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III. BIOGRAPHY OF APPLICANT

Social Security Number: 543-82-5042

Name	<u>Akenson</u>	<u>James</u>	<u>J.</u>
	<small>Last</small>	<small>First</small>	<small>Middle Initial</small>
Home Address	<u>Taylor Ranch Field Station</u>		<u>Cascade</u>
	<small>Number</small>	<small>Street</small>	<small>City</small>
	<u>ID</u>	<u>83611</u>	<u>(208)832-4336 via radio phone</u>
	<small>State</small>	<small>Zip Code</small>	<small>Area Code & Telephone Number</small>
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Age	<u>31</u>	Sex	<u>M</u> Citizenship <u>US</u>

IV. EDUCATION OF APPLICANT

University/College Oregon State University

Dates Attended: 9-79 to 6-85

Major Resource Geography Minor _____ Degree M.S.

University/College Eastern Oregon State College

Dates Attended: 9-75 to 6-79

Major Community Service-
Environmental Studies Minor _____ Degree B.S.

University/College N/A

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Major _____ Minor _____ Degree _____

At what institution will you be studying during the coming academic year? N/A

(Attach a letter from the dean's office indicating acceptance for graduate work.)

Your major area of graduate study Resource Geography

Has your project been approved as your thesis topic by your graduate committee? N/A

Test results GRE V _____ Q _____ Advanced Test _____ / _____ / _____
Area Score %ile

GPA's on a scale of four are 3.35 Undergraduate and 3.60 Graduate

V. EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

Name and Address of Employer	Your Position	Dates of Employment
<u>University of Idaho</u>	<u>Research Associate/Co-Manager</u>	<u>9-15-82 to present</u>
<u>Moscow, ID</u>	<u>Taylor Ranch Field Station</u>	
<u>83843</u>	<u>College of FWR, U of I</u>	

VI. REFERENCES

<u>Dr. Maurice G. Hornocker</u>	<u>Mr. Mike Schlegel</u>	<u>Dr. Bill McLaughlin</u>
<u>Wildlife Research Institute</u>	<u>Idaho Fish & Game</u>	<u>Dept. of Wildland Recreation Mgt.</u>
<u>P.O. Box 3246</u>	<u>McCall, ID 83638</u>	<u>College of FWR</u>
<u>University Station</u>	<u>(208)634-8137</u>	<u>University of Idaho</u>
<u>Moscow, ID 83843</u>		<u>Moscow, ID 83843</u>
<u>(208)885-6871</u>		<u>(208)885-7911</u>



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Social Security Number: 220-58-6270

Name Akenson Holly A.
Last First Middle Initial
Home Address Taylor Ranch Field Station Cascade
Number Street City
ID 83611 (208) 382-4336
State Zip Code Area Code & Telephone Number
Office Address Same as above
Number Street City
State Zip Code Area Code & Telephone Number
Age 30 Sex F Citizenship US

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VI. REFERENCES

See Jim's copy--same as

VII. FRATERNAL AND PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

1. The Foundation North American Wild Sheep

2. The Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation

3. The Wildlife Society

VIII. COST ESTIMATE

Estimated Cost of Proposed Study 1st Year \$ 8,060

	Cost to be Funded by NRA Grant	Cost to be Funded by other Cooperators
Subsistence	\$ _____	\$ _____
Travel Expenses	\$ _____	\$ <u>400</u>
Equipment 10 radios & collars @\$331, 2 radio receivers @\$1,475, 2 antennas @\$85	\$ <u>6,430</u>	\$ _____
Supplies Feed & supplies for pack horses	\$ <u>80</u>	\$ _____
Services (secretarial, clerical, statistical, etc.) Aerial radio tracking, 5 Veterinary diagnostic tests @\$50, 6 trips @\$150	\$ <u>1,150</u>	\$ _____
Publishing	\$ _____	\$ _____
TOTALS	\$ <u>7,660</u>	\$ <u>400</u>

Cost must be itemized for each additional year on a separate sheet if project will extend for more than one year.

Other organizations providing financial aid or support for the project:

	Amount Applied for	Date Approved
1) IDEG Idaho Dept. of Fish & Game supplying sheep traps, 4 radios to rebuild, personnel & equipment for capture; transportation & subsistence for personnel	\$ _____	\$ _____
	Equipment sharing No money transfer	
2) _____	\$ _____	\$ _____

3) _____	\$ _____	\$ _____

Other pertinent information including any special arrangements desired for administration of grant (i.e., make payable to: Name, Address, Institution, etc.). The total amount asked for this 2-year project is \$9,440. Of this, \$7,660 could be used immediately to purchase equipment. If this amount is not available, one radio receiver and several radios could be purchased the next year, but this would limit results from these animals to a one-year sample.

~~Every effort was made to minimize the cost of this study, including sharing airplane flight costs for aerial tracking and traveling between Taylor Ranch and U of I. Efforts are still being made to find funding for salary and subsistence for principal investigators and two assistants.~~

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Same as Jim's _____

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Estimated Cost of Proposed Study	<u>2nd Year</u>	\$ <u>1,380.00</u>
	Cost to be Funded by NRA Grant	Cost to be Funded by other Cooperators
Subsistence	\$ _____	\$ _____
Travel Expenses	\$ _____	\$ <u>400.00</u>
Equipment	\$ _____	\$ _____
Supplies Feed & supplies for pack horse	\$ <u>80.00</u>	\$ _____
Services (secretarial, clerical, statistical, etc.) Aerial Radio Tracking	\$ <u>900.00</u>	\$ _____
Publishing	\$ _____	\$ _____
TOTALS	\$ <u>980.00</u>	\$ <u>400.00</u>

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IX. ENDORSEMENT

I hereby certify that the applicant is prepared to conduct the study as outlined and I consider this estimate to be adequate to cover the cost of the project.

Supervisor's Name Dr. Edwin E. Krumpe

Title Director, Wilderness Research Center and Associate Professor

Department & University/College Department of Wildland Recreation Management
College of Forestry, Wildlife and Range Sciences

Signature _____ Date _____

I hereby agree to abide by the stated requirements of an NRA grant. I also understand and will provide, if awarded an NRA grant, the necessary requirements to the National Rifle Association of America.

Applicant's Name James J. Akenson and Holly A. Akenson

Candidate for (Degree) N/A

Department & University/College Wilderness Research Center
College of Forestry, Wildlife & Range Resources

Signature James J. Akenson, Holly A. Akenson Date 4/1/88

X. APPLICATION CHECKLIST

Application thoroughly and legibly completed.

Cover of study Outline includes:

- Title
- Proposed duration of study
- Amount requested from NRA, others
- Institution or agency to which grant should be made
- Person applying and signature
- Supervisor or sponsor and signature
- Fiscal officer of institution or agency and signature

Study Outline does not exceed 15 pages.

Ten copies of application and study outline submitted.