IMACS SITE FORM

PART A - ADMINISTRATIVE DATA

INTERMOUNTAIN ANTIQUITIES COMPUTER SYSTEM Form Approved for use by BLM - Utah, Idaho, Nevada, Wyoming Division of State History - Utah, Wyoming *1. State No. USFS - Intermountain Region *2. Agency No. PY-735 NPS - Utah, Wyoming 3. Temp No. UI-83-42 4. State: IDAHO County: VALLEY 5. Project: WILDERNESS SETTLEMENT SUBSISTENCE *6. Report No. PY- 85-239 7. Site Name: 8. Class: XX Prehistoric Historic Paleontologic Ethnographic 9. Site Type: HOUSE PIT DEPRESSION *10. Elevation: 3820 ft. *11. UTM Grid: Zone 11 669460 m/E *12. NW of SE of NE of Section 3 669460 m/E 4996460 m/N T. 20N R./3E *13. Meridian: Boise *14. Map Reference: USGS DAVE LEWIS PEAK 15. Aerial Photo: 16. Location and Access: THE SITE IS LOCATED IN THE EAST PASTURE ON THE EAST PART OF TAYLOR RANCH ON THE NORTH BANK OF BIG CREEK. FROM TAYLOR RANCH FOLLOW THE BIG CREEK TRAIL EAST TO THE PASTURE. THE SITE IS LOCATED JUST A FEW METERS NORTHWEST OF A STONY OUTCROP IN THE CENTER OF THE PASTURE. *17. Land Owner: UNIVERSITY OF IDAHO *18. Federal Admin. Units: ForestPAYETTE District Nat'l Park *19. Flanning Units (USFS only): 20. Site Description: THE SITE CONSISTS OF A SINGLE APPARENT HOUSE PIT DEPRESSION ABOUT 2.5 TO 3 M DIAMETER AND 20 CM DEEP. A FEW PIECES OF FIRE-CRACKED ROCK CAN BE FOUND IN THE VICINITY. BECAUSE THE SITE IS IN IMPROVED PASTURE IT MAY BE PARTIALLY DESTROYED. *21. Site Condition: Excellent(A) Good(B) Fair(C) XX Poor(D) *22. Impacting Agent(s): PASTURE DEVELOPMENT; GRAZING *23. Nat. Register Status: Significant(C) X Non-Significant(D) XX Unevaluated (USFS only) (Z) JUSTIFY; NO BAGIS FOR EVALUATION IN COMPARISON WITH CTHER SITUS IN THE STUDY AREA. LEONHARDY RECOMMENDS THIS AS A NON-SIGNIFICANT PROPERTY 24. Photos: NONE 25. Recorded by: ROBBIN JOHNSTON; VERIFIED BY F.C. LEONHARDY, JULY, 1986 *26. Survey Organization: UNIVERSITY OF IDAHO Survey Date: 7/22/83 27. Assisting Crew Members: JAMES GRIFFIN *Encoded data items

PART A - ENVIROMENTAL DATA

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(Degrees) Aspect (Degrees) 129. Slope: 10 180 30. Direction/Distance to Permanent Water: 180 Bearing (Degrees) .2 x 100 Meters *Type of Water Source: Spring/Seep (A) XX Stream/River (B) Lake (C) Other (D) Name of Water Source: BIG CREEK Distance to Nearest Other Water Source/Type:

31. Geographic Unit: MIDDLE FORK SALMON RIVER DRAINAGE

32. Topographic Location (check one under each heading):

PRIMARY LANDFORM

mountain spine (A) hill (B) tableland/mesa (C) ridge (D) valley (E) plain (F) XX canyon (G) island (H)

toe/crest/peak (A) edge (B) slope (C) XX toe/foot/bottom/mouth (D) saddle/pass (E) bench/ledge (F) rimrock (G) interior (H)

PRIMARY POSITION

SECONDARY LANDFORM

XX alluvial fan (A) alcove/rockshelter (B) arroyo (C) basin (D) cave (E) cliff (F) delta (G) detatched monolith (H) dune (I) floodplain (J) ledge (K) mesa/butte (L)

playa (M) port.geo.feature (N) plain (O) ridge/knoll (P) slope (Q) terrace/bench (R) talus slope (S) island (T) outcrop (U) spring mound/bog (V) valley (W) cutbank (X) riser (Y)

(M)

SECONDARY POSITION

top/crest/ peak (A) edge (B) slope (C) XX toe/foot bottom/mouth (D) interior (G) step (H) riser (I) patterned ground (N) face (O) saddle/pass (P)

Describe: THE SITE IS NEAR THE EDGE OF A LARGE ALLUVIAL FAN AT THE BOTTOM OF BIG CREEK CANYON

33. On-site Depositional Contex:

XX	fan (A)	extant lake (G)
	talus (B)	alluvial plain (H)
	dune (C)	colluvium (I)
	stream terrace (D)	morraine (J)
	playa (E)	floodplain (H)
	outcrop (Q)	marsh (L)
	extinct lake (F)	landslide/slump (M)

des. pavement (P) stream bed (R) aeolian (S) none (T) residual (U) delta (N)

Description of Soil: SLOPE WASH OVERLYING COBBLE GRAVELS; PEDOGENIC HORIZONS NOT OBSERVED

PART A - ENVIRONMENTAL DATA (CONT.)

34. Vegetation:

*a. Life Zone:	Arctic Alpine (A) Transitional (D)	Hudsonian (B) Upper Sonoran (E)	XX Canadian (C) Lower Sonoran (F)
*b. Community:	M Primary On-Site M	Secondary On-site	M Surrounding

Aspen (A)	Wet Meadow (I)	Low Sagebrush (Q)
Spruce-Fir (B)	Dry Meadow (J)	Barren (R)
Douglas-Fir (C)	Dak-Maple Shrub (K)	Marsh/Swamp (S)
Alpine Tundra (D)	Riparian (L)	Lake/Reservior (T)
Ponderosa Pine (E)	Grassland/Steppe (M)	Agricultural (U)
Lodgepole Pine (F)	Desert Lake Shore (N)	Blackbrush (V)
Other/Mixed Conifir (G)	Shadscale Community (D)	Cresote Bush (Y)
Pinyon-Juniper Woodland (H)	The second se	

Describe: THE SITE IS IN DISTURBED AGROPYRON SPICATUM HABITAT TYPE: AGROPYRON SPICATUM HABITAT TYPE AND CERCOCARPOS LEDIFOLIUS HABITAT TYPE ARE ADJACENT

- *35. Miscellaneous Text: GOOD LOCATION FOR SITE--MUCH MAY BE OBSCURED OR DESTROYED BY PASTURE DEVELOPMENT
- 36. Comments/Continuations/Location of Curated Materials and Records: RECORDS CURATED AT THE LABORATORY OF ANTHROPOLOGY, UNIVERSITY OF IDAHO

List of Attachments: XX Part B XX Topo Map Photos Continuation Sheets Part C Site Sketch Artifact/Feature Sketch Other

PART B - PREHISTORIC

Site No.(s) PY-735 UI-83-42

1. Site Type: HOUSE PIT DEPRESSION

*2. Culture: AFFILIATION DATING AFFILIATION DATING UNKNOWN

3. Site Dimensions: 5 M X 5 M *Area 25 sq m

*4. Surface Collection/Method:

XX None (A) Designed Sample (C) Grab Sample (B) Complete Collection (D)

Sampling Method:

*5. Estimated Depth of Fill:

Surface (A) 20-100 cm (C) XX Fill noted but unknown (E) 0-20 cm (B) 100 cm + (D)

How estimated: OBSERVATIONS OF CUT BANK (If tested show location on site map)

*6. Excavation Status: Excavated (A) Tested (B) XX Unexcavated (C)

Testing Method:

*7. Summary of Artifacts and Debris:

Lithic Scatter (LS)	Organic Remains (VR)
Ceramic Scatter (CS)	Shell (SL)
Basketry/Textiles (BT)	Burned Bone [,] (BS)
Isolated Artifact (IA)	Ground Stone (GS)
	Lithic Source(s)

Describe

PART B - PREHISTORIC (cont.)

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*8.	Lithic Tools:	#	TYPE	#		TYPE	
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*9.	Lithic Debitage -	Estimate	d Total Quan	ity:			
	XX None (A) 1-9 (B)			5 (C) 100 (D)		100-500 (E) 500 + (F)	,
			25-	100 (1)		300 + (F)	
	Material type:						
	Flaking Stages:	(0) Not	Present (1)	Rare (2) C	ommon (3) Dominant	
	Decortication: Shatter:	Sec	ondary: e:	Tertiary:			
10.	Maximum Density -	#/sq m (all lithics)				
*11.	Ceramic Artifacts:	#	TYPE		#	TYPE	

Describe:

12. Maximum Density - #/sq m (ceramics):

PART B - PREHISTORIC (cont.)

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:13. Non-Architectural Features (locate on site map):

Hearth/Firepit (HE)	Stone Circle (SC)	Burial (BU)
Midden (MD)	Rock Alignment (RA)	Water Control (WC)
XX Depression (DE)	Earthen Mound (EM)	Petroglyph (PE)
Rubble Mound (RM)	Talus Pit (TP)	Pictograph (PI)

Describe: HOUSE FIT DEPRESSION 3 M DIAMETER, 20 CM DEEP

H14. Architectural Features (locate on site map):

#	MATERIAL	TYPE	#	MATERIAL	TYPE

Describe: HOUSE PIT DEPRESSION 3 M DIAMETER, 20 CM DEEP

15. Comments/Continuations: SOME FIRE CRACKED ROCK SCATTERED ABOUT VICINITY OF DEPRESSION