



United States Department of Agriculture

November 09, 2011

Director Donald L. Snyder
Utah – Utah State University
Agricultural Experiment Station

Logan, 84322–4810

Dear Director Snyder:

The Executive Director on behalf of the Regional Directors Association has **RECOMMENDED EXTENSION** of MRF project W–1192 – Economic, Social, and Ecological Issues of Rangeland Fragmentation that Affect Rangeland Sustainability and Rural Communities to September 30, 2012.

NIFA concurs with the recommendation of the Executive Director and has **APPROVED** this extension. All contributing projects are automatically extended to September 30, 2012. We would appreciate your assistance in notifying all non–SAES participants of this action.

Sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Barbara A. Hewitt".

Accountability and Reporting Leader
for Meryl Broussard
Deputy Director, NIFA

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