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2021 State Land Violation Report

INTRODUCTION

This report summarizes Wyoming Game and Fish Department (Department) efforts during 2021 to enforce off-road travel, open fire and camping violations on Wyoming State Trust Land (state land). In addition to the provisions outlined in W.S. § 36-2-107, Department law enforcement officers also have the authority to enforce littering as outlined in W.S. § 6-3-204(a). This report includes littering violations documented on state land. Most state land enforcement was incidental to hunting season duties (August 15 - December 31), but violations were documented throughout the year.

STATUTORY AUTHORITY

Wyoming Statute § 36-2-107(c) grants Department law enforcement officers the authority to enforce certain violations of state land rules and regulations to the extent the Department's enforcement will not diminish its federal funding. Given this requirement, the Department may only enforce the provisions of W.S. § 36-2-107(b)(ii) (off-road travel), (iv) (open fires) and (v) (camping). In 2006, the Wyoming Game and Fish Commission and the State of Wyoming Board of Land Commissioners entered into a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) outlining the basis of cooperation for the enforcement of these provisions. In the fall of 2006, Department law enforcement officers began enforcing the provisions of W.S. § 36-2-107(b) (ii), (iv) and (v). A copy of the most current signed MOU is attached to this report.

STATEWIDE SUMMARY VIOLATION TYPE/ENFORCEMENT ACTION				
Documented Violations 2021	Written Warnings	Verbal Warnings	Citations	Total
Off-Road Travel	12	14	14	40
Camping	13	18	10	41
Open Fires	7	5	1	13
Littering on State Land	0	6	2	8
TOTAL 2021	32	43	27	102
TOTAL 2020	36	39	27	102
TOTAL 2019	39	50	35	124
TOTAL 2018	31	25	47	103
TOTAL 2017	31	42	38	111
TOTAL 2016	63	40	53	156
TOTAL 2015	45	45	56	146

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REGIONAL SUMMARIES

The summaries below correlate to the Department's Wildlife Division regional boundaries.

JACKSON REGION

The Jackson Region has minimal state land within its boundaries. There were no violations of state land rules documented in the region during 2021.

CODY REGION

Cody Region enforcement personnel documented four state land violations during 2021. Most public contacts were used as an opportunity to educate individuals about state land statutes and provide informational brochures for their reference. Documented state land violations have declined over the past few years, possibly due to these educational efforts.

On May 1, 2021, the Lovell game warden received a report regarding an ongoing off-road violation near Mexican Hill. The reporting party texted photos to the game warden of tire tracks leading through the snow and sagebrush and of the vehicle parked off-road west of Mexican Hill. The game warden's OnX mapping app indicated the area to be Wyoming State Trust Land. The game warden followed the vehicle tracks on foot as they travelled off-road for 1.2 miles. The vehicle was registered to an individual with an address in Sheridan. The game warden took a series of pictures and videos showing damage caused by the vehicle as it went through the sagebrush and drove off-road through the dirt softened from the melting spring snow. Two brothers that had been in the vehicle were contacted at their home in Sheridan on May 19. Both brothers admitted to having driven off the road on May 1 and received citations.

Violation	Written Warnings	Verbal Warnings	Citations
Off-Road Travel	0	0	2
Camping	0	2	0
Open Fires	0	0	0
Littering on State Land	0	0	0
TOTAL	0	2	2

SHERIDAN REGION

In 2021, Sheridan Region personnel documented 22 violations that occurred on state land as shown in the table below. In addition to these violations, several more complaints were received and investigated without a citation or warning being issued as the person responsible was not located. Game wardens take the opportunity to educate state land users of the rules and requirements, yet violations continue to persist. Driving off-road continues to be a problem in the region, and violations of the no-camping rule is a common occurrence.

