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**U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE**

**Forest Service**

**SPECIAL USE PERMIT FOR**

**CAMPGROUND AND RELATED GRANGER-THYE CONCESSIONS**

**APPENDIX H**

**GRANGER-THYE FEE OFFSET CLAIM**

**AUTHORITY:**

**Section 7 of the Granger-Thye Act, 16 U.S.C. 580d**

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**NATIONAL FOREST**

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**RANGER DISTRICT**

**AUTHORIZATION ID: #AUTH\_ID#**

**Description of Government MRRI:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Holder’s Fiscal Year (FY): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

This Granger-Thye (GT) fee offset claim (fee offset claim) is submitted by #HOLDER\_NAME# (the holder) under section 7 of the GT Act, 16 U.S.C. 580d, clause V.D of the special use permit for campground and related GT concessions issued to the holder on #DATE# (the permit), and the GT fee offset agreement executed by the holder and the Forest Service on #DATE# (GT fee offset agreement).

All or part of the holder’s annual land use fee under the permit may be offset in accordance with the GT fee offset agreement by the amount of allowable costs incurred by the holder for Government maintenance, reconditioning, renovation, and improvement (MRRI) listed in the GT fee offset agreement. Total allowable costs of Government MRRI included in this GT fee offset claim are the sum of direct costs and indirect costs allocable to the Government MRRI listed in the GT fee offset agreement. Costs submitted under this GT fee offset claim shall be documented by the holder as provided below and shall be determined by the Forest Service to be actual, reasonable, allocable, and allowable, in accordance with the terms of the permit, the GT fee offset agreement, and applicable Forest Service directives.

The holder shall itemize direct costs of Government MRRI performed by the holder under the GT fee offset agreement and attach documentation for all itemized direct costs.

Indirect costs of Government MRRI shall be computed using the Forest Service-approved indirect cost rate. The Forest Service-approved indirect cost rate for FY [ ] is attached.

Approval of this GT fee offset claim is subject to the terms of the permit and GT fee offset agreement.

**DIRECT COSTS**

Salaries and Wages $

Materials and Supplies $

Other (specify) $

Total of Direct Costs Without Subcontracts $

Subcontracts $

Total of Direct Costs With Subcontracts $

**<USER NOTES>**

**<Generally, apply the indirect cost rate to the total of direct costs without subcontracts. The indirect cost rate may be applied to the total of direct costs with subcontracts only if approved by the authorized officer in accordance with FSH 2709.14, Chapter 40.>**

**INDIRECT COSTS (#AMOUNT#% x direct costs)** $

**TOTAL GT FEE OFFSET CLAIM** $

Subject to the penalties prescribed in the False Statements Act, 18 U.S.C. 1001, the holder certifies to the best of its knowledge that the representations in this GT fee offset claim and its supporting documents are accurate and complete. The Forest Service reserves the right not to grant this GT fee offset claim if any representations in this GT fee offset claim are inaccurate or incomplete. Failure to sign this GT fee offset claim shall vitiate the claim.

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[NAME AND TITLE OF PERSON SIGNING ON BEHALF OF HOLDER, DATE

IF HOLDER IS AN ENTITY]

#HOLDER\_NAME#

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According to the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, a Federal agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, an information collection requestunless it displays a valid Office of Management and Budget (OMB) control number. The valid OMB control number for this information collection request is 0596-0082. Response to this information collection request is required to obtain or retain benefits, specifically, a special use authorization. The authority for this information collection request is Section 7 of the Granger-Thye Act, 16 U.S.C. 580d. The time required to complete this information collection request is estimated to average 2 hours per response, including the time for reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, collecting and maintaining the data needed, and completing and reviewing the information collection request. Send comments regarding this burden estimate or any other aspect of this information collection request, including suggestions for reducing the burden, to Forest Service Information Collections Officer, SM.FS.InfoCollect@usda.gov, with OMB control number 0596-0082 in the subject line.

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**Purpose:**  The Privacy Act of 1974 requires that the Director of Recreation, Heritage, and Volunteer Resources staff and the Director of Lands, Minerals, and Geology Management staff provide the following statements to individuals from whom they request information.

**Authority:**  Collection of this information solicited on this form is authorized by Section 7 of the Granger-Thye Act, 16 U.S.C. 580d.

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**Disclosure:**  The submission of this information is required to obtain or retain benefits, specifically, a special use authorization.

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