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**NOTE:** Laws and regulations in this brochure are paraphrased for easier understanding and are intended only as a guide. Colorado wildlife statutes and regulations are available for viewing at CPW offices.

## WHAT'S INSIDE

This brochure features regulations governing Colorado's state wildlife areas (SWAs) and state fish units (SFUs). Only properties listed in this brochure are open to the public. All recreation guidelines below are enforced at SWAs. In addition, property-specific rules can be found in the following pages.

**Note:** Complete fishing regulations are in the Colorado Parks and Wildlife's 2012 Fishing brochure, available in print and online, at [www.wildlife.state.co.us](http://www.wildlife.state.co.us), in mid-March. Some SWAs may have specific fishing restrictions, anglers should consult the current fishing brochure to make sure they comply with all state fishing regulations.

# WHAT'S NEW IN 2012

» **NEW LANDS OPEN:** Many new state wildlife areas have opened during the past year to bring more opportunity for the public to hunt, fish and watch wildlife throughout the state. The new SWAs include: Smyth, Hardeman and Chesmore in Chaffee County, Cline Ranch in Park County, Karney Ranch in Bent County, Shriver-Wright in Rio Grande County and Willow Creek in Yuma County. *See the list of lands for details about each SWA.*

» **NEW RESERVATION PHONE NUMBER:** To improve customer service and reduce hold time on the phone, those hunting the Grand Valley area in the Pacific Flyway now have a local phone number to call to reserve a waterfowl blind. Check before you call to ensure you have the right reservation phone number and will be able to reserve your favorite hunting spot quickly and efficiently.

Lands using the new phone number include: Colorado River Island SWA, Franklin Island SWA, Highline Lake State Park, Horsethief Canyon SWA, James M. Robb Colorado River State Park, Orchard Mesa SWA and Tilman Bishop SWA. *See page 3 for details.*

## » HABITAT STAMPS ARE

**\$10** and only one is required per person per year. Stamps are valid April 1-March

31. Habitat Stamps are not required to access SWA and State Trust Land properties,

but they are required for hunting and fishing.

- Anyone 18-64 must purchase a stamp before buying or applying for a hunting or fishing license or a preference point.
- A lifetime stamp is \$300.25.
- Anyone buying a one-day or additional-day license for fishing and/or small game is exempt from purchasing the Habitat Stamp with the first two of these licenses. The habitat fee will be assessed when a third one-day or additional-day license is purchased for fishing or small game.
- Anyone who holds a free Lifetime Fishing license, a Veteran's Lifetime Combination Small-Game Hunting/Fishing license, or are approved for the Big Game Mobility Impaired Hunting Program is exempt from the Habitat Stamp requirement. See [www.wildlife.state.co.us/Hunting/DisabledAccessibility/Pages/DisabilityInformation.aspx](http://www.wildlife.state.co.us/Hunting/DisabledAccessibility/Pages/DisabilityInformation.aspx) for details.



# RECREATION GUIDELINES

Except when specifically authorized, the following activities are prohibited on lands, waters, frozen surfaces of waters, rights-of-way, buildings or devices under CPW control:

1. To possess the following types of ammunition and/or firearms: tracer rounds, armor-piercing rounds, military hardened rounds with explosive or radioactive sub-

stances, .50-caliber BMG rounds, or fully automatic firearms.

2. To enter, use or occupy an area when posted against entry, use or occupancy.
3. To engage in illegal activities.
4. To enter, use or occupy an area for

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commercial purposes or to do land, water, oil, gas or mineral investigations, surveys or explorations.

5. To operate a vehicle (motorized or non-motorized) except on established roads or within designated camping or parking areas. Drivers must obey state motor vehicle laws.
6. To drive faster than posted speed limits or faster than 25 mph if not posted.
7. To leave camp, tent, shelter, motor vehicle or trailer unattended more than 48 hours, to camp or to park travel trailers or campers on an SWA over 14 days in 45-day period.
8. To establish a permanent structure or plant vegetation. Only portable blinds, tree stands and steps can be erected on SWAs. No nails can be driven into trees. Man-made materials for blinds or tree stands must be removed within 10 days after the season in which they are used ends.
9. To remove, modify or destroy a building, water control device, fence, gate, sign, survey or section marker, vegetation or objects of archaeological, geological or historical value.
10. To litter, leave fish, entrails, human waste, waste water, containers or toxic substances; to bring household or commercial trash or toxic substances to an area for disposal; or to dump trailer waste in a sanitary facility.
11. To build fires without precautions to prevent spreading; to leave fires unattended.
12. To graze livestock. Horses, mules, llamas, burros may be used in wildlife activities.
13. To have or use fireworks, explosives, poisons, herbicides, pesticides or illegal substances.
14. To release wildlife or privately-owned game birds. Private game birds may be released for field trials, including group dog training on SWAs only where specifically allowed. To allow dogs, cats or domestic pets to run at large (not on a leash), except dogs used while hunting, while training hunting dogs or during CPW-authorized field trials.
15. To dig trenches, holes or pits.
16. To leave vessels beached, anchored, moored or docked unattended overnight except in designated areas.
17. To fish from CPW boat ramps or docks in conflict with boaters or as posted.
18. To snorkel, scuba dive or spearfish with a diving mask, swim fins, snorkel or air tanks. The exception is where swimming is permitted, when location is identified by a "divers down flag" and when scuba diver has valid scuba certificate from recognized

## BOAT REGULATIONS

All vessels and floating devices, their contents, motors, trailers and equipment are subject to inspection by the CPW before being launched, operated on or leaving waters on SWAs. Any aquatic nuisance species found during inspection must be removed and disposed of properly according to CPW procedures before vessels are allowed to be launched, operate on or leave the water.

## YOUTH/MENTOR HUNTING

Youth/mentor hunting means hunting by youths under 18. Youth hunters under 16 must be accompanied by a mentor when hunting on youth/mentor properties. Mentors must be at least 18 and comply with hunter education requirements.

scuba training organization.

19. To use air or gas-inflated floating devices for transportation on or across surface of the water unless the device has multi-compartments and a rigid motor mount when propelled by gasoline or electric motors. Single-compartment air or gas-filled flotation devices restricted to designated swimming areas.
20. To promote, sponsor, conduct or participate in boat regattas, paintball shooting, questing or non-wildlife oriented activities.
21. To launch or land aircraft.
22. To leave decoys or anything used as decoys in the field or on water overnight.
23. To swim, except in designated waters or during authorized water contact activities.
24. To discharge a firearm or bow in parking, camping or picnic areas.
25. To fish in fish-rearing ponds, raceways, holding areas or streams on CPW hatchery properties, except areas posted as open to fishing.
26. To conduct field trials or group dog training without a field-trial license.
27. To have, store or use hay, straw or mulch not certified as noxious-weed free. Certified materials must be clearly marked by certifying state or province. People who transport these materials on federal, state or county roads that cross CPW property are exempt. Also exempt is hay produced on State Trust Lands leased from CPW for wildlife recreation.
28. To trap unless done according to statutes and regulations and with authorization.
29. To partake in Internet-based or computer-assisted remote hunting or fishing. Hunters and anglers must be physically in the immediate vicinity of their activity.



# STATE WILDLIFE AREAS

An alphabetical listing of properties and specific rules for each state wildlife area follows. If no special restrictions are included in this list, all recreation guidelines (pages 1-2) apply.

## 63 RANCH SWA - PARK CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Fairplay, go 15 miles S on Hwy. 285, or 5.5 miles N of Antero Jct. on Hwy. 285.

**GMU/ACRES:** 50 / 1,200 acres

**HUNTING:** waterfowl, big game

**FISHING:** coldwater stream fishing

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:** camping prohibited

## ADAMS SWA - ROUTT CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Steamboat Springs, go E on Hwy. 40, turn S on Hwy. 131. At CR 14, go S. SWA 0.5 of a mile N of Stagecoach State Park.

**GMU:** 15

**HUNTING:** elk, deer, rabbit, dusky grouse

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** rest room

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Open to public July 1-Nov. 30.
- Camping, fires prohibited.
- Dogs allowed only as aid in hunting grouse.
- Vehicles prohibited beyond parking area.

## ADOBE CREEK RES. SWA (BLUE LAKE) - BENT, KIOWA COs.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Las Animas, go 15 miles N on CR 10.

**GMU/ACRES:** 125 / 5,147 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, pronghorn, rabbit, pheasant, scaled quail, dove, waterfowl

**FISHING:** warmwater

**RECREATION:** boating, sail boating, sail surfing, waterskiing, camping, hiking, wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** rest rooms, boat ramps

**RESTRICTIONS:**

## RESERVATION PROCEDURES

**NEW!** For properties listed below, reservations must be made by calling (970) 255-6161. All other reservation rules below apply.

» *Colorado River Island SWA, Franklin Island SWA, Highline Lake State Park, Horsethief Canyon SWA, James M. Robb Colorado River State Park, Orchard Mesa SWA, Tilman Bishop SWA*

**FOR ALL OTHER SWAs** requiring reservations, call 1-800-846-9453 (1-800-UGO-WILD). Reservations taken 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Monday-Friday. For maps and information, go to the website at: [www.wildlife.state.co.us/LandWater/StateWildlifeAreas/Pages/swa.aspx](http://www.wildlife.state.co.us/LandWater/StateWildlifeAreas/Pages/swa.aspx).

- Maximum 1 reservation per hunt date and 1 reservation per phone call. Reservations are not transferable. The person making the reservation must have a valid license for the species to be hunted and must hunt at the property the day of the hunt. Hunters with reservations may only hunt the area specified on the reservation.

- Reservations not accepted more than 14 days before hunt date nor after noon the day before the hunt date, or noon Friday for hunts on Sunday and holidays falling on Monday.

- To cancel, hunters must do so by noon the day before the hunt date. Failing to cancel reservations or follow check station procedures may result in losing future reservation rights for rest of hunting season.

- Open 1 hour before sunrise to 1 hour after sunset; no time restrictions for fishing.
- ATVs, dirt bikes, snowmobiles prohibited.
- Frozen surface of lake closed.
- Dams, inlets, outlet structures open only for fishing.

## ABBREVIATIONS

**4WD** — 4-wheel-drive

**ATV** — All-terrain vehicle

**BLM** — Bureau of Land Management

**CO.** — County

**COs.** — Counties

**CPW** — Colorado Parks and Wildlife

**CR** — County Road

**GMU** — Game Management Unit

**HWY.** — Highway

**JCT.** — Junction

**OHV** — Off-highway vehicle

**RD.** — Road

**RES.** — Reservoir

**SFU** — State Fishing Unit

**STL** — State Trust Land

**SWA** — State Wildlife Area

**USFS / FS** — U.S. Forest Service

**N/NW/NE** — North, northwest, northeast

**S/SW/SE** — South, southwest, southeast

**E** — East

**W** — West

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**ALBERTA PARK RES. SWA - MINERAL CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From South Fork, go 18 miles W on Hwy. 160 to Wolf Creek Ski Area, drive through parking lot. Continue 1.7 miles on USFS Rd. 391.

**GMU/ACRES:** 80 / 240 acres

**FISHING:** coldwater lake

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** primitive boat ramp

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**ALMA SWA - PARK CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Alma, go 1.5 miles N on Hwy. 9 to CR 4; then go 0.25 of a mile NW.

**GMU:** 49

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing, camping

**FACILITIES:** rest rooms, campsites

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**ALMONT TRIANGLE SWA - GUNNISON CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Almont, go 3 miles N on Hwy. 135.

**GMUs:** 54, 55

**HUNTING:** deer, elk, bighorn sheep, dusky grouse

**RECREATION:** hiking, wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:** open April 1-Dec. 19

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**ANDREWS LAKE SWA - SAN JUAN CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Durango, go 39 miles N on Hwy. 550 to access road; then go 0.5 of a mile E.

**GMU:** 74

**FISHING:** coldwater lake

**RECREATION:** picnicking, wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** rest rooms, trailhead, parking, overlook

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**ANDRICK PONDS SWA - MORGAN CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From I-76 take exit 66 (Hwy. 39), go 7.4 miles N on Hwy. 39 to Hwy. 144 and CR Y.5. Go 1.5 miles W on CR Y.5, then N on CR 3 1.5 miles to CR AA. Go 1 mile to CR 2, go S on CR 2 for 0.5 of a mile to parking.

**GMU:** 95

**HUNTING:** waterfowl

**FACILITIES:** parking at N, S ends of SWA

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Public access by foot and only through designated parking areas. Open only on Sat., Sun., Weds. and legal holidays from 3 a.m.-9 p.m.
  - Camping, fires, hunting with centerfire rifles, dog training are prohibited.
  - Discharge of firearms and bows prohibited, except when hunting. Night hunting prohibited.
  - From the Sat. before Memorial Day holiday through Aug. 31, access is for wildlife observation only and is limited to areas as posted.
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Dogs prohibited at this time.

- From Sept. 1 through Fri. before Memorial Day holiday, only hunting permitted.
  - From the end of dark goose season through the Fri. before Memorial Day holiday, only spring turkey hunting allowed.
  - From the Thurs. before Sept. 1 through the end of dark goose season, scouting permitted from 10 a.m.-2 p.m. on Thurs. that are not open to hunting in and prior to waterfowl seasons. Must have reservation or letter from CPW. All people must check in and out at check station. Firearms, dogs not allowed during scouting.
  - Hunting is by reservation only. See "Reservation Procedures" (page 3) for details. Maximum 4 people per area at any time. Maximum 3 reservations annually per hunter from Sept. 1-end of regular goose season. Hunters must check in and out as posted at property.
  - From Sept. 1-Nov. 30, migratory bird hunting only, and only within designated areas.
  - From Dec. 1 through end of regular goose season, hunting permitted for migratory birds and small game. Hunting days will be set for each, see the *2012 Waterfowl* or *2012 Small Game* brochures for details.
  - Hunting not allowed on Clark Lake.
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**APISHAPA SWA - LAS ANIMAS CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Walsenburg, go 18.5 miles NE on Hwy. 10 to property sign; turn SE and go 20 miles past Mica Butte.

**GMUs/ACRES:** 133, 134 / 7,935 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, pronghorn, bighorn sheep, rabbit, scaled quail, dove

**RECREATION:** hiking, wildlife viewing

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**ARKANSAS RIVER SWA - PROWERS CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** There is currently no vehicle access to this SWA. Any access crosses private property and landowner permission is required.

**GMU/ACRES:** 119 / 98 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, rabbit, squirrel, pheasant, bobwhite quail, dove, waterfowl

**FISHING:** warmwater

**RECREATION:** camping, hiking, wildlife viewing

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**ARKANSAS RIVER/BIG BEND SWA**

(FISHING EASEMENT) - CHAFFEE, LAKE COs.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Poncha Springs, go 4 miles N on Hwy. 285, the go 0.125 of a mile E on CR 165. Parking is at W end. From Salida, go NW on Hwy. 291 for 3.5 miles. Go 0.75 of a mile S on CR 150, then 0.5 of a mile SW on CR 166 to N bank of Arkansas River. Parking E side of road.

**GMU/ACRES:** 56 / 11 acres

**FISHING:** coldwater stream, Arkansas River;

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Fishing only. (Note: Fishing access may not be on both sides of river. Check for signs.)

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### ATWOOD SWA - LOGAN CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Atwood, go 3 miles SW on Hwy. 6 to CR 29.5, then go 0.5 of a mile S.

**GMU/ACRES:** 96 / 180 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, rabbit, squirrel, pheasant, turkey, bobwhite quail, dove, waterfowl

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Public access by foot only and only through designated parking areas.
- b. Access limited to 4 groups or vehicles, with a max. of 4 people per group.
- c. Camping, fires, horse use, dog training prohibited.
- d. Target practice prohibited except when authorized by area wildlife manager.
- e. Discharging firearms or bows prohibited except when hunting. Discharging bows allowed for bowfishing.
- f. From June 1-Aug. 31, open only Sat., Sun., Weds. and only for wildlife viewing.
- g. Turkey hunting only on opening day and after that only Sat., Sun., Weds., of turkey seasons.
- h. From Sept. 1-May 31, hunting only on Sat., Sun., Weds., legal holidays and opening day of late rifle deer season. All recreational activity except deer hunting are prohibited opening weekend of the regular plains rifle deer season and opening day and first weekend of late plains rifle deer season.
- i. During regular duck season, SWA only open to hunting. Waterfowl and small-game hunters must check out at designated check station by 2 p.m. Deer and turkey hunters do not need to check out but reservation is required.
  1. Hunting is by reservation only. See "Reservation Procedures" (page 3) for details. Maximum 4 people per reservation.
  2. Waterfowl and small-game hunting during this time is only on Sat., Sun., Weds., Columbus Day (observed), Veterans Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day, New Year's Day and Martin Luther King Jr. Day.
  3. No reservation required for live trapping.
- j. Launching or taking out vessels prohibited first day of teal season to last day of dark goose season.

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### BADGER BASIN SWA - PARK CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Hartsel go E and W along Hwy. 24. Land is directly N of Hartsel and N and S along Hwy. 9.

**GMUs/ACRES:** 50, 58, 581 / 752 acres

**FISHING:** 22 miles of fishing access. This is a fishing property only.

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Hunting, camping, fires prohibited.
- b. Parking only in designated areas.
- c. Access only from designated parking areas. Closed beyond fenced and posted easement.

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### BANNER LAKES SWA - WELD CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Hudson, go 4 miles E on Hwy. 52.

**GMU/ACRES:** 99 / 934 acres

**HUNTING:** dove, waterfowl, rabbits, prairie dogs  
**FISHING:** warmwater

**RECREATION:** hiking, wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** rest rooms

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Foot access only, and only through designated parking area. Closed N of Hwy. 52 April 1-July 15.
- b. Camping, fires, horseback riding, bicycling prohibited.
- c. Boating prohibited except for hand-propelled craft and float tubes.
- d. Discharging firearms or bows prohibited except when hunting or training dogs. Discharging bows allowed for bowfishing.
- e. Fishing prohibited from opening of first regular duck season to last day of regular waterfowl season.
- f. Closed first day of regular waterfowl season to day before the first day of pheasant season except for waterfowl hunting on Sat., Sun., Mon. and legal holidays. During this period, waterfowl hunting reservations available but not required. See "Reservation Procedures" (page 3) for details. Reservations valid throughout reserved day until hunter with reservation checks out. Hunters may check in on first-come, first-served basis after a hunter with a reservation checks out, or if no reservation exists for a hunt area after midnight immediately preceding the hunt, or if reserved area isn't claimed by legal sunrise. Maximum 4 hunters per reservation. Waterfowl hunters must check in and check out at designated station.
- g. From the Thurs. before Sept. 1 through the end of dark goose season, scouting permitted from 10 a.m.-2 p.m. on Thurs. that are not open to hunting in and prior to waterfowl seasons. Must have reservation or letter from CPW. All people must check in and out at check station. Firearms, dogs not allowed during scouting.
- h. Dog training permitted N of Hwy. 52 during Feb., March, July 16-Aug. 31 only. Dog training permitted S of Hwy. 52, Feb. 1-Aug. 31 only.
- i. Field trials may be authorized Feb., March and Aug. No more than 4 per year. Group training events not limited.
- j. Domestic, feral or privately-owned game birds may be released with permit for field trials and

- dog training S of Colo. 52. Birds taken must be removed from SWA and privately-owned game birds prepared for human consumption.
- k. CPW may implement a dog training reservation system to manage overcrowding.

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**BASALT SWA** (BASALT, CHRISTINE, TONER, PEACHBLOW, 7 CASTLES, SCHUCK UNITS) - EAGLE, PITKIN COs.

**TONER UNIT:** From Basalt, go 3.2 miles E on USFS Rd. 105 (Fryingpan Rd.) to signs; then go N.

**GMUs/ACRES:** 47, 444 / 2,577 acres

**CHRISTINE UNIT:** From Basalt, go 0.5 of a mile W on Two Rivers Rd. (old Hwy. 82) to Homestead Drive; then go N to access road.