As an example, on March 20, 2021, the Dayton game warden was patrolling state land east of Ranchester, Wyoming. It had rained the previous day making for extremely muddy conditions. Upon arrival, the game warden observed three pickup trucks parked along the county road and saw four-wheeler tracks leading into the state land. He also observed freshly torn up spots in a meadow where four-wheelers had been spinning cookies. The game warden unloaded his four-wheeler and drove a short distance before encountering three individuals riding four-wheelers his direction. All three were completely covered in mud. When asked if they had gone off road at all, they responded no. Following their distinctive four-wheeler tire tracks back on the state land, the game warden was able to determine that the group had not only driven off road and torn up the meadow, but had also driven off road and torn up several other spots as well. The group was cited and the Office of State Land and Investments was called to evaluate the damage. It was estimated the cost to repair and reseed the damaged areas would be \$1,500. In court, all three pled guilty and were assessed \$3,210 in fines and restitution.

Violation	Written Warnings	Verbal Warnings	Citations
Off-Road Travel	4	0	8
Camping	3	0	3
Open Fires	0	0	0
Littering on State Land	0	0	0
TOTAL	7	0	11

GREEN RIVER REGION

There are few state land violations in the Green River Region due to the large amount of public land providing considerable recreational opportunities for the public. Law enforcement personnel in the Green River Region encountered two violations for camping on state land in 2021. One verbal and one written warning were issued for these violations, which both occurred in the Baggs area. In addition, one written warning was issued for violation of the antler hunting regulation on state land.

LARAMIE REGION

Laramie Region law enforcement personnel documented 10 state land violations, compared to five in 2020, resulting in seven written warnings and three citations being issued. Off-road travel continues to be an issue throughout the region. Illegal camping and open fires on state lands is a recurring issue and there are several parcels where camping and open fires regularly occur. Chronic areas where camping and open fires occur are state sections along the Esterbrook Road, Boulder Creek, Forty Mile Peak area, and Horseshoe Creek/Harris Park Road, all in northern Albany County.

Violation	Written Warnings	Verbal Warnings	Citations
Off-Road Travel	3	0	1
Camping	2	0	2
Open Fires	2	0	0
Littering on State Land	0	0	0
TOTAL	7	0	3

LANDER REGION

The number of state land violations documented in the Lander Region was low again in 2021, with law enforcement personnel issuing one written warning for off-road travel on state lands, and one verbal warning for camping on state lands.

CASPER REGION

Casper Region law enforcement personnel documented 66 violations of state land rules, resulting in 11 citations, 16 written warnings and 39 verbal warnings. There are numerous state land parcels throughout the Casper Region. Violations occurred throughout the Casper Region and wardens did not identify any specific problem areas for off-road travel, illegal camping or open fires. Littering violations continue to be most common on state land along the Coal Mountain Road south of Casper, which is popular for recreational shooting. State land in the Hat Six area southeast of Casper also sees occasional problems with littering.

Violation	Written Warnings	Verbal Warnings	Citations
Off-Road Travel	4	14	3
Camping	7	14	5
Open Fires	5	5	1
Littering on State Land	0	6	2
TOTAL	16	39	11

PINEDALE REGION

There were no documented state land violations in the Pinedale Region in 2021. The region has a significant amount of BLM and USFS lands to distribute sportsperson activities, so isolated parcels of state land do not get as much use as state land in other regions.

PHOTOS DOCUMENTING STATE LAND VIOLATIONS



Tire tracks and suspect vehicle off-road on state land near Lovell.



Resource damage caused by off-road ATV travel on state land near Ranchester.



ATV tracks off-road on state land in the Lander Region.

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN WYOMING GAME AND FISH COMMISSION AND WYOMING STATE BOARD OF LAND COMMISSIONERS

- 1. <u>Parties</u>. The parties to this Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) are the Wyoming Game and Fish Commission by and through the Wyoming Game and Fish Department (Game and Fish), whose address is: 5400 Bishop Boulevard, Cheyenne, WY 82006, and the Wyoming State Board of Land Commissioners (Board) by and through the Wyoming Office of State Lands and Investments (OSLI), whose address is: 122 W. 25th Street, Cheyenne, WY 82002.
- 2. <u>Purpose</u>. The purpose of this MOU is to document the parties' understanding regarding Game and Fish enforcement of WYO. STAT. ANN. § 36-2-107 and to serve as the basis for cooperation in the enforcement of those provisions. Specifically, WYO. STAT. ANN. § 36-2-107(c) authorizes the Game and Fish to enforce WYO. STAT. ANN. § 36-2-107 to the extent that Game and Fish enforcement will not diminish its federal funding. Nothing in this MOU is intended to affect Game and Fish law enforcement discretion when enforcing the provisions of WYO. STAT. ANN. § 36-2-107.
- 3. <u>Term of MOU</u>. This MOU shall commence upon the day last signed and executed by the duly authorized representatives of the parties to this MOU and shall remain in full force and effect until terminated. This MOU may be terminated, without cause, by either party upon thirty (30) days written notice, which notice shall be delivered by hand or by certified mail.
- 4. <u>**Payment.**</u> No payment shall be made to either party by the other party as a result of this MOU.

