| Situation or Background | On June 14, the U.S. Forest Service learned that the Rainbow Family of Living Light selected the Adams Park area of northwest Routt County on the Hahns Peak/Bears Ears Ranger District for its 50th anniversary gathering. The incident will coincide with the Fourth of July holiday, and participants have already begun arriving. The Forest will experience the highest concentration of visitors to the incident during the first week of July. The incident is expected to draw around 10,000 attendees.

After July 4, a group of Rainbow Family members stay on site for several weeks to work on clean-up and rehabilitation.

Current attendance is estimated to be a little more than 1700 attendees.

For a map and additional information on the Rainbow Gathering Incident please visit [http://www.fs.usda.gov/goto/rainbowgathering](http://www.fs.usda.gov/goto/rainbowgathering). |
| Safety Concerns and/or Advisories | If traveling in the Adams Park area especially along Routt County Road 80, please be aware of parked cars along the roadway and pedestrians in and around vehicles or walking along the roadway. **Please slow down.**

Please keep the following in mind while driving through the woods:

- Watch for and obey posted speed limits. Hazards exist, such as limited sight distance, wildlife and soft surfaces.
- Be careful braking on gravel roads. Allow more time and distance when coming to a stop.
- Beware of rocks, boulders, road washouts, downed trees and brush on the roadway.
- Use appropriate tires for the terrain and conditions you’ll be traveling. Remember to stay on authorized roads.
- Plan appropriately for food, gas, and lodging, which may not be readily available along Forest Service roads. Always carry extra food and water.
- Carry a car kit, equipment, tools, and supplies, in case of an emergency.
- Always let someone know your plans and stick to those plans. |
| Closures | On June 25, 2022, at 8 a.m., a temporary area closure began for a large portion of California Park on the Routt National Forest. The Forest Closure Order was established for natural resource protection due to the high probability for excessive public use leading up to and during the Fourth of July holiday. Details can be found on the Medicine Bow-Routt National Forests and Thunder Basin |
No Parking signs have been placed along Routt County Road 80 in locations where the road is narrow and two lanes of traffic are not possible. Please follow all posted restrictions.

Sunday: A 30 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms, mainly between noon and 5pm. Mostly sunny, with a high near 66. South wind 5 to 10 mph becoming northwest in the afternoon.

Sunday night: A 20 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms before 9pm. Partly cloudy, with a low around 47. North northwest wind 5 to 10 mph becoming south southeast after midnight.

Monday: A 30 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms after noon. Mostly sunny, with a high near 68. South southwest wind 5 to 10 mph becoming west in the afternoon.

Monday night: Mostly clear, with a low around 49. West northwest wind 10 to 15 mph becoming southeast after midnight.

Public Information: (970) 364-2201 or email SM.FS.RainbowIMT@usda.gov.

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The Forest Service protects many sensitive resource sites. Sensitive resource areas include wildlife areas, cultural sites, riparian areas and wetlands. Restricting access to such areas provides protection for several Threatened wildlife species and other aquatic and wildlife species. Excavation and/or removal of prehistoric, historic, or archaeological resources, structures, sites, artifacts, or property is prohibited.