

ARAPAHO AND ROOSEVELT NATIONAL FORESTS
AND PAWNEE NATIONAL GRASSLAND

Administrative Correction 1 – February 22, 2007

Administrative corrections are defined at 36 CFR 219.7(b) and may be made at any time and are not plan amendments or revisions.

Administrative corrections include the following: (1) corrections and updates of data and maps, (2) corrections of typographical errors or other non-substantive changes; (3) changes in the monitoring program and monitoring information (4) changes in timber management projections; and (5) other changes in the Plan Document or Set of Documents, except for substantive changes in the plan components.

Background

The Williams Fork area is in the southwestern part of the Arapaho National Forest, about 12 miles south of Hot Sulphur Springs, Colorado. The southern border is approximately one mile north of the Eisenhower Tunnel (I-70). It is on the west side of the Continental Divide between the Fraser Experimental Forest on the east and the Summit County line on the west and is located entirely within Grand County.

The Williams Fork area was initially assigned to the Arapaho National Forest in 1907 but was managed by the Routt National Forest since 1973 for administrative convenience. Administration of the Williams Fork area was shifted back to the Arapaho and Roosevelt National Forests (ARP) following the consolidation of Ranger Districts on the Routt National Forest in 1996. The Williams Fork area was included in the 1997 Routt Forest Plan Revision because the analysis had already been initiated for the plan revision before the transfer had begun. The revision was completed by the Routt National Forest in 1997 and included basic management direction for the Williams Fork area. Since 1996 the Sulphur Ranger District of the ARP has managed the Williams Fork Area but under the Routt National Forest's Land and Resource Management Plan (Forest Plan).

(36CFR 219.7(b)(2)) Non-substantive changes:

This administrative correction adds the direction for all the references to the Williams Fork area mentioned in the Routt Forest Plan (see following table) to the ARP Forest Plan. This also includes incorporating the Routt Forest Plan amendments, administrative corrections and errata. By adding this direction, there is no change occurring to forest-wide goals, objectives, standards and guidelines, or management area prescription of the Williams Fork Area. Since the volume of the ASQ is small for the Williams Fork compared to the total amount on the ARP, no change for ASQ is necessary.

Note: In preparation for transferring the Williams Fork area back to the ARP, during development of the Routt Forest Plan separate S-Tables were built for the

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Williams Fork area. In addition, since the Williams Fork area acres were not included in the summary numbers during development of the ARP Forest Plan it would be impractical to recalculate all those summaries and so summary numbers used in the ARP Forest Plan will not contain acres from the Williams Fork area.

References in the Routt Forest Plan That Are Incorporated into the ARP Forest Plan for the Williams Fork Area

Document Name	Document Page	Short Summary
Chapter 1	1-2	Forest-wide Goals and Objectives
Chapter 1	1-4 through 1-26	Forest-wide Standards and Guidelines
Chapter 2	2-2	Table 2-1 Routt Management Area (MA) prescriptions showing acres by MA for Williams Fork Area
Chapter 2	2-3, 2-7 to 2-15, 2-36 to 2-41, 2-47 to 2-49	Descriptions of Management Area Prescriptions
Chapter 3	3-23 through 3-26	Lower Williams Fork Geographic Area
Chapter 3	3-39 through 3-40	Upper Williams Fork Geographic Area
S-Tables	S-1, S-2, S-3	Separate tables for Williams Fork