

# Monthly Report for Air Quality Projects

## Jonah Interagency Office Air Quality Division

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*Project Name:* **Wood Stove Change-Out Program**

*Work Completed:* 29 EPA-certified stoves have been installed and vendor invoices have been sent to Bob Budd for payment. 39 EPA-certified stoves have been installed (39 total, I just haven't received invoices yet). All paperwork is being filed and held by the Project Manager.

*Upcoming Activities:* 2 EPA-certified stoves will be installed. 12 more invoices to be received. A survey will be distributed winning participants to see what their thoughts were of the program in late September 2009.

*Budget:* \$106k has been spent of the earmarked \$150k (\$44k remains).

*Schedule on Target?* Yes. Project Completion is end of September 2009, work is 95% complete.

*Other Comments:* This has been a very popular program within the community. The winning participants have already started "breaking in their stoves" and can see a remarkable difference in emissions from their previous old stove.

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*Project Name:* **American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA) Diesel Emissions Reduction Act (DERA)**

*Work Completed:* WYDEQ officially accepted the EPA grant on July 21, 2009. State reporting requirements put in place to track expenditures. I attended all of the training sessions. Work will be commencing mid-September.

*Upcoming Activities:* All work performed. Large press coverage intended for late-September.

*Budget:* \$250k earmarked.

*Schedule on Target?* Yes

*Other Comments:* We (JIO) have received favorable press on the project.

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*Project Name:* **Community Outreach Effort – "What Can I Do?" Campaign**

*Work Completed:* Seven environmental advertisements placed in the two newspapers with accompanying environmental message on the local radio.

*Upcoming Activities:* This effort is temporarily suspended until the winter.

*Budget:* We are halfway through the budget. \$5.7k has been spent of the \$10.3k earmarked.

*Schedule on Target?* Yes.

*Other Comments:* No other comments.

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*Project Name:* **Environmental Book Donation for Sublette County Citizens**

*Work Completed:* Project is complete.

*Upcoming Activities:* None.

*Budget:* All \$7k earmarked has been spent.

*Schedule on Target?* Yes, complete.

*Other Comments:* No other comments.

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*Project Name:* **Non-Road Equipment Muffler Change-Out (Heavy Machinery)**

*Work Completed:* None.

*Upcoming Activities:* Announcements will be made in early October.

*Budget:* \$150k earmarked and approved. No money spent.

*Schedule on Target?* Yes.

*Other Comments:* To avoid confusion with the ARRA DERA effort, it was decided to temporarily suspend this program. Now, since ARRA DERA is moving forward, this program will be launched.

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