

# Margaret, Molly, Moon Recreation Project

## Fact Sheet July 19, 2010

- Four trailheads near Red Feather Lakes, Colo. are being enhanced this summer.
- The Elkhorn Creek Trailhead was the first to be temporarily closed for construction, starting May 21.
- The Mount Margaret Trailhead was the next to close on June 14.
- The service trail at the future Lady Moon Trailhead location (directly south of the Mount Margaret Trailhead) closed shortly after Mount Margaret.
- The Molly Lake Trailhead will be the last trailhead closed this summer, likely in mid-August.
- Depending on weather, construction is expected to be completed by September 1 at all the trailheads.
- Improvements include:
  - Vault toilets
  - Interpretive signage
  - Graded gravel parking lots with separate car and horse trailer areas
- This construction is part of the improvement plans from the Margaret-Molly-Moon (MMM) Dispersed Recreation Environmental Analysis in 2009.
- Other MMM improvements will create non-motorized loop trails in the area connecting the four trailheads, along with the construction of an accessible trail near the Lady Moon Trailhead. Volunteers are currently supporting these efforts.
- Funding for this project was made possible through the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA).
- Project status information is available at [www.fs.usda.gov/arp](http://www.fs.usda.gov/arp).

*For information on other hiking activities in the Red Feather Lakes area, please contact visitor information services at 970-295-6700.*