

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE  
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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20250

January 4, 1971

IN REPLY REFER TO  
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Mr. A. A. Hormay  
Pacific Southwest Station  
Box 245  
Berkeley, California 94701

Dear Gus:

About a month ago, George Lea discussed the publication TT-4, "Principles of Rest-Rotation Grazing and Multiple-Use Land Management" with us.

George is seemingly disturbed over the inadequacy of credit to the Bureau of Land Management and the relatively poor quality of the cover page. He also indicated that he did not plan to distribute BLM's supply in its present form.

The following relevant points relating to your assignment for preparation of this material for publication were discussed for George's benefit:

1. This Division's arrangement with the Station Director in 1961 to fund half of your salary inasmuch as the Station was in a financial bind. This with the understanding that you were to prepare a suitable publication on rest-rotation grazing and conduct grazing systems training sessions for NFS field units. This funding arrangement continued through FY 1966 at which time you transferred.
2. The original draft, submitted late in 1965, was in need of revision following review and was not completed for some time after your transfer.
3. The Station commitment was made and the entire research effort accomplished and funded while you were with the Forest Service. Thus, any publication of findings from this effort was quite correctly considered Departmental property when the material was being processed and a dual credit cover page suggested. In order to expedite publication, we did not make a major issue of the point.



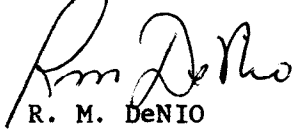
George seemingly appreciated the rationale used but was not satisfied. He suggested the possibility of another printing by either Agriculture or Interior with appropriate change of the cover page to improve its legibility and credit BLM. We indicated this may be possible once the current stock is drawn down, but that it would have to be cleared with Agriculture's Office of Information.

We certainly agree that the cover page quality can be improved and would have preferred recognition of both agencies. However, we did not feel the latter was of such import to further delay publication. Rather it was more important to get this material out to the field to satisfy the numerous requests.

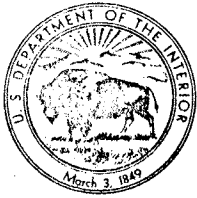
We have heard nothing further from George on the possibility of a rerun. In all likelihood this will be contingent upon a more substantive reason for revision than those concerning him. Perhaps you can provide us with changes or updating of textual material, if any, that may be needed as more justification for another printing.

Our very best wishes for the New Year, Gus.

Sincerely,



R. M. DeNIO  
Director of Range Management



# United States Department of the Interior

IN REPLY REFER TO

BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT  
Utah State Office  
Post Office Box No. 11505  
Salt Lake City, Utah, 84111

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January 5, 1971

## Memorandum

To: Director (330)

From: State Director, Utah

Subject: April session of Gus Hormay for Utah

The schedule for Gus Hormay as developed in your Information Memorandum 70-107, has Gus scheduled for the week of April 12-16, 1971, for field sessions in Utah.

In developing our rest rotation program for the week of April 12-16, my staff contacted Gus to work out the details of the meetings. At that time Gus indicated that if these sessions were field type meetings that he would consider dropping them in preference to holding training sessions where his time would be spent to better advantage.

In view of Gus' comments, we would like to retain the schedule for the week of April 12-16, but direct our efforts toward a different approach. My proposal is as follows:

1. April 12-, 1971, meet in the morning at 9:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. with SCS state range specialist and SCS area range specialist. I believe that a round table discussion with the SCS range specialists may help to better coordinate BLM-SCS efforts in developing grazing systems where private lands may be an essential part of a rotation or rest rotation system where a group of private holdings may form separate pastures within the system. I feel that by holding a question and answer session between SCS range specialist and Gus some of the SCSs reservations on rest rotation grazing may be overcome.
2. April 13 - Moab - rancher training
3. April 14 - Travel to Richfield
4. April 15 - 1 day training for Kanab, Fillmore, Richfield and Cedar City staffs as suggested in the WO Functional Evaluation - travel to Ephraim.

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WASHINGTON, D.C.

5. April 16 - Ephraim, Utah - 1 day rancher training which will close out a week long livestockman's short course given by Utah State University Extension Division.

I believe that the following schedule will give us a maximum use of Gus' time and skills, at the same time will assist in reaching ranchers in two areas that our previous sessions have missed, and may help us to better coordinate our AMP efforts with the SCS.

I will appreciate hearing from you concerning this change so that we can proceed with our arrangements.