5. <u>Responsibilities of Game and Fish.</u>

- **A.** The Game and Fish agrees to cooperate with the OSLI and provide review and input if and when the Board amends or modifies Chapter 13 of the Board's Rules.
- **B.** The Game and Fish agrees to cooperate with the OSLI and provide review and input regarding any information and education efforts, press releases, articles, or brochures to be disseminated regarding WYO. STAT. ANN. § 36-2-107 and Game and Fish enforcement of the provisions of WYO. STAT. ANN. § 36-2-107. The Game and Fish shall make available to the public at their offices any press releases, articles, brochures regarding WYO. STAT. ANN. § 36-2-107 and Game and Fish enforcement of the provisions of WYO. STAT. ANN. § 36-2-107.
- **C.** The Game and Fish agrees that it will address any written complaints or comments from members of the public that arise from a specific law enforcement

contact with Game and Fish personnel. If the OSLI receives any information of this type, it will forward the information to the Game and Fish.

- **D**. The Game and Fish agrees that if it receives a request for enforcement that the Game and Fish will not be handling, it will direct that request to the appropriate law enforcement agency, or the OSLI.
- E. The Game and Fish agrees that it will track its enforcement efforts on a calendar year basis and provide an annual report to the OSLI detailing the Game and Fish's efforts enforcing WYO. STAT. ANN. § 36-2-107 by March 31 of the next calendar year. The report shall include the total number of violations related to WYO. STAT. ANN. § 36-2-107 and provide input to the OSLI on issues that arose during the report period.
- **F**. The Game and Fish acknowledges that it may observe issues related to the use of established roads on state lands and, therefore, agrees that it will provide comment, review, and input regarding road closures.

6. <u>Responsibilities of OSLI</u>

- A. OSLI recognizes that the Game and Fish is not able to enforce all the provisions of WYO. STAT. ANN. § 36-2-107 without diminishing certain federal funding. The OSLI, therefore, agrees that it will not request that the Game and Fish enforce provisions of WYO. STAT. ANN. § 36-2-107, other than WYO. STAT. ANN. § 36-2-107(b) (ii), (iv), and (v) which relate to motor vehicle use, open fires, and camping, and (vi), specifically as it pertains to the Board's lawful order prohibiting antler hunting on all parcels of land under the jurisdiction of the Board, west of the Continental Divide, excluding the Great Divide Basin, from January 1 through April 30 of each calendar year.
- **B**. The OSLI recognizes that Game and Fish enforcement of WYO. STAT. ANN. § 36-2-107 will be incidental to the Game and Fish's other duties. The parties do not intend the Game and Fish to be the OSLI's sole law enforcement contact. The OSLI, therefore, agrees that when it receives a report of violation, it will contact the most appropriate law enforcement agencies first. The OSLI also agrees that the Game and Fish may direct members of the public to county or local law enforcement agencies or the OSLI.
- **C.** The OSLI agrees to seek Game and Fish review and input if and when the Board amends or modifies Chapter 13 of the Board's rules, which relate to public hunting, fishing, and the general recreational use of state lands.
- **D**. The OSLI agrees to coordinate with the Game and Fish and seek Game and Fish review and input regarding any information and education efforts, press releases,

articles, or brochures to be disseminated regarding WYO. STAT. ANN. § 36-2-107 and Game and Fish enforcement of those provisions.

