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SUBJECT: West Traverse Sentinel Landscape Report

The Honorable Spencer J. Cox
Governor of the State of Utah
350 State St #200
Salt Lake City, UT 84114

Dear Governor Cox:

The Utah National Guard (UTNG) and West Traverse Sentinel Landscape (WTSL) Committee are pleased to present this report of fiscal year (FY) 2023 activities.

In FY 2023, we completed four transactions (50.65 acres) in priority one areas of the West Traverse Sentinel Landscape, totaling \$15,433,009.07. This includes the 32-acre parcel (\$15,037,790) designated for use by the United States Army Reserve to relocate units off Ft. Douglas and onto Camp Williams.

We also invested \$80K in state funds to provide monitoring and protection for over 600 acres of easements we had previously procured under the program.

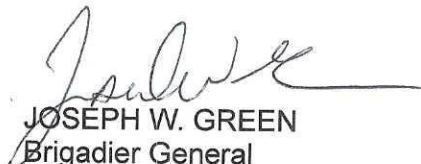
The West Traverse Sentinel Landscape Committee has received commitments for \$2.7 million in federal funding through the ACUB/REPI programs and \$5 million from the NRCS's RCPP program. The WTSL expects to execute 285 acres of new acquisitions in 2024 totaling over \$10 million.

2024 West Traverse Sentinel Landscape Pending Transactions			
Transaction		Expected Funding	
Acres	Location	Total	WTSL
72.5	South Border Priority 1	\$2,500,000	\$1,000,000
10	South Border Priority 1	\$2,750,000	\$0
88	South Border Priority 1	\$2,000,000	\$750,000
85	North Border Priority 1	\$2,200,000	\$750,000
30	North Border Priority 1	\$750,000	\$250,000

The WTSL Committee has identified 11,314 acres for participation in the program. Since 2015, 4610 acres have been encumbered. Over \$38 million in federal funds have been invested.

We express our sincere appreciation for your support. This program is essential to ensure the long-term training capability at Camp Williams for the Utah National Guard.

Sincerely,



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