

Nevada Department of Wildlife

Upland Game Bird Stamp Program

Fiscal Year 2010

June 2009



Upland Game Stamp Program

FY09 Projects Summary

(As of June 2, 2009)

Salary Expenditures	\$128,962
Mileage Expenditures	\$14,911
Equipment Expenditures	
Surrogator Incubator and Kawasaki Mule ATV for MVWMA	\$8,200

Southern Nevada Crew Accomplishments

- Biologist completed DAT Training
- ATV Safe Operating Certification for crew member
- 1 new small water development built Spring Mountains
- 9 major rebuilds completed; 8 in the Davis Dam and 1 in Searchlight areas

Inventoried water developments totaling 60 units with minor maintenance performed when needed:

- 2 in Gold Buttes
- 3 in East Pahranaagats
- 5 in Kane Springs Valley
- 3 in Davis Dam
- 12 in Crescent Peak
- 1 in Bullfrog Hills
- 17 in Mormon Mountains
- 1 in Searchlight
- 3 in Spring Mountains
- 4 in Seaman Wash
- 9 in White River Narrows

Northern Nevada Crew Accomplishments

34 small water development units maintained in Eastern and Western Regions in the following areas:

- Izzenhoods
- Bilk Creeks
- Shoshones
- Fish Creeks
- Soldier Meadows
- Clan Alpines
- Majuba Mt.
- Lava Beds
- Dry Mt.

Materials have been purchased for the Haypress Meadow Exclosure Project and will be delivered to the site in August of 2009 and scheduled to be built the summer of 2010.

One small water development unit was built on the west side of the Spring Mountains with one more in the process of being built.

In the Spring of 2009 87 mountain quail were released into the Stillwater Range. Twenty-six of the mountain quail were fitted with telemetry receivers which were purchased with 2009 upland game stamp funds. The telemetry receivers were placed on the mountain quail to determine summer use areas as well as determining nest success.

65 acres of food plots for upland game were seeded at Mason Valley WMA

Sportsman's Journal

20,000 copies were printed of the *Nevada Hunter's Journal*. This document has been greatly modified from the initial booklet entitled *Nevada Sportsman's Journal*. In an attempt to ensure that the booklet reaches the hands of small game hunters, a copy was included with the 2008-09 Small Game Questionnaire in a mail-out to over 15,000+ persons.

Cameras have been purchased to monitor usage of water developments and other water sources by wildlife. Because of recent vandalism they have not been placed on water developments in Southern Nevada as of yet.

Restoration of the New Spring Development is near completion. It is anticipated that water will be available in the trough in early June 2009. Remaining work involves installing galvanized pipes and fittings at the trough, and joining pipe of differing specifications near the head box.

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SALARIES

Staff Specialist, Biologists and Wildlife Area Techs	\$160,000.00
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PROJECTS

Southern Nevada Upland Game Water Development Maintenance (Approximately 20 units to be maintained)	\$34,830.00
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Southern Nevada Upland new Game Water Developments (Approximately 15 units to be built)	\$22,150.00
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Upland Game Water Development Maintenance Western and Eastern Regions	\$5,000.00
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Upland Game Trap, Transplant and Monitor	\$48,400.00
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Birch Creek Meadow Restoration	\$5,500.00
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Sportsman's Journal	\$3,500.00
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Food Plots at Key Pittman WMA	\$6,055.00
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Maintenance of Food Plots at Mason Valley WMA	\$3,405.00
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Purchase of Pheasants for Mason Valley WMA	\$500.00
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Food Plots at Mason Valley WMA	\$2,414.00
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TOTAL	\$291,754.00
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NRS 502.292 Fee to hunt certain upland game birds: Requirements regarding documentation of payment; amount.

1. Except as otherwise provided in this section, it is unlawful for any person to hunt any upland game bird, except turkey and crow, unless at the time he is hunting he carries on his person such documentation as the Department provides as proof that he has paid to the Department, for the licensing period that includes the time he is hunting, the fee required pursuant to this section.

2. The provisions of this section do not apply to a person who is under the age of 12 years.

3. The documentation required pursuant to this section must be sold by the Department, and persons authorized by the Department to sell hunting licenses, for a fee of \$10.