**GMUs/ACRES:** 47, 444 / 2,230 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, elk, bighorn sheep, dusky grouse

**FISHING:** coldwater stream, coldwater lake

**RECREATION:** picnicking, wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** shooting range

**RESTRICTIONS ON ALL UNITS:**

- Alcohol prohibited on shooting range.
- Except for muzzleloaders, firearms on shooting range restricted to lower than .50 caliber. Discharging shotguns allowed. Fully automatic firearms prohibited. Discharging firearms on shooting range allowed only 7 a.m.-7 p.m. Mon.-Fri., and 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Sat.-Sun.
- Boating, water activities prohibited on Christine Lake.
- Camping prohibited at all times within 0.25 of a mile of Fryingpan River. Camping prohibited in other areas except during regular and late big-game seasons, plus 3 days before and 3 days after the seasons.
- Closed Dec. 1-April 15 except on Christine Lake and rifle ranges.
- Fires, mountain bikes prohibited.
- Dogs prohibited except field trials may be authorized Aug. and Sept.

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**BEAVER CREEK SWA** - FREMONT CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Cañon City, go 8 miles E on Hwy. 50 to Hwy. 67 (Phantom Canyon Rd.), then go N 2 miles to CR 123, then E 0.2 of a mile to CR 132, then N 9 miles to property. Or: From Skaguay Dam, go downstream 12 miles on trail to property (2-day hike).

**GMU:** 59

**HUNTING:** deer, elk, bear, rabbit, dove, turkey with limited license

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RECREATION:** hiking, wildlife viewing. No overnight camping.

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**BEAVER CREEK RES. SWA** - RIO GRANDE CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From South Fork, go 2 miles SW on Hwy. 160 to USFS Rd. 360 (Beaver Creek Road), then go 6 miles S.

**GMU:** 80

**FISHING:** coldwater lake

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** campgrounds (USFS), rest room, drinking water, boat ramps

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Discharging firearms, bowfishing and open fires on ice are prohibited.
- Boating prohibited if it creates a whitewater wake.

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**BEAVER LAKE SWA** - GUNNISON CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Marble, go 0.25 of a mile E on CR 3.

**GMU/ACRES:** 43 / 41 acres

**FISHING:** coldwater stream, coldwater lake

**RECREATION:** non-motorized boating, wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Boating prohibited except for float tubes or hand-propelled craft.
- Camping, fires, discharging firearms or bows prohibited.
- Vehicles prohibited on dam.

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**BELLAIRE LAKE SWA** - LARIMER CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** I-25 N to Hwy. 14 exit toward Fort Collins. Take Hwy. 14, turn right onto N. College Ave., Hwy. 287. Follow Hwys. 14/287 N 10.7 miles. Turn left at CR 74E, Red Feather Lakes Road, and go 24 miles. Turn left at CR 162, go 2 miles to Bellaire Lake Road.

**GMU/ACRES:** 8 / 12 acres

**FISHING:** coldwater lake

**FACILITIES:** USFS campground, drinking water, electrical hookups, rest room

**RESTRICTIONS:** Boating prohibited except for float tubes or craft propelled by hand, wind or electric motor.

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**BELLVUE SFU** - LARIMER CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** Go N of Fort Collins on Hwy. 287 to La Porte. Just N of La Porte go W on CR 28.

**GMU/ACRES:** 19 / 58 acres

**RECREATION:** limited public use, limited tours

**RESTRICTIONS:** hunting, dogs prohibited

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**BERGEN PEAK SWA** - CLEAR CREEK, JEFFERSON COs.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Evergreen, go 4 miles N on Hwy. 74 to Hwy. 103, then go 5.9 miles W to Stinton Rd. Then go 2.2 miles E.



**GMU:** 39

**HUNTING:** deer, elk, squirrel, dusky grouse

**RECREATION:** hiking, horseback riding

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Foot or horseback access only.
- b. Camping, fires prohibited.
- c. Dogs must be on leash except when hunting small game.
- d. Discharging firearms or bows prohibited except when hunting.

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**BIG MEADOWS RES. SWA - MINERAL CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From South Fork, go 11 miles W on Hwy. 160 to USFS Rd. 410, then go 2 miles W.

**GMU:** 76

**FISHING:** coldwater lake

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** campgrounds, rest room, drinking water, boat ramp

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**BIG THOMPSON PONDS SWA - LARIMER CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Loveland, go 5 miles E on Hwy. 402 to I-25 Frontage Road, then go 0.75 of a mile N to interstate underpass. Go left through the underpass, then 0.75 of a mile N.

**GMU/ACRES:** 20 / 51 acres

**HUNTING:** rabbit, dove, waterfowl

**FISHING:** warmwater

**RECREATION:** picnicking, wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** rest room

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Open 1 hour before sunrise to 1 hour after sunset; no time restrictions for fishing or with night-hunting permit.
- b. Camping, fires, dog training, horseback riding, bicycling prohibited.
- c. Boating prohibited except for float tubes used while fishing.
- d. Discharging firearms or bows prohibited except when hunting. Discharging bows is allowed for bowfishing.

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**BILLY CREEK SWA - OURAY, MONTROSE COs.**

**BECKETT TRACT:** From Montrose, go 18 miles S on Hwy. 550 to Ouray CR 4, then turn left. Go 0.5 of a mile.

**BILLY CREEK TRACT:** From Montrose, go 16 miles S on Hwy. 550 to Ouray CR 2, then turn left. Road also leads to Nicoll and Porter tracts.

**COLONA TRACT:** From Montrose, go 7 miles S on Hwy. 550 to Government Springs Rd. Continue on Horsefly Rd. to signed access road.

**CARMICHAEL TRACT:** From Montrose, go 21 miles S on Hwy. 550 to Ouray CR 8, turn left on lower road. Go through ranch yard; then go 1.25 miles on main road to access road.

**GMUs/ACRES:** 62, 65 / 5,498 acres, all tracts

**HUNTING:** deer, elk, rabbit, dove

**FISHING:** coldwater stream, pond

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing, camping, hiking

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Open May 1-Dec. 31
- b. Snowmobiles prohibited on Colona tract.

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**BITTERBRUSH SWA - MOFFAT CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Craig, take Hwy. 40 W to Maybell. SWA is S of Hwy. 40 and W of CR 57.

**GMU:** 11

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Open May 1-Jan. 14.
- b. Camping, fires prohibited.
- c. Vehicles allowed only on CRs 59 and 143.
- d. Hunters may place portable blinds, markers, stands or related structures only after Aug. 1. These must be removed by the hunter within 1) 24 hours after harvesting an animal, or 2) 7 days after the end of archery pronghorn season, whichever is first.

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**BLACKTAIL (CONSERVATION EASEMENT) - ROUTT CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Steamboat Springs, go E on Hwy. 40, turn S on Hwy. 131. At CR 14, go S. Easement is S and E of Adams SWA.

**GMU/ACRES:** 15 / 610 acres

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Open July 1-Nov. 30.
- b. Camping, fires prohibited.
- c. Dogs prohibited except as aid in hunting grouse
- d. Motor vehicles prohibited beyond designated parking areas.

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**BLISS SWA - LARIMER CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From La Porte, go 5 miles N on Hwy. 287 to Hwy. 14, then go 41 miles W.

**GMUs/ACRES:** 8, 19 / 352 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, elk, bighorn sheep, rabbit, dusky grouse

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:** vessel launching and take out prohibited

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**BLUE RIVER SWA - SUMMIT CO.**

**BLUE RIVER UNIT:** From Silverthorne, go 17 miles N on Hwy. 9. 82 acres.

**EAGLE'S NEST UNIT:** From Silverthorne, go 9 miles N on Hwy. 9. 29 acres.

**SUTTON UNIT:** From Silverthorne, go 7 miles N on Hwy. 9.

**GMUs:** 37, 371

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RECREATION:** picnicking, hiking, wildlife viewing, watchable wildlife trail

**RESTRICTIONS ON ALL UNITS:** camping, fires, firewood cutting, discharging firearms or bows and overnight vehicle parking prohibited.

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**BOB TERRELL SWA - GARFIELD CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From the intersection of Hwys. 82 and 133, go about 1 mile W on Hwy. 82. Turn left onto CR 106, follow it back to the E, staying left at the fork in the road. Road dead ends at SWA.

**GMU:** 43

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RECREATION:** boat launch/take out

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**BODO SWA - LA PLATA CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Durango, go 1 mile S on Hwy. 160/550 to CR 210, then go 0.25 of a mile W to E boundary.

**GMU:** 741

**HUNTING:** deer, elk, rabbit, dusky grouse, turkey, dove

**RECREATION:** picnicking, hiking, wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Open April 1-Nov. 30 for general use
- Open only for small-game hunting from Dec. 1-March 31; and only S of CR 210.
- Camping, fires, snowmobiles prohibited.
- Discharging firearms allowed only when hunting.

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**BOEDECKER RES. SWA - LARIMER CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Loveland, go 2 miles W on First Street to CR 21, then go 0.5 of a mile S.

**GMU/ACRES:** 20 / 308 acres of water

**HUNTING:** dove, waterfowl

**FISHING:** warmwater

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** boat ramp

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Open 1 hour before sunrise to 1 hour after sunset; no time restrictions for fishing or for those with night-hunting permit.
- Boating prohibited if it creates a whitewater wake.
- Fishing prohibited from vessels Nov. 1 to end of waterfowl season.
- Camping, fires, horseback riding, sailboards prohibited.
- Discharging firearms or bows prohibited except when hunting. Discharging bows allowed for bowfishing.

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**BOSQUE DEL OSO SWA - LAS ANIMAS CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Trinidad, take exit 14A off I-25. Go W on Hwy. 12 approximately 21 miles

to Weston and look for access signs between Weston and Stonewall. Property S of Hwy.

**GMUs/ACRES:** 85, 851 / 30,000 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, elk, bear, turkey, small game, mountain lion

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Open to public April 1-Nov. 30; open Dec. 1-March 31 only to licensed big-game hunters and one non-hunting companion.
- Campfires only in designated areas and containment structures.
- Discharging firearms or bows prohibited except while hunting. Discharging bows allowed for bowfishing.
- Camping only in designated areas; hunters may camp anywhere during hunting seasons.
- Parking allowed only in designated areas.
- Unattended food or garbage must be stored in bear-resistant manners or containers.
- Snowmobiles, motorized vehicles, ATVs and bicycles on established roads or trails may be prohibited to protect wildlife and prevent resource damage. Closures posted.
- Fishing prohibited on South Fork of Purgatoire River in SWA from day after Labor Day weekend until first day of Memorial Day weekend.

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**BOYD PONDS SWA - MORGAN CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** Go E on I-76 toward Fort Morgan. Go N on Hwy. 144, turn right on Elm Street, follow street to SWA. SWA is NE of Log Lane Village, extending E to Hwy. 52.

**GMU:** 96

**RESTRICTIONS:** launching or taking out vessels prohibited from first day of teal season to last day of dark goose season

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**BRAVO SWA - LOGAN CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From I-76 at Sterling exit, go 0.5 of a mile W on Hwy. 6 to CR 370, then go 1.7 miles NE.

**GMU/ACRES:** 91 / 1,082 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, rabbit, squirrel, bobwhite quail, pheasant, turkey, dove, waterfowl

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Access from designated parking areas only.
- Camping, fires prohibited.
- Discharging firearms or bows prohibited except when hunting.
- Target practice prohibited except when authorized by area wildlife manager.
- All recreational activities except deer hunting are prohibited on opening weekend of regular plains rifle deer season, and opening day and first weekend of late plains rifle deer season.

- f. One field trial may be authorized per year, in Feb., March or Aug.
- g. Horse use prohibited except when training hunting dogs and then only allowed in Feb., March and April (through Wed. before spring turkey season opens) and Aug.
- h. Launching or taking out vessels prohibited from first day of teal season to last day of dark goose season.
- i. During regular duck season, waterfowl and small-game hunters must check out at the mandatory check station.

**ON SCALVA PARCEL:** Reservations required for all public use. From Sept. through May, follow standard reservation procedures, (see page 3). From June through Aug., make reservations by calling (970) 842-6300.

- 1. Limited to 3 groups with max. of 4 people per group daily.
- 2. Open only 4 a.m.-9 p.m. Foot access only and only from designated parking areas. Mandatory check station.
- 3. From Sept. 1-May 31, only hunting allowed. Limited to archery, muzzleloading and shotguns during established seasons. Hunting allowed only Sat., Sun., Wed., Labor Day, Columbus Day (observed), Veterans Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day, New Year's Day, Martin Luther King Jr. Day and Presidents Day.
- 4. From June 1-Aug. 31, only wildlife viewing allowed. Open only Sat., Sun. and Weds.
- 5. Turkey hunting allowed on opening day, Sat., Sun., Weds. and legal holidays during turkey seasons.
- 6. Fires, camping, field trials, dog training prohibited. Discharging firearms, bows prohibited except while hunting.

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### **BROWER SWA - WELD CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Evans, go 1 mile E on 37th Street.

**GMU/ACRES:** 94 / 65 acres

**HUNTING:** rabbit, squirrel, dove, waterfowl

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Camping, horse use prohibited.
- b. Discharging firearms or bows prohibited except shotguns or bows while hunting Sept. 1-Feb. 28 and during spring turkey season.
- c. Open March 1-Aug. 31 only for spring turkey hunters with valid license; open for other access Sept. 1-end of February.
- d. Dogs prohibited except as hunting aid. Dog training prohibited except when training dogs for hunting.
- e. Parking allowed only in designated spaces within designated parking area.
- f. Launching or taking out vessels prohibited

from first day of teal season to last day of dark goose season.

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### **BROWN LAKES SWA - HINSDALE CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Creede, go 25 miles W on Hwy. 149 to USFS Rd. 515 (Hermit Lakes Rd.). Go 1.5 miles W.

**GMU/ACRES:** 76 / 520 acres

**HUNTING:** waterfowl

**FISHING:** coldwater lake

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing, picnicking

**FACILITIES:** rest room, boat ramp

**RESTRICTIONS:** camping prohibited

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### **BROWNLEE SWA - JACKSON CO.**

**DIRECTIONS — NORTH PLATTE RIVER:**

From Walden, go 0.5 of a mile W on Hwy. 14 to CR 12; then 5.1 miles NW to CR 18; then 0.5 of a mile W.

**GMU/ACRES:** 16 / 1.14 miles of river

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RESTRICTIONS:** hunting prohibited

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### **BROWNS PARK SWA - MOFFAT CO.**

**COLD SPRING MOUNTAIN UNIT:** From Maybell, go 41 miles NW on Hwy. 318 to CR 10N, then go 17 miles N to CR 72, then 9 miles W to fork. Take left fork 4 miles.

**WIGGINS UNIT:** From Maybell, go 41 miles NW on Hwy. 318 to CR 10N, then go 17 miles N to CR 72; then 15 miles W.

**BEAVER CREEK UNIT:** From Maybell, go 59 miles NW on Hwy. 318. Unit N of Hwy. 318.

**CALLOWAY UNIT:** Closed to public access in posted area.

**GMU/ACRES:** 201 / 2,226 acres, all units

**HUNTING:** pronghorn, deer, elk, rabbit, dusky

grouse, waterfowl, dove

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RECREATION:** camping, wildlife viewing

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### **BRUSH SWA - MORGAN CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Brush, go 2.5 miles N on Hwy. 71. Turn W on CR U. Go about 200 feet to CR 28, turn N and go 1 mile to parking lot.

**GMU/ACRES:** 96 / 588 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, rabbit, squirrel, pheasant, turkey, bobwhite quail, dove, waterfowl

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing, hiking

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Open 3 a.m.-9 p.m., no time restrictions for those with night-hunting permit. Access from designated parking areas only.
- b. Camping, fires prohibited.
- c. Discharging firearms or bows prohibited except when hunting. Discharging bows allowed for bowfishing.

- d. Target practice prohibited except when authorized by area wildlife manager.
- e. All recreational activities except deer hunting are prohibited on opening weekend of regular plains rifle deer season, and opening day and first weekend of late plains rifle deer season.
- f. Horse use prohibited except when training hunting dogs and then only allowed in Feb., March and April (through Wed. before spring turkey season opens) and Aug.
- h. Launching or taking out vessels prohibited from first day of teal season to last day of dark goose season.
- i. During regular duck season, property is only open to hunting, and:
  1. Waterfowl and small-game hunting is by reservation only. Call 1-800-846-9553. (See page 3) Maximum 4 people per reservation.
  2. Reservations limited to: one waterfowl and one small game each at south and northwest parking lots, and one youth/mentor waterfowl reservation at northeast lot (Hwy. 71).
  3. Waterfowl and small-game hunters must check out at designated station by 2 p.m.
  4. Waterfowl and small-game hunting during this time is only on Sat., Sun., Weds., Columbus Day (observed), Veterans Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day, New Year's Day and Martin Luther King Jr. Day.
  5. Mentors must be at least 18 and have valid hunter education certificate. No more than two mentors and at least one youth per reservation. Mentors not required to hunt.
  6. Deer and fall turkey hunting allowed in established seasons. Deer and turkey hunters do not need to check out but reservations are required and are unlimited in number.
  7. No reservation required for live trapping and fishing on Chartier Pond.

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### **BRUSH CREEK SWA - EAGLE CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** Take I-70 to exit 147 toward Eagle. Turn S and go to round-about. Exit round-about going W on Hwy. 6 for 1 block. Turn S on Capitol Street, then turn E on Brush Creek Road and go to stop sign. Turn S, go 1 block, turn E to stay on Brush Creek Rd. SWA is 15-18 miles from Eagle, between Peterson Draw and Sneve Gulch. The SWA is composed of 3 separate tracts of property within Sylvan Lake State Park. All properties are accessible from Brush Creek Road. Access and use of Sylvan Lake State Park requires a parks pass.

**GMU:** 44

**RECREATION:** hunting, wildlife viewing

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### **BRUSH HOLLOW SWA - FREMONT CO.**

**DIRECTIONS — TO BOAT RAMP:** From Pen-

rose at Hwy. 115, go W on 3rd (CR 123), then go 0.29 of a mile to E St. (CR 125). Go 5.5 miles to CR 129, then go 2.5 miles on CR 129 to SWA.

**GMU/ACRES:** 59 / 461 acres

**FISHING:** coldwater/warmwater lake

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** rest rooms, shelters, boat ramp

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Boating prohibited if it creates a whitewater wake.
- b. Camping, fires prohibited.

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### **BRUSH PRAIRIE PONDS SWA - MORGAN CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Brush go S on Clayton Street to check station, then go S 2.25 miles to parking area.

**GMU/ACRES:** 99 / 1,600 acres

**HUNTING:** waterfowl, pheasant, rabbit, deer

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** duck blinds

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Open 3 a.m.-9 p.m.; no time restrictions for those with night-hunting permit.
- b. Camping, fires prohibited.
- c. All users must check in and out at designated check station at Brush Memorial Park. User numbers regulated by check station. Maximum 4 hunters per area.
- d. From the last day of regular goose season until opening day of first waterfowl season, open only for wildlife viewing in limited areas as posted. Access property by foot only.
- e. **NEW:** Two hunting areas are reserved for residents of the city of Brush and are awarded through lottery system. Applications to enter lottery available at the CPW Brush Area Office after the August Commission meeting. Hunters must have valid license for species to be hunted to enter the drawing. For complete application and hunt reservation details, call the Brush Area Office, (970) 842-6300.
- f. From opening of Sept. teal season through Nov. 30, only migratory bird hunting allowed, and only Sat., Sun., Wed., Columbus Day (observed), Veterans Day, Thanksgiving Day during established waterfowl seasons.
- g. From Sept. teal season through Dec. 1, reservations available, but not required. See "Reservation Procedures" (page 3) for details. Reservations valid until 9 a.m. Maximum 3 reservations per hunter annually. Hunters may check in on first-come, first-served basis after a hunter with a reservation checks out, or if no reservation exists for a hunt area after midnight immediately preceding the hunt. Hunters can only hunt the area specified on

- the reservation or that they check into.
- h. From the Thurs. before Sept. 1 through Nov. 30, scouting permitted from 10 a.m.-2 p.m. on Thurs. that are not open to hunting in and prior to waterfowl seasons. Must have reservation or letter from CPW. All people must check in and out at check station. Firearms, dogs not allowed during scouting.
  - i. From Dec. 1 through the last day of regular goose season, only hunting allowed. Reservations available to hunt on Dec. 1. From Dec. 2-Jan. 31, reservations not available. Hunters may check in on first-come, first-served basis, but not until midnight before the hunt. Five hunting areas open for check in. Hunters who check in for one of these 5 areas may hunt anywhere on the property.

