

A Congress on Western Rangelands

IDAHO SOCIETY FOR RANGE MANAGEMENT & INTERMOUNTAIN RANGELAND LIVESTOCK SYMPOSIUM
JANUARY 13-15, 2010 – BOISE CONVENTION CENTER – BOISE, IDAHO

con-gress (kɔŋ'grɪs) n. A formal assembly of independent representatives convened to address specific questions or problems.

Program Objectives:

Characterize the prevailing conditions and policies which may negatively influence rangeland management in the West.

- Ranching perspective
- Conservation perspective
- Legal perspective
- State and federal agency perspective

Provide a forum to showcase nationally recognized individuals and organizations who have successfully implemented innovative strategies to sustain the benefits, values and uses of western rangelands.

- Collaborative management
- Livestock production
- Wildlife & Livestock Interactions
- Rangeland restoration
- Management of invasive species
- Endangered species

Facilitate productive interactions among participants and presenters to explore public land policies and management strategies to address contemporary challenges to managing rangelands.

Program Schedule:

Wednesday January 13, 2010*

8:30 am to 5:30 pm

Rangeland Perspectives

The Situation Session

Lunch, break and evening hors d'oeuvres included

Thursday January 14, 2010*

8:30 am to 5:00 pm

Management Innovations

The Solution Session

Continental breakfast and lunch included

Friday January 15, 2010

8:00 to 10:00 am

Idaho Section SRM

Business meeting

*Both sessions will include a speaker's panel to address audience questions and opportunities for participant interactions.

Lodging Information:

The Grove and **The Owyhee** (downtown Boise) will provide a rebate to the Symposium for each room reservation. Please reference "Society for Range Management" when you make your reservations. All rooms: \$86/night + taxes. Reservation deadline **December 13, 2009**

The Grove Hotel, 1-888-961-5000

The Owyhee, 1-800-233-4611

Registration: Full Registration Fees: \$125 early, \$150 late (after January 4, 2010)

Register Online at <http://www.idrange.org/rangeland-symposium> or print and mail/fax the included registration form.

University of Idaho credit, Veterinary Science credit, and CRMP credit available.