4. The Department shall determine the form of the documentation.

(Added to NRS by [2003, 2540](#))

NRS 502.294 Fee to hunt certain upland game birds: Deposit of proceeds; accounting records; reimbursement of administrative costs. All money received pursuant to [NRS 502.292](#) must be deposited with the State Treasurer for credit to the Wildlife Obligated Reserve Account in the State General Fund. The Department shall maintain separate accounting records for the receipt and expenditure of that money. An amount not to exceed 10 percent of that money may be used to reimburse the Department for the cost of administering the program of documentation. This amount is in addition to compensation allowed persons authorized to issue and sell licenses.

(Added to NRS by [2003, 2540](#))

NRS 502.296 Fee to hunt certain upland game birds: Use of proceeds.

1. Before the Department may undertake any project using money received pursuant to [NRS 502.292](#), it must analyze the project and provide the Commission with recommendations as to the need for the project and its feasibility.

2. Money received pursuant to [NRS 502.292](#) must be used for projects approved by the Commission for the protection and propagation of upland game birds and for the acquisition, development and preservation of the habitats of upland game birds in this State.

(Added to NRS by [2003, 2540](#))

NRS 502.298 Fee to hunt certain upland game birds: Reports to Legislature regarding program. The Department shall, not later than the fifth calendar day of each regular session of the Legislature, submit to it a report summarizing any projects undertaken and the receipt and expenditure of money and public benefits achieved by the program for the sale of documentation to hunt any upland game bird, except turkey and crow.

(Added to NRS by [2003, 2540](#))

**Nevada Department of Wildlife
Level A Project Request**

Fiscal Year : 2010 **Budget Acct: 4458**
Division : Habitat **Category : 72**
Submitted By : Roddy Shepard
Project Title : Southern Region Upland Guzzler Maintenance

Description: To continue regularly scheduled maintenance and upkeep on over three hundred upland water developments, hereafter referred to as “guzzlers” in Clark, Lincoln, Esmeralda, and Nye counties. Required work includes inventories, repair and replacement of barbed wire fencing, leaking or dilapidated tanks, antiquated wooden frames and damaged apron panels, and gutter and plumbing. This project requires extensive travel and per diem, resulting in high vehicle mileage, frequent oil changes and tire replacement. Additional duties include database management, photo-documentation, the use of mapping software, and maintenance on a camp trailer and all-terrain vehicles plus periodic replacement and maintenance of gas-powered and electric tools such as drills, saws, generators, water pumps, and a heavy duty pavement breaker. Maintenance of class “A” driver’s licenses including biennial physical examinations has been a necessity but may be eliminated with the addition of a compact loader/backhoe to the program.

Project Fit with Other Department Programs and Strategic Planning:

The Southern Region Guzzler Maintenance crew was created to address concerns about neglected artificial waters, some of which were over fifty years old, mainly in Clark and Lincoln Counties, and declining upland game populations in Southern Nevada. This is directly in line with the Department’s goal of conserving, maintaining and enhancing wildlife habitat by providing alternate water sources in harsh desert climates and perpetuating wildlife species for the enjoyment of future generations of sportsmen and wildlife enthusiasts. Other programs include Southern Region Big Game Water Development Maintenance, Wildfire rehabilitation, Riparian restoration and fencing of natural water sources, Winnemucca Guzzler Crew.

Project Costs:

	Days	Travel	Operating	Mileage@ \$.55/mile	Totals
FY10	550	\$1530	\$18,000	\$15,300	\$34,830

Funding Source: Upland game stamp funds

**Nevada Department of Wildlife
Level B Project Request**

Fiscal Year : 2010 **Budget Acct: 4458**
Division : Habitat **Category : 72**
Submitted By : Roddy Shepard
Project Title : New Water Development Construction

Description: With clearances in hand for archaeology, we now have the green light to begin sighting in and constructing 50 new units in various locations in Lincoln County, ten per year for five years. Plans are to construct 5 additional new units in various counties in the Southern Region as sites are designated and the NEPA completed. Units consist of one tank, 350 or 900 gallon capacity, two large cross beams, four upright posts, eleven corrugated apron panels, gutter and downspout, and a fence.

Project Fit with Other Department Programs and Strategic Planning:
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Project Costs:

	Days	Travel	Operating	Mileage@ \$.55/mile	Totals
FY10	50	\$5000	\$10,000	\$7,150	\$22,150

Funding Source: Upland game stamp funds

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LEVEL B PROJECT REQUEST**

Fiscal Year:	<u>2010 - 2011</u>	Budget Account:	<u>4458</u>
Bureau:	<u>Habitat</u>	Category:	<u>72</u>
Submitted by:	<u>Clint Garrett</u>		
Project Title:	<u>Small Game Water Development</u>		

Project Description: (Objectives, Approach, Benefits, Evaluation)

Small game guzzlers will be maintained in varying locations within the Western and Eastern regions of the state. These water developments will allow for the expansion of a myriad of species, but will focus on target species such as Chukar and Hungarian Partridge. When rebuilt, these guzzlers will increase numbers and expand bird populations into previously unused or low use areas. The increase or expansion in the populations should correlate to additional bird hunting opportunities for sportsmen. By not completing this project, NDOW will not allow chukar and hungarian partridge to expand or increase in these areas, nor will it provide more opportunities for sportsmen. The guzzlers will be rebuilt in a prioritized order as conditions and clearances allow.