### **BUENA VISTA SWA (FISHING EASEMENT)**

- CHAFFEE CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From the stoplight on Main Street in Buena Vista, go E 0.5 of a mile to end of Main. Parking available in several locations along river.

**GMUs:** 49, 481

**FISHING:** coldwater stream, fishing access only

### **BURCHFIELD SWA - BACA CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Walsh, go 11 miles E on CR DD to property.

**GMU/ACRES:** 139 / 178 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, rabbit, pheasant, bobwhite quail, scaled quail, dove

**RECREATION:** camping, wildlife viewing

### **CABIN CREEK SWA - GUNNISON CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Gunnison, go 2 miles N on Hwy. 135 to CR 10, then go 2 miles NE (right) to BLM Rd. 3110 (becomes USFS Rd. 743). Then go 6 miles E (right) to USFS Rd. 604, then S (right) to the property.

**GMU:** 55 / 640 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, elk, dusky grouse

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing, hiking, camping

**RESTRICTIONS:** open May 1-Nov. 30

### **CENTENNIAL SWA - GUNNISON CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Gunnison, go 10 miles W on Hwy. 50. SWA is N of Hwy. 50.

**GMU:** 54 / 1,800 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, elk, dusky grouse, rabbit

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Open July 1-Nov. 30, with exception for elk hunting which is allowed through Dec. 31.
- b. Motorized and mechanized vehicles restricted as posted.
- c. Camping prohibited.

### **CENTENNIAL VALLEY SWA - WELD CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Kersey, go 5 miles E on Hwy. 34 to CR 63 and go N to CR 380. Go E on CR 380 0.25 of a mile to Pritchard parking lot and 2.1 miles to Centennial parking lot.

**GMU/ACRES:** 951 / 1,195 acres

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Camping, dogs (except as aid in hunting), dog training, fires, target practice, recreational horse use, hunting with centerfire rifles prohibited.
- b. During regular waterfowl seasons, small-game and waterfowl hunting only in designated hunt areas.
- c. During regular duck seasons, waterfowl and small-game hunting requires reservation. See "Reservation Procedures" (page 3) for details. Maximum 4 hunters per reservation. Mandatory check in and check out as posted at designated station.
- d. Open to public during regular duck seasons only on Sat., Sun., Mon. and legal holidays.
- e. From March 1-Aug. 31, only open on designated trail for wildlife viewing and for hunters with valid spring turkey licenses.
- f. Waterfowl and small-game hunting is prohibited on opening weekend of regular rifle deer season, and opening day and first weekend of late plains rifle deer season.
- g. Parking only in designated areas. No motor vehicles outside parking areas.
- h. Launching or taking out vessels prohibited from first day of teal season to last day of dark goose season.

### **CHALK CLIFFS SFU - CHAFFEE CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Nathrop, go W 2.5 miles on CR 162, then go N 0.125 of a mile on CR 287.

**GMUs/ACRES:** 56, 481 / 61 acres

**RECREATION:** limited public use, limited tours

**RESTRICTIONS:** dogs prohibited

### **CHAMPION SWA (FISHING EASEMENT) - CHAFFEE CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Buena Vista, go S on Hwy. 24, continue S onto Hwy. 285. Easement is E of Hwy. 285. Parking area off Hwy. 285, 0.5 of a mile S of junction of Hwys. 285 and 24.

**GMUs:** 57, 481

**FISHING:** coldwater stream; only accessible for fishing and only through designated parking.

### **CHARLIE MEYERS SWA - PARK CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Hartsel, go E 10.3 miles on Hwy. 24 to CR 23 (mile marker 250). Turn S onto CR 23 and go 2.7 miles. Turn E on CR 59 and go 2.3 miles to junction of CRs 59 and 92. Turn S on



CR 59, go 1 mile to entrance.

**GMU:** 58

**RESTRICTIONS:** camping, fires prohibited

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**CHEROKEE SWA - LARIMER CO. (UPPER, MIDDLE, LOWER, LONE PINE, RABBIT CREEK UNITS)**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Fort Collins, go 22 miles N on Hwy. 287 to Cherokee Park Road (CR 80C), then 6 miles W to parking area on S side of road.

**GMUs:** 8, 191

**HUNTING:** deer, elk, squirrel, dusky grouse, rabbit, dove

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RECREATION:** camping, hiking, wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** rest rooms

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Motor vehicles permitted on established roads as posted
  - Open Sept. 1-May 1 only for hunting and fishing; open otherwise May 2-Aug. 31.
  - Hunting and fishing access by foot only after last big-game season
  - Horseback, bicycles restricted to designated roads and trails, except horses used to hunt big game
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**NEW! CHESMORE SWA (FISHING EASEMENT) - CHAFFEE CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From the stoplight in Buena Vista, go E on Main Street to end of road. Cross the Arkansas River on the foot bridge, walk downstream 0.5 of a mile to property. You will cross Town of Buena Vista property and BLM on the way. It is open fishing for that entire stretch of Arkansas River.

**GMUs/ACRES:** 57 / 5 acres

**HUNTING:** fishing, minimal deer hunting

**RESTRICTIONS:** Access by foot only

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**CHIPETA LAKE SWA - MONTROSE CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Montrose, go 3 miles S on Hwy. 550 to Chipeta Drive, then go 0.5 of a mile N.

**GMU/ACRES:** 62 / 12 acres

**FISHING:** warmwater and coldwater fishing

**RECREATION:** picnicking, wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Open 1 hour before sunrise to 1 hour after sunset; no time restrictions for fishing.
  - Camping, fires, discharging bows and firearms prohibited.
  - Field trials may be authorized only in Feb., March, Aug. and Sept.
  - Float tubes or hand-propelled watercraft only.
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**CHRISTINA SWA (ELK RIVER FISHING EASEMENT) - ROUTT CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Steamboat Springs, go 7 miles N on CR 129 (Elk River Rd.)

**GMU:** 214

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RECREATION:** hiking, wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:** camping, fires prohibited

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**CHUBB PARK RANCH SWA - CHAFFEE CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Buena Vista, go E 16 miles on Hwy. 24 to CR 309, then go N on CR 309 0.5 of a mile to SWA.

**GMU:** 49

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Camping, fires, snowmobiles target practice prohibited.
  - Vehicles prohibited off of the county road.
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**CHUCK LEWIS SWA - ROUTT CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Hwy. 40, go S on Hwy. 131 to CR 14F. Take 14F W to CR 14. Go N to parking area.

**GMU:** 131

**HUNTING:** waterfowl

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Open 4 a.m.-10 p.m.
  - Overnight parking, camping, fires, bicycles prohibited.
  - Dogs prohibited except in hunting waterfowl or dogs aiding the disabled.
  - Big-game, small-game hunting prohibited.
  - Waterfowl hunting permitted, except within 50 yards of the bridge on CR 14F.
  - Horses prohibited outside parking area.
  - Launching or taking out all flotation devices (including kayaks, canoes, rafts, tubes) prohibited, except those used exclusively for fishing.
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**CIMARRON SWA - MONTROSE, GUNNISON COs.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Montrose, go 23 miles E on Hwy. 50 to Little Cimarron Rd., then 2 miles S to access road, then go 1.5 miles SW.

**GMU/ACRES:** 65 / 6,161 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, elk, waterfowl, dusky grouse

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing, picnicking

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Camping, fires, snowmobiles prohibited.
  - Parking in established parking areas only.
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**CLEAR CREEK RES. SWA - CHAFFEE CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Buena Vista, go 13 miles N on Hwy. 24 to CR 390, then go 0.5 of a mile W.

**GMUs/ACRES:** 48, 481 / 500 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, elk, waterfowl

**FISHING:** coldwater lake and 0.5 mile of stream

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** rest rooms, boat ramps

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Camping allowed only in established camping areas on W end of SWA.
- b. Fires allowed only in campgrounds.
- c. All access prohibited on dam, spillway, outlet and downstream to Hwy. 24.
- d. OHV use prohibited at lake and in campground.

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**NEW! CLINE RANCH SWA - PARK CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Jefferson, go S on Hwy. 285 for about 5 miles. SWA entrance near mile marker 194.

**GMU/ACRES:** 500 / 1,600 acres

**HUNTING:** pronghorn, deer, elk, waterfowl, small game

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Access by foot or horseback only from designated parking areas. No overnight parking.
- b. Camping, fires, dog training prohibited.
- c. Discharging firearms or bows allowed only when hunting.
- d. Dogs allowed only as aid in hunting.
- e. Horses allowed only on designated trails. Reservation required to use horses, call (719) 836-4279. Only two reservations allowed per day.
- f. Fishing allowed only March 1-Sept. 30 and only in designated areas. Only people in a vehicle in the assigned parking space may fish the corresponding assigned area. Maximum 4 anglers per vehicle and 1 vehicle per parking space.
- g. Artificial flies and lures only, two trout limit.
- h. Hunting access limited to the occupants of a vehicle parked in assigned parking space. Maximum 4 hunters per vehicle.

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**COALBED CANYON SWA - DOLORES CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Cortez, go NW on Hwy. 491 to Northdale. SWA is S of Hwy. 491 and CR 2, also 2 areas on N side of Hwy. 491, farther W.

**GMUs:** 72, 711

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Camping, fires prohibited.
- b. Discharging firearms allowed only for hunting.

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**COCHETOPA SWA (SNYDER) - SAGUACHE CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Gunnison, go 8 miles E on Hwy. 50, turn right on Hwy. 114, then go 20 miles S/SE, turn right on CR NN14, go S 2 miles.

**GMU:** 67 / 6,712 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, elk, pronghorn, rabbit, waterfowl

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Open 1 hour before sunrise to 1 hour after

sunset, with exception for hunters retrieving downed game.

- b. Foot access only and only from established parking areas.
- c. Camping, dogs, fires prohibited.
- d. Big-game hunting prohibited N of posted E/W center line of Sect. 27, Range 2 E, Township 46 N.

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**COKE OVEN SWA - PITKIN CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Basalt, go 30 miles E on USFS Rd. 105 (Fryingpan River Rd.)

**GMU/ACRES:** 444 / 330 acres

**RECREATION:** hunting, wildlife viewing

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**COLLER SWA - MINERAL, RIO GRANDE COs.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From South Fork, go 4.5 miles W on Hwy. 149.

**GMUs/ACRES:** 76, 79 / 579 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, elk, rabbit, squirrel, dusky grouse

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RECREATION:** picnicking, wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** rest room, drinking water

**RESTRICTIONS:** camping, snowmobiles, overnight parking prohibited

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**COLORADO RIVER ISLAND SWA - MESA CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Grand Junction, go E on I-70; turn S on Hwy. 141 (32 Rd.). Turn W on D Rd. Colorado River SWA is on S side of road, along the river.

**GMUs:** 30, 41

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Camping, dogs (except as aid in hunting), prohibited.
- b. Waterfowl hunting from established blinds is the only hunting allowed.
- c. Hunting by reservation only. See "Reservation Procedures" (page 3) for details. Mandatory check in and check out as posted at station.
- d. Hunting areas that have not been reserved are available on first-come, first-served basis after 5 a.m. for that hunt day. Reserved areas unoccupied by 7 a.m. are available first-come, first-served basis. But any hunt area must be yielded at any time upon request of a hunter holding a valid reservation for that area.

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**CONEJOS RIVER SWA (FISHING EASEMENTS) - CONEJOS CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Antonito, go 16 miles W on Hwy. 17 to Aspen Glade Campground. Fishing easement continues for next 3 miles from upper boundary of Aspen Glade Campground to lower boundary of Menkhaven Resort. Access points posted; no access through private lots.

**GMU:** 81

**FISHING:** coldwater stream, access along river, 25 feet from high-water line

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Fishing access only, no hunting.
- b. Camping prohibited.

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**COTTONWOOD SWA - MORGAN CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Snyder, go 2 miles E on CR W.7.

**GMU/ACRES:** 96 / 884 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, pheasant, bobwhite quail, waterfowl, dove, rabbit, squirrel, turkey

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Open 3 a.m.-9 p.m. daily; no time restrictions for hunters with night-hunting permit.
- b. Camping, fires prohibited.
- c. Target practice prohibited except when authorized by area wildlife manager.
- d. Discharging firearms or bows prohibited except when hunting.
- e. All recreational activities except deer hunting prohibited opening weekend of regular plains rifle deer season, and opening day and first weekend of late plains rifle deer season.
- f. Horse use prohibited except when training hunting dogs and only allowed in Feb., March, April (through Wed. before spring turkey season opens) and Aug.
- g. Launching or taking out vessels prohibited from first day of teal season to last day of dark goose season.

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**COTTONWOOD CREEK SWA - CHAFFEE CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From the stoplight in Buena Vista, go E 1 block; turn S on Railroad Street. Go S 0.3 of a mile to McGinnis Middle School entrance. SWA is N boundary of the school property. Park on N end of school parking lot and walk 150 yards N along the path to get to Cottonwood Creek.

**GMU:** 481

**FISHING:** fishing only

**RESTRICTIONS:** no guns or other weapons allowed on school property as per state law

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**COWDREY LAKE SWA - JACKSON CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Cowdrey, go 2 miles S on Hwy. 125. Or: from Walden, go 7.5 miles N on Hwy. 125. Entrance W of road.

**GMU/ACRES:** 161 / 15 acres of land, 80 acres of water

**HUNTING:** small game, waterfowl

**FISHING:** coldwater lake

**RECREATION:** camping, wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** rest room, boat ramp

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Boating prohibited if it creates a whitewater wake.
- b. Sailboards prohibited.

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**CREEDE SWA - MINERAL CO.**

**DIRECTIONS - HATCHERY TRACT:** From Creede, go 1.2 miles E on Hwy. 149 to undesignated road, then go 0.5 of a mile S to Rio Grande River. **DEEP CREEK TRACT:** From Creede, go 1.25 miles W on Hwy. 149 to Airport Rd., then go 0.8 of a mile S to Rio Grande River.

**GMU:** 76

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

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**CRYSTAL RIVER SFU - GARFIELD CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** 1 mile S of Carbondale on Hwy. 33.

**GMU/ACRES:** 43 / 19 acres

**RECREATION:** limited public use, limited tours

**RESTRICTIONS:** Camping, hunting, dogs, fishing equipment, waders prohibited

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**DAN NOBLE SWA - SAN MIGUEL CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Norwood, go 1.5 miles E on Hwy. 145 to USFS Rd. 610 (Dolores-Norwood Rd.); then 17 miles S.

**GMU/ACRES:** 70 / 2,223 acres

**HUNTING:** waterfowl, deer and elk on Greager Tract

**FISHING:** coldwater lake

**RECREATION:** power boating, sail surfing, waterskiing, camping, wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** dump station, rest rooms, boat ramps, shelters

**RESTRICTIONS:**

**A. MIRAMONTE RES. TRACT:**

1. Camping only in designated areas along NE, SW, SE parts of reservoir.
2. Discharging firearms or bows allowed only when hunting waterfowl.
3. Waterskiing permitted only 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Waterskiing, jetskiing only in designated areas on W half of reservoir.

**B. GREAGER TRACT:**

1. Access by foot or horseback only.
2. Open March 1-May 15 only with permit from area or district wildlife manager for wildlife viewing. Viewers must follow all restrictions and conditions on permit. Open for other access May 16-end of February.
3. Viewing site limited to designated area.
4. Snowmobiles, camping prohibited.

**C. JOHN KANE TRACT:**

1. Access by foot or horseback only
2. Open May 16-end of February
3. Snowmobiles, camping prohibited

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**DAWN POND SWA - BENT CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** Take Hwy. 50 W toward Las Animas. Go right on Hwy. 194, turn right on CR 5.5. SWA is on E side of road around Adobe Creek.

**GMU:** 125

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Open for fishing only. Hunting only with landowner permission.
- b. Boating prohibited except float tubes or craft propelled by hand or electric motor.
- c. Parking allowed in designated areas only.

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**DEADMAN SWA - PROWERS CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Granada, go N on Hwy. 385, 2.5 miles to CR JJ, then go 2.5 miles E on CR JJ to CR 27. Turn S on CR 27, go 0.5 of a mile to parking area.

**GMU/ACRES:** 127 / 503 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, small game, waterfowl

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**DELANEY BUTTE LAKES SWA (NORTH, SOUTH, EAST) - JACKSON CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Walden, go 0.5 of a mile W on Hwy. 14 to CR 12, then go 5.3 miles W to CR 18. Go 4.5 miles W on to CR 5, then go 0.5 of a mile N.

**GMU/ACRES:** 16 / 2,620 acres

**HUNTING:** big game, small game, waterfowl

**FISHING:** coldwater lake

**RECREATION:** camping, wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** rest room, boat ramp, shade shelters

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Boating prohibited if it creates a whitewater wake.
- b. Sailboards prohibited.

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**DEVIL CREEK SWA - ARCHULETA CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Pagosa Springs, go 16 miles W on Hwy. 160 to USFS Rd. 627 then go 2 miles N.

**GMU/ACRES:** 77 / 561 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, elk, rabbit, squirrel, dusky grouse, turkey, dove

**RECREATION:** picnicking, wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:** camping, fires, snowmobiles prohibited

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**DeWEESE RES. SWA - CUSTER CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Westcliffe, go NW on Hwy. 69 for 5 miles, turn N on Copper Gulch Rd. to access road.

**GMUs/ACRES:** 69, 691 / 780 acres

**FISHING:** coldwater lake, coldwater stream

**RECREATION:** picnicking, hiking, wildlife viewing, camping

**HUNTING:** pronghorn, waterfowl, dove, coyote, cottontail, deer, small game

**FACILITIES:** rest rooms, boat ramp

**RESTRICTIONS:** OHVs prohibited

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**DIAMOND J SWA - JACKSON CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Walden, go N on Hwy. 125. Parking areas are 1, 2 and 4 miles N of Walden.

**GMUs/ACRES:** 6, 161 / 3,129 acres of land, 10 miles of river

**HUNTING:** small game, waterfowl

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RECREATION:** picnicking, wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** city-owned camping

**RESTRICTIONS:** no hunting E of Hwy. 125

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**DOLORES RIVER SWA - MONTEZUMA CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Dolores, go 5 miles NE on Hwy. 145.

**GMUs/ACRES:** 71, 73 / 57 acres

**HUNTING:** waterfowl

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:** camping, fires prohibited; fishing prohibited in rearing ponds

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**DOME LAKES SWA - SAGUACHE CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Gunnison, go 8 miles E on Hwy. 50. Turn right on Hwy. 114, go 20 miles S/SE. Turn right on CR NN14, go 5 miles.

**GMU/ACRES:** 67 / 420 acres

**HUNTING:** waterfowl

**FISHING:** coldwater lakes

**RECREATION:** hiking, wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** rest room, drinking water

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Access by foot or horseback only from parking areas. Parking only in designated areas.
- b. ATVs, dirt bikes, snowmobiles allowed only on CRs NN14 and 15GG.
- c. Camping permitted during waterfowl seasons in designated safety zones only.
- d. Discharging firearms and hunting prohibited in designated safety zones.
- e. Dogs prohibited except as hunting aid or when on leash.
- f. Bowfishing prohibited.

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**DOME ROCK SWA - TELLER CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Divide, go 5 miles S on Hwy. 67 to Rainbow Valley, then go 0.75 of a mile on right fork to access road on right (North Ranch is Mueller State Park).

