

APPENDIX A. MARCH 6, 2012 MINUTES: “APPLEGATE TRAIL I (ATI) NORTH SEXTON PASS I-5 EAST” FIELD TRIP

I. PURPOSE

The purpose of the field trip was to physically investigate the Applegate Trail (*Trail*) site at the uphill side of the physical road/*Trail* (i.e., uphill of I-5 boundary fence line) for any possible traces of the footprints of the old telegraph poles per the two papers: *Applegate Trail I North Sexton Pass I-5 East: I* and *Telegraph Lines and Applegate Trail at Smith Hill Pass*.

1. Walker, M., Rarey K., & Rose. K. January 30, 2012. *Applegate Trail I North Sexton Pass I-5 East: I*. For Hugo Neighborhood Association & Historical Society. Hugo, OR; 2. Boling, Rarey, Rose, & Walker. February 22, 2012. *Telegraph Lines and Applegate Trail at Smith Hill Pass*. For Hugo Neighborhood Association & Historical Society & Josephine County Historical Society. Hugo, OR. (HETC's Web Published Applegate Trail Inventories: http://www.hugoneighborhood.org/miscellaneous_research_papers_and_documents.htm).

II. PARTICIPANTS

Jim and Rene Ford visited Applegate Trail I (ATI) on March 16, 2012 (see Appendix AA).

III. FIELD INVENTORY

There was snow on the ground. Jim and Rene discovered two down poles and associated two holes in a line uphill from the I-5 boundary fence line. They also discovered a pile of rocks human caused. They would schedule another trip to area with more members of the GLO Field Review SubCommittee, Hugo Emigrants Trails Committee.

IV. MINUTES

Minutes recorded by Jim and Rene Ford: March 25, 2012.

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Appendix AA. Background Understanding the Applegate Trail and its evolution at North Mt. Sexton Pass east of I-5 is fascinating. This understanding has created a need for the description of four linear Trail/Road features. Road feature No. 2, 1,060' "*Applegate Trail I (ATI) For North Sexton Pass I-5 East*" is the most significant as it is the original location of the Applegate Trail (*Trail*).

Road Feature 1. New Access/Fire I-5 Road (200')

Road Feature 2. Applegate Trail I (ATI) For North Sexton Pass I-5 East (1,060')

"Y" Road No. 1 to "Y" Road No. 2 (760') &

"Y" Road No. 2 to Clearing Before I-5 Sign (300')

Road Feature 3. Applegate Trail II (ATII) For North Sexton Pass I-5 East (1,300')

"Y" Road No. 1 to "Y" Road No. 2 (760') &

"Y" Road No. 2 to Highway Marker Post (540')

Road Feature 4. Applegate Trail III (ATIII) For North Sexton Pass I-5 East (1,853')

"Y" Road No. 1 to "Y" Road No. 2 (760') &

"Y" Road No. 2 to beyond the Highway Marker Post at I-5 Ditch (1,093')