Project Fit with other Department Programs and Strategic Planning:

Comprehensive Strategic Plan (2004-2009)
 1. *NDOW Charter - The Resource*
 2. *Habitat Management and Enhancement*
Objective: Inventory, evaluate and apply maintenance where required to all constructed wildlife water developments in the state..

Project Costs:

	Bureau	Days 1629/1630	Travel 1629/1630	Operating & Helicopter	Mileage	Other (Specify) Guzzler Materials
Year 1						
Western Region	Habitat	10	700.00	750.00	1,050.00	
Eastern Region	Habitat	10	700.00	750.00	1,050.00	

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subtotal:		20	1,400.00	1,500.00	2,100.00	
Year 2						
Western Region	Habitat	10	700.00	750.00	1,050.00	
Eastern Region	Habitat	10	700.00	750.00	1,050.00	
subtotal:		20	1,400.00	1,500.00	2,100.00	
Total:		40	2,800.00	3,000.00	4,200.00	

Project Funding:

	Funding Source	Amount
Year 1		
FY 2009		\$5,000.00
subtotal:		\$5,000.00
Year 2		
FY 2010		\$5,000.00
subtotal:		\$5,000.00
Total:		\$10,000.00

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Fiscal Year: 2010
Bureau: Game Division
Submitted by: Shawn Espinosa
Project Title: Upland Game Trap, Transplant and Monitor

Budget Account: 4458
Category: 72

Project Description: (Objectives, Approach, Benefits, Evaluation)

Trapping and transplant of certain upland game birds to re-establish or augment populations is an important aspect of the overall mission of the Nevada Department of Wildlife. There are several elements to this particular project including:

- 1) Mountain quail capture and monitoring
- 2) Ruffed grouse capture and monitoring
- 3) Sharp-tailed grouse capture and monitoring; and
- 4) Greater sage-grouse monitoring and habitat assessment

The mountain quail capture work involves the use of contract services in southwestern Oregon to capture 100 mountain quail for future release in Nevada. We have used the services of the Relocator LLC to conduct mountain quail capture with great success for the past two years. This vendor is also utilized by the Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife and it is requested that we use this vendor. A contract is currently in place with the Relocator LLC. Monitoring will be conducted through the use of VHF telemetry devices and a seasonal technician or graduate student. The following is an itemization of costs for this element:

- 1) 100 mountain quail @ \$60.00/bird = \$6,000.00
- 2) 30 Holohil Systems VHF transmitters @ \$190.00 = \$5,700.00
- 3) Seasonal Technician (Kelly Services) = 640 hours @ 16.00/hr + per diem = \$12,800

Ruffed grouse capture work will also involve the use of the Relocator LLC. Attempts have been made by this vendor in the past to capture Ruffed Grouse in southwestern Oregon; however, certain circumstances such as unusual snowfall and poor access have limited the ability of the vendor to capture this species. We feel that, because of the source stock population, and some new methodologies that the vendor can capture a complement of birds necessary for a release. The following is a cost breakdown of conducting the ruffed grouse capture:

- 1) 20 ruffed grouse @ \$120.00/bird = \$2,400.00

In FY2011, we anticipate translocating Columbian sharp-tailed grouse from Idaho and Utah into the Columbia Basin located in Elko County. It is extremely important that post release monitoring of demographics and habitat usage be conducted. The most appropriate way to do this is to utilize one or more graduate students to conduct this work. Funds will likely be requested in 2011 to help fund a graduate student for this work. Additional funds will be made available through the W-48 Grant as well as other NGO sources. A budget has not yet been established for this work.