**GMU/ACRES:** 581 / 6,980 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, elk, rabbit, dusky grouse

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing, hiking

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Access by foot or horseback only from parking

- lot and trails from Mueller State Park.
- Camping, dogs, fires, rock climbing prohibited.
  - Horseback, pack animals allowed only on designated roads and trails except if used as a big-game hunting aid.
  - Spring Creek, Dome View trails and Dome Rock Trail from Jackrabbit Lodge are open only July 16-Nov. 30.

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### **DOUGLAS RES. SWA - LARIMER CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Wellington exit on I-25, go 5.5 miles W, S and W on Hwy. 1 to CR 15, go 1 mile N on CR 15 to CR 60, then 0.25 of a mile W to LaVina Drive. Go N on LaVina Drive to lake. From Fort Collins at Hwys. 287 and 1, take Hwy. 1 N for 4 miles to Waverly cutoff (CR 15). Go N on CR 15 to CR 60. Then go 0.25 of a mile W to LaVina Drive and go N.

**GMU:** 9

**FISHING:** warmwater and coldwater species

**FACILITIES:** rest room

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Open 1 hour before sunrise to 1 hour after sunset; no time restrictions for fishing.
- Hunting, fires, camping, discharging firearms or bows, sailboards, sailboats, ice skating, ATVs, dirt bikes, snowmobiles prohibited.
- Boating prohibited if it creates a whitewater wake.

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### **DOWDY LAKE SWA - LARIMER CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From town of Red Feather Lakes, go 1 mile NE on USFS Access Road.

**GMU/ACRES:** 191 / 120 acres of water

**HUNTING:** waterfowl

**FISHING:** coldwater lake

**RECREATION:** power boating, hiking, camping

**FACILITIES:** rest room, boat ramp, campgrounds

**RESTRICTIONS:** boating prohibited if it creates a whitewater wake

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### **DRONEY GULCH - CHAFFEE CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From the junction of Hwys. 50 and 285, go 4 miles N to CR 251-1.

*(Note: First mile of this road is private property, but after entering BLM land, the SWA can be accessed for next 2 miles, through BLM land and SWA property.)*

**ENTRANCE 1:** About 1 mile N of CR 251-1 is an access point on Hwy. 285, a "Point of Interest" site about Zebulon Pike. There is parking and a gate into E portion of SWA.

**ENTRANCE 2:** Just under 1 mile farther N (about 1 mile S of Jct. of Hwys. 285/291) CR 251 goes W. There is parking and access 2.3 miles W of Hwy. 285. Do not attempt

access from N via subdivision on CR 251A.

**GMU/ACRES:** 56 / 2,949 acres

**HUNTING:** Elk, deer, small game

**RESTRICTIONS:** Open Sept. 1-May 31

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### **DRY CREEK BASIN SWA - SAN MIGUEL CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Naturita, go 17 miles S on Hwy. 141. Hwy. 141 goes SW through property.

**GMU:** 70

**HUNTING:** deer, elk, rabbit, dove, mountain lion, bobcat, coyote

**RECREATION:** picnicking, hiking, wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Camping only in designated areas.
- Snowmobiles prohibited.

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### **DUCK CREEK SWA - LOGAN CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Crook, go 1.5 miles N on Hwy. 55.

**GMU/ACRES:** 90 / 1,121 acres

**HUNTING:** rabbit, pheasant, dove, waterfowl, deer

**RECREATION:** hiking, wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Camping, fires prohibited.
- Target practice prohibited except when authorized by area wildlife manager.
- Discharging firearms or bows prohibited except when hunting.
- One field trial may be authorized per year in Feb., March or Aug.

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### **DUNE RIDGE SWA - LOGAN CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From I-76 at Sterling exit, go 0.5 of a mile W on Hwy. 6 to CR 370, then go 5 miles SW.

**GMU/ACRES:** 96 / 400 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, rabbit, squirrel, pheasant,

bobwhite quail, turkey, dove, waterfowl

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Camping, fires prohibited.
- Discharging firearms or bows prohibited except when hunting.
- Target practice prohibited except when authorized by area wildlife manager.
- All recreational activities except deer hunting prohibited opening weekend of regular plains rifle deer season, and opening day and first weekend of late plains rifle deer season.
- Horses prohibited except when training hunting dogs and only allowed in Feb., March and April (through Wed. before spring turkey season opens) and Aug.
- Launching or taking out vessels prohibited from first day of teal season to last day of dark goose season.



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## **DURANGO SFU - LA PLATA CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** In Durango, next to Animas River.

**GMUs/ACRES:** 74, 75 / 14 acres

**FISHING:** coldwater stream on Animas River

**RECREATION:** visitors center open May 15-Sept. 15; limited tours available at other times, schedule by calling (970) 375-6766

**FACILITIES:** rest room and drinking water available when visitor center is open

**RESTRICTIONS:** dogs prohibited

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## **DUTCH GULCH SWA - GUNNISON CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Gunnison, go 5.3 miles E on Hwy. 50, then 7.3 miles S on CR 42, which becomes BLM Rd. 307.

**GMU:** 67 / 320 acres

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Open June 16-end of Feb.
  - b. Access by foot or horseback only from designated parking areas. Parking only in designated areas.
  - c. ATVs, dirt bikes, snowmobiles allowed only on improved road through property.
  - d. Camping, fires prohibited.
  - e. Dogs prohibited except as an aid in hunting or when on leash.
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## **EAGLE RIVER SWA (FISHING LEASES) - EAGLE CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Eagle, go E on Hwy. 6 about 2-3 miles to property boundary sign. This is W edge of SWA. Property extends E about 2 miles and includes 3 designated fishing access points. Access allowed only at these points.

**GMU:** 35

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Open for fishing only on N side of Eagle River. Access only at designated points as posted.
  - b. Camping, fires, dogs prohibited
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## **ECHO CANYON RES. SWA - ARCHULETA CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Pagosa Springs, go 4 miles S on Hwy. 84.

**GMU/ACRES:** 78 / 211 acres

**HUNTING:** waterfowl

**FISHING:** coldwater lake

**RECREATION:** boating, picnicking, wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** rest room, boat ramp

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Camping, fires, snowmobiles prohibited.
  - b. Boating prohibited if it creates a whitewater wake.
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## **ELLIOTT SWA - MORGAN CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Snyder, go 6 miles NE on CR W.7.

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**GMUs/ACRES:** 95, 96 / 2,576 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, pheasant, bobwhite quail, rabbit, squirrel, turkey, waterfowl

**RECREATION:** hiking, wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** duck blinds on Union Tract

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Open 3 a.m.-9 p.m.; no time restrictions for hunters with night-hunting permit.
- b. Camping, fires prohibited.
- c. Target practice prohibited except when authorized by area wildlife manager.
- d. Discharging firearms or bows prohibited except when hunting or bowfishing.
- e. All recreational activities except deer hunting are prohibited on opening weekend of regular plains rifle deer season, and opening day and first weekend of late plains rifle deer season.
- f. Horses prohibited except when training hunting dogs and then only allowed in Feb., March, April (through Wed. before spring turkey season opens) and Aug.
- g. Launching or taking out vessels prohibited from first day of teal season to last day of dark goose season.

**UNION TRACT:** Waterfowl hunting only. See 2012 *Waterfowl* brochure for details.

**HAMLIN TRACT (N AND S):** Hunting allowed. See 2012 *Waterfowl* brochure for information.

**QUINT TRACT:** Landowner permission required to hunt deer.

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## **EMERALD MOUNTAIN SWA - ROUTT CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Steamboat Springs, go S on Hwy. 40 to 5th Street. Turn right on 5th Street, turn left on Howelsen Pkwy., which becomes River Road/CR 14 to S. SWA is W of road. Park in the lot at the left posted for Chuck Lewis SWA. Follow marked orange posts on W side of CR 14 along trail easement through private property to access Emerald Mountain.

**GMU:** 131

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Open from 4 a.m.-10 p.m. July 1-Nov. 30.
  - b. Access by foot or horseback only.
  - c. Camping, fires, dogs prohibited.
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## **ESCALANTE SWA - DELTA, MESA, MONTROSE COs.**

**HAMILTON TRACT:** From Delta, go 2.2 miles W on 5th Street (G Rd.), to G50 Rd. Go 2 miles NW. Alternate route: From Delta, go 5.5 miles NW on Hwy. 50.

**LOWER ROUBIDEAU TRACT:** From Delta, go 4.5 miles W on 5th Street (G Rd.).

**PICKETT CORRAL TRACT:** From Delta, go 12 miles NW on Hwy. 50 to Escalante Canyon turn-off; then 21 miles SW into Escalante Canyon.

**PEACH ORCHARD POINT TRACT:** From Delta,

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go 6.5 miles W on 5th Street (G Rd.) to Sawmill Mesa Rd., then 11.5 miles N.

**CAP SMITH TRACT:** From Delta, go 12 miles NW on Hwy. 50 to Escalante Canyon turnoff; then 6 miles SW into Escalante Canyon.

**EAST WALKER TRACT:** From Delta, go 12 miles N on Hwy. 50 to Escalante Canyon turnoff, then go 4 miles SW into Escalante Canyon.

**UPPER ROUBIDEAU TRACT:** From Delta, go 6.5 miles W on 5th Street (G Rd.) to Sawmill Mesa Rd., then go 11.5 miles N.

**WEST WALKER TRACT:** From Delta, go 12 miles NW on Hwy. 50 to Escalante Canyon turnoff, then go 17 miles SW into Escalante Canyon to Palmer Gulch Rd. Go 5 miles W; then 1.2 miles N toward Tatum Ridge to Tatum Ridge/Snowbelly Ridge Rds.; then 6 miles NE.

**WATERWHEEL TRACT:** From Delta, go 12 miles NW on Hwy. 50 to Escalante Canyon turnoff; then 3 miles SW into Escalante Canyon. Then go 0.75 of a mile upstream S of Gunnison River (primitive road).

**GUNNISON RIVER TRACT:** From Delta, go 12 miles NW on Hwy. 50 to Escalante Canyon Rd., then go 3 miles SW to Gunnison River, then 0.75 of a mile upstream S of Gunnison River (primitive road).

**GMU/ACRES:** 62 / 7,612 acres on all tracts

**HUNTING:** deer, elk, rabbit, pheasant, dove, waterfowl

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RECREATION:** hiking, wildlife viewing, interpretive program, historical area

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Dog training prohibited on Hamilton and Lower Roubideau tracts during upland game or migratory bird seasons. Hamilton and Lower Roubideau tracts open only Aug. 1-March 14.
- Lower Roubideau tract hunting are youth/mentor hunting only. Only one mentor per youth may hunt.
- Field trials may be authorized in Feb., March, Aug. and Sept.
- Bowfishing prohibited.

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### FINGER ROCK SFU - ROUTT CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Yampa, go 3 miles S on Hwy. 131.

**GMU/ACRES:** 26 / 34 acres

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing, limited tours

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Fishing, camping, fires, dogs prohibited.
- Discharging firearms or bows prohibited in designated safety zones as posted.

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### FISH CREEK SWA - DOLORES CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Dolores, go 12 miles N on

Hwy. 145 to USFS Rd. 535, then 12 miles N to Fish Creek access road. Then go 1.5 miles N.

**GMU/ACRES:** 71 / 314 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, elk, rabbit, dusky grouse, snowshoe hare

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RECREATION:** camping (only during deer & elk seasons), hiking, wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:** camping allowed only in deer and elk seasons

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### FLAGLER RES. SWA - KIT CARSON CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Flagler, go 5 miles E on Rd. U.

**GMU/ACRES:** 107 / 400 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, rabbit, pheasant, dove, waterfowl, turkey

**FISHING:** warmwater

**RECREATION:** power boating, waterskiing, camping, picnicking, hiking, wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** rest rooms, boat ramps

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Boating prohibited during waterfowl seasons except float tubes or craft propelled by hand, wind or electric motors.
- Boating prohibited if it creates a whitewater wake. Waterskiing permitted only Sun. and Mon. from June 1-Aug. 31.
- Hunting open to youth/mentors only. Only one mentor per youth may hunt.

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### FORKS SWA - LARIMER CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** Take Hwy. 34 W. Go W at Wilson Avenue for 14.4 miles to SWA on S, near mile marker 76.

**GMU:** 20

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Open 1 hour before sunrise to 1 hour after sunset. Foot access only, no vehicles, from Nov. 1-March 31.
- Camping, fires, hunting, target practice prohibited.

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### FORT LYON SWA - BENT CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Las Animas, go 20 miles E on Hwy. 50 to CR 183. SWA is S of Hwy. 50, next to John Martin Res. SWA.

**GMUS:** 125

**RESTRICTIONS:** ATVs, dirt bikes prohibited

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### FOUR MILE SWA - DOUGLAS CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Deckers, take Hwy. 67 S to Westcreek. From Westcreek, travel W on Stump Rd. to 9J Rd. Go N on 9J Rd. to SWA.

**GMU:** 51

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Access by foot or horseback only.
- Camping, fires prohibited.

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**FRANK SWA - WELD, LARIMER COS.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From I-25 at Windsor exit, go 2.3 miles E on Hwy. 392 to CR 13, then go 0.5 of a mile S.

**GMU/ACRES:** 94 / 324 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, rabbit, squirrel, pheasant, dove, waterfowl

**FISHING:** warmwater

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Camping, fires prohibited.
  - b. Discharging firearms or bows allowed only when hunting. Discharging bows allowed for bowfishing.
  - c. Hunting only with shotguns or bows.
  - d. Boating prohibited if it creates a whitewater wake.
  - e. During regular duck season, all waterfowl and small game hunting limited to Sat., Sun., Mon. and legal holidays. Reservations required. See "Reservations Procedures" (page 3) for details. Maximum 4 hunters per reservation. Mandatory check in and check out as posted at designated check station.
  - f. Hunting prohibited west of CR 13 and as posted in NE corner of SWA.
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**FRANKLIN ISLAND SWA - MESA CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Grand Junction, go E on I-70; turn S on Hwy. 141 (32 Rd.). Enter Colorado River State Park (just north of Colorado River), SWA is west of the park and accessed from the Riverfront Trail.

**GMUs:** 30, 41

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Waterfowl hunting from established blinds is only type of hunting allowed.
  - b. Camping, dogs (except as aid in hunting), prohibited.
  - c. Hunting by reservation only. See "Reservation Procedures" (page 3) for details. Mandatory check in and check out as posted at station.
  - d. Hunting areas that have not been reserved are available on first-come, first-served basis after 5 a.m. for that hunt day. Reserved areas unoccupied by 7 a.m. are available first-come, first-served basis. Any hunt area must be yielded at any time upon request of a hunter holding a valid reservation for that area.
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**FRANZ LAKE SWA - CHAFFEE CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Salida, go 0.75 of a mile NW on Hwy. 291 to CR 154, then 0.75 of a mile W. SWA is SW of Mt. Shavano SFU.

**GMU:** 56

**FISHING:** coldwater lake

**FACILITIES:** rest room

**RESTRICTIONS:** camping, discharging bows and firearms prohibited

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**FRENCHMAN CREEK SWA - PHILLIPS CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Holyoke, go 5 miles W on Hwy. 6 to CR 29, then go 0.5 of a mile S.

**GMU/ACRES:** 98 / 69 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, rabbit, pheasant, dove

**RECREATION:** hiking, wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Camping, fires prohibited.
  - b. Target practice prohibited except when authorized by area wildlife manager.
  - c. Discharging firearms or bows allowed only when hunting.
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**GARFIELD CREEK SWA - GARFIELD CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From New Castle, go 2 miles SW on CR 312 to Garfield Creek Rd., then 1 mile S.

**GMU/ACRES:** 42 / 13,179 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, elk, dusky grouse

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Camping allowed only 7 days before start of regular big-game seasons through 7 days after regular big-game seasons.
  - b. Hunting prohibited within 75 yards of centerline of CRs 312 and 328. Hunting prohibited in designated safety zone as posted.
  - c. Open Dec. 1-July 15 only for spring turkey hunting below and small-game hunting above junction of CRs 312 and 328. Open for other access July 16-Nov. 30.
  - d. Dogs prohibited except as hunting aid.
  - e. Bicycles allowed only on CRs 312 and 328.
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**GEORGETOWN SWA - CLEAR CREEK CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From I-70, take exit 228. Turn N on 15th St.

**GMU/ACRES:** 39 / 670 acres

**HUNTING:** small game, deer, bighorn sheep

**RECREATION:** wildlife observation, hiking

**RESTRICTIONS:** hunting bighorn sheep prohibited within 0.25 of a mile of I-70 throughout SWA

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**GLENWOOD SPRINGS SFU - GARFIELD CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Glenwood Springs, go 2.2 miles N along Mitchell Creek.

**GMU/ACRES:** 34 / 2 acres

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing, limited tours

**RESTRICTIONS:** camping, dogs prohibited

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**GRANADA SWA - PROWERS CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Granada go N on Hwy. 385; turn E on Half Street (first road N of railroad). Go 1.5 miles.

**GMUs/ACRES:** 127, 132 / 5,630 acres

**HUNTING:** small game, waterfowl, deer

**FISHING:** warmwater fishing in Arkansas River

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing, photography

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**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Open 1 hour before sunrise to 1 hour after sunset.
- Parking allowed only in designated areas. All motor vehicles restricted to access roads and parking areas.
- Camping, fires, ATVs, dirt bikes prohibited.

**ON MIDWESTERN FARMS TRACT:**

- Hunting restricted to S of river road and by shotgun and archery only.
- Swimming, boating, float tubes prohibited.

**GRANBY RANCH (CONSERVATION EASEMENT) - GRAND CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** SWA is 0.75 of a mile E of Hwy. 40 on CR 89, near Granby.

**GMU/ACRES:** 28 / 451 acres

**RECREATION:** hiking, wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Open April 16-Nov. 14
- Fires, motor vehicles prohibited
- Dogs must be on leash

**GRANITE SWA (FISHING EASEMENT) - CHAFFEE CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Buena Vista, 17 miles N on Hwy. 24. Access from Chaffee-Lake county line downstream to 0.25 of a mile below Granite Bridge.

**GMUs:** 48, 49

**FISHING:** fishing access only; coldwater fishing on Arkansas River. Fishing area is from Lake Co. line downstream to 1.5 miles below the Granite bridge.

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Camping, fires, dogs, mining activities and panning prohibited.
- Launching or take out of vessels prohibited.

**GRIEVE RANCH (CONSERVATION EASEMENT) - ROUTT CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Craig, take Hwy. 13 N 44 miles to Baggs, Wyo. Turn right on Wyo. Hwy. 70, go 17 miles to CR 129. Turn right and go 3 miles to SWA campground.

**GMU:** 5

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Fires, snowmobiles, ATVs, motorcycles, commercial use, woodcutting and gathering prohibited.
- Dogs allowed only as hunting aid.
- Firearms allowed only for hunting.
- Camping only in developed campgrounds.
- Closed on hay meadows N of CR 129.
- Fishing access to Little Snake River restricted to river corridor, plus 20 feet above high-water line on either bank.

**GROUNDHOG RES. SWA - DOLORES CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Dolores, go 25 miles N on USFS Rd. 526 to USFS Rd. 533, then 5 miles NE.

**GMU:** 71

**FISHING:** coldwater lake

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** rest room, boat ramp

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Boating prohibited if it creates a whitewater wake.
- Camping prohibited.

**GUNNISON SWA - GUNNISON CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Gunnison, go 6 miles W on Hwy. 50.

**GMU/ACRES:** 54 / 2,800 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, elk, rabbit, dusky grouse

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Open April 1-Nov. 30.
- Camping only in designated areas.
- Foot or horseback access only on Beaver Creek Trail.

**GUNNISON RIVER SWA (VAN TUYL & REDDEN) - GUNNISON CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Gunnison go N on Hwy. 135 to CR 13. Turn left and go 0.25 of a mile to where road jogs left and becomes Tincup Street in Gunnison. Go W 3 blocks to Palisade City Park. Parking N side park. Access by foot 0.5 of a mile W of parking lot.

**GMU:** 54

**HUNTING:** waterfowl by shotgun only

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RECREATION:** hiking, wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** parking area

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Foot access only.
- Discharging firearms or bows prohibited except when hunting.
- Waterfowl hunting only, with shotguns.

