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Forest Resource Advisory Committee Meets May 26

(Laramie, Wyo.) May 17, 2010 -- The MedBow-Routt Resource Advisory Committee (RAC) will have its first meeting Wednesday May 26, from 9:30 – 3:30 at the Forest Supervisors Office, 2468 Jackson Street in Laramie. The public is invited to attend and will have an opportunity to comment at 3 p.m.

The 15-member RAC represents a wide range of interests. Committee duties include reviewing proposed land management projects on or adjacent to the Medicine Bow-Routt National Forests. The projects are funded through Title II of the Secure Rural Schools Act. The committee recommends which projects to fund and is responsible for coordinating with land management agencies and county officials. Following the May 26 meeting, the RAC will begin soliciting project proposals. Projects will be in Routt and Jackson counties in Colorado, and Albany and Carbon counties in Wyoming.

For more information, please contact RAC Coordinator Diann Ritschard at 970-870-2187 or visit <http://www.fs.fed.us/r2/srs/>