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July 10, 1985

John Firebaugh
Regional Wildlife Manager
MDFWP
3201 Spurgin Rd.
Missoula, MT. 59801

Dear John,

This is to clarify my letter of April 25, 1985 to Don Taylor about grazing on the Aunt Molly FAS this summer.

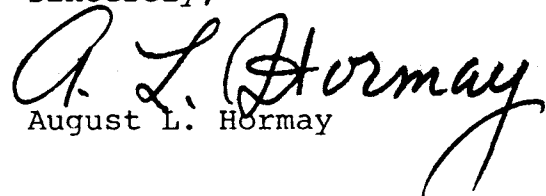
The grazing I prescribed was not based on a grazing plan, but was designed to get more information for developing a plan. I tried to make clear that I had not worked out a plan by the time I wrote the letter, in the following comment: "No I have not completed the grazing plan yet. I have to see more of the range and have further discussions with you."

I have had limited time to round up the information needed- 4 hours on the ground last fall and about the same amount of time indoors in discussions with Don and Patty Taylor in Helena last February. More information than I was able to round up by this spring is needed on the character and use of the vegetation, grazing capacity and the ranch operation. As you no doubt are aware Aunt Molly is considerably overstocked and a sound basis for determining grazing capacity is vital.

The grazing I proposed should yield much of the information needed. I plan to visit the area later this month (July) to evaluate results. I expect to be in a position thereafter to work up a plan with Don Taylor for your consideration.

Enclosed is an invoice for services this year to date.

Sincerely,


August L. Hormay

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Enc.

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Montana Department of Fish,
Wildlife and Parks
Wildlife Division
1420 East Sixth Avenue
Helena, Montana 59620

Attention: Joe Egan, Chief Management Bureau

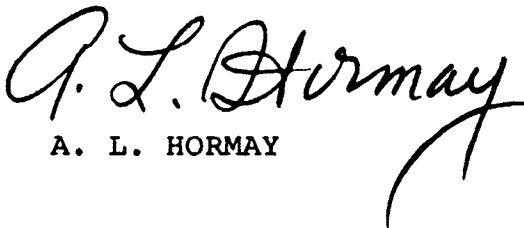
Dear Joe,

Enclosed is a reply to John Firebaugh's memorandum of May 28, 1985, on the Aunt Molly FAS grazing plan, together with an invoice for services on the project this year, to date.

Also enclosed is an invoice for services connected with the presentation of a slide lecture on rest-rotation grazing to the supervisors of the Montana Association of Conservation Districts and Department personnel, at the Fairmont Hot Springs Resort, the week of June 16, 1985.

Will you please read and send on to the proper people. Thanks

Sincerely,


A. L. HORMAY

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July 13, 1985

Bureau of Land Management
P.O. Box 970
81 East Dogwood
Moab, Utah 94532

Attention Don Wilbur

Dear Don,

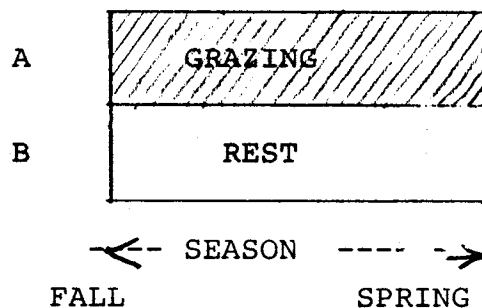
Thanks for the information on Savory and grazing fees.

Enclosed is a photograph of you and others on the Cook Allotment, May 3, 1985. You seem to be the center of attention.

Also enclosed is a set of prints of photos I took on Big Flat-Ten Mile. Descriptions are on the back of the prints. You may keep these prints. Will you please repeat these if you can, after the vegetation is full grown and send me an original 35 mm slide of each? I hope this growing season turns out to be average or better.

About the Taylor Allotment. Only two pastures are needed to maintain the range under winter use - that is during the period from fall until growth starts to accelerate, in spring. This year rapid growth started about the time I was there, May 1.

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THE GRAZING SCHEDULE IS:

YEAR	PASTURE	
	1	2
GRAZING TREATMENTS		
1	A	B
2	B	A
3	A	B
4	B	A
etc.	etc.	etc.

Nothing is gained from the standpoint of vegetation and range improvement by rotating use within pastures. But if Mr. Taylor finds it beneficial, from the standpoint of livestock weight gains or handling of stock, he may do so.

Hope the year is working out well for you.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Gus", written in dark ink.

August L. Hormay

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Big Flat - Ten Mile

7 Prints

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July 15, 1985

Beaver River Resource Area
444 South Main Street
Cedar City, Utah 84720

Attention Sheridan Hansen

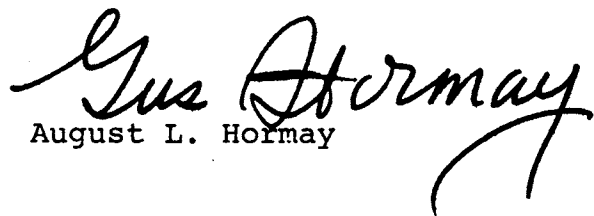
Dear Sheridan,

Enclosed are photos I took on the Cook Allotment May 3, 1985. There is a photo for each of the men from you office. However, there are two for you and also two for Rosalie Cook. I have identified the photos for each of the individuals on the back of the prints.

Will you kindly get them to everyone?

I hope the season turns out to be satisfactory in spite of the dry conditions that prevail generally throughout the west this year.

Sincerely,


August L. Hormay

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Cook Allotment

ALH Photo 26767

For —

Robert Edwards

Von Swain

Fred Durnell

Cook Allotment

ALH Photo 26, 774

For

Arlen Jensen

Cook Allotment

ALH Photos 26,767 & 26,774

For —

Sheridan Hansen

San Francisco, CA
July 15, 1985

Dear Rosalie

Keep up the good work
with rest-rotation grazing.
The best of luck.

Sincerely

Gust Bormay

Cook Allotment

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For.

Rosale Cook