**GYPSON PONDS SWA - EAGLE CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** I-70 to Gypsum exit, take S side frontage road of I-70 E to parking area. SWA is on N side of Eagle River only.

**GMU/ACRES:** 35 / 90 acres

**HUNTING:** waterfowl

**FISHING:** coldwater stream, coldwater lake

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** parking area

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Open sunrise to sunset; no time restrictions for hunters and anglers.
- Camping, fires, glass containers, boat launch-

- ing and takeouts prohibited.
- Dogs prohibited March 15-June 15 to protect nesting waterfowl. Dogs prohibited at all times on eastern ponds except when used in waterfowl hunting.
  - Field trials may be authorized in Aug. and Sept.

**NEW! HARDEMAN SWA - CHAFFEE CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Buena Vista, go 18 miles N on Hwy. 24. SWA is on both sides of river, upstream from Lake/Chaffee county line.

**GMU:** 48

**FISHING:** 1.25 miles of fishing access to Arkansas River

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Camping, fires, dogs, firearms, mining activities and panning prohibited.
- No launching or take out of vessels.

**HARMON SWA (FISHING EASEMENT) - CHAFFEE CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From the stoplight in Buena Vista, go W on CR 306 for 2.2 miles. Turn right on CR 361 for 0.2 of a mile to parking area.

**GMU:** 481

**RESTRICTIONS:** Fishing only. Campfires, dogs, overnight camping, firearms, hunting prohibited.

**HAVILAND LAKE SWA - LA PLATA CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Durango, go 18 miles N on Hwy. 550 to USFS Rd. 671, then go 0.5 of a mile E.

**GMU/ACRES:** 74 / 208 acres

**HUNTING:** waterfowl

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RECREATION:** boating, camping on USFS property on E side of lake; fee for camping/day use

**FACILITIES:** gravel boat ramp, USFS campground with rest room and drinking water on E of lake

**RESTRICTIONS:** float tubes or craft propelled by hand or electric motor only

**HECKENDORF SWA - CHAFFEE CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Buena Vista, go 5 miles N on Hwy. 24 to CR 361, then go 1 mile W.

**GMU/ACRES:** 481 / 720 acres

**HUNTING:** elk, deer, small game, pronghorn

**RECREATION:** hiking, wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Access from designated parking areas only.
- Camping, fires prohibited.

**HIGEL SWA - ALAMOSA CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Alamosa, take Hwy. 160 NW to CR 104 N. SWA is N of junction of CRs 104 and 3.0S.

**GMU:** 791

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Open only Sat., Sun., Wed. and legal holidays from Sept. 1-Feb. 14.
- Permit required Sept. 1-Feb. 14. Maximum of 25 permits issued daily, available free, first come, first served. From Sept. 1-30, and Nov. 11-Feb.14, permits obtained by reservation by calling (719) 587-6923 or at the Wildlife Area Office in Monte Vista. Oct. 1-Nov. 10, permits obtained through reservation system. See "Reservation Procedures," (page 3) for details.  
Reservations for weekends can be made up to 14 days in advance but not less than 2 days before Saturday of weekend requested. Reservations for Wed. can be made up to 14 days in advance but not less than 2 days before date requested. Maximum 2 people per reservation.
- Closed Feb. 15-July 15 to protect nesting water birds. Area wildlife manager may authorize educational or scientific uses during closures.
- Bowfishing prohibited.

**HOHNHOLZ LAKES SWA - LARIMER CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Hwy. 14 at upper end of Poudre Canyon, go 30 miles N on Laramie River Rd. (CR 103).

**GMU/ACRES:** 7 / 80 acres of water, 1 mile of river; 133 acres total

**HUNTING:** waterfowl

**FISHING:** coldwater stream, coldwater lake

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** rest rooms

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Boating prohibited except float tubes or craft propelled by hand, wind or electric motor.
- Sailboards prohibited.
- Camping only in Laramie River camping area.
- Grace Creek Rd. closed Dec. 1-Aug. 15.

**HOLBROOK RES. SWA - OTERO CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Swink, go 3 miles N on CR 24.5 to CR FF, then go 0.5 of a mile E.

**GMU/ACRES:** 125 / 670 acres

**FISHING:** warmwater

**HUNTING:** deer, rabbit, squirrel, pheasant, bobwhite quail, dove, waterfowl

**RECREATION:** powerboating, sailboating, sail-surfing, waterskiing, camping, wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** rest rooms, boat ramps

**RESTRICTIONS:** hunting prohibited as posted in safety zone on SW side near residence

**HOLLY SWA - PROWERS CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Holly, go 1 mile N on CR 34.

**GMUs/ACRES:** 127, 132 / 277 acres

**HUNTING:** rabbit, pheasant, dove, waterfowl

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing



**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Camping, open fires, ATVs, dirt bikes prohibited.
- b. Hunting prohibited in designated safety zones between Hwy. 50 and CR FF.

**HOLYOKE SWA - PHILLIPS CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Holyoke, go 4 miles S on Hwy. 385 to CR 14; then 4 miles W.

**GMU/ACRES:** 98 / 80 acres

**HUNTING:** rabbit, pheasant, dove, deer

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Camping, fires prohibited.
- b. Target practice prohibited except when authorized by area wildlife manager.
- c. Discharging firearms or bows allowed only when hunting.

**HOME LAKE SWA - RIO GRANDE CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Monte Vista, go 1.5 miles E on Sherman Avenue.

**GMU:** 791

**FISHING:** coldwater lake

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Open sunrise to sunset; no time restrictions for fishing or with night-hunting permit.
- b. Float tubes or craft propelled by hand, wind, electric motor only. Motorboats up to 10 hp allowed any time. Motorboats 10 hp or more allowed only 10 a.m.-4 p.m.

**HORSE CREEK RES. SWA (TIMBER LAKE) - OTERO, BENT COS.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From LaJunta, go 8 miles N on Hwy. 109 to Cheraw; then 2 miles E on CR JJ.5 to CR 33. Go 7 miles N.

**GMU/ACRES:** 125 / 2,603 acres

**FISHING:** warmwater

**RECREATION:** power boating, sail surfing, waterskiing, camping, wildlife viewing, hunting by permission only

**FACILITIES:** rest rooms, boat ramps

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Open 1 hour before sunrise to 1 hour after sunset; no time restrictions for fishing.
- b. ATVs, dirt bikes, snowmobiles prohibited.
- c. Frozen surface of lake closed. Dams, inlets, outlet structures closed except when fishing.

**HORSETHIEF CANYON SWA - MESA CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** I-70 W to Fruita exit, take Hwy. 340 S 1 mile to property sign. Take access road 4 miles.

**GMUs:** 30, 40

**HUNTING:** waterfowl, dove, deer, coyote, rabbit, pheasant

**FISHING:** warmwater

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Open 5 a.m.-9 p.m., no time restrictions for fishing.
- b. Camping, fires, quail hunting prohibited.
- c. Turkey hunting allowed only by permit for youth/mentor hunting in spring.
- d. Hunting permitted with shotguns, hand-held bows and muzzleloading rifles.
- e. Fishing prohibited in rearing ponds and as posted.
- f. Waterfowl hunting on Sat. restricted to youth/mentors only and only from 100 yards E of blind No. 1 to western SWA boundary.
- g. To hunt waterfowl on W end of property, reservations required for specific blind. Hunting restricted to within 100 yards of blind. Maximum 4 hunters per blind. See "Reservation Procedures," (page 3) for details. Hunters must check in and out as posted.
- h. Hunt areas not reserved are available on first-come, first-served basis after 5 a.m. each hunting day. Reserved areas not claimed by 7 a.m. also available first-come, first-served. Any hunt area must be yielded at any time by request of a hunter with a valid reservation for that area.
- i. Permits not required for waterfowl hunting 100 yards E of blind No. 1 to eastern SWA boundary, including Skipper's Island.
- j. Waterfowl hunting prohibited Wed.-Fri. except Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day and New Year's Day.

**HOT CREEK SWA - CONEJOS CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Monte Vista, go 20 miles S on Hwy. 15 to access road, then go 5 miles W.

**GMU/ACRES:** 81 / 9,485 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, elk, black bear, mountain lion, rabbit, dove, waterfowl

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Vehicles prohibited Jan. 1-April 30.
- b. Snowmobiles prohibited.

**HOT SULPHUR SPRINGS SWA - GRAND CO.**

**BYERS CANYON RIFLE RANGE:** From Hot Sulphur Springs, go 4 miles W on Hwy. 40 to range (N of highway).

**HOT SULPHUR SPRINGS STATE RANCH:**

From Hot Sulphur Springs, go 3 miles W on Hwy. 40 to Colorado River bridge, then go S at W end of bridge.

**LONE BUCK UNIT:** From Hot Sulphur Springs, go 3.5 miles W on Hwy. 40 to unit (S of Hwy.).

**JENNY WILLIAMS UNIT:** From Hot Sulphur Springs, go 3 miles W on Hwy. 40 to CR 50 (E

end of Colorado River bridge), then go 2 miles S.  
**JOE GERRANS, PIONEER PARK UNITS:** From Hot Sulphur Springs, go 3 miles W on Hwy. 40 to Colorado River bridge, then go S at E end of bridge.

**PIONEER PARK UNIT:** N and W of Hot Sulphur Springs on the edge of town, N side of Colorado River.

**PAUL F. GILBERT FISHING AREA:** From Hot Sulphur Springs, go 3 miles W on Hwy. 40 to W end of Colorado River bridge; then S.

**GMUs/ACRES:** 18, 28 / 2,160 acres, all units

**HUNTING:** deer, elk, black bear, mountain lion, rabbit, dusky grouse, waterfowl, dove

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RECREATION:** camping, hiking, wildlife viewing, photography, shooting range

**FACILITIES:** rest room, rifle range, campsites

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Camping only in Joe Gerrans Unit and Lone Buck campgrounds.
- Discharging firearms prohibited in Joe Gerrans Unit, Lone Buck campgrounds and Paul F. Gilbert Fishing Area.
- Byers Canyon Rifle Range open sunrise to sunset. The range may be closed to protect wintering big game.
- Bowfishing prohibited.
- Fires and off-road travel prohibited in Parshall Divide Unit.

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**HUERFANO SWA - HUERFANO CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Gardner, go 13 miles W on CR 580.

**GMU/ACRES:** 861 / 544 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, bear, rabbit, dove

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RECREATION:** camping, hiking, wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** rest rooms, picnic tables

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**HUGO SWA - LINCOLN CO.**

**CLINGSMITH TRACT:** From Hugo, go 14 miles S on CR 109, then 2.25 miles E on CR 2G.

**GMU/ACRES:** 113 / 2,240 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, pronghorn, rabbit, dove, waterfowl

**FISHING:** warmwater; spring stocked trout fishing

**RECREATION:** camping, hiking, wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** rest rooms

**RESTRICTIONS:** boating prohibited

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**INDIAN RUN SWA - ROUTT CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Hamilton, go 12 miles SE on Hwy. 317 to CR 67, then go 6 miles S.

**GMU/ACRES:** 12 / 2,039 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, elk, black bear, rabbit, dusky grouse

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RECREATION:** camping, hiking, wildlife viewing  
**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Camping allowed only in designated areas.
- Discharging firearms or bows prohibited in designated safety zones.

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**JACKSON LAKE SWA - MORGAN CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From I-76 at Hwy. 39 exit, go 7.4 miles N on Hwy. 39 to Hwy. 144. Then go 1 mile NE to CR 5, then 3.8 miles N to CR CC, then 1 mile W to CR 4, then 0.25 of a mile S.

**GMU/ACRES:** 95 / 394 acres

**HUNTING:** pheasant, waterfowl, dove, rabbit, deer

**FISHING:** warmwater

**RECREATION:** powerboating, sailboating, sail surfing, waterskiing, wildlife viewing (no boat ramp)

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Access only from designated parking areas.
- Camping, fires, ice fishing, hunting with centerfire rifles prohibited.
- Discharging firearms or bows prohibited except when hunting. Discharging bows allowed for bowfishing.
- No fishing Oct. 1 through last day of regular waterfowl season in the SWA portion of the lake. SWA property is marked with signs. No fishing Nov. 1 through last day of regular waterfowl season in the state park portion of the lake north of the boat ramp.
- Hunting prohibited from frozen surface of lake and elsewhere as posted. Vessels prohibited on frozen surface of the lake.
- Target practice prohibited except with area wildlife manager's authorization.
- g. During regular duck season, waterfowl and small-game hunters must check out at check station.
- h. From the first day of regular duck season to the opening of regular goose season, 3 reservations available for waterfowl hunting from vessels on the lake.
  - Boat hunting prohibited beginning Nov. 1 except for hunters with boating reservation. Hunters with boat reservations must call reservation line 2 days before scheduled hunt to confirm ice conditions.
  - During this time, all hunting from vessels is by reservation only. See "Reservation Procedures," (page 3) for details. Maximum 4 people per reservation.
  - Hunters and vessels must stay in designated hunt zone. Hunting prohibited within 150 yards of shore and other vessels. Vessels launched from Jackson Lake State Park must have state parks pass. Vessels can also be hand launched from SWA as posted.
  - Waterfowl hunting from vessels permitted only Sat., Sun., Wed., Columbus Day

(observed), Veterans Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day, New Year's Day and Martin Luther King Jr. Day.

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### **JAMES M. JOHN SWA - LAS ANIMAS CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Raton, N.M., go 7 miles on N.M. Hwys. 72 & 526. Go N up Sugarite Canyon 12 miles to Lake Dorothee SWA, then go NW 4 miles on unmarked trail to top of Fishers Peak Mesa.

**GMU/ACRES:** 140 / 8,200 acres

**HUNTING:** elk, deer, bear, mountain lion, small game, turkey

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing, hiking, picnicking

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Open April 2-Nov. 30.
- b. Access by foot or horseback only.
- c. Camping prohibited within 100 feet of streams.
- d. Hunting access by drawing only and for big game only in regular rifle deer and elk seasons.

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### **JAMES MARK JONES SWA - PARK CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Hwy. 24 E of Hartsel, take CR 15 (Elkhorn Rd.) N 15 miles to sign. Go W 1.8 miles to parking area. From Hwy. 285 at Como turnoff, take CR 15 SE 8 miles to sign. Go W 1.8 miles to parking area. Road to parking area not maintained in winter.

**GMU/ACRES:** 50 / 17,429 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, elk, pronghorn, small game

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** parking areas

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Open May 2-Dec. 31.
- b. Fires only in established fire rings at designated parking areas.

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### **JEAN K. TOOL SWA - MORGAN CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Fort Morgan, go 4 miles NE on I-76 to Dodd Bridge Rd., then go 1.75 miles N.

**GMU/ACRES:** 96 / 903 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, rabbit, squirrel, pheasant, bobwhite quail, turkey, dove, waterfowl

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing, hiking

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Access from designated parking areas only.  
Open 3 a.m.-9 p.m.; no time restrictions for hunters with night-hunting permit.
- b. Camping, fires prohibited.
- c. Discharging firearms or bows prohibited except when hunting.
- d. Target practice prohibited except when authorized by area wildlife manager.
- e. All recreational activities except deer hunting prohibited opening weekend of regular plains rifle deer season, and opening day and first

weekend of late plains rifle deer season.

f. Horses prohibited except when training hunting dogs and only allowed in Feb., March, April (through Wed. before spring turkey season opens) and Aug.

g. Launching or taking out vessels prohibited from first day of teal season to last day of dark goose season.

h. During regular duck season:

1. Waterfowl and small-game hunters must check out at check station by 2 p.m.
2. Waterfowl and small-game hunting is by reservation only. See "Reservation Procedures," (page 3) for details. Reservations limited to 3 waterfowl and 3 small-game per day. Maximum 4 people per reservation. Mentors must be 18 and have a valid hunter education certificate. Mentors are not required to hunt.
3. Waterfowl and small-game hunting permitted only Sat., Sun., Wed., Columbus Day (observed), Veterans Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day, New Year's Day and Martin Luther King Jr. Day.
4. Deer and fall turkey hunting permitted in established seasons. These hunters are not required to check in or out, but reservations are required and are unlimited in number.
5. Uses other than hunting prohibited during this time. Live trapping is allowed.

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### **JENSEN SWA - RIO BLANCO CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Meeker, go 9 miles NE on Hwy. 13 to CR 30.

**GMUs/ACRES:** 12, 23, 211 / 5,955 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, elk, black bear, rabbit, dusky grouse, waterfowl

**RECREATION:** camping, wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Open July 16-Dec. 31.
- b. Camping only in designated areas.

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### **JERRY CREEK RES. SWA (JERRY CREEK RES. NOs.1 & 2) - MESA CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Molina, take Hwy. 330 W. SWA is on N side of highway at confluence of Plateau and Spring creeks.

**GMU:** 421

**FISHING:** warmwater lake (catch and release only)

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Hunting, firearms, ice fishing, camping, fires, motorized and non-motorized vehicles, pets, domestic animals, boating, floating, swimming, wading prohibited.
- b. Belly boats used with waders are allowed.
- c. Frozen surface of lake closed.

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**JIM OLTERMAN/LONE CONE SWA - DOLORES CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Norwood, go 1.5 miles E on Hwy. 145 to USFS Rd. 610, then go 24 miles S.  
**GMUs/ACRES:** 70, 71 / 5,030 acres  
**HUNTING:** deer, elk, black bear, dusky grouse  
**FISHING:** coldwater stream  
**RECREATION:** camping, picnicking, wildlife viewing  
**FACILITIES:** two horse corrals, campsites  
**RESTRICTIONS:** snowmobiles prohibited

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**JOE MOORE RES. SWA - MONTEZUMA CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Mancos, go 5 miles NE on Hwy. 184 to CR 40, then go 4 miles N.  
**GMU/ACRES:** 73 / 120 acres  
**HUNTING:** waterfowl  
**FISHING:** coldwater lake  
**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing  
**FACILITIES:** rest room, boat ramp  
**RESTRICTIONS:**  
a. Boating prohibited if it causes a whitewater wake.  
b. Camping prohibited.

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**JOHN MARTIN RES. SWA - BENT CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Las Animas, go 20 miles E on Hwy. 50 to Hasty. SWA 2 miles S of Hasty.  
**GMUs/ACRES:** 125, 126, 146 / 19,471 acres  
**HUNTING:** deer, rabbit, squirrel, pheasant, bobwhite quail, scaled quail, dove, waterfowl  
**FISHING:** warmwater  
**RECREATION:** power boating, sail boating, sail surfing, waterskiing, camping, hiking, wildlife viewing  
**FACILITIES:** rest rooms, boat ramps  
**RESTRICTIONS:**  
a. Field trials may be authorized Feb., March, Aug. and Sept.  
b. Closed except to retrieve downed waterfowl Nov. 1 through last day of waterfowl season as posted on U.S. Army Corps of Engineer land under lease by CPW to provide for waterfowl resting.  
c. ATVs, dirt bikes prohibited.

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**JOHNSON VILLAGE SWA - CHAFFEE CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Hwy. 24 bridge over Arkansas River, SWA is on the W half of river 0.25 of a mile upstream and 0.5 of a mile downstream. Fishing access only.  
**GMU:** 481  
**FISHING:** coldwater stream

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**JULESBURG SWA (JULESBURG, OVID LEASES) - SEDGWICK CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Ovid, go 0.5 of a mile S on CR 29.

**GMU:** 92

**HUNTING:** deer, rabbit, squirrel, pheasant, bobwhite quail, dove, turkey, waterfowl

**RECREATION:** hiking, wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Camping, fires prohibited.
- b. Target practice prohibited except when authorized by area wildlife manager.
- c. Discharging firearms or bows prohibited except when hunting.
- d. All recreational activities except deer hunting prohibited opening weekend of regular plains rifle deer season, and opening day and first weekend of late plains rifle deer season.
- e. Horses prohibited except when training hunting dogs and only allowed in Feb., March, April (through Wed. before spring turkey season opens) and Aug.
- f. Launching or taking out vessels prohibited from first day of teal season to last day of dark goose season.

