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**From:** Marco, Catherine *OGC*  
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**To:** Sexton, Kimberly  
**Subject:** FW: Lost Creek Exemption Request

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**From:** Bjornsen, Alan *FSME*  
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**To:** VonTill, Bill; Marco, Catherine  
**Cc:** McConnell, Keith; Cohen, Stephen; Hull, John; Orlando, Dominick; Kock, Andrea  
**Subject:** RE: Lost Creek Exemption Request

Bill,

I just got off the phone with Mark Newman of the BLM Rawlins Field Office. UR-Energy is planning to submit a Plan of Operations (POO) for the exemption activities. Mark gave me a rough timeline for the NEPA review that needs to take place for the BLM to approve the POO:

1. 30-day public comment period on the scope of the action
2. 30-90 days to prepare the draft NEPA document (assuming it will be an EA; longer if an EIS is required)
3. 30-60 days for BLM to review draft EA
4. 30-day public review of draft
5. 30 days to respond to comments and prepare final EA

This may be optimistic, since there are two major issues that need addressing:

1. wild horses
2. GW (re: deep injection wells)

Alan

**From:** VonTill, Bill *FSME*  
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Cathy,

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