

District Manager Report
Martin Curry
September 20, 2023

Monthly update

- Assisted on Pilot Hill with clipping and bagging spotted knapweed.
- Medicine Bow Cooperator Tour on the USFS. This year's field day hosted by the Douglas field office began at the base of Laramie Peak. We toured potential projects in the Friend Park area and Cow Creek trail head area. Friend Park was treatments to improve Preble Jumping mouse habitat along with improving a hiking/horseback trail. At Cow Creek, we saw where tree thinning treatments would be occurring this fall to benefit migratory bird habitat. This project is by mitigation funds for the construction of the Gateway powerline.
- Toltec dam inspection. Attended the annual inspection of Toltec dam. Present Toltec representatives (Steve Shivy and Roger Garrett), NRCS (Steve Cohoon Jesus Vargas and Luke Paludan), LRCD (Natasha Dangler, Holly Dyer, and myself).
- Oasis Survey: Holly and I assisted with BEHI survey with the Oasis project area.

New Building updates

- Nothing to report on.

Miscellaneous

- Site visit along the Laramie River. Resource concern: eroding streambanks.

Rural Cost Share

Upcoming events

September 20: LRCD board meeting

October 3: Monolith Ranch Tour (invite only)

October 17-18: Wyoming Water Quality Conference in Laramie

October 24: LRCD board meeting

November 22: LRCD board meeting

Current Time (August 25, 2023)

Vacation: 144 hours

Sick: 360 hours