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Ideas from Reed and Steve H discussion:

VRM—want further clarity of BLM’s direction on VRM

What makes a place less than I, II, III

Explain thinking that WSA’s and other wilderness character areas.

(e.g. what is the thinking on VRM II, III on Cold Spring, why not VRM I?).

Oil and gas stipulations—

Struggled with this in sage grouse group (mitigation), as well as in the Vermillion sub-committee. Need clarity and further discussion on how the second-tier (post leasing and exploration) on how development is handled.

No tiered approach in these oil and gas stipulations: everything is done on the initial stipulations.

What governs in-fill drilling? BLM needs to plan and analyze this development. (there ought to be a another layer of analysis on what does full-blown development look and how ought it proceed, or BLM analysis of a “second tier” of development/mitigation after more NWCOS discussion)

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