

MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT
for Installation of Discrete Internet Networks
between the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
National Bison Range
and the Confederated Salish and Kootenai Tribes

This Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) is a cooperative agreement entered into under authority of the Fish and Wildlife Improvement Act of 1978, Section 3-(a)-(d), 16 U.S.C. Section 7421 (1980 Supp) and Act of October 7, 1976, 16 U.S.C. 1a-6 between the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, National Bison Range, hereinafter "FWS" and Confederated Salish and Kootenai Tribes, "CSKT".

Whereas, both parties agree that the FWS will have a discrete network with their own Internet provider for FWS systems and that the CSKT will have their own discrete network and Internet provider for their employee's tribal usage.

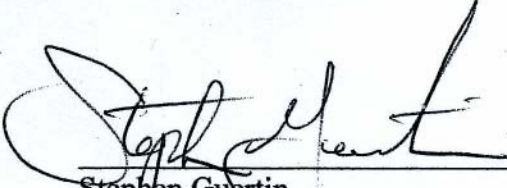
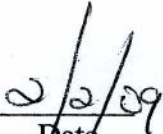
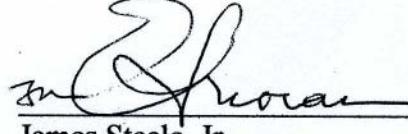
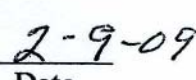
Therefore, the parties agree that:

1. The CSKT will be responsible for the configuration, deployment, maintenance, and support of the CSKT network including arrangements for an Internet provider for their network.
2. The CSKT will be responsible for the acquisition of the hardware and peripherals for their network, for which it will retain exclusive ownership.
3. The CSKT will be responsible for arranging the appropriate cabling for the CSKT network.
4. CSKT Information Technology Staff will be given physical access to locations where the CSKT Network equipment and wiring is installed during normal working hours for purposes of CSKT network support and troubleshooting. CSKT employees will not disturb or otherwise interfere with any portion of the FWS network.
5. The FWS network will be connected to the Department of the Interior (DOI) consolidated Enterprise Service Network (ESN) via Juniper router and will be limited to authorized FWS computers.
6. The Juniper router will be configured to allow only FWS computers to connect via their internal network addresses.
7. Requests to allow new FWS computers to connect to the FWS network must be made through the FWS Region 6 Information Resources and Technology Office to be submitted as a change request to the ESN.
8. The FWS will be responsible for the maintenance and support of the FWS network.
9. Computers connected to the FWS network via the ESN will be subject to both FWS and DOI scanning.
10. All tribal employees must undergo the appropriate background check for their level of computer access to the FWS and/or ESN.
11. Prior to being granted access to FWS computers and the FWS network, all Tribal employees must complete DOI IT security training requirements.

12. Tribal employees will be issued both Active Directory and Lotus Notes accounts to allow them to engage in FWS business which must be conducted on FWS computers on the FWS network.

Amendment, Effective Date and Termination:

1. This agreement shall become effective on the date signed by both parties and shall continue in effect until terminated.
2. The agreement may be revised or amended by consent of the parties, but such revisions or amendments shall not be effective until reduced to writing and signed by both parties, and,
3. This agreement may be terminated by either party upon giving sixty (60) days written notice prior to termination.

			
Stephen Guertin Regional Director, R6 U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service	Date	James Steele, Jr. Chairman Confederated Salish and Kootenai Tribes	Date