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Calico Resources USA Corp.  
Nancy Wolverson  
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Re: Grassy Mountain – Terrestrial Vegetation Baseline Data

(Sent via e-mail to [nancy@paramountnevada.com](mailto:nancy@paramountnevada.com) and US Mail - return receipt requested)

Dear Ms. Wolverson:

Calico Resources USA filed terrestrial vegetation baseline data information with the State in January 2018 and filed a revised *Terrestrial Vegetation Baseline Report* in October 2018, subsequent to comments from Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife (ODFW).

Specifically, ODFW commented that Wyoming big sagebrush (ssp. *wyomingensis*) was the more likely dominant sage species in the study area rather than mountain big sagebrush (ssp. *vaseyana*) and asked for verification.

Calico and its consultants provided the requested verification in the revised October report. As a result, the *Terrestrial Vegetation Baseline Report* is approved.

Please let me know if you have any questions regarding the State's review.

Sincerely,

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cc: Richard DeLong, EM Strategies  
Calico Technical Review Team