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**JUMBO RES. SWA - SEDGWICK, LOGAN COS.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From I-76 at Red Lion exit (No. 155), go 3 miles N to Hwy. 138, then 1 mile NE to CR 95, then 2 miles N.

**GMU/ACRES:** 90 / 1,703 acres

**HUNTING:** rabbit, pheasant, waterfowl, doves

**FISHING:** warmwater

**RECREATION:** camping, wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** rest rooms, boat ramp

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Anyone ages 19-64 must purchase an annual Jumbo Res./Prewitt Res. access permit to enter the property. Anyone who has a valid Colorado annual hunting or fishing license does NOT need to have an access permit. Permits are \$36, valid April 1-March 31, and available anywhere you can purchase CPW hunting and fishing licenses.
- b. Maximum of 250 vehicles on property at once.
- c. Boating prohibited Oct. 1 through last day of regular goose season, with exceptions listed below. Hand-propelled craft may be used to set and pick up decoys and to retrieve downed waterfowl.
- d. Waterskiing permitted 10 a.m.-7 p.m. Fri., Sat., Sun. and Mon. of Memorial Day weekend.
- e. Fishing restricted to 2 S dams and bank around outlet tower from Oct. 1 to last day of waterfowl season. Ice fishing is allowed anywhere.
- f. Boats prohibited within 50 feet of outlet structure.
- g. Hunting prohibited from frozen surface of lake.
- h. Hunting from floating devices by reservation only from opening day of regular Eastern

Plains duck season until opening day of dark goose season.

1. Reservations required. See "Reservation Procedures," (page 3) for details. Reservations not transferable, 3 available for waterfowl hunting on reservoir.

2. Boat hunting prohibited beginning first day of regular dark goose season. Hunters with boat reservations must call reservation line 2 days before scheduled hunt to confirm ice conditions. Only boat hunters with reservations are exempt from boat closure.

3. Hunting from floating devices permitted only Sat., Sun., Wed., Columbus Day (observed) and Veterans Day.

4. Boat hunters must leave reservoir by 2 p.m. and are prohibited from hunting within 150 yards of hunters on shore or other vessels.

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### **JUMPING COW SWA - ELBERT CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Kiowa, take Hwy. 86 about 16 miles E to CR 105. Turn N, go about 2 miles to CR 122, turn E to SWA.

**GMU:** 105

**HUNTING:** by permit only, for dove, turkey, doe pronghorn, antlerless elk, doe white-tailed deer doe and doe mule deer

**RESTRICTIONS:**

a. Hunting access by permit only. Must have valid license for the activity prior to applying for the permit. Permits must be kept on hunter at all times.

1. Permits may designate hunt zones, if so, activity is restricted to those zones only. The permit is not valid property-wide.

2. Permits are free and available through drawing process. Applications available from the Wildlife Area Office in Denver, (303) 291-7227.

3. Applications are due:

a. Third Mon. in Aug. for: dove, fall turkey, doe pronghorn, antlerless elk, doe white-tailed deer and doe mule deer.

b. Third Mon. in March for: spring turkey

4. Permitted hunters may take one other non-hunter onto the property. Person must remain with permit holder.

5. Permitted hunters may not enter the property before the first Mon. after the opening day of their season.

b. Open two hours before sunrise to one hour after sunset. Hunters may remain as long as reasonable to retrieve downed game.

c. Vehicle use permitted only on marked existing roadways that lead to parking areas. All other access by foot or horseback only.

d. Gates shall be left as found after passing through.

e. Camping, fires prohibited.

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### **JUNCTION BUTTE SWA - GRAND CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Kremmling, go 3 miles S on Hwy. 9 to CR 387 (dirt road); then 0.5 of a mile E.

**GMU:** 37

**HUNTING:** deer, elk, rabbit, dusky grouse

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:**

a. Camping, hang gliding prohibited.

b. Vehicles allowed only from day after Labor Day through last day of regular big-game season.

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### **NEW! KARNEY RANCH SWA - BENT CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Las Animas, go E on Hwy. 50, then go N on CR 18. Veer left on Fort Lyon Canal Rd.

**GMU/ACRES:** 126 / 13,580 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, pronghorn, small game

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:**

a. Open one hour before sunrise to one hour after sunset. Hunters may remain as long as reasonable to retrieve downed game.

b. Closed in building safety zone as posted.

c. Camping, fires, firewood collection, OHV use prohibited.

d. Ornate box turtle collection and/or release is prohibited.

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### **KARVAL RES. SWA - LINCOLN CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Hwys. 94 and 109, go S 10 miles on Hwy. 109.

**GMU/ACRES:** 120 / 235 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, rabbit, scaled quail, dove, waterfowl

**FISHING:** warmwater; spring stocked trout fishing

**RECREATION:** camping, wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** rest room, shade shelters

**RESTRICTIONS:** only float tubes or craft propelled by hand, wind or electric motor allowed

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### **KEMP-BREEZE SWA - GRAND CO.**

**BREEZE UNIT:** About 15 miles W of Granby on Hwy. 40 past Parshall, go 0.5 of a mile. Look for mile marker 196. Turn left 0.25 of a mile past marker for parking or go W 0.75 of a mile for parking. Unit is 11.5 miles W of Kremmling.

**KEMP UNIT:** From Granby, go 14.5 miles W on Hwy. 40, turn left on CR 3 and go over Colorado River bridge. Turn right on second road, or go another 0.5 of a mile, and turn right for parking. Unit is 12 miles E of Kremmling.

**GMUs:** 18, 28

**RESTRICTIONS:**

a. Fishing at Breeze Unit Kids Pond restricted to youth fishing and anglers with mobility impairments who are restricted to a wheelchair.



- b. Breeze Unit hay meadow wetland closed  
March 15-July 15.

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### **KINNEY LAKE SWA - LINCOLN CO.**

**KINNEY LAKE TRACT:** From Hugo, go about 11.7 miles S of the town on CR 109 (also called CR 32) to CR 2J. Then go 1 mile E on CR 2J to SW corner of SWA.

**GMU:** 113

**HUNTING:** small game, waterfowl, pronghorn, deer

**FISHING:** warmwater; stocked trout in spring

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing, camping, photography

**RESTRICTIONS:** only float tubes or craft propelled by hand, wind or electric motor allowed

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### **KNIGHT-IMLER SWA - PARK CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Fairplay, go 10 miles S on Hwy. 285.

**GMU:** 50

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Camping, fires prohibited.
  - b. No public access beyond 25 feet from center-line of stream.
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### **KNUDSON SWA - LOGAN CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From I-76 at Sterling exit, go 0.5 of a mile W to CR 370 (information center, museum), then go 1 mile SW.

**GMU/ACRES:** 96 / 581 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, squirrel, pheasant, bobwhite quail, dove, turkey, waterfowl

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. SE portion is private property. Landowner permission required for deer hunting as posted.
  - b. Camping, fires prohibited.
  - c. Discharging firearms or bows allowed only when hunting.
  - d. All recreational activities except deer hunting prohibited opening weekend of regular plains rifle deer season, and opening day and first weekend of late plains rifle deer season.
  - e. Horses prohibited except when training hunting dogs and only allowed in Feb., March, April (through Wed. before spring turkey season opens) and Aug.
  - f. Launching/taking out vessels prohibited from first day of teal season to last day of dark goose season.
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### **KODAK WATCHABLE WILDLIFE AREA**

- WELD CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Windsor at Hwys. 392 & 257, go 3 miles S on Hwy. 257 to parking area S

of Poudre River.

**GMU:** 94

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing, photography  
**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Open sunrise to sunset.
  - b. Hunting, fishing, camping, fires prohibited.
  - c. Dogs must be on leash.
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### **LA JARA SWA - CONEJOS CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Capulin, take CR 8 S and W 10.5 miles.

**GMU/ACRES:** 81 / 2,808 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, elk, black bear, mountain lion, rabbit, dove

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Snowmobiles prohibited.
  - b. Vehicles prohibited Jan. 1 through Thursday before Memorial Day.
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### **LA JARA RES. SWA - CONEJOS CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From La Jara at Hwy. 285, go 10.5 miles W on Hwy. 15 to USFS Rd. 255, then go 0.5 of a mile to USFS Rd. 240, turn S and go 13.5 miles to reservoir.

**GMU/ACRES:** 81 / 635 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, elk, waterfowl

**FISHING:** coldwater lake

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** rest room, drinking water, boat ramp

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### **LAKE BECKWITH SWA - PUEBLO CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Pueblo, go S on I-25. Exit Hwy. 165 toward Colorado City. Turn right on Cuerno Verde Road. SWA is on W side of road before road curves E.

**GMU:** 84

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Hunting, camping, fires, ice fishing prohibited.
  - b. Only float tubes or craft propelled by hand, wind or electric motor allowed.
  - c. Frozen surface of lake closed.
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### **LAKE DOROTHEY SWA - LAS ANIMAS CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Raton, N.M., go 7 miles NE on N.M. Hwys. 72 & 526, then go N up Sugarite Canyon 5 miles.

**GMU/ACRES:** 140 / 4,500 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, elk, turkey, bear

**FISHING:** coldwater lake, coldwater stream

**RECREATION:** picnicking, hiking, wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** rest room

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Access by foot or horseback only from established parking areas.
- b. Camping prohibited within 200 yards of Lake

Dorothy or 100 feet of streams except in designated areas.

- c. Discharging firearms or bows prohibited except shotguns or bows for hunting. Discharging bows allowed for bowfishing.
- d. Big-game hunting by archery only.
- e. Trapping prohibited.

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## LAKE FORK OF THE GUNNISON RIVER SWA - HINSDALE CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Lake City, go 5,375 miles N on Hwy. 149 to S end of fishing easement.

**GMU:** 66

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

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## LAKE JOHN SWA - JACKSON CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Walden, go 0.5 of a mile W on Hwy. 14 to CR 12W, then 8 miles W to CR 7. Then go 7 miles.

**GMU/ACRES:** 161 / 565 water acres, 282 land acres

**HUNTING:** small game, waterfowl

**FISHING:** coldwater lake

**RECREATION:** camping, wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** private campground and electrical hook-ups, rest room, boat ramp, shade shelters, picnic tables

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Camping in established areas only.
  - b. Waterskiing, sailboards prohibited.
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## LAS ANIMAS SFU - BENT CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Las Animas W on Hwy. 194, go 4 miles, then go N on CR 5.5.

**GMU/ACRES:** 125 / 69 acres

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing, limited tours

**RESTRICTIONS:** camping, dogs prohibited

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## LEAPS GULCH SWA - GUNNISON CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Gunnison go N on Hwy. 135 to CR 10. Go E on paved road to where USFS Rd. 743 begins. Go E 8.2 miles to where USFS Rd. 743 turns left from main road. Go left 2.5 miles, take second trail left to SWA.

**GMU:** 55 / 560 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, elk, dusky grouse

**RECREATION:** hiking, wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:** open May 1 - Nov. 30

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## LEATHA JEAN STASSEN SWA - MESA CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Grand Junction, take Hwy. 340 W to 20 1/2 Rd. turn N. Turn E on F 3/4 Rd.; go N on Roundup Drive and E on Baseline Drive. Parking lot N of road.

**GMU:** 40

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:**

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- a. Open a half hour before sunrise to a half hour after sunset.
  - b. Camping, fires, hunting, motor vehicles prohibited.
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## LITTLE SNAKE SWA - MOFFAT CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Maybell, go 17 miles N on CR 19. CR 19 runs through SWA.

**GMUs/ACRES:** 2, 3 / 4,860 acres

**HUNTING:** pronghorn, deer, rabbit, sage grouse

**RECREATION:** camping, hiking, wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:** Camping allowed only in self-contained units. Camping allowed by all methods 3 days before regular big-game seasons until 3 days after regular big-game seasons.

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## LOMA BOAT LAUNCH SWA - MESA CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Fruita, take I-70 to Loma exit (No. 15), then go 0.5 of a mile E on frontage road, turn S 0.25 of a mile to Colorado River.

**GMU:** 30

**RECREATION:** boating, wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** boat ramp, rest room

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Parking in designated areas only.
  - b. Camping, discharging firearms, launching or using personal water craft (jet skis) prohibited.
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## LON HAGLER SWA - LARIMER CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Campion, go 3.25 miles W on CR 14 to CR 21, then go 1.5 miles N.

**GMU/ACRES:** 20 / 181 water acres, 121 land acres

**FISHING:** warmwater, coldwater

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing, archery range, nature trail

**FACILITIES:** rest room, boat ramp

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Fishing prohibited in inlet structure and annex pond.
  - b. Boating prohibited if it creates a whitewater wake.
  - c. Camping, fires, horseback riding, sailboards, sailboats, bicycling, target practice prohibited.
  - d. Pets must be on leashes no longer than 6 feet.
  - e. Dogs on boats not required to be leashed.
  - f. From Sept. 1-end of Feb., dogs prohibited W of lakeside parking lots, except as aid in hunting.
  - g. From March 1-Aug. 31, dogs prohibited W of lakeside parking lots.
  - h. Dogs prohibited on annex pond and adjacent lands as posted to protect wildlife.
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## LONE DOME SWA - MONTEZUMA, DOLORES COs.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Cortez, go 21 miles N on Hwy. 491 to CR DD, then 1 mile E to CR 16, then 3 miles N to access road, then 1.5 miles E to

Bradfield Bridge.

**GMU/ACRES:** 711 / 1,724 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, elk, rabbit, dusky grouse, turkey, dove

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RECREATION:** picnicking, wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** campgrounds

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Overnight parking only in designated areas.
- b. Fires prohibited.

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### **LONE TREE RES. SWA - LARIMER CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Campion, go 3.5 miles W on CR 14 to Lone Tree Drive, then go 1 mile S on access road.

**GMU/ACRES:** 20 / 502 water acres

**HUNTING:** dove, waterfowl

**FISHING:** warmwater

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** rest rooms, boat ramps, shade shelters

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Open one hour before sunrise to 1 hour after sunset; no time restrictions for fishing or for hunters with night-hunting permit.
- b. Camping, fires, sailboards, sailboats, bicycling, horseback riding prohibited.
- c. Boating prohibited if it creates a whitewater wake.
- d. Fishing prohibited from boats Nov. 1 through last day of waterfowl season.
- e. Fishing prohibited in outlet canal as posted.
- f. Heron nesting area closed as posted.
- g. Discharging firearms or bows prohibited except when hunting. Discharging bows allowed for bowfishing.
- h. Discharging firearms may be prohibited by posting to protect public safety.
- i. Pets must be on leashes no longer than 6 feet.
- e. Dogs on boats not required to be leashed.
- f. Dogs prohibited on N and E shores, except as aid in hunting.

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### **LOVE MEADOW WATCHABLE**

#### **WILDLIFE AREA - CHAFFEE CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Nathrop (8 miles S of Buena Vista on Hwy. 285), go W on CR 162 about 8 miles. Parking is on N side of road at the meadow.

**GMU/ACRES:** 481 / 11 acres

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing only

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### **LOWELL PONDS SWA - ADAMS CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** In Denver at 56th Way and Lowell Blvd.

**GMU:** 38

**FISHING:** warmwater

**RECREATION:** picnicking, hiking, wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Open 1 hour before sunrise to 1 hour after sunset; no time restrictions for fishing.
- b. Boating prohibited except float tubes for fishing. All boating prohibited on Sheets Lake.
- c. Hunting, discharging firearms or bows, camping, fires, dog training prohibited.

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### **MANVILLE SWA - JACKSON CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Walden, go 0.5 of a mile W on Hwy. 14 to CR 12W, go 5 miles W to CR 18, go 4.5 miles SW to CR 5, then go 0.125 of a mile S. Approximately 4.4 miles of river.

**GMU:** 16

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RESTRICTIONS:** hunting, bowfishing prohibited

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### **MASON FAMILY SWA - HINSDALE CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Powderhorn, go 14.7 miles S on CR 27 (Cebolla Creek Rd.).

**GMUs/ACRES:** 66, 67 / 1,429 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, elk, rabbit

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**FACILITIES:** vault toilets

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing, hiking, picnicking, camping

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### **McCLUSKEY SWA - DELTA CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Paonia's Onarga Avenue, go S on Lamborn Mesa Rd., which becomes 4100 Rd. At stop sign, turn right on Stewart Mesa Rd., which turns S and becomes 4050 Rd. At S end, road forks, turn left on L30 Rd.

**GMU/ACRES:** 53 / 1,600 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, elk, dusky grouse, rabbit

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Open only to hunt, fish or trap. Open May 1-end of regular big-game seasons.
- b. Camping, fires, dogs prohibited.

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### **MEEKER PASTURE SWA - RIO BLANCO CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Meeker, go 1.5 miles N on Hwy. 13 to CR8, then 2 miles E.

**GMU/ACRES:** 23 / 48 acres

**HUNTING:** waterfowl

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RECREATION:** picnicking, wildlife viewing

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### **MELON VALLEY SWA - OTERO CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** Go 2 miles N of Hwys. 71 and 50, then go 1 mile E of Hwy. 71 on Rd. 80.5.

**GMUs:** 125, 129

**RESTRICTIONS:** hunting limited to youth/mentor hunting; only 1 mentor per youth may hunt

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### **MESSEX SWA - WASHINGTON, LOGAN COs.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From I-76 at Merino exit, go 2

miles N to Hwy. 6, then 1.75 miles NE to CR R, then 1.5 miles N, then 0.5 of a mile W.

**GMU/ACRES:** 96 / 680 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, pheasant, turkey, quail, waterfowl

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Open 3 a.m.-9 p.m.; no time restrictions for hunters with night-hunting permit.
- b. Camping, fires prohibited.
- c. Target practice prohibited except when authorized by area wildlife manager.
- d. Discharging firearms or bows allowed only when hunting. Discharging bows allowed for bowfishing.
- e. Landowner permission required for deer hunting on Skaggs portion as posted.
- f. All recreational activities except deer hunting prohibited opening weekend of regular plains rifle deer season, and opening day and first weekend of late plains rifle deer season.
- g. One field trial may be authorized per year, in Feb., March, Aug., or Sept. Trials require landowner permission on easement. Trials in Sept. must be incidental to field trials on adjacent private property.
- h. Horses prohibited except when training hunting dogs and only allowed in Feb., March, April (through Wed. before spring turkey season opens) and Aug.
- i. Launching or taking out vessels prohibited from first day of teal season to last day of dark goose season.

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**MIDDLE TAYLOR CREEK SWA - CUSTER CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Westcliffe, go 8 miles W on Hermit Lakes Rd.

**GMU/ACRES:** 86 / 486 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, elk, dusky grouse

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RECREATION:** camping, hiking, wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** picnic tables

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**MIKE HIGBEE SWA - PROWERS CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Lamar, go 4 miles E on Hwy. 50.

**GMU/ACRES:** 132 / 876 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, rabbit, squirrel, pheasant, bobwhite quail, scaled quail, dove, waterfowl

**FISHING:** warmwater

**RECREATION:** camping, hiking, archery/rifle range

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Open 1 hour before sunrise to 1 hour after sunset, unless camping in designated areas or actively hunting or fishing.
- b. ATVs, dirt bikes prohibited.

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**MILLER RANCH SWA - GUNNISON CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Gunnison, go N on Hwy. 135, turn left and continue N on CR 730. Turn left at CR 7. SWA begins shortly after junction of CRs 7 and 7A.

**GMU/ACRES:** 54 / 1,604 acres

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Open Sept. 1-end of February. Access by foot or horseback only.
- b. N of CR 7: Closed except for youth/mentor hunting by permit. Maximum 4 free permits available daily, first come, first served. Permits available by reservation from CPW's Gunnison Area Office, 300 W. New York Ave., Gunnison, or call (970) 641-7060. Reservations may be made up to 30 days in advance but not less than 2 days before requested hunt date. With reservations, youths and mentors will receive map with access points and restrictions. Mentors cannot hunt.
- c. Camping, fires, dogs prohibited.
- d. Discharging firearms or bows prohibited in designated safety zones, as posted.