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Greater sage-grouse monitoring will consist of additional monitoring needs in the Virginia Mountains, Bates Mountain in central Nevada, and in eastern Elko County. Funds will be utilized to purchase VHF telemetry collars and additional flight time for follow-up monitoring using Owyhee Air Services. A contract is currently in place with Owyhee Air to conduct aerial telemetry surveys. The following is an itemized cost breakdown:

- 1) 30 ATS VHF Transmitters @ \$200.00 ea. = \$6,000.00
- 2) 50 hours of flight time through Owyhee Air @ \$310.00/hr = \$15,500.00

Project Fit with other Department Programs and Strategic Planning:

The goals and objectives of this project fulfill those written in the Nevada Upland Game Species Management Plan, the Nevada Upland Game and Waterfowl Release Plan for FY08 & 09, and the First Edition of the Greater Sage-grouse Conservation Plan for Nevada and Eastern California.

Project Costs:

	Bureau	Days	Travel	Operating	Mileage @ .55¢/mile	Other (Specify)
Year 1				\$8,400		MOQU & RUGR
				\$11,700		Transmitters
				\$12,800		Seasonal Technician
				\$15,500		Flight Time
subtotal:				\$48,400		
Year 2				\$8,400		MOQU
				\$12,800		Seasonal Technician
				\$15,500		Flight Time
				\$15,000		Graduate Student
subtotal:				\$51,700		
Total:				\$100,100		

Project Funding:

	Funding Source	Amount
Year 1		\$
subtotal:		\$
Year 2		\$
subtotal:		\$
Total:		\$

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Fiscal Year: 2010
Bureau: Habitat

Budget Account: 4458
Category: 72

Submitted by: Gary Branzell / Steve Foree
Project Title: Birch Creek Meadows Restoration
Project

Project Description: (Objectives, Approach, Benefits, Evaluation)

State owned property in Birch Creek (Toiyabe Range) contains one of the largest intact meadow complexes in Central Nevada. Concern has been expressed on the part of resource managers associated with the head cutting currently occurring within the meadow complex. We have enlisted the expertise of the USFS hydrologist to develop a plan to check this degradation. Monies associated with this request would be used for materials, equipment and labor to build check dams to initiate restoration of this important meadow complex. The meadow complex is extensively utilized by sage grouse and mule deer. Birch Creek maintains a sport fish population.

Project Fit with other Department Programs and Strategic Planning:

Project fits with Habitat Management and Enhancement Goals within the Strategic Plan (page 2) and works towards the objective of maintaining aquatic habitats in good ecological condition. Fisheries and Habitat staff biologists will monitor the effectiveness and success of the project.

Project Costs:

	Bureau	Days	Travel	Operating	Mileage @ 55¢/mile	Other (Specify)
Year1	Habitat	4		\$5,000	\$500.00	
subtotal:		4		\$5,000	\$500.00	
Total:		4		\$5,000	\$500.00	

Project Funding:

	Funding Source	Amount
Year 1	Upland Game Stamp	\$5,500
subtotal:		\$5,500
Total:		\$5,500

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Fiscal Year:	<u>FY2010</u>	Budget Account:	<u>4458</u>
Division:	<u>Game,</u>	Category:	<u>13 & 72</u>
Submitted by:	<u>Craig Mortimore, Shawn Espinosa</u>		
Project Title:	<u>Nevada Hunter's Journal</u>		

Project Description: (Objectives, Approach, Benefits, Evaluation)

The *Nevada Hunter's Journal* is a publication developed by the Game Division in 2009 to replace a one-year run of the *Nevada Sportsman's Journal*. The booklet measures 3½" x 8" and is provided to each person selected to receive the Division's post-season Small Game Harvest Questionnaire.

Background:

- 1.) NDOW has been sending out post-season questionnaires to small game hunters for decades. Data gleaned from this process are used to compute harvest estimates, which in turn are used to make management decisions, such as season & bag recommendations and game bird translocations. Because the established questionnaire was deficient in representing harvest of lightly hunted species, the Game Division revised its questionnaire in each of the past three years to seek better data. Game Division also is working with the License Office to create a distribution strategy that closely approximates a census of all small game hunters. Presently the questionnaire does not reach the totality of small game hunters, thus the information from the sample needs to be as accurate and thorough as possible. The *Nevada Hunter's Journal* is designed to encourage the recipient to accurately record hunter and harvest data for each species hunted.
- 2.) This project was launched in FY2008 as the *Nevada Sportsman's Journal* with an initial order of 32,430 units which were delivered in October 2007. Costs for this project amounted to approximately \$18,000, with contributions from Carson Valley Chukar Club (\$5,000) and Nevada Chukar Foundation (\$2,500) included in that total.
- 3.) A second print run was proposed last year with funding allocations amounting to \$2,500 each from Nevada Duck Stamp and Nevada Upland Game Stamp funds contributing toward the \$8,605 bid proffered by the Nevada State Printer to produce 20,000 copies of the revised booklet. These dollars, along with \$2,000 in donations from NBU, WHIN and a private party benefactor and \$1,605 in W-48 funds will pay for the print run which should be completed by the end of March 2009. Most will be directly mailed to Questionnaire recipients and the balance will be distributed through NDOW offices.
- 4.) Game Division will continue to provide the *Nevada Hunter's Journal* through the processes described above for at least three years in order to allow a sufficient time period to assess the hunter usage and data quality efficacy. We ask for \$9,600 to be directed toward this purpose for FY2010, this time to support the printing of 25,000 copies under the premise that next year's Questionnaire mail out will be much larger than this year's.

