

Request for Comments Scoping

Camp Success Radio Site
USDA Forest Service – Humboldt-Toiyabe National Forest
Ely Ranger District
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Project description

White Pine County proposes to install a solar radio repeater on Mosier summit in the Schell Creek Range. The repeater would provide radio communications to Camp Success as well as for the White Pine County Roads Dept. No current radio facilities can access Camp Success.

The repeater would be housed in a 20 f.t. by 8ft. shelter with solar panels on the roof and eight concrete pillar supports. A road already accesses the site. No improvements would need to be made to the road.

Project location

The Project is in the Schell Creek Mountain Range East of Ely, Nevada in Section 12 of Township 16 North and Range 64 East Mt. Diablo Meridian.

Why this location?

The site locations were chosen based on the ability to provide radio communication to Camp Success.

The decision to be made

The decision to be made is whether or not to amend White Pine County's Special Use Permit for Camp Success to include a radio repeater site on Mosier Summit.

What we have learned so far

- An access road is already present

How we will figure out what to do

We will use these issues, the comments we receive from you and the results of archeological, vegetation and wildlife on-site surveys to determine the possible effects (positive and negative) of allowing construction of a radio repeater on Mosier Summit

How you can help us decide what to do

We ask that you think about this proposal and let us know what you think. This comment/scoping period provides those interested in or affected by this proposal an opportunity to make their concerns known prior to any decision being made. Comments for this scoping period will be accepted through July 30, 2010.

We want to hear from you ...

If you would like more information on this proposal or would like to submit a comment write or call:

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