



Update Potable Water System **Hire campground hosts**



New Hydro-pneumatic Tanks installed

Amount Expended: \$3,852.20

To meet standards from Idaho Department of Environmental Quality the Pocatello Field Office (PFO) installed new hydro-pneumatic tanks, piping, pressure relief valves, and pressure gauges for the water system at Blackfoot Reservoir Campground. The PFO hired a local business, Caribou Motor Rewind, to help with the installation and schematics of the project. By completing this and passing all necessary testing, the potable water system can be safely utilized by the public within the campground.



Blackfoot Reservoir Campground - U.S. Fee Site

Amount Expended: \$7,470.75

Hiring and maintaining good camp hosts for all three U.S. Fee sites located in the PFO is a top priority for providing exceptional Visitor Services. Having camp hosts live and work in the campground makes them often the first contact and interaction with public land visitors. Performing duties such as greeting, providing information, collecting fees, light maintenance, and informing BLM staff about potential problems is key to a successful U.S. Fee Site.

Revenue & Expenditures

FY23 Revenue	
Recreation Use Permits (RUPs)	\$31,567.12
Special Recreation Permits (SRPs)	\$4,625.91
Individual Special Recreation Permits	\$0.00
Interagency Passes	\$2,940.00
Total Recreation Fee Revenue for FY23	\$39,133.03
Carryover from Prior Years	\$71,654.61
Total Available Funds for FY23	\$110,787.64

FY23 Expenditures	
Repair & Maintenance	\$16,959.90
Visitor Services	\$10,250.05
Law Enforcement	\$0.00
Inventory, Monitoring and Planning	\$2,395.29
Collections/Overhead	\$0.00
Total Recreation Fee Expenditures for FY23	\$29,605.24
Total Available Funds for FY24	\$81,182.40



Other Accomplishments

- Provide toilet pumping services at all campgrounds.
- Replaced toilet seats and toilet risers at numerous campground restrooms.
- Paid seasonal vehicle rentals for recreational maintenance.
- Maintain and purchase good operational tools/equipment to assist in campground maintenance.
- Conduct stringent water testing, along with repairing backflow preventers to provide potable water at Blackfoot Reservoir CG.

* Revenue expenditures on these projects including labor totaled \$18,282.29.

Vicinity Map



Planned Activities



Provide Scan & Pay at the self serve pay station.

The PFO is currently working to provide Scan & Pay reservations through Recreation.gov at the Blackfoot Reservoir Campground. The use of new fee collection technologies, and providing an alternate method of payment, will enhance the public recreation experience. To accomplish this the PFO will provide Wi-Fi at the pay station utilizing StarLink satellite services which will cost approximately \$1,500.00 to initiate and then and \$120 monthly.

Replace and fix sections of boat docks that were damaged due to high water and ice jams.

FY24 Planned Expenditures

Repair & Maintenance	\$20,000.00
Visitor Services	\$10,000.00
Law Enforcement	\$0.00
Inventory, Monitoring and Planning	\$2,000.00
Collections/Overhead	\$13,410.76
Total Planned Expenditures for FY24	\$45,490.76
Total Available Funds for FY24	\$81,182.40
FY24 Balance after Planned Expenditures	\$35,691.64*

*Figure excludes projected revenues for FY2024

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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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[Bureau of Land Management's Blueprint for 21st Century Outdoor Recreation](https://www.blm.gov/sites/default/files/docs/2023-08/Blueprint%20for%2021st%20Century%20Outdoor%20Recreation508.pdf)

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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.

