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As part of the EIS there needs to be a comprehensive analysis of appropriate buffers for wildlife species.

In the PEIS for wind development buffers were left as a decision of the FO biologist. As a result the BLM now has a range of buffers from 1/4 to 5 miles for sage grouse leks.

Local decisions are making some wind development projects uneconomical based on staff values not science.