*R. D. Nelson*



UNITED STATES  
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State Office  
Post Office Box No. 11505  
Salt Lake City, Utah 84111

IN REPLY REFER TO:

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January 6, 1971

Dear

I am pleased to take this opportunity to extend to the users in the Sand Hills Unit this personal invitation to attend a rancher workshop on the principles of rest-rotation grazing, which is sponsored by our Kanab District Office. Range Specialist August L. "Gus" Hormay will be in Kanab, Utah, January 27, 1971, beginning at 9:00 a.m. in the Kanab Public Library to give this training.

Mr. Hormay is attached to the Bureau's Division of Range Management in Washington, D. C., and brings to ranchers in the 11 Western States knowledge and skills developed through research and practical application over the past 37 years. I am sure that you will find this session both interesting and informative.

I sincerely hope you will avail yourself of the opportunity to hear Gus.

Sincerely yours,

R. D. Nielson  
State Director

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State Office  
Post Office Box No. 11505  
Salt Lake City, Utah 84111

January 6, 1971

Mr. Eldon Elison  
Delta, Utah 84624

Dear Mr. Elison:

I am availing myself of this opportunity to extend this personal invitation to you to attend a rancher training session on the principles of rest-rotation grazing which will be presented by August L. "Gus" Hornay. This session will be held January 27, 1971, in the Kanab Public Library in Kanab, Utah, and will begin at 9:00 a.m.

Mr. Hornay is attached to the Bureau's Division of Range Management in Washington, D. C., and brings to ranchers in the 11 Western States knowledge and skills developed through research and practical application over the past 37 years. I am sure that you will find this session both interesting and informative.

I sincerely hope you will avail yourself of the opportunity to hear Gus.

Sincerely yours,

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State Director

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State Office  
Post Office Box No. 11505  
Salt Lake City, Utah 84111

January 6, 1971

Mr. Calvin Johnson  
Kanab, Utah 84741

Dear Calvin:

Since our last meeting and the subsequent development of your AMP on the Hippie Allotment, there have been some new developments in the field of range management which may be of interest to you.

Of particular interest will be the forthcoming session in Kanab on the principles of rest-rotation grazing, which may have some application in your allotment.

May I extend this personal invitation for you to attend this rest-rotation grazing session presented by Gus Horsey in Kanab on January 27, 1971, at 9:00 a.m. in the Kanab Public Library.

I am sure you will find this session both interesting and informative.

Sincerely yours,

/S/ R. D. NIELSON

R. D. Nielson  
State Director

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P. O. Box 245  
Berkeley, Calif. 94701

January 8, 1971

Memorandum

To: Chief, Division of Range Management (330) Wash., D.C.

From: A. L. Hormay, Range Conservationist, Berkeley

Subject: Monthly Report, December 1970

*Montana*  
1 During the week of December 7 I conducted the range training session in Billings, Montana, and discussed rest-rotation grazing management with range students and staff members of the range, wildlife, and  
2 animal husbandry departments of Montana State University at Bozeman.

Enclosed is a list of the people who took part in the training session. A total of 161 attended. Also enclosed is a notice outlining the subjects discussed at the University and a letter from the Secretary of the Montana Association of State Grazing Districts.

Enclosures





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IN REPLY REFER TO:  
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Memorandum

To: A. L. (Gus) Hormay, Range Conservationist  
P. O. Box 245, Berkeley, California

From: State Director - Montana

Subject: Montana Range Management Workshop, Bozeman, Montana  
March 1-5, 1971

We have attached the final agenda. We hope you will be able to spend the week with us and participate in the discussions.

Let us know what nights you want reservations.

Enclosure - 1  
Encl. 1-Final Agenda

AGENDA

MONTANA RANGE MANAGEMENT WORKSHOP

March 1-5, 1971

Holiday Inn

Bozeman, Montana

Monday, March 1, 1971

11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.	Registration
1:00 p.m. to 1:10 p.m.	Welcome and Introductions - Jim Linne
1:10 p.m. to 1:30 p.m.	Workshop Objectives - Ed Zaidlicz
1:30 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.	Benefits from Rest-Rotation Grazing Management in Phillips Resource Area (Slides) - Dick Cosgriffe
2:00 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.	Discussion
2:30 p.m. to 2:45 p.m.	Winnemucca Range Workshop - Rex Cleary
2:45 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.	Discussion
3:00 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.	Coffee
3:30 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.	Documentation of AMP Benefits and Outlook for Changes in Grazing Administration Regulations - Bill Luscher
4:00 p.m. to 4:20 p.m.	Discussion
4:20 p.m. to 4:40 p.m.	New Horizons in Bureau's Training Program - Floyd Kinsinger
4:40 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.	Discussion