Project Fit with other Department Programs and Strategic Planning:

- 1.) The *Nevada Hunter's Journal* will facilitate better data collection the Game Division's 2009 Small Game Questionnaire. Better data leads to better analysis and better management decisions.
- 2.) Sportsman's Journal will be perceived by some, and hopefully by most, clientele as an effort by NDOW to give something back to our clientele.

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Project Costs:

	Divisions	Days	Travel	Operating	Mileage	Other (specify)
Year 3 Order 25,000 units.	Game	10				
	Habitat	1				
	Admin.	1				
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Project Funding: (conceptual – needs investigation)

Funding source	Amount
Upland Game Stamp	\$3,500
Duck Stamp	\$3,500
Game Division (W-48)	\$1,300
Operation Game Thief	\$300
Contributions from Conservation Organizations	\$1,000
TOTAL:	\$9,600

Project Tasks Outline:

Task	Timing	Division	Personnel
1. Prepare Print Proposal	Feb.1, 2010	Game	Mortimore
2. Submit Proposal to State Printer			
3. Solicit Conservation Organization Donations	Feb. 15, 2010	Game	Mortimore
4. Solicit OGT Board Contribution		LE	Herndon
5. Print and mail journals	End of March 2010	State Printer and State Mailroom	
6. Take Delivery of undistributed journals	April 2010	Game	
7. Distribute to NDOW offices	Early August 2010	Operations	License
8. Develop media products to notify public.	Mar. & Sept. 2010	Con Ed	PIOs

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Fiscal Year:	<u>FY10 & 11</u>	Budget Account:	<u>4458</u>
Bureau:	<u>Habitat</u>	Category:	<u>72</u>
Submitted by:	<u>Ron Mills</u>		
Project Title:	<u>Food Plots at KPWMA</u>		

Project Description: (Objectives, Approach, Benefits, Evaluation)

There are currently 7 fields or approximately 60 acres seeded and irrigated annually for food plots at Key Pittman. Also, following herbicide applications to control noxious and invasive weeds along shore lines and in the northern ponds and two reservoirs some additional seeding of aquatic varieties of vegetation is completed annually. A farming coop program allows the lessee to farm about 30 of the 60 acres. The crops raised are selected to benefit a variety of resident and migrating wildlife. The farming plan incorporates cover crops, nitrogen fixing plants and cereal grain crops to provide forage to wildlife and maintain and/or improve the soil for better production, reduce noxious and invasive weeds and reduce the need for commercial fertilizer.

The estimated costs are:

Sunflower - 300lbs @ \$3.50/lb	\$1050
Hairy vetch - 200lbs @ \$3/lb	\$600
Millet - 200 lbs @ \$1/lb	\$200
Sorghum - 200 lbs @ \$1/lb	\$200
Winter rye - 1000 lbs @ \$0.50/lb	\$500
Winter wheat - 1000 lbs @ \$0.35/lb	\$350
strawberry clover - 100 lbs @ \$2/lb	\$200
Oats - 300 lbs @ .35/lb	\$105
Austrian pea - 100 lbs @ \$1/lb	\$100
Alsike clover - 50 lbs @ \$2/lb	\$100
Alkali bulrush 50 lbs @ \$8/lb	\$400
Fuel to operate tractor 450 gallons @ \$5/gal	\$2250
Total Annual Cost	\$6055.00

Project Fit with other Department Programs and Strategic Planning:

The farming of grain crops on the management area is important to migrating and resident wildlife. In addition these fields provide hunting opportunities to sportsmen. This program is outlined in the CMP for Key Pittman. The NDOW Strategic Plan states: Habitat is the key to the success of all wildlife populations. Effective management is an integral function of the department of Wildlife. Maintain, protect and enhance wildlife habitats on wildlife management areas by applying good science and best management practices through the implementation of Comprehensive Management Plans on all WMAs.