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**MITANI-TOKUYASU SWA - WELD CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Greeley, go 5 miles E on Hwy. 263.

**GMU/ACRES:** 951 / 68 acres

**HUNTING:** squirrel, dove, waterfowl

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Open Aug. 16-end of Feb., also open on during spring turkey hunting season.
- b. Parking only in designated area and spaces. During waterfowl season, parking area closed 1 hour after sunset to 4 a.m.
- c. Camping, fires prohibited.
- d. Discharging firearms or bows allowed only when hunting. Discharging bows allowed for bowfishing.
- e. Waterfowl hunting access limited to occupants of vehicles parked in designated areas.
- f. Launching or taking out vessels prohibited from first day of teal season to last day of dark goose season.

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**MOGENSEN PONDS SWA - MESA CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Molina, take Hwy. 330 W. SWA is on N side of highway after crossing Coon Creek.

**GMU:** 421

**FISHING:** warmwater lake

**HUNTING:** waterfowl from designated blinds

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Hunting, firearms prohibited, except for waterfowl from designated blinds.

- b. Camping, fires, motorized and non-motorized vehicles, pets, domestic animals prohibited.

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### **MOUNT EVANS SWA - CLEAR CREEK CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Denver, take I-70 W to Evergreen Pkwy. exit; go 6 miles S on Hwy. 74 to Evergreen Lake; turn right on Upper Bear Creek Rd. Go 6.5 miles W; turn right again on Upper Bear Creek Rd. (CR 480) and go 3 miles, following signs for SWA.

**GMU/ACRES:** 39 / 3,438 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, elk, dusky grouse, rabbit

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RECREATION:** picnicking, wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Open June 15-Dec. 31.
- Camping limited to 5 days in 45-day period in designated campgrounds, except in big-game seasons.
- Dogs prohibited except for hunting or on leash.
- Vehicles prohibited day after Labor Day-June 14 except in regular rifle deer and elk seasons.
- Groups of 25 or more must obtain a permit before use; 1 group allowed at a time.

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### **MOUNT OURAY SWA - CHAFFEE CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Salida, go 0.5 of a mile NW on Hwy. 291, then go 0.5 of a mile W on CR 154 and then 1.25 miles NW on CR 160.

**GMU/ACRES:** 56 / 231 acres

**FISHING:** coldwater stream, ponds, Arkansas River (access S of river only)

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Access from designated parking areas only.
- Closed S of CR 160.
- Camping, fires prohibited.
- Hunting allowed with shotguns, handheld bows only.

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### **MOUNT SHAVANO SFU - CHAFFEE CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Salida, go 0.5 of a mile NW on Hwy. 291 to CR 154, then go 0.5 of a mile W. **GMUs/ACRES:** 56 / 45 acres

**FISHING:** coldwater stream, coldwater lake

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing, limited tours

**FACILITIES:** rest room, drinking water

**RESTRICTIONS:** dogs prohibited

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### **MOUNT SHAVANO SWA - CHAFFEE CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Salida, go 0.5 of a mile NW on Hwy. 291 to CR 154. Wildlife area is along S side of Arkansas River, between Sand Lake and Mount Shavano SFU diversion dam above the SFU.

**GMU/ACRES:** 56 / 84 acres

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Closed S of CR 154.

- b. Camping, fires, discharging firearms prohibited.

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### **MOUNTAIN HOME RES. SWA - COSTILLA CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Fort Garland, go 2.5 miles E on Hwy. 160 to Trinchera Ranch Rd., then 2 miles S to Icehouse Rd., then go 1 mile W to N entrance. Or, continue 1 mile S to S entrance.

**GMU:** 83

**FISHING:** coldwater lake

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** rest room, boat ramp

**RESTRICTIONS:** waterskiing prohibited

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### **MURPHY SWA (FISHING LEASE) - JACKSON CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Walden, go 1 mile E on CR 12.

**GMU/ACRES:** 6 / 6 miles of river

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RESTRICTIONS:** fishing access only; hunting and other activities prohibited

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### **NAKAGAWA SWA - WELD CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Kersey, go 5 miles E on Hwy. 34 to CR 61, then 2 miles N.

**GMU:** 951

**HUNTING:** deer, rabbit, squirrel, pheasant, dove, waterfowl

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Camping, fires prohibited.
- Discharging firearms or bows allowed only when hunting.

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### **NARRAGUINNEP RES. SWA - MONTEZUMA CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Cortez, go 11 miles NW on Hwy. 491 to Hwy. 184, then go 2 miles E.

**GMU:** 711

**HUNTING:** waterfowl

**FISHING:** coldwater lake

**RECREATION:** boating, picnicking, wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** rest room, boat ramp

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Open 1 hour before sunrise to 1 hour after sunset; no time restrictions for fishing.
- Camping, fires, alcoholic beverages, glass containers prohibited.

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### **NARROWS SWA - LARIMER CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Hwy. 34, go W at Wilson Avenue 9.1 miles. SWA is on N, near mile marker 82.9.

**GMU:** 20

**RESTRICTIONS:**



- a. Open 1 hour before sunrise to 1 hour after sunset. Foot access only, no vehicles, from Nov. 1-March 31.
- b. Camping, fires, hunting, target shooting prohibited.

### **NORTH FORK SWA - LARIMER CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Drake, go 0.25 of a mile W on Devil's Gulch Rd.

**GMU:** 20

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RESTRICTIONS:** open for fishing only

### **NORTH LAKE SWA - LAS ANIMAS CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Trinidad, go 35 miles NW on Hwy. 12.

**GMUs/ACRES:** 85, 851 / 840 acres

**FISHING:** coldwater lake and stream

**HUNTING:** deer, elk, turkey, bear

**RECREATION:** picnicking, hiking, wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** rest rooms, boat ramp with parking

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Only float tubes or craft propelled by hand, wind or electric motor allowed.
- b. Camping, fires prohibited.

### **OAK RIDGE SWA - RIO BLANCO CO.**

**BEL AIRE UNIT:** From Meeker, go 21 miles E on CR 8 to CR 17 (Buford/Newcastle Rd.), then go 1.5 miles S.

**LAKE AVERY UNIT:** From Meeker, go 1.5 miles N on Hwy. 13 to CR 8, then go 19 miles E.

**SLEEPY CAT PONDS UNIT:** From Meeker, go 16 miles E on CR 8.

**SLEEPY CAT FISHING EASEMENT:** From Meeker, go 17 miles E on CR 8 to Sleepy Cat Guest Ranch.

**GMUs/ACRES:** 23, 24 / 13,664 total acres, all units

**HUNTING:** deer, elk, rabbit, dusky grouse, dove, waterfowl

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RECREATION:** camping, hiking, wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** campsites, rest room, drinking water, boat ramp

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Oak Ridge Unit open July 16-Nov. 30.
- b. Camping allowed only in designated areas.
- c. Sleepy Cat Ponds and Sleepy Cat Fishing Easement open only for fishing.
- d. Hunting prohibited except archery S of CR 8, W of CR 17, and N and E of CR 10.
- e. On Lake Avery, waterskiing and jet skis prohibited. Boating permitted only if it does not create whitewater wake.

### **ODD FELLOWS SWA (FISHING LEASE) - JACKSON CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Walden, go 0.5 of a mile W on Hwy. 14 to CR 12, then 5.1 miles W to CR 18, then 4.5 miles W to CR 5, then 0.5 of a mile N to CR 20, then 4.2 miles W to parking area. Follow signs S to river.

**GMU:** 16

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RESTRICTIONS:** camping, hunting prohibited

### **OGDEN/TREAT SWA (FISHING EASEMENT) - FREMONT CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Coaldale, go W on Hwy. 50 for 2 miles to CR 45, turn N and go 1.5 miles. Public access may not be on both sides of the river. Check for signs.

**GMUs:** 58, 86

**FISHING:** coldwater stream. Fishing access only.

### **ORCHARD MESA SWA - MESA CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Grand Junction, go S on Hwy. 50 to Orchard Mesa. Go N on Hwy. 141 (32 Rd.). Turn W on C Rd. Parking for SWA is between roads 30-31 along C Rd.

**GMU:** 41

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Access only from parking area on C Rd. between roads 30 and 31.
- b. Camping, fires, horses prohibited. Vehicles prohibited beyond parking area.
- c. Closed March 15-July 14 to protect nesting migratory birds.
- d. Waterfowl hunters must use designated blinds or zones. Maximum 4 hunters per blind. See the *2012 Waterfowl* brochure.
- e. No other small-game hunting allowed.
- f. Waterfowl hunting by reservation only. See "Reservation Procedures," (page 3) for details. Hunters must check in and out as posted.
- g. Hunt areas not reserved are available on first-come, first-served basis after 5 a.m. each hunt day. Reserved areas not occupied by 7 a.m. available on first-come, first-served basis. But any hunt area must be yielded upon request of a hunter with a valid reservation for the area.
- h. Deer hunting by permit only. Permit applications available from the Wildlife Area Office in Grand Junction, (970) 255-6100. Permits issued by drawing. Application deadline Aug. 1.
- i. Hunting with bows and shotguns with shotshells only.
- j. Dogs allowed only as hunting aid.

### **OVERLAND TRAIL SWA - LOGAN CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Atwood, go 0.5 of a mile S on Hwy. 63 to CR 16, then go E 0.5 of a mile.

**GMU/ACRES:** 96 / 192 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, rabbit, squirrel, pheasant, bobwhite quail, turkey, dove, waterfowl

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Access from designated parking areas only.
- b. Camping, fires prohibited.
- c. Target practice prohibited except when authorized by area wildlife manager.
- d. Discharging bows, firearms allowed only when hunting. Discharging bows allowed for bowfishing.
- e. All recreational activities except deer hunting are prohibited on opening weekend of regular plains rifle deer season, and opening day and first weekend of late plains rifle deer season.
- f. Horse use prohibited, except when training hunting dogs, and then only allowed in Feb., March, April (through the Weds. before opening of spring turkey season), and Aug.
- g. During regular duck season, all waterfowl and small-game hunters must check out at designated check station.
- h. Launching or taking out vessels prohibited from first day of teal season to last day of dark goose season.

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**OWL MOUNTAIN SWA - JACKSON CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Walden, go 13 miles SE on Hwy. 14 to CR 25, then go 6 miles SW.

**GMU/ACRES:** 171 / 920 acres

**HUNTING:** small game, big game

**RECREATION:** camping, wildlife viewing

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**OXBOW SWA - OTERO CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From La Junta, go 9 miles E on Hwy. 50 to CR 36, then go 0.5 of a mile N to parking area.

**GMU/ACRES:** 130 / 410 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, turkey, bobwhite quail, mourning dove

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

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**PADDOCK SWA - LAKE CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** SWA is in scattered parcels generally 2-5 miles S and SE of Leadville in Iowa, Thompson and Empire gulches. Accessible by CR 2 or CR 52. Acquire map and information from the Wildlife Area Office in Salida or the USFS Ranger Office in Leadville.

**GMU/ACRES:** 49 / 1,300 acres

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Access by foot only.
- b. Access restricted to hunting only during bighorn sheep, regular rifle deer, elk and bear seasons. Must have valid license for species being hunted.
- c. Camping, fires, dogs prohibited.
- d. Fishing allowed only in Iowa Gulch and Upper

Empire Gulch.

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**PARACHUTE PONDS SWA - GARFIELD CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From I-70, take exit 75, go SE on North Battlement Pkwy. Turn right at stoplight to get on the frontage road (Cardinal Way). Turn left on Colorado Avenue and go S. Colorado Avenue becomes Yampa Avenue. Turn left onto La Plata circle, SWA parking area is at end of circle.

**GMUs:** 32, 42

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Camping, fires, swimming prohibited.
- b. Float tubes permitted only for fishing.

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**PARVIN LAKE SWA - LARIMER CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Red Feather Lakes, go 2 miles E on Red Feather Lakes Rd.

**GMU/ACRES:** 191 / 62 water acres, 180 land acres

**HUNTING:** waterfowl

**FISHING:** coldwater lake

**RECREATION:** hiking, wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** rest room

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Boating prohibited except float tubes for fishing.
- b. Anglers must enter on foot through gate at check station and must check in and out at station if open.

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**PASTORIUS RES. SWA - LA PLATA CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Durango, go 8 miles E on Hwy. 160 to Hwy. 172, then go 2 miles S to CR 302, then 1 mile S to CR 304, then 0.5 of a mile W.

**GMU/ACRES:** 75 / 85 acres

**HUNTING:** waterfowl

**FISHING:** coldwater lake

**RECREATION:** picnicking, wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** rest room, boat ramp

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Only float tubes or craft propelled by hand or electric motor allowed.
- b. Camping, fires prohibited.
- c. Discharging firearms or bows allowed only when hunting.
- d. Hunting only on Sat., Sun. and Weds.

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**PERINS PEAK SWA - LA PLATA CO.**

**TRACT A:** From Durango, go 4 miles W on Hwy. 160 to CR 207 (Lightner Creek Rd.), turn right and go 2 miles N to CR 208 (Dry Fork Rd.).

**TRACT B:** From Durango, go 5 miles W on Hwy. 160 to Victory Coal Mine Rd., turn right and go 0.5 of a mile on access road (through private property).

**GMU/ACRES:** 74 / 7,720 total acres, both tracts

**HUNTING:** deer, elk, rabbit, squirrel, dusky grouse, turkey, black bear

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Tract B and portions of Tract A that are W of

CR 208 (Dry Fork Rd.) are open only April 1 through last day of regular deer and elk seasons.

- b. Tract A area E of CR 208 and N of Hwy. 160 open only July 16-last day of regular deer and elk seasons.
- c. Camping only during deer and elk seasons
- d. Discharging firearms allowed only for hunting
- e. Fires, snowmobiles prohibited

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### **PICEANCE SWA - RIO BLANCO, GARFIELD COS.**

**SQUARE S RANCH:** From Meeker, go 20 miles W on Hwy. 64 to CR 5 (Piceance Creek Rd.), then go 9 miles S to N edge of boundary.

**SQUARE S SUMMER RANGE:** From Meeker, go 20 miles W on Hwy. 64 to CR 5 (Piceance Creek Rd.), then go 17 miles S to CR 26 (Black Sulphur Creek Rd.), then 20 miles W to E entrance.

**YELLOW CREEK UNIT:** From Meeker, go 20 miles W on Hwy. 64 to CR 5 (Piceance Creek Rd.), then go 6 miles S to CR 20 (dirt road), then 5 miles W to Yellow Creek Rd.

**LITTLE HILLS EXPERIMENT STATION:** From Meeker, go 20 miles W on Hwy. 64 to CR 5 (Piceance Creek Rd.), then 7 miles S to CR 22.

Follow signs to station (3 miles).

**GMUs:** 11, 21, 22, 31

**HUNTING:** deer, elk, rabbit, dusky grouse, dove, waterfowl

**FISHING:** coldwater lake

**RECREATION:** camping in designated areas, wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** rest room, drinking water

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### **PIKES PEAK SWA - TELLER CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Gillette, go 2 miles S on dirt road; then 1.5 miles E to Bison Res. (NE of res.).

**GMU/ACRES:** 59 / 635 acres

**HUNTING:** bighorn sheep

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:** open July 16-March 31

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### **PIONEER PARK SWA - GRAND CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Granby, go W on Hwy. 40 to Hot Sulphur Springs. SWA is N of town and follows the W bank of the Colorado River.

**GMU:** 18

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### **PITKIN SFU - GUNNISON CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Gunnison, go 14 miles E on Hwy. 50 to Quartz Creek Rd., then go 14 miles E to Parlin and turn N.

**GMUs/ACRES:** 55, 551 / 48 acres

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing, limited tours

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Fishing only in Quartz Creek.

- b. Dogs prohibited.

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### **PLATEAU CREEK SWA - MESA CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Grand Junction, go E on I-70 to exit No. 49, then go 8 miles E on Hwy. 65 to Hwy. 330, go about 8 miles and turn left to Sunnyside Rd. (V Rd.), go 0.125 of a mile N.

**GMU/ACRES:** 421 / 1,346 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, elk, dove

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** rifle range

**RESTRICTIONS:** vehicles allowed only Aug. 2-Nov. 30.

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### **PLAYA BLANCA SWA - ALAMOSA CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Alamosa, go S on Hwy. 285. Turn W on CR 8.0S. SWA starts at junction of CRs 8.0S and 106 and goes NW.

**GMU:** 80

**RESTRICTIONS:** open Tues., Thurs., Sat. from Nov. 1-Jan. 30 in designated areas

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### **PONY EXPRESS SWA - SEDGWICK CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From I-76 at Julesburg exit (No. 180), go 0.1 of a mile N on Hwy. 385 to CR 28, then go 1.5 miles W on CR 28 to service road. Go 0.1 of a mile N to parking lot. Or, from Julesburg, go 0.7 of a mile W on Hwy. 138 to CR 39, then go 0.9 of a mile S on CR 39.

**GMU/ACRES:** 92 / 1,854 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, rabbit, squirrel, pheasant, bobwhite quail, turkey, waterfowl

**RECREATION:** hiking, wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Camping, fires prohibited.
- b. Target practice prohibited except when authorized by area wildlife manager.
- c. Discharging firearms or bows allowed only when hunting.
- d. All recreational activities except deer hunting are prohibited on opening weekend of regular plains rifle deer season, and opening day and first weekend of late plains rifle deer season.
- e. Horses prohibited except when training hunting dogs and only allowed in Feb., March, April (through Wed. before spring turkey season opens) and Aug.
- f. Launching or taking out vessels prohibited from first day of teal season to last day of dark goose season.

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### **POUDRE RIVER SFU - LARIMER CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From La Porte, go 5 miles N on Hwy. 287 to Hwy. 14, then 38 miles W.

**GMUs/ACRES:** 8, 19 / 460 acres

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RECREATION:** picnicking, hiking, wildlife view-

ing, limited tours

**FACILITIES:** rest room

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Camping, dogs, boat launching and takeouts prohibited.
- b. Hunting prohibited in designated safety zone as posted.

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**POUDRE RIVER SWA - LARIMER CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From La Porte, go 5 miles N on Hwy. 287 to Hwy. 14, then go 1.5 miles W.

**GMUs/ACRES:** 19, 191 / 395 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, rabbit

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RECREATION:** rafting, picnicking, hiking, wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** rest room

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Camping prohibited.
- b. Discharging firearms or bows allowed only when hunting. Discharging bows allowed for bowfishing.

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**PREWITT RES. SWA - WASHINGTON, LOGAN COS.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From I-76 and Merino exit, go 1 mile N to Hwy. 6, then 3.3 miles NE.

**GMU/ACRES:** 96 / 2,924 acres

**HUNTING:** waterfowl, pheasant, bobwhite quail, deer

**FISHING:** warmwater

**RECREATION:** camping, wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** rest room, boat ramp

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Anyone ages 19-64 must purchase an annual Jumbo Res./Prewitt Res. access permit to enter the property. Anyone who has a valid Colorado annual hunting or fishing license does NOT need to have an access permit. Permits are \$36, valid April 1-March 31, and available anywhere you can purchase CPW hunting and fishing licenses.
- b. Maximum of 250 vehicles on property at once.
- a. Boating prohibited if it creates a whitewater wake.
- b. Boating prohibited Oct. 1 through last day of regular goose season, except hand-propelled craft used to set and pick up decoys and retrieve downed waterfowl.
- b. Camping, fires prohibited as posted.
- c. Fishing allowed only from dam Oct. 1 through last day of waterfowl season. Ice fishing allowed only within 50 yards of dam during this time.
- e. Waterskiing, glass beverage containers prohibited. Sailing, windsurfing allowed only in July and Aug.
- f. Hunting prohibited from floating devices and as posted to protect resting waterfowl.

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**PUEBLO SFU - PUEBLO CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Pueblo, go 6 miles W of Pueblo Blvd. on Hwy. 96.

**GMU:** 84

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing, limited tours

**FACILITIES:** rest room, aquarium

**RESTRICTIONS:** dogs, hunting prohibited

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**PUEBLO RES. SWA - PUEBLO CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Pueblo, go 7 miles W on Hwy. 96.

