

Appendix F

Black Hills FLA Boundary Description

Description of the Black Hills Forest Legacy Area Boundary

The Black Hills Forest Legacy Area (FLA) boundary is as follows.

The southern boundary of the Black Hills FLA is the Cheyenne River starting at the South Dakota-Wyoming border and continuing east along the Cheyenne River through Edgemont, and the Angostura reservoir to the DM&E Railroad tracks, located just north of Oral.

The Black Hills FLA eastern boundary continues north along the DM&E Railroad tracks to the Cambell Street viaduct in Rapid City. At Rapid City the boundary follows Cambell Street to Omaha Street then heads north on 5th Avenue. Fifth Avenue becomes Haines Avenue, and the Black Hills FLA boundary continues north out of Rapid City to the intersection of Elk Creek Road. The Black Hills FLA boundary continues west along Elk Creek Road to Ricard Road and then heads north to Tilford Road. Then the FLA boundary heads east one mile on Tilford Road to the intersection of Middle Alkali Road, and heads north to Diamond Road, then heads west. Diamond Road curves north and becomes Titan Road. Then the Black Hills FLA boundary follows Titan road up to Alkali Road and heads west past the Sturgis airport to the junction of SD Highway 34. The FLA boundary continues west along SD Highway 34 into Sturgis and becomes Lazelle Street. The FLA boundary continues west along Lazelle Street. up to the eastern city limits of Sturgis. The FLA boundary then follows the city limits boundary north almost ¼ a mile until it meets the SE bend of Sly Hill Road. The boundary then follows Sly Hill Road north, which becomes Bear Butte Road, and continues following Bear Butte Road north to Bighorn Road. The FLA boundary then follows Bighorn Road west to the Lawrence County line where it becomes Mayer Road, and continues west to Whitewood Valley Road. It follows Whitewood Valley Road to the Junction of SD Highway 34, just north of the I-90 interchange.

From this point the northern boundary of the Black Hills FLA follows SD Highway 34 west through Belle Fourche to the South Dakota-Wyoming border.

Finally the western boundary of the Black Hills FLA is the South Dakota-Wyoming Border.