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Project Costs:

	Bureau	Days	Travel	Operating	Mileage @ .55¢/mile	Other (Specify)
Year 1	Habitat	50		6055		
subtotal:		50		6055		
Year 2	Habitat	50		6055		
subtotal:		50		6055		
Total:		100		12110		

Project Funding:

	Funding Source	Amount
Year 1	4458 Cat 72	6055
subtotal:		6055
Year 2	4458 Cat 72	6055
subtotal:		6055
Total:		12110

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Fiscal Year:	<u>FY10 & 11</u>	Budget Account:	<u>4458</u>
Bureau:	<u>Habitat</u>	Category:	<u>72</u>
Submitted by:	<u>Pat Kelly</u>		
Project Title:	<u>Maintenance of food plots</u>		

Project Description: (Objectives, Approach, Benefits, Evaluation)

This would involve the maintenance of approximately 43 acres of established food plots for upland game birds at the Mason Valley WMA. Work may include fertilization and/or reseeding as necessary.

Project Fit with other Department Programs and Strategic Planning:

One of the strategies listed in the Mason Valley CMP is the establishment of small to medium sized food plots at the Mason Valley WMA. This project is intended to maintain already established food plots so that they continue to be productive for wildlife. The project would involve the application of ammonium sulfate fertilizer to about 43 acres per year and the reseeding of about the same acreage to wildlife bird plot seed mix.

43 acres X 200 lbs/acre = 8600 lbs (4.3 tons) @ \$375.00/ton = \$1,612.50
 43 acres X 50 lbs /acre = 2,150 lbs @ \$.75 / lb = \$1,612.50

TOTAL COST PER YEAR = \$3,225.00

Project Costs:

	Bureau	Days	Travel	Operating	Mileage @ .55¢/mile	Other (Specify)
Year 1	Habitat			\$3,225.00	180.00	
subtotal:						
Year 2				\$3,225.00	180.00	
subtotal:						
Total:				\$6,450.00	\$360.00	

Project Funding:

	Funding Source	Amount
Year 1	Cat 72	\$3405
subtotal:		
Year 2	Cat 72	\$3405
subtotal:		
Total:		\$6810.00

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Fiscal Year: 10 **Budget Account:** 4458
Bureau: Habitat **Category:** 72
Submitted by: Pat Kelly
Project Title: Purchase of pheasants for MVWMA

Project Description: (Objectives, Approach, Benefits, Evaluation)

This funding would provide for the purchase of pheasant chicks to be utilized in the Surrogator boxes present on the area to help in the enhancement of the wild pheasant population on the Mason Valley WMA.

Project Fit with other Department Programs and Strategic Planning:

This project is in direct correlation to the areas CMP, in the rehabilitation of viable wild pheasant populations on the area.

Project Costs:

	Bureau	Days	Travel	Operating	Mileage @ .55¢/mile	Other (Specify)
Year 1	Habitat			\$500.00		
subtotal:				\$500.00		
Year 2						
subtotal:						
Total:				\$1,000.0		

Project Funding:

	Funding Source	Amount
Year 1		\$500.00
subtotal:		
Year 2		\$500.00
subtotal:		
Total:		\$1,000.00

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LEVEL B PROJECT REQUEST**

Fiscal Year: 10-11 **Budget Account:** 4458
Bureau: Habitat **Category:** 72
Submitted by: Pat Kelly
Project Title: Food Plots MVWMA

Project Description: (Objectives, Approach, Benefits, Evaluation)

The purchase of upland seed mix, sunflower and other upland grains help us continue to maintain healthy plant communities for upland bird species on the area.

Project Fit with other Department Programs and Strategic Planning:

This project is a continuation of the same upland program, but a little larger scale, as outlined in the CMP for Mason Valley WMA.

Project Costs:

	Bureau	Days	Travel	Operating	Mileage @ .55¢/mile	Other (Specify)
Year 1	Habitat			\$2,100		
	Cat 20				\$314.00	Mileage @.51/mile
subtotal:						
Year 2	Habitat			\$2,100		
	Cat 20				\$314.00	Mileage @.51/mile
subtotal:						
Total:						

Project Funding:

	Funding Source	Amount
Year 1	Habitat	2,100.00
	Cat 20	314.00
subtotal:		2,414.00
Year 2	Habitat	2,100.00
	Cat 20	314.00
subtotal:		2,414.00
Total:		\$4,828.0