**GMU/ACRES:** 84 / 11,864 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, rabbit, turkey, dove, waterfowl, scaled quail

**FISHING:** coldwater stream, coldwater lake

**RECREATION:** picnicking, hiking, wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** rest room, nature trail

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Camping, fires, target practice prohibited.
- b. Discharging firearms or bows prohibited, except shotguns or bows while hunting. Discharging bows allowed for bowfishing.
- c. Field trials may be authorized Feb., March, Aug., and Sept.

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**PUETT RES. SWA - MONTEZUMA CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Mancos, go 10 miles NW on Hwy. 184 to CR 33, then go 1 mile S to access trail, 1.5 miles E.

**GMU:** 73

**HUNTING:** waterfowl

**FISHING:** warmwater

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Camping, fires prohibited.
- b. Boating prohibited if it creates a whitewater wake.

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**PURGATOIRE RIVER SWA - BENT CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Hwys. 50 and 101 in Las Animas, go S 1 mile on Hwy. 101 to CR 10.75. Then go S on Rd. 10.75 to Rd. EE, then W to Rd. 9.5, then S 1 mile to property at Rds. DD and 9.5.

**GMU/ACRES:** 130 / 960 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, rabbit, squirrel, pheasant, bobwhite quail, scaled quail, turkey, dove, waterfowl

**RECREATION:** picnicking, hiking, wildlife viewing

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**QUEENS SWA - KIOWA CO.**

**LOWER QUEENS (NEESKAH):** From Eads, go 15 miles S on Hwy. 287 to CR C, then 3.5 miles E to Upper Queens. Follow access road S 2 miles.

**UPPER QUEENS:** From Eads, go 15 miles S on Hwy. 287 to CR C, then 3.5 miles E.

**NEE GRONDA:** From Eads, go 15 miles S on Hwy. 287 to CR C, then 1 mile.

**NEE SO PAH:** Closed as posted.

**NEE NOSHE:** From Eads, go 11 miles S on Hwy. 287 to Kiowa Co. boat ramp access road, then go 0.25 of a mile E to public boat ramp.

**GMUs/ACRES:** 126, 127 / 13,886 acres total

**HUNTING:** deer, rabbit, squirrel, pheasant, bobwhite quail, scaled quail, dove, waterfowl

**FISHING:** warmwater

**RECREATION:** powerboating, sail boating, sailsurfing, waterskiing, camping, wildlife viewing. Hand-launched vessels only due to low water levels.

**FACILITIES:** rest rooms, boat ramps

**RESTRICTIONS ON ALL UNITS:**

- a. Boating prohibited if it creates a whitewater wake in channel between Upper and Lower Queens.
- b. Boating prohibited in Lower Queens if it creates a whitewater wake from opening day of waterfowl season through Dec. 1.
- c. Hunters in Lower Queens, Upper Queens (including channel), Nee Gronda and Nee Noshe must check in and out at check station when open.
- d. Closed as posted in Lower Queens except to retrieve downed waterfowl Dec. 1 through last day of waterfowl season as posted.
- e. Closed as posted in Upper Queens (including the channel), Nee Gronda, Nee Noshe and Nee So Pah except to retrieve downed waterfowl Nov. 1-last day of waterfowl season.
- f. ATVs, dirt bikes prohibited on SWA.

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**RADIUM SWA - GRAND, EAGLE, ROUNTT COS.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Kremmling, go 2.5 miles S on Hwy. 9 to CR 1 (Trough Rd. to State Bridge), then go 12 miles SW.

**GMUs:** 15, 27, 361

**HUNTING:** deer, elk, rabbit, dusky grouse, dove, waterfowl, black bear, mountain lion

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RECREATION:** camping, wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** rest room

**RESTRICTIONS:** hunting prohibited in designated safety zone as posted

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**RALSTON CREEK SWA - JEFFERSON CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Golden, go 1 mile N on Hwy. 93 to Golden Gate Canyon Rd. Turn left and go W 13 miles up canyon. Turn right at Crawford Gulch, go 3-4 miles E, SWA parking is on right.

**GMU/ACRES:** 38 / 2,100 acres

**HUNTING:** big game, small game, furbearers

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Camping, fires prohibited.
- b. Discharging firearms allowed only for hunting.

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**RAMAH SWA - EL PASO CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Ramah, go 4 miles W on

Hwy. 24.

**GMU/ACRES:** 110 / 400 acres

**HUNTING:** small game, migratory waterfowl, deer

**FISHING:** warmwater

**RECREATION:** sail boating, wildlife viewing, archery range. *Note: As of Aug. 2012, the lake is currently dry.*

**FACILITIES:** boat ramp, rest room

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Boating prohibited Nov. 1 through last day of waterfowl season except float tubes or craft propelled by hand, wind or electric motor.
- b. Camping, fires, water contact activities prohibited.
- c. Discharge of firearms or bows allowed only when hunting. Centerfire rifles prohibited.
- d. No target practice except for archery equipment on established archery range.
- e. Discharging bows allowed for bowfishing.

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**RED DOG SWA - PROWERS CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Holly go N on CR 35 to Rd. JJ, then go E on Rd. JJ 2 miles.

**GMU/ACRES:** 127 / 570 acres

**HUNTING:** small game

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**RED LION SWA - LOGAN CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From I-76, take Red Lion exit (No. 155), then go 3 miles N to Hwy. 138, then 1 mile NE to CR 95, then go 0.25 of a mile N.

**GMUs/ACRES:** 90, 92 / 1,297 acres

**HUNTING:** rabbit, pheasant, dove, waterfowl (as posted), bobwhite quail, deer

**FISHING:** warmwater

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Access from designated parking areas only.
- b. Boating prohibited except float tubes or carry-on craft propelled by hand for fishing or hunting only.
- c. All boating prohibited Oct. 1-March 31 except hand-propelled craft to place or retrieve decoys or downed waterfowl.
- d. Fishing only from the dam Oct. 1-March 31. During this time ice fishing restricted to within 50 yards of dam.
- e. Camping, fires prohibited.
- f. Target practice prohibited except when authorized by area wildlife manager.
- g. Discharging firearms or bows allowed only when hunting. Discharging bows allowed for bowfishing.
- h. Hunting prohibited from frozen surface of lake and floating devices.
- i. During special late light goose season and conservation orders for light geese, light goose hunting allowed in area bounded on N by CR



970, on E by CR 97 (CR 1), on S by Hwy. 138 and on W by CR 95.

j. During regular duck season, all waterfowl and small-game hunting is by reservation only. See "Reservation Procedures," (page 3) for details. Maximum 4 people per reservation.

1. Hunters must check out as posted at check station by 2 p.m.
  2. Reservations regulated by areas. There are 9 waterfowl reservations, 3 small-game, 1 youth/mentor hunting only, with maximum 2 mentors and at least 1 youth per reservation. Mentors must be at least 18 and have a valid hunter education certificate. They are not required to hunt.
  3. Waterfowl and small-game hunting allowed only on Sat., Sun., Weds., Columbus Day (observed), Veterans Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day, New Year's Day and Martin Luther King, Jr. Day.
  4. All uses other than hunting prohibited during this time, except: a) fishing on Jumbo Annex and live trapping. No reservation required for trapping.
- k. Deer hunting allowed during established deer seasons. Deer hunters not required to check out at station but reservation is required. Reservations are unlimited in number.

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### RED MOUNTAIN SWA - GRAND CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** SWA is 2.5 miles E of Granby on CR 60. Public access available with permission from adjacent private landowner.

**GMU/ACRES:** 28 / 161 acres

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Open April 16-Nov. 14.
- b. Fires, motor vehicles prohibited.
- c. Dogs must be on a leash.

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### REDDY SWA (FISHING EASEMENT) - LAKE CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** SWA is about 7 miles S of Leadville on Hwy. 24, at the Arkansas River highway overpass.

**GMUs:** 48, 49

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Fishing only.
- b. Access allowed only within 30 feet of high-water line or as posted. Access only from Hwy. 24 overpass parking or Crystal Lake STL.
- c. Dogs prohibited.

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### RICHARD SWA - JACKSON CO.

**FISHING ACCESS:** from Walden, go 0.5 of a mile W on Hwy. 14 to CR 12W, then 8 miles W to CR 7. Then go 7 miles N to Lake John SWA. Go to S end of Lake John to parking lot.

**HUNTING ACCESS:** from Walden, go 0.5 of a

mile W on Hwy. 14 to CR 12W, then go 13.7 miles W to parking area. Hunting area E of CR 12W.

**GMUs/ACRES:** 16, 161 / 2,323 acres, 6 miles of river

**HUNTING:** big game, small game, waterfowl

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Camping prohibited.
- b. Hunting prohibited within 200 yards of buildings.

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### RIFLE FALLS SFU - GARFIELD CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Rifle, go 15 miles N on Hwy. 325.

**GMU/ACRES:** 33 / 600 acres

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing, limited tours

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Dogs, fires, rock climbing prohibited. Camping allowed only with hatchery manager's authorization.
- b. Hunting prohibited in designated safety areas.

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### RIO BLANCO LAKE SWA - RIO BLANCO CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Meeker, go 20 miles W on Hwy. 64.

**GMUs/ACRES:** 11, 22 / 383 acres

**HUNTING:** waterfowl, rabbit

**FISHING:** coldwater stream, warmwater lake

**RECREATION:** power boating, waterskiing, wildlife viewing, camping in designated area

**FACILITIES:** rest room, boat ramp

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Field trials may be authorized Feb., March, Aug. and Sept.
- b. Waterskiing permitted June 16-end of Feb.

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### RIO GRANDE SWA - RIO GRANDE CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Monte Vista, go 3 miles E on Sherman Avenue.

**GMU/ACRES:** 791 / 935 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, rabbit, dove, waterfowl

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RECREATION:** hiking, wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** rest room, parking areas

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Open July 16-Feb. 14. Area wildlife manager may authorize access during closure if it won't harm nesting or wintering birds.
- b. Fires, bowfishing prohibited.
- c. Camping only in parking areas with toilets.
- d. Area wildlife manager may post closures to manage hunting pressure and safety during waterfowl seasons.

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### RIO GRANDE RIVER SWA (DEL NORTE FISHING EASEMENTS) - RIO GRANDE CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Del Norte, take Hwy. 160 W. SWA is on N side of Hwy. 160 and starts just

past town of Hanna.

**GMU:** 79

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Fishing only.
- b. Camping prohibited.

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**RITO HONDO RES. SWA - HINSDALE CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Creede, go 35 miles W on Hwy. 149 to USFS Rd. 513, then go 2 miles NW to fork. Take right fork 200 yards N.

**GMU:** 76

**FISHING:** coldwater lake

**RECREATION:** camping, wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** rest room, campgrounds

**RESTRICTIONS:** Only float tubes or craft propelled by hand, wind or electric motor allowed.

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**ROAD CANYON RES. SWA - HINSDALE CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Creede, go 25 miles W on Hwy. 149 to USFS Rd. 520, then go 4 miles W.

**GMU:** 76

**FISHING:** coldwater lake

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** rest room, drinking water, boat ramp

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Camping prohibited.
- b. Boating prohibited if it creates a whitewater wake.

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**ROARING FORK SWA - GARFIELD CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** Three SWA parcels are along the Roaring Fork River between Carbondale and Glenwood Springs. **WESTBANK PARCEL:** At intersection of CRs 109 and 154. **BURRY PARCEL:** At mile marker 9 on Hwy. 82. **GIANINETTI PARCEL:** Entrance is 100 yards E of intersection of Hwys. 82 and 133. For coldwater fishing access.

**GMUs:** 43, 444

**RESTRICTIONS:** camping, fires, discharging firearms prohibited

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**ROARING JUDY SFU - GUNNISON CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Gunnison, go 15 miles NW on East River.

**GMUs/ACRES:** 54, 55 / 778 acres

**FISHING:** coldwater stream, pond fishing

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing, limited tours

**FACILITIES:** rest room

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Open for fishing from sunrise to sunset only.
- b. Camping, fires prohibited.
- c. Target practice only in designated areas.
- d. Discharging firearms prohibited in designated safety zone.

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**ROCK CREEK SWA - ROUNTT, GRAND COs.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Kremmling, go 6 miles N on Hwy. 40 to Hwy. 134, then go 12 miles W over

Gore Pass to USFS Rd. 206, then 2.5 miles SW.

**GMU:** 15

**HUNTING:** deer, elk, rabbit, dusky grouse, waterfowl

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RECREATION:** camping, hiking, wildlife viewing

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**ROCKY FORD SWA - OTERO CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Rocky Ford, go 2 miles NE on Hwy. 266, cross the bridge and turn E on CR 80.5. 550 acres.

**MCCLELLAND TRACT:** Go 1.25 miles farther E from above directions.

**GMUs/ACRES:** 125, 129 / 1,142 acres total

**HUNTING:** deer, rabbit, pheasant, bobwhite

quail, dove, waterfowl

**FISHING:** warmwater

**RECREATION:** camping, hiking, wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** rest rooms

**RESTRICTIONS:** fires prohibited

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**ROEBER SWA - DELTA CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Paonia on Onarga Ave, go S on Lamborn Mesa Rd. to Minerich Rd. Go 1 mile S on Minerich Rd. to parking lot.

**GMU/ACRES:** 53 / 1,030 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, elk, rabbit

**FISHING:** coldwater lake

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Open only to hunting or fishing.
- b. Open May 1 through last day of regular big-game season.
- c. Camping, fires, dogs, bowfishing prohibited.
- d. Discharging firearms and hunting prohibited in open space easement.

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**ROSEMONT RES. SWA - TELLER CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Divide, go 15 miles S on Hwy. 67 to Gold Camp Rd. near Victor, then 20 miles E.

**GMU/ACRES:** 59 / 357 acres

**FISHING:** coldwater lake

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** rest rooms

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Open May 11-Oct. 31.
- b. Foot access only from established parking areas.
- c. Fishing permitted from 5 a.m.-9 p.m.
- d. Closed near dam, caretaker's house and N side of reservoir as posted.
- e. Boating, camping, dogs, fires, picnicking, water contact activities prohibited.

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**RUNYON/FOUNTAIN LAKES SWA - PUEBLO CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Pueblo, go S on I-25 to exit 98-A, then go S on Santa Fe to Runyon Field, then go E on Runyon Field Rd. 0.5 of a mile.

**GMU/ACRES:** 123 / 88 acres

**FISHING:** warmwater, coldwater fishing

**RECREATION:** picnicking, hiking, wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** rest rooms, nature trail, hand-capped fishing dock

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Open sunrise to sunset; no time restrictions for fishing.
- Camping, fires, water contact activities prohibited.
- Boating allowed with float tubes or carry-on craft propelled by hand for fishing only.

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### **RUSSELL LAKES SWA - SAGUACHE CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Saguache, go 9 miles S on Hwy. 285 to CR R, then go 1.5 miles E.

**GMU/ACRES:** 682 / 4,579 acres

**HUNTING:** rabbit, dove, waterfowl

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Closed Feb. 15-July 15 and otherwise as posted. Sect. 29 closed during waterfowl seasons.
- Closed after 1 p.m. during first split waterfowl season.
- Camping only in self-contained units in designated areas.
- Field trials may be authorized Feb., March, Aug. and Sept.
- Parking only in established parking areas.
- Bowfishing prohibited.

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### **SAN LUIS LAKES SWA - ALAMOSA CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Alamosa, go 13 miles N on Hwy. 17 to Sand Dunes Monument Rd., then go 8 miles E to access road, then go 0.25 of a mile N.

**GMU:** 82

**HUNTING:** waterfowl, dove

**FISHING:** coldwater lake

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** boat ramp, parking areas

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Boating prohibited N of buoy line. Closed Feb. 15-July 15 N of buoy line and E-W fence line.
- Camping prohibited N of buoy line and E-W fence line.

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### **SAN MIGUEL SWA (APPLEBAUGH FISHING EASEMENT) - SAN MIGUEL CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Placerville, go 0.75 of a mile S on Hwy. 145.

**GMU:** 70

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

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### **SANCHEZ RES. SWA - COSTILLA CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From San Luis, go 3 miles E on Hwy. 152 to Hwy. 242, then go 5.2 miles S.

**GMU:** 83

**FISHING:** warmwater lake

**FACILITIES:** rest room, boat ramp

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Open only for fishing.
- Hunting, waterskiing, bowfishing prohibited.
- Camping prohibited in boat ramp parking area.
- All crayfish must be returned to the water they came from immediately, or killed and taken into possession as soon as caught. Abdomen must be separated from the tail.

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### **SAND DRAW SWA - SEDGWICK CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From I-76 at Julesburg (No. 180), go 8 miles S on Hwy. 385 to CR 16, turn E to CR 49 and go 1 mile S.

**GMU/ACRES:** 93 / 209 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, rabbit, pheasant, dove

**RECREATION:** hiking, wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Camping, fires prohibited.
- Target practice prohibited except when authorized by area wildlife manager.
- Discharging firearms or bows allowed only when hunting.
- Hunting open only to youth/mentors. One mentor per youth may hunt.

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### **SANDS LAKE SWA - CHAFFEE CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Salida, go 0.5 of a mile NW on Hwy. 291. SWA is E of highway, opposite Heart of the Rockies Regional Medical Center.

**GMU:** 56

**FISHING:** coldwater lake

**FACILITIES:** rest room

**RESTRICTIONS:** camping prohibited

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### **SANDSAGE SWA - YUMA CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Wray, go 4.5 miles W on Hwy. 34 to CR 35, then 0.25 of a mile W to CR CC. Then go 0.5 of a mile S.

**GMU:** 101

**HUNTING:** rabbit, squirrel, pheasant, bobwhite quail, dove, waterfowl, turkey, deer

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RECREATION:** hiking, wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Camping, fires prohibited.
- Hunting allowed only with shotguns or bows.
- Target practice prohibited except when authorized by area wildlife manager.
- Discharging firearms or bows allowed only when hunting. Discharging bows allowed for bowfishing.

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### **SAPINERO SWA - GUNNISON CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Gunnison, go 15 miles W on Hwy. 50. Access from Hwy. 50 at Rainbow Lake,

Red Creek, East Elk Creek and Dry Gulch roads.

**GMU/ACRES:** 54 / 7,129 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, elk, rabbit, dusky grouse

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:** snowmobiles allowed only on main road (Rainbow Lake Road)

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### SARVIS CREEK SWA - ROUTT CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Steamboat Springs, go 4.5 miles S on Hwy. 131 to CR 18, then 7 miles SE.

**GMU/ACRES:** 15 / 309 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, elk, rabbit, dusky grouse, waterfowl

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RECREATION:** hiking, wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** rest room

**RESTRICTIONS:** camping and campfires allowed only 3 days before regular big-game seasons until 3 days after regular big-game seasons

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### SAWHILL PONDS - BOULDER CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From I-25 take Hwy. 7 W. Turn N on 75th Street. SWA is W of 75th Street after crossing Valmont Drive.

**GMU:** 29

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Open 5 a.m.-midnight.
- Dogs must be on 6-foot leash, controlled by handler, except in designated areas.
- Motorized, non-motor vehicles (including bicycles) prohibited beyond designated parking areas.
- Hunting, boating, belly boats prohibited. Other activities prohibited as posted.
- Horseback riding only on established maintenance roads.
- Collecting allowed only with authorized permit.

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### SEDGWICK BAR SWA - SEDGWICK CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Sedgwick, go 2 miles NE on Hwy. 138 to access road, then go 0.5 of a mile S.

**GMU/ACRES:** 92 / 885 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, rabbit, squirrel, pheasant, bobwhite quail, dove, waterfowl, turkey

**RECREATION:** hiking, wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Camping, fires prohibited.
- Discharging firearms or bows allowed only when hunting. Discharging bows allowed for bowfishing.
- Target practice prohibited except when authorized by area wildlife manager.
- All recreational activities except deer hunting are prohibited on opening weekend of regular plains rifle deer season, and opening day and first weekend of late plