	\$1.90/CY \$1.35/T	5.3 CY 7.4 T
Patterson Creek*	Broken stone, quartzite	10 miles southeast of May	\$180/CY	5.6 CY
Pinto Creek Community Shale Pit	Argillite (dense mudstone) used for surfacing roads.	Southwestern portion of the Thousand Springs Valley.	\$1.15/CY \$1.05/T	8.7 CY 9.5 T
Rabbit Peak	Decomposed rhyolite used for surfacing roads.	2 miles southwest of Mackay.	\$0.95/CY	10.5 CY
Spar Canyon Rip-Rap Pit	Basaltic lava used as decorative rock and small diameter rip-rap.	Approximately ¼-mile northeast of the intersection of the Spar Canyon Road and the East Fork Salmon River Valley Road.	\$1.25/CY \$0.95/T	8.0 CY 10.5 T
Taylor Canyon**	Broken stone (limestone)	2 miles southwest of Mackay	\$1.20/CY	8.3 CY
West Fork Morgan Creek Community Borrow Pit	Gravelly, sandy clay used for fill and surfacing roads.	Along Morgan Creek Road near its intersection with the West Fork of Morgan Creek Road, approximately 6 miles from State Route 93 South.	\$0.95/CY	10.5 CY

*Maximum amounts are not listed because they vary depending on material types.*

*\* No operations at Patterson Creek during September 15 - May 31*

*\*\* No operations at Taylor Canyon during November 15 - April 30*

**Salmon Field Office**

<b>Community Pit</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>Price</b>	<b>Note to Customers</b>
Haynes Creek	Shale	Located 17 miles south of Salmon on Highway 28. The rock source is approx. 3.1 miles from Highway 28 on the north side of the road. Access is very good. The Forest Service has a rock source further west along the road for rip rap. Permits are available at the BLM/FS Salmon Office.	\$1.20/CY(\$0.95/CY royalty plus \$0.25/CY reclamation fee)	Watch for and report illegal dumping. Target shooting trash must be removed by recreational shooters.
McDevitt Creek	Minus 12-inch Rip Rap-Quartzite	Located 21 miles southwest of Salmon on Highway 28. The rock source is approximately 7.4 miles from Highway 28 on the north side of the road. Access is very good.	\$1.80/CY(\$1.55/CY royalty plus \$0.25/CY reclamation fee)	
McDevitt Creek Extension	Plus 12-inch Rip Rap-Quartzite	Located 21 miles southwest of Salmon on Highway 28. The rock source is approximately 9.3 miles from Highway 28 on the north side of the road. It is 1.4 miles west of the smaller rip-rap site. Access is good.	\$1.80/CY(\$1.55/CY royalty plus \$0.25/CY reclamation fee)	
Mineral Hill	Sand and Gravel Pit run gravel, sand and dirt for fill and road base.	Located 42 miles southwest of Salmon on Highway 28. The rock source is approximately 4 miles from Highway 28 on the east side of Lemhi Road. Access is good.	\$1.55/CY(\$1.30/CY royalty plus \$0.25/CY reclamation fee)	Please use bank yards only and NOT Lemhi County stockpiles.  Please lay back highwalls to prevent nesting in the active pit.
For permits at the Lemhi and Custer County sites in the Pahsimeroi Valley, contact the BLM Challis Field Office at 208-879-6200. Thank you.				