- E. The OSLI agrees to seek Game and Fish review and input regarding any road closures.
- F. The OSLI agrees that it will review any complaints/comments/correspondence pertaining to WYO. STAT. ANN. § 36-2-107 or Chapter 13 of the Board's Rules. The OSLI will provide the Game and Fish with complaint/comment/correspondence forms to disseminate to members of the public, which the Game and Fish comes in contact with while enforcing WYO. STAT. ANN. § 36-2-107. These forms will contain a phone number for a contact person at the OSLI. If the Game and Fish receives any correspondence of this type, it will forward the correspondence to the OSLI.
- G. The OSLI agrees to cooperate in providing information that the Game and Fish may request to assist with informing the public about the provisions of WYO. STAT. ANN. § 36-2-107 and Chapter 13 of the Board's rules.

7. <u>General Provisions</u>.

- A. Amendments. Either party may request changes in this MOU. Any changes, modifications, revisions, or amendments to this MOU which are mutually agreed upon by the parties to this MOU shall be incorporated by written instrument, executed and signed by all parties to this MOU.
- **B.** Applicable Law. The construction, interpretation, and enforcement of this MOU shall be governed by the laws of the State of Wyoming. The courts of the State of Wyoming shall have jurisdiction over any action arising out of this MOU and over the parties, and the venue shall be the First Judicial District, Laramie County, Wyoming.
- C. Entirety of Agreement. This MOU, consisting of five (5) pages, and Attachment A, Wyoming Board of Land Commissioners Board Order 2014-1, consisting of one (1) page, represent the entire and integrated agreement between the parties and supersede all prior negotiations, representations and agreements, whether written or oral.
- **D. Prior Approval.** This MOU shall not be binding upon either party unless this MOU has been reduced to writing before performance begins as described under the terms of this MOU, and unless this MOU is approved as to form by the Attorney General or his representative.

- **E.** Severability. Should any portion of this MOU be judicially determined to be illegal or unenforceable, the remainder of the MOU shall continue in full force and effect, and the parties may renegotiate the terms affected by the severance.
- **F.** Sovereign Immunity. The State of Wyoming, the Wyoming Game and Fish Commission and the Board do not waive sovereign or governmental immunity by entering into this MOU, and each fully retains all immunities and defenses provided by law with respect to any action based on or occurring as a result of this MOU.
- G. Third Party Beneficiary Rights. The parties do not intend to create in any other individual or entity the status of third party beneficiary, and this MOU shall not be construed so as to create such status. The rights, duties, and obligations contained in this MOU shall operate only between the parties to this MOU and shall inure solely to the benefit of the parties to this MOU. The provisions of this MOU are intended only to assist the parties in determining and performing their obligations under this MOU.

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8. Signatures. The parties to this MOU, through their duly authorized representatives, have executed this MOU on the dates set out below, and certify that they have read, understood, and agreed to the terms and conditions of this MOU as set forth herein.

The effective date of this MOU is the date of the signature last affixed to this page.

WYOMING GAME AND FISH COMMISSION

John Kennedy, Deputy Director Wyoming Department of Game and Fish

Meredith Wood, Chief Fiscal Officer

WYOMING STATE BOARD OF LAND COMMISSIONERS

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ATTACHMENT A WYOMING BOARD OF LAND COMMISSIONERS BOARD ORDER 2014-1

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MATTHEW H. MEAD Governor

BRIDGET HILL Director

WYOMING BOARD OF LAND COMMISSIONERS

Board Order 2014-1

April 10, 2014

Re: Reaffirming existing seasonal antler hunting restriction, pursuant to Board Matter C-1, April 10, 2014

By the authority legislatively vested in the Board to care for and protect state lands, and also in consideration of public health and safety on those lands, the Board has at its regular meeting on October 4, 2012 implemented the restriction of antler hunting on all parcels of land under the jurisdiction of the Board of Land Commissioners West of the Continental Divide, excluding the Great Divide Basin, from January 1 through April 30 of each calendar year. By this Order, the Board reaffirms this land-use restriction.

This Order shall be effective immediately and shall remain in effect until amended.

Executed this 16 day of April, 2014.

Matthew H. Mead, President Board of Land Commissioners

EFFECTIVELY MANAGING NATURAL RESOURCES AND FUNDS FOR CURRENT AND FUTURE GENERATIONS

STATE OF WYOMING

HOUSE BILL NO. HB0054

State Parks-recreation management authority.