Tuesday, March 2, 1971

8:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.	Waterfowl Social Habits and Habitat Requirements - Dr. Robert Eng Malta Research on Effects of Rest- Rotation Grazing Management on Waterfowl and Waterfowl Habitat - Frank Gjersing
10:00 a.m. to 10:20 a.m.	Coffee
10:20 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.	Benefits from Rest-Rotation Grazing Management in South Dakota (Slides) - Hy Wilson
10:30 a.m. to 10:40 a.m.	Discussion
10:40 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.	Malta's Approach to Billing Procedures - Glen Stickley
11:00 a.m. to 11:20 a.m.	Discussion
11:20 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.	Benefits from Rest-Rotation Grazing Management in Billings District (Slides) - Duane Whitmer

11:30 a.m. to 11:40 a.m.	Discussion
11:40 a.m. to 11:50 a.m.	Benefits from Rest-Rotation Grazing Management in Miles City District (Slides) - Jerry Hawkinson
11:50 a.m. to 12:00 noon	Discussion
12:00 noon to 1:00 p.m.	Lunch
1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.	Infrared Aerial Photography for Range Studies - Jim Linne and Dr. Merle Meyers
3:00 p.m. to 3:20 p.m.	Coffee
3:20 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.	Benefits from Rest-Rotation Grazing Management in Sacajawea Resource Area (Slides) - Sam Short
3:30 p.m. to 3:40 p.m.	Discussion
3:40 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.	Meet in Closed Committees - Six committees each prepare a 20 minute paper for presentation Thursday. Committees composed of district personnel.

Wednesday, March 3, 1971

8:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.	"How to Communicate with Slides" - Burl Winchester
10:00 a.m. to 10:20 a.m.	Coffee
10:20 a.m. to 10:40 a.m.	Range Management Filing Procedures and Stereo Photo Stations - Kay Wilkes
10:40 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.	Discussion
11:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.	"Role of BLM Personnel in Public Education" - Dr. Wilson Clark
11:30 a.m. to 12:00 noon	Discussion
12:00 noon to 1:00 p.m.	Lunch
1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.	Panel Discussion - "How Can Allotment Management Plans Be Improved?" Moderator - Dr. Don Ryerson, Montana State University Wildlife Viewpoint - Montana Fish and Game Department - Watershed Viewpoint - Norman King - USGS Academic Viewpoint - Dr. Lee Sharp - University of Idaho Rancher Viewpoint - John Morse - Donovan Ranch Co., Dillon, Montana
3:00 p.m. to 3:20 p.m.	Coffee
3:20 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.	Discussion on Preceding Panel

5:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.  
7:00 p.m. to ---

No Host Recalibration Period  
No Host Banquet -  
Master of Ceremonies - Chuck Most  
Keynote Speaker - Dr. Wilson Clark  
Eastern Montana College Speaking  
On "The Art of Planmanship"

Thursday, March 4, 1971

8:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.

Committee Presentation and Discussion.  
"Correlation of AMP with Other  
Resource Programs"

9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.

Committee Presentation and Discussion.  
"Building Public and User Understanding  
of AMP's"

10:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.

Coffee

10:30 a.m. to 12:00 noon

Committee Presentation and Discussion.  
"Section 15 Regulations and Manuals"

12:00 noon to 1:00 p.m.

Lunch

1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Committee Presentation and Discussion.  
"Livestock Forage Components of  
Planning System"

2:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Committee Presentation and Discussion.  
"AMP Objectives"

3:00 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Coffee

3:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Committee Presentation and Discussion.  
"Range Management Programming and  
Progress Reporting"

Friday, March 5, 1971

8:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.

Panel Discussion - "AMP Studies,  
Evaluation, Supervision, Maintenance,  
and Record Keeping" (Panel composed  
of five district personnel - one from  
each district except Missoula - 15  
minute paper each.)

10:00 a.m. to 10:20 a.m.

Coffee

10:20 a.m. to 10:50 a.m.

Continue Preceding Panel Discussion

10:50 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

Improving Efficiency of Range Management Program - Resolution Committee report recommending specific manual and policy changes or additions. Committee composed of one individual from each district. Committee recommendations will be forwarded intact.

11:30 a.m. to 12:00 noon  
12:00 noon

Workshop Recapitulation - George Lea  
Adjourn