

**FY 2005 Centennial of Service Challenge Accomplishment Report
Pike & San Isabel National Forests, Cimarron and Comanche National Grasslands**

Project Name: Leadville Ranger District - Sangree 10th Mountain Hut Trail Construction and Reconstruction Project.

Resource/Public Benefits: Project was completed through a partnership with Volunteers for Colorado (VOC). Seventeen volunteers were broken down into three teams. A total of three turnpikes were constructed using felled timber to retain rocks and soil brought in to create tread. One small trail bridge was built over a year-round stream using milled timber and galvanized hardware to make it suitable for horse traffic. Three rock culverts were constructed and two plastic French drain culverts were used to direct water. Volunteers built a total of twenty-eight feet of retaining wall and scratched in and cleared one-quarter mile of new tread. The total section of trail worked was about one and one-half miles.

Media Outreach: A local newspaper reporter visited the project area and an article was published that represented VOC and the Forest Service.

Partner Contributions:

VOC In-kind contribution (approximately) \$ 15,000

Federal Contributions:

Forest Service Cash from Centennial Grant: \$ 5,740

TOTAL **\$20,740**

Trail Construction and Reconstruction Photos:

