

Freezemark No. 7097
Age: 3 yrs
Sex: M-Gelded
Color/Description: Red Dun

Size: 15 Hands

Origin: Antelope Valley

#### Lot #79



Freezemark No. 8137
Age: 3 yrs
Sex: M-Gelded

Color/Description: Sorrel, blaze, right-hind

stocking

Size: 13.2 Hands
Origin: Antelope

#### Lot #77

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Freezemark No. 7966
Age: 3 yrs
Sex: M-Gelded

Color/Description: Buckskin, star, strip, snip,

left-hind coronet

Size: 13.2 Hands
Origin: Antelope

#### Lot #80



Freezemark No. 8174
Age: 3 yrs
Sex: M-Gelded

Color/Description: Sorrel, star, strip, snip,

2-hind stockings

Size: 13.2 Hands
Origin: Antelope

#### Lot #78



Freezemark No. 7992
Age: 3 yrs
Sex: M-Gelded

Color/Description: Strawberry roan, star,

strip, snip, left-hind sock

Size: 13 Hands
Origin: Antelope

#### Lot #81



Freezemark No. 8193
Age: 2 yrs
Sex: M-Gelded

Color/Description: Bay, star, strip, snip,

2-hind stockings

Size: 13.2 Hands
Origin: Antelope



Freezemark No. 8196
Age: 4 yrs
Sex: M-Gelded

Color/Description: Sorrel, star, strip, snip

Size: 13.2 Hands
Origin: Antelope

#### Lot #85



Freezemark No. 8532
Age: 3 yrs
Sex: M-Gelded

Color/Description: Bay, star, strip, snip,

2-hind socks

Size: 15.2 Hands
Origin: Granite Range

#### Lot #83



Freezemark No. 8313
Age: 3 yrs
Sex: M-Gelded

Color/Description: Grulla, left-hind

pastern

Size: 13 Hands

Origin: Outside Granite Peak

#### Lot #86



Freezemark No. 8547
Age: 3 yrs
Sex: M-Gelded

Color/Description: Sorrel, star, strip,

snip, 2-front socks

Size: 14 Hands
Origin: Granite Range

#### Lot #84



Freezemark No. 8452
Age: 4 yrs
Sex: M-Gelded

Color/Description: Palomino, star, snip,

right-hind pastern

Size: 14 Hands
Origin: Granite Range

#### Lot #87



Freezemark No. 8555
Age: 3 yrs
Sex: M-Gelded

Color/Description: Sorrel, star, strip

Size: 15 Hands
Origin: Granite Range

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Freezemark No. 8558
Age: 2 yrs
Sex: M-Gelded
Color/Description: Red Roan, star

Size: 15.2 Hands
Origin: Granite Range

#### Lot #91



Freezemark No. 8785
Age: 4 yrs
Sex: M-Gelded
Color/Description: Bay, baldface

Size: 14.2 Hands
Origin: Buffalo Hills

#### Lot #89

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Freezemark No. 8583
Age: 4 yrs
Sex: M-Gelded

Color/Description: Palomino, blaze, 2-hind

stockings

Size: 14.2 Hands
Origin: Buffalo Hills

#### Lot #92



Freezemark No. 9005
Age: 3 yrs
Sex: M-Gelded

Color/Description: Bay, star, strip, snip,

right-hind pastern

Size: 14.2 Hands
Origin: Outside Little
Humboldt

#### Lot #90



Freezemark No. 8762
Age: 3 yrs
Sex: M-Gelded
Color/Description: Sorrel, star

Size: 14.2 Hands
Origin: Buffalo Hills

#### Lot #93



Freezemark No. 9050 Age: 3 yrs

Sex: M-Gelded

Color/Description: Brown, left-hind

coronet

Size: 15 Hands
Origin: Buffalo Hills

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Freezemark No. 9082
Age: 4 yrs
Sex: M-Gelded

Color/Description: Sorrel, baldface, left-hind

pastern

Size: 13.2 Hands
Origin: Buffalo Hills

Sounds mysterious, but it's not.

In 1971, the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) was directed to identify Herd Areas where animals were located. In the first few years following passage of the Wild Free-Roaming Horse and Burro Act, the BLM inventoried and mapped these Herd Areas. Through its planning process, which includes extensive public participation, the areas where horses can be managed as a component of the public lands have been designated. These are what we call Herd Management Areas or HMAs.

If you've adopted a wild horse or burro, your paperwork will probably include the name of the HMA from which your animal was gathered. It might also name a field office (or district) which manages those HMAs. This internet site allows you to find both the Nevada HMA and the field office or district.

Why might a Herd Area not become an HMA? One example of why a Herd Area might not have become a HMA is where intermingled public and private lands make management of private stock with public horses difficult.

Could a Herd Area ever be reconsidered and become a HMA, and visa versa? Yes. It is not a simple matter because planning and environmental assessment work, and public participation, would be necessary; but, the BLM does know where the Herd Areas are and if conditions change, it is possible to re-evaluate and change these designations.

How accurate are the boundaries? Mapping of HMAs and Herd Areas was once done by hand. With modern technology, like Geographic Information Systems (GIS), precise mapping is possible.

# To view HMA descriptions from Nevada, go to the BLM Nevada web site at www.nv.blm.gov/

#### Tassi-Gold Butte Herd Management Area

#### **Location/Habitat**

The Tassi-Gold Butte Herd Management Area (HMA) lies in southeast Nevada and in northwest Arizona between the Overton Arm of Lake Mead and the west boundary of Grand Canyon National Park in Mohave County, Arizona and Clark County, Nevada. It sits 70 miles southwest of St. George, Utah and 50 miles south of Mesquite, Nevada.

The topography of the HMA consists primarily of large alluvial plains (bajadas) dissected by numerous gullies and washes. The Gold Butte Mountains lie in the center of the HMA and consist of rocky, steep peaks and ridges.

#### **Herd Description**

Burros escaping captivity, or released by cattlemen, sheepmen and miners, contributed greatly to the establishment of the wild burro herd.

Nearly 80 percent of the burros in this area are gray in color, with the remaining 20 percent being black, brown, white, pinto, or piebald. Some burros possess the shoulder cross characteristic of the ancestral Nubian wild ass and many have leg barrings associated with the Somali wild ass.