

## Pioneers Alliance Meeting

Nov. 27, 2012

6-8 p.m.

Carey City Hall

### Meeting Objectives:

1. Review past successes in conservation, community development, and collaboration within the Pioneers-Craters landscape and the City of Carey.
2. Discuss priorities for the Pioneers Alliance
3. Develop strategies for pursuing priorities, which may include formation of working groups and/or Pioneers Alliance Steering Committee

### Past Successes / Old Business (brief overview): Trish and others

- NRCS conservation funding (Grassland Reserve Program, SGI): Clint Evans
- BLM travel planning
- CERG (Boyd Stocking Pavilion, etc.): Vonnie
- Review changes in Pioneers Alliance leadership: Trish

### Blackfoot Challenge: Jim Peterson & Holly Hampton

### Identifying Priorities for the Pioneers Alliance: Group discussion with facilitator

- Agricultural landowners
- The City of Carey
- The NGO conservation community
- Agency priorities (BLM, NPS)

### Future Actions: Group discussion with facilitator

- Participation in the Pioneers Alliance
- Strategies to address priorities
- Future meetings

### Invitees:

BLM: Holly Hampton

Landowners: Jim Peterson, Theron and Laurie Fiscus, Monte and Ann MacConnell, Jim Barton, Lee Cook, Ray and Carly Baird, John and Diane Peavey

Blaine Soil Conservation District: Bev Swainston

NPS: Dan Buckley

IDFG: Jerome Hanson

City of Carey: Vonnie Olson, Dustin Colton, Sarah Mecham

NRCS: Clint Evans, Wade Brown, Steve Cote, Mike Higgins

USFS: Carol Brown (or other)

Blaine County: Larry Schoen

TNC: Trish Klahr, Mark Davidson, Nathan Welch

WRLT: Keri York, Scott Boettger

ICL: John Robison, Rick Johnson

TCF: Mark Elsbree