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CORRECTION NO.7
2003 UINTA NATIONAL FOREST
LAND AND RESOURCE MANAGEMENT PLAN

Dear Uinta National Forest User:

The 2003 Uinta National Forest land and Resource management Plan, Appendix D, Table D-1 on page D-2, incorrectly states a criterion for riparian habitat conservation areas (RHCA). The table incorrectly states that a Class III (100 foot buffer) should apply to "*Lands that lie within 50 feet of seasonally flowing or intermittent streams, and wetlands less than one acre in size.*" To be consistent with the definition of a Class III RHCA, the actual classification criterion should read "*Lands that lie within 100 feet of seasonally flowing or intermittent streams, and wetlands less than one acre in size.*" Therefore, I am issuing the enclosed errata to correct the error.

If you have any questions regarding this correction, please contact Reese Pope at either address or phone number listed above.

Sincerely,


For: BRIAN FEREBEE
Forest Supervisor



Table D-1. Riparian Habitat Conservation Area Criteria

Classification Criteria	Class I (300 foot buffer)	Class II (200 foot buffer)	Class III (100 foot buffer)
Along perennial streams identified as recovery streams for Bonneville or Colorado River cutthroat trout, regardless of the area's management prescription.	X		
Along perennial streams with adjacent populations of Ute ladies'-tresses (<i>Spiranthes diluvialis</i>).	X		
Perennial waterbodies in areas with management prescription 3.2, Watershed Emphasis.	X		
Perennial waterbodies within management prescription 3.1, Aquatic, Terrestrial, and Hydrologic Resources, not previously classified as a Class I RHCA.		X ¹	
Identified as a locally significant sport fishery, or provides important fish spawning habitat for reservoirs, or high riparian or fisheries potential.	X		
A moderate sport fishery, or moderate to high riparian or fisheries potential.		X	
Associated with major drainages where volumes of base water flows are at least 10 cubic feet per second (cfs).	X		
Associated with drainages where volumes of base water flows are 3 to 10 cfs.		X	
Used directly for culinary or municipal water.	X		
Within management prescription 2.1, Wild and Scenic Rivers - Wild, 2.2, Wild and Scenic Rivers - Scenic, 2.3, Wild and Scenic Rivers - Recreational, 2.4, Research Natural Areas, 1.4, Wilderness, or 1.5, Recommended Wilderness.	X		
Along waterbodies that are used indirectly for culinary or municipal water, or could indirectly affect management prescriptions 2.1, Wild and Scenic Rivers - Wild, 2.2, Wild and Scenic Rivers - Scenic, 2.3, Wild and Scenic Rivers - Recreational, 2.4, Research Natural Areas, 1.4, Wilderness, or 1.5, Recommended Wilderness.		X	
Within or directly adjacent to an outstanding local recreational resource (i.e., one that is significant to recreation users throughout northern Utah and is a destination site).	X		
Within or directly adjacent to a moderately important local recreational resource (i.e., most recreation users do not typically travel great distances to use this resource).		X	
Contains critical or limiting habitat for threatened or endangered species.	X		
Contains limiting habitat for a dependent Management Indicator Species (MIS).	X		
Characterized by excellent vertical and horizontal diversity as representative of the surrounding vegetation community.	X		
Characterized by good vertical and horizontal diversity as representative of the surrounding vegetation community.		X	
Presence of a Forest Service sensitive species.		X	
All perennial waterbodies not identified as Class I or Class II areas, and lands adjoining wetlands greater than one acre in size.			X
Lands that lie within 50 100 feet of seasonally flowing or intermittent streams, and wetlands less than one acre in size.			X

Note: Buffers are measured from each edge of the stream or waterbody. A 300 foot buffer would extend from each side of the stream, for a total RHCA width of 600 feet.