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-- [ From: John C Hendee \* EMC.Ver #2.5.02 ] --

Dear Jeanne,

Trying out this mode of communication--e-mail thru Joanne.

I was worried about what Jeff was going to do post Taylor Ranch but on a talk with him on the way back to CFWR it seems he has fairly well developed plans--their house is for sale and he has work lined up teaching for SF State [his wilderness Field Ecology class taught from Taylor Ranch the past 5 years? ] and says he will be doing work for a foundation. We will meet Tues AM and start developing a transition strategy. I hope we can save his course because it was the heart of our education at TR . I am leaning toward trying to get a temporary fix by trying to extend the TR caretaker and use any salary savings to continue Jeff's course, water system for the airstrip, pay for the advisory retreat, and even seed another course and development of research etc. I see the advisory retreat as a key event in planning for the future. Will be extending myself to keep Jeff on board during the transition period but feel we must get that period started right away with a letter documenting Jeff's decision. Will share a draft with you before I leave Wed am and also with personnel.

Got an e-mail about an EPA research grant opportunity that I'll be talking to Roy Mink about and I'll be talking to Forest Service about being in a partnership with us in an application. Deals with watersheds. Will keep you posted. I check my e-mail everyday but the best way for Joanne to contact me for you is thru Mo by phone or e-mail to me at hendeejo@uidaho.edu with copy to Mo at wrc@uidaho.edu. or combinations of the above.

Thanks for all your help in this disappointing situation.

JOHN HENDEE