

## **NEWS RELEASE**

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### **SEASONAL CAMPGROUND CLOSURES AND WATER TURNED OFF IN CAMPGROUNDS**

**Vernal, Utah, (September 19, 2005)** – Because of colder temperatures, some campgrounds on the Ashley National Forest have been closed or the water turned off. On the Vernal Ranger District no water is available at: White Rocks, East Park, and Iron Springs campgrounds. Due to upgrades and repairs, there will be no reservations taken this winter for yurts and guard stations. On the Duchesne Ranger District campgrounds that have been closed are: Yellow Pine, Upper Still Water, Iron Mine, and the Rock Creek Group Sited; Hades and Aspen are open, but have no water. Campgrounds currently open on the Flaming Gorge Ranger District are: Canyon Rim, Firefighters, Lucerne, Mann's, Dripping Springs and Willows. All boat ramps will be open until there is ice on the lake. Improvements are underway at Brownie Campground and it will re-open next spring. All campgrounds are currently open on the Roosevelt Ranger District.

Fees will be reduced in campgrounds with no water, except campgrounds that are reserved through the National Reservation system.

For more information contact the Ashley National Forest Supervisor's office at 435-789-1181 or go to [www.fs.fed.us/r4/ashley](http://www.fs.fed.us/r4/ashley).

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