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Recreation Fee Program Spending & Accomplishment Highlights 2023

Beatty Bike Trails Project

SRP Processing and Monitoring



GBI's Survey Status Map of the Beatty Bike Trails



A Trophy Truck at the Legacy Frontier 500

The Battle Mountain District has partnered with the Great Basin Institute (GBI) and Beatty residents for development of trails around Beatty. Using fee revenue, private, and town funds, GBI is actively mapping and surveying the known bike trails in the area. Expanding the mountain bike trails around the town of Beatty, NV will have positive impacts on tourism revenue, recreation experience, safety, and protection of natural resources in the area. This partnership is critical for the continued advancement of this ambitious project.

The BMDO issued several multi-year and one time/event Special Recreation Permits (SRP), primarily through the Tonopah Field Office. The office was also part of multiple multi-district/statewide SRPs. These SRPs can be for low or high-speed races, poker runs, navigational tours, hunting guide services, bike tours, etc. We strive to monitor all SRPs and focus on high-speed races, events with many participants, and events near threatened or endangered species habitat. Events that don't reach thresholds for cost recovery utilize fee revenues for BLM staff time.

Revenue & Expenditures

FY23 Revenue	
Recreation Use Permits (RUPs)	\$0.00
Special Recreation Permits (SRPs)	\$35,187.17
Individual Special Recreation Permits	\$0.00
Interagency Passes	\$720.00
Total Recreation Fee Revenue for FY23	\$35,907.17
Carryover from Prior Years	\$47,482.66
Total Available Funds for FY23	\$83,389.83

FY23 Expenditures	
Repair & Maintenance	\$262.79
Visitor Services	\$650.00
Law Enforcement	\$0.00
Inventory, Monitoring and Planning	\$1,367.22
Collections/Overhead	\$0.00
Total Recreation Fee Expenditures for FY23	\$2,280.01
Total Available Funds for FY24	\$81,109.82



Other Accomplishments

- Monitoring and maintaining recreation areas throughout the Battle Mountain District.
- The cleaning, pumping, and general maintenance of vault toilets.
- Issuance, monitoring, and administration of Special Recreation Permits.
- Hiring a fulltime Outdoor Recreation Planner.
- Worked with volunteers and other organizations to help improve recreation sites throughout the BMDO.

Vicinity Map



Planned Activities



The Porter Building at the Town of Rhyolite

Restoration and reinforcement of the Historic Town of Rhyolite. Multiple buildings need restoration and reinforcement, or they will collapse in the years to come. Estimated project cost begins at \$10,000.00.

Purchase and installation of one kiosk at Lunar Crater which currently has no interpretation. The estimated project cost is \$1,000.00.

Continue to work with the Great Basin Institute on the Beatty Bike Trails, estimated cost \$77,000.00.

FY24 Planned Expenditures

Repair & Maintenance	\$77,000.00
Visitor Services	\$2,000.00
Law Enforcement	\$0.00
Inventory, Monitoring and Planning	\$1,500.00
Collections/Overhead	\$0.00
Total Planned Expenditures for FY24	\$80,500.00
Total Available Funds for FY24	\$81,109.82
Expected FY24 Revenue	\$35,000.00
FY24 Balance after Planned Expenditures	\$35,602.82

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[Published FLREA Triennial Report](https://doi.sciencebase.gov/flrea/)

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[Published FLREA Annual Revenue and Spending Plans](https://www.blm.gov/programs/recreation/permits-and-fees/flrea-revenue)

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[Bureau of Land Management's Blueprint for 21st Century Outdoor Recreation](https://www.blm.gov/sites/default/files/docs/2023-08/Blueprint%20for%2021st%20Century%20Outdoor%20Recreation508.pdf)

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Recreation fee dollars are an investment in outdoor recreation. Current and future generations benefit as 100% of the funds collected are reinvested in the facilities and services that visitors enjoy, use, and value.

