Livestock

Farm and ranch properties are frequently crossed when constructing lengthy transmission lines. Rocky Mountain Power works with land owners to tailor its construction plans and procedures to the specific needs of individual owners. A typical process may include, but not be limited to the following:

- Inspection of the property with the landowner to identify sensitive features
- Development of an access plan, including trail upgrades and the placing of required gates, culverts, or cattle guards
- Development of a weed control and revegetation plan
- Identification of crop or grazing loss and calculation of compensation
- Development of erosion control measures
- Ongoing notification of construction schedules prior to and during construction activities
- Onsite inspections during construction
- Identification of and planning mitigations for unique landowner situations

Rocky Mountain Power and its contractor, Universal Field Services, have contacted Tom Buzianis of Zion Farms and set an appointment on March 1, 2010 to meet and begin discussing the process outlined above.

Rocky Mountain Power also contacted Elaine England to discuss her concerns. She was informed of the meeting on March 3, which she may attend, and also that UFS will contact all the Englands as soon as possible and provide mapping.