Our Work with Public Lands Livestock Grazing

The NRULPC addresses specific public lands livestock grazing policy needs, such as:

- Analysis of existing rules for grazing research/management on Forest Service lands.
- Review of federal grazing litigation for outcomes and patterns of resolution.
- Summary of U.S. Forest Service proposed changes to its NEPA process.

Examples of livestock grazing activities supporting landowner and public interaction projects with the U.S. Forest Service as well as the broader natural resource management arena include:

- Conducting analysis of Coronado National Forest Biological Opinion for the livestock grazing program; submitted to and reviewed with Forest Service personnel.
- Compiling and submitting proposed NEPA revision analysis to Council on Environmental Quality (CEQ).
- Consulting on numerous legal challenges to Federal agency records of decision regarding public lands livestock grazing.
- Drafting paper to help public land grazing permittees avoid litigation

Selected Papers From NRULPC Website

- Open Range Law in Arizona. By George Ruyle and Jeff Eisenberg, November 2018.

Undergraduate course - Agriculture, Environmental and Legal Issues guest speakers:

- Andy Groseda, W Dart Ranch - advocacy, collaborative partnerships and the impacts of regulations compliance on the business of ranching.
- Ian Tomlison, Vera Earl Ranch - ranching business methods, herd genetics, certified beef marketing, and agency partnerships.
- John Barrett, Arizona Land and Water Trust - Conservation Easements.
- Paul Tilley, DeConcini McDonald Yetwin & Lacy, P.C. - National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA).

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