Sponsored by: Representative(s) Larsen and Sweeney and Senator(s) Ellis, Gierau and Landen

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to state lands; authorizing the department 2 of state parks and cultural resources to lease state lands for recreational purposes as specified; authorizing the 3 department to sell permits that allow for the recreational 4 5 use of leased state lands; providing for the disposition of б funds generated from permit sales allowing for the 7 recreational use of leased state lands; authorizing the department to lease or rent concessions on leased state 8 9 making conforming lands; amendments; authorizing 10 rulemaking; and providing for effective dates.

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12 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming: 13

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1 Section 1. W.S. 36-4-103, 36-4-104(a)(vi) and (d), 2 36-4-107, 36-4-110(a), 36-4-121(a)(intro) and (h) and 3 36-5-115 are amended to read: 4 5 36-4-103. What constitutes outdoor recreation areas and facilities. б 7 For the purposes of this act, outdoor recreation areas and 8 9 facilities shall include state parks, public recreation 10 grounds, historical parks, and historical, archaeological, geological and ecological sites now in existence or 11 12 hereafter created. As used in this section, W.S. 36-4-105 and 36-4-108, "historical parks" includes all land and 13 14 structures at South Pass City and Fort Fred Steele. This section shall not be construed to limit or otherwise 15 prohibit the department of state parks and cultural 16 resources from entering into leasing agreements for the use 17 of state lands for recreational purposes as authorized by 18 19 W.S. 36-4-107(a)(ii). 20 21 36-4-104. Powers; interpretive service agreements. 22

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1 (a) The department of state parks and cultural 2 resources, in consultation with the commission, may, 3 subject to the provisions of this act:

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5 into agreements with (vi) Enter Wyoming financial institutions, financial institutions or persons 6 7 operating remote electronic terminals for the collection of 8 donations for the operation and maintenance of state lands leased for recreational purposes as authorized by W.S. 9 10 36-4-107(a)(ii), Wyoming state parks, historic sites and 11 recreation areas. Donations received by the department 12 pursuant to this paragraph shall be deposited in an operations and maintenance account and upon legislative 13 appropriation shall be expended by the department for the 14 daily operation of outdoor locations and facilities as 15 described in W.S. 36-4-103. 16

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(d) As used in subsections (b) and (c) of this
section, "recreation areas and facilities" include state
lands leased for recreational purposes as authorized by
W.S. 36-4-107(a)(ii), both indoor and outdoor facilities at
state parks, historic sites, recreation areas and

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historical, archaeological, geological and ecological sites 1 2 as enumerated under W.S. 36-4-103. 3 4 36-4-107. Authority to lease; exchange of lands and contracts with United States. 5 б 7 (a) The department, in consultation with the commission, shall have the power and is hereby authorized 8 9 to: 10 11 (i) Lease, grant or operate any outdoor 12 recreation area or facility belonging to the state which is not subject to lease, grant or operation by another agency 13 14 of the state; - and 15 16 (ii) Enter into leasing agreements with the 17 board of land commissioners to use state lands for recreational purposes. The department shall be authorized 18 19 to develop and manage leased state lands and to promulgate 20 and enforce site specific rules in accordance with the 21 terms of the lease and the rules promulgated by the board. The department shall compensate the board for the leases on 22

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an annual basis and at rates as provided under the terms of
 the lease and in accordance with the rules of the board.
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4 (b) The department, in consultation with the 5 commission, may exchange state lands which are not б appropriated to other use for United States outdoor recreation areas and facilities, and under contract with 7 the United States, may take over the management, leasing 8 and operation of any such area or facility. Where the 9 10 department deems it to be in the best interest of the state, it may, in consultation with the commission, 11 12 contract with the United States government or any 13 authorized federal agency for the operation of any outdoor recreation area or facility established by the department. 14

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16 **36-4-110.** Power to lease or rent concessions.

