

CONTACT/COMMUNICATION RECORD

(Note the address and/or phone number of the interested party.)

NAME OF INTERESTED PARTY:	Francis Mangels (736 Pine Ridge, Mount Shasta, CA 96067; 530-926-0311)
DOCUMENTOR:	Emelia Bamum
DATE:	May 16, 2012
SUBJECT/PROJECT:	Porcupine Project
DISCUSSION:	<p>Mr. Mangels called to ask for a project map and to ask about the project comment period. He asked that his comments be registered. He said he was concerned with TES plants and animals as well as SM species.</p> <p>Mr. Mangels noted that within 2 miles of Hambone Cabin there are 4 wildlife ponds in need of maintenance (right on the road and within a couple hundred feet of the road). The pond about 1 mile below the cabin is especially in need of maintenance. He suggests it needs to be turned into a proper pond. And, that test ponds should be put in downstream about every mile or 1.5 miles. He noted that if there is an argument about ponds going dry in summer that the water needs to be available at least through fawning time - end of June. Notes construction - dig down about 12 feet, steep on 3 sides with a the 4th side a path leading into the pond. Mr. Mangels also suggested creating an opening in aspen patch near there to put a pond - that it would be good for Elk and deer. He feels that we should promote ponds and water in riparian areas for elk and deer. He noted that once sheep grazing was discontinued and he had put in numerous guzzlers, the elk herd increased from about 50 in 1990/1991 to about 350 now.</p> <p>Mr. Mangels was concerned about grazing. He notes that the cows should not be let out on the Bartle allotment until the grass is tall enough, which is around the end of June. He also noted that the Toad mountain cows get into Hambone and he asked we keep the Toad cows out of Hambone or better yet, cancel the Toad mountain allotment (he noted that he also feels we should cancel the Bear Creek allotment also).</p> <p>Mr. Mangels asked for a hardcopy of the project map and for a CD of the environmental assessment.</p>
ACTION (if any):	
OTHER INFORMATION (if any):	