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LETTER OF AGREEMENT (LOA) FOR ORGANIZED GROUP RECREATION USE

between
Vernal Office, Bureau of Land Management
and
Rally Colorado

A special recreation permit (SRP) may be required for recreation activities by organized groups using public lands and related waters. Criteria used to determine whether a permit is necessary include: concern for human health and safety, need for specific management of lands and/or resources, need to monitor for resource damage or need to coordinate with other public land users.

Under 43 CFR 2932.12(d), this event qualifies for a waiver of the special recreation permit requirements as an organized group activity or event where "is not commercial; is not publicly advertised; poses no appreciable risk for damage to public land or related water resource values and requires no specific management or monitoring." Any changes in your activity will require a new evaluation for determination of the need for an SRP.

This Letter of Agreement (LOA) documents the waiver of the requirement to have an SRP for this specific event and provides guidelines to ensure safe and appropriate uses of public lands. We ask that you follow the attached "Suggestions for a Safe and Successful Outing", "OHV Regulations Governing Use" and "Regulations for the Occupancy and Use of Public Lands" while on BLM-administered public lands. Failure to do so may result in the need to require an SRP for similar activities, or potential fines and criminal prosecution, depending on the circumstances. This LOA applies to BLM-administered public lands; it does not address use of any other lands. Please retain this LOA with you during your event.

Type of Activity: Travel along Colorado CR109 onto County Road 4380-Missouri Creek Road, then on to CR 4180-Dragon Road and then on to CR 4295-Rabbit Mountain Road and back on to Colorado CR4295

Location: T 11 S, R 25 E sec13, 14, 15, 16, 26, 27, & 34 and T 12 S R 25 E sec 2, 2, & 3

Date and Time: Saturday, July 19, 2025, throughout the day

INTERIOR REGION 7 • UPPER COLORADO BASIN

COLORADO, NEW MEXICO, UTAH, WYOMING

Frequency: Single day

Number of People: Number would depend on number of applicants, but attendance is anticipated to be 25-35 teams.

Activity Contact Person: Rupert Berrington, Chairman, Rally Colorado.

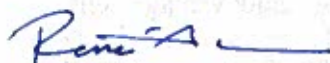
BLM Contact Person: Georgia L. Foster, Outdoor Recreation Planner.

Activity Organizer:

Signature

Date

Authorized Officer:




Assistant Field Manager, Resources

7/11/2025

Date

Enclosures:


- 1 - Map of proposed area:
- 2 - Suggestions for a Safe and Successful Outing
- 3 - Regulations for Occupancy and Use of Public Lands



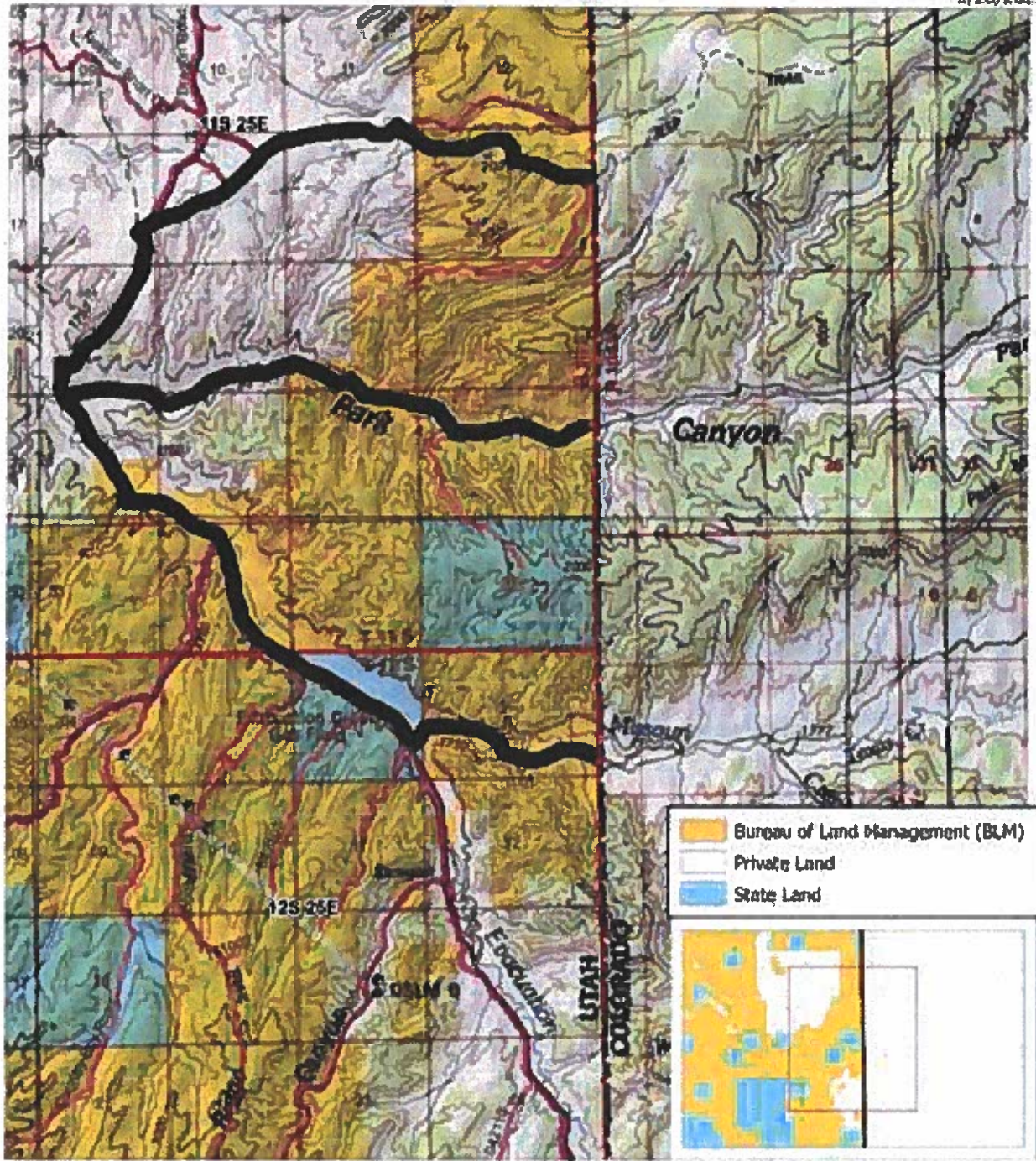
Rally Colorado
Proposed Routes.



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5/28/2025



U.S. Route
Scale: 1:64,320

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We ask that you please abide by the following suggestions to have a safe and successful outing with a minimum impact to the environment. Failure to do so may result in special recreation permits being required for future activities.

1. Please Tread Lightly on Public Lands. Please ensure that all vehicles remain on existing or designated roads and trails at all times. Please obey all route closure signs, posted regulations and private land postings.
2. Proper disposal of human waste is critical. For your event, this can be accomplished best by providing portable toilet facilities using a river toilet.
3. All dispersed camping locations are available on a "first come, first serve" basis. Plan ahead to assure that your group can secure a spot without interfering with other visitors.
4. Avoid building new fire rings and bonfires are not permitted. USE A FIRE PAN to eliminate scars on the soil. Cutting of vegetation, trees or bushes is prohibited. Please provide your own firewood. No GATHERING WOOD for campfires is allowed. Burn wood to ashes and douse with water, making sure that your fire is DEAD OUT and that the area is restored to a natural condition before leaving. If you are a vehicle-based camp, haul out all charcoal and ash from your fire pan.
5. Help us clean up public lands by REMOVING ALL TRASH. Please assist BLM in removing other refuse from the area to make the location a cleaner site for future users and to help maintain the scenic beauty of your public lands.
6. Operation of public address systems or other amplified audio equipment on public lands is NOT allowed under this use agreement.
7. Any signing for, or associated with, the activity must be removed at the completion of the activity.
8. There are certain natural conditions and phenomenon that could be encountered that present risks of which activity participants must be aware. All participants must be advised of any risks or adverse conditions which might be encountered and assume all risks. The Activity Organizer and participants are responsible for inspecting the camping area and routes prior to the activity for any hazardous conditions. These include but are not limited to: trail and route conditions, abandoned mines, landslides, rocks, changing water or weather conditions, fallen limbs or trees, submerged objects, hazardous wildlife, etc.
9. Adequate first aid supplies, repair kits, tools, survival gear and fire extinguishers are recommended to respond to emergency situations.
10. All off-highway vehicles are to be equipped with spark arrestors. If a wildfire is accidentally started, move away to a safe area and report the incident by dialing 911. Wait for emergency response to arrive if it is not unsafe to remain in the vicinity. Do not endanger yourself by trying to put out wildfires yourself. Call for help.
11. Use of fireworks is prohibited on public land.
12. Nothing in this agreement shall be construed to imply permission to build any structure or conduct any activity not specifically named.
13. Disorderly or otherwise objectionable conduct such as harassment of wildlife, livestock, wild horses or other lawful users of public lands and related waters will not be tolerated and could be the basis for denial of similar agreements in the future.
14. Participants must take reasonable precautions to protect natural resource values, cultural and historic objects, aesthetic values, and any improvement on public lands.
15. Please observe all applicable federal, state and local laws, regulations and ordinances. Uintah and Daggett counties require permits for certain organized activities. "Regulations for Occupancy and Use of Public Lands" are attached.
16. Please report the number of participants to the Salt Lake Field Office. Call Jo Foster, Outdoor Recreation Planner, at (435) 781-3432.

For any question concerning regulations on public lands, please contact our office immediately.
 Bureau of Land Management, Green River District, Vernal Field Office
 170 South 500 East, Vernal, UT 84078 / (435) 781-4400 front desk.

REGULATIONS FOR THE OCCUPANCY AND USE OF PUBLIC LANDS

CAMPING (CFR 8365.1-2)

Occupancy on any site on BLM lands for camping or other purposes is limited to a maximum of 14 days during a 28-day period. The 14-day limit may be reached either through a number of individual visits or through 14 days of continuous occupation during the 28-day interval. Beyond 14 days, occupation of another site shall not be within a 30-mile radius of the heretofore occupied location. When the 14 days have been reached, the person or persons must not return for a period of another 14 days from the last day of occupation (57 FR 59121, Dec 14, 1992).

BUILDING FIRES (CFR 9212.1)

Unless permitted in writing by the authorized officer, it is prohibited on the public lands to:

- (a) Cause a fire, other than a campfire, or the industrial flaring of gas, to be ignited by any source.
- (b) Fire a tracer or incendiary device.
- (c) Burn, timber, trees, slash, brush, tundra or grass except as used in campfires.
- (d) Leave a fire without extinguishing it, except to report it if it has spread beyond control.
- (e) Build, attend, maintain or use a campfire without removing all flammable material from around the campfire adequate to prevent its escape.
- (f) Resist or interfere with the efforts of firefighter(s) to extinguish a fire.
- (g) Enter an area which is closed by a fire prevention order, or
- (h) Perform any act restricted by a fire prevention order.

PROPERTY AND RESOURCES (CFR 8365.1-5)

- (a) On all public lands, unless otherwise authorized, no person shall:
 - (1) Willfully deface, disturb, remove or destroy any personal property, or structures, or any scientific, cultural, archaeological or historic resource, natural object or area.
 - (2) Willfully deface, remove or destroy plants or their parts, soil, rocks or minerals, or cave resources.

UNATTENDED PERSONAL PROPERTY (CFR 8365.1-2)

A person or persons may not keep unattended personal property on public lands for a period of more than 48 hours without written permission from an authorized officer, with the exception that vehicles may be parked in designated parking areas for up to 14 consecutive days (57 FR, Dec 14, 1992).

SANITATION (CFR 8365.1-1)

- (b) On all public lands, no person shall, unless otherwise authorized:
 - (1) Dispose of any cans, bottles and other nonflammable trash and garbage except in designated places or receptacles.
 - (2) Dispose of flammable trash or garbage except by burning in authorized fires, or disposal in designated places or receptacles.
 - (3) Drain sewage or petroleum products or dump refuse or waste other than wash water from any trailer or other vehicle except in places or receptacles provided for that purpose.
 - (4) Dispose of any household, commercial or industrial refuse or waste brought as such from private or municipal property.
 - (5) Pollute or contaminate water supplies or water used for human consumption; or
 - (6) Use a refuse container or disposal facility for any purpose other than for which it is supplied.

PUBLIC HEALTH, SAFETY AND COMFORT (CFR 8365.1-4)

- (a) No person shall cause a public disturbance or create a risk to other persons on public lands by engaging in activities which include, but are not limited to, the following:
 - (1) Making unreasonable noise.
 - (2) Creating a hazard or nuisance.
 - (3) Refusing to disperse, when directed to do so by an authorized officer.
 - (4) Resisting arrest or issuance of citation by an authorized officer engaged in performance of official duties; interfering with any Bureau of Land Management employee or volunteer engaged in performance of official duties; or
 - (5) Assaulting, committing a battery upon, or
 - (6) Knowingly giving any false or fraudulent report of an emergency situation or crime to any Bureau of Land Management employee or volunteer engaged in the performance of official duties.
- (b) No person shall engage in the following activities on the public lands:
 - (1) Cultivating, manufacturing, delivering, distributing or trafficking a controlled substance.
 - (2) Possessing a controlled substance.

THE WILLFUL DEFACING OR REMOVAL OF PUBLIC LANDS NOTICES IS SUBJECT TO CRIMINAL PROSECUTION WHICH MAY RESULT IN A FINE AND/OR IMPRISONMENT 18 USC S. 1361 – UP TO \$10,000 FINE AND/OR 10 YRS S-156A (Dec 1978).