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(a) The department, in consultation with the commission, is empowered to lease, enter into contracts and assess fees for concessions, cabin sites, boat clubs, and other services of all lawful kinds and nature on <u>leased</u> state lands as authorized by W.S. 36-4-107(a)(ii) if permissible under the terms of the lease and the rules

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promulgated by the board of land commissioners, state 1 2 outdoor recreation areas or facilities to persons, 3 partnerships, and corporations for a valuable consideration 4 upon terms and conditions as the department deems fit and 5 proper. Funds received by the department pursuant to this section shall be deposited and expended in accordance with б W.S. 36-4-121(h). 7

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9 36-4-121. Permits to use state parks, recreation 10 areas and historic sites.

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12 (a) The department of state parks and cultural resources shall offer for sale permits that allow use of 13 state lands leased for recreational purposes as authorized 14 by W.S. 36-4-107(a)(ii) and state parks, recreation areas, 15 16 archeological sites and historic sites as designated by the 17 department with the approval of the Wyoming parks and cultural resources commission. Permits may be subject to 18 19 per person, per vehicle or time restrictions or any other 20 restriction the director of the department deems 21 appropriate. The director may waive any permit fee imposed pursuant to this section, offer discounts or offer at no 22 23 charge complimentary permits or gift certificates for

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1 permits authorized by this section. Except as provided in 2 subsection (n) of this section, the cost of the permits 3 authorized under this section shall be approved by the 4 commission and set in an amount not to exceed the 5 following:

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7 (h) The funds received by the department from the 8 sale of the permits shall be deposited into an account within the special revenue fund, hereby created as the 9 10 state parks account, and, except as otherwise provided by 11 this subsection, may be expended by the department for 12 capital construction projects, major maintenance, and site interpretation such as exhibits, signage and displays as 13 approved by the legislature. Funds received by the 14 department under W.S. 36-4-107(a)(ii) and 36-4-110(a) from 15 16 state lands leased for recreational purposes as authorized 17 by W.S. 36-4-107(a)(ii) shall be accounted for separately within the account. The department may use the funds 18 19 received under W.S. 36-4-107(a)(ii) and 36-4-110(a) from 20 state lands leased for recreational purposes to pay for 21 leases under W.S. 36-4-107(a)(ii) and the costs incurred by the department in managing the recreational use on the 22 leased state lands. For the fiscal year ending June 30, 23

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1	2023 and each fiscal year thereafter, the state treasurer
2	shall transfer to the proper accounts within the permanent
3	land fund any funding certified by the department to be in
4	excess of the leasing and management costs incurred by the
5	department under W.S. 36-4-107(a)(ii) and generated from
6	school lands as defined by W.S. 36-1-101(a)(v). Interest on
7	funds in the account shall accrue to the account. Not more
8	than thirty percent (30%) of the funds in the account in
9	any fiscal year may also be expended, with legislative
10	approval, for maintenance of outdoor recreation areas and
11	facilities provided that no amount shall be expended for
12	additional full-time employees or increases in salaries or
13	overtime pay for full-time employees. For fiscal years 2022
14	and 2023 only, not more than sixty percent (60%) of the
15	funds in the account may be expended, with legislative
16	approval, for maintenance and operational costs associated
17	with outdoor recreation areas and facilities provided that
18	no amount shall be expended for additional full-time
19	employees or increases in salaries or overtime pay for
20	full-time employees.

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22 36-5-115. Leasing for industrial, commercial and 23 recreational purposes; "recreational purposes" defined.

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2	As used in W.S. $36-5-114$ through $36-5-117_{I}$ the term
3	"recreational purposes" means land used for cabin sites,
4	public camp sites, public parks and recreation areas, golf
5	courses and any associated residential development, youth
б	groups and ski or winter sports areas <u>and any other</u>
7	organized recreational purpose.
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9	Section 2. The board of land commissioners and the
10	department of state parks and cultural resources shall
11	promulgate any rules necessary to implement the provisions
12	of this act.
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3	(a) Except as provided in subsection (b) of this
4	section, this act is effective July 1, 2022.
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6	(b) Sections 2 and 3 of this act are effective
7	immediately upon completion of all acts necessary for a
8	bill to become law as provided by Article 4, Section 8 of
9	the Wyoming Constitution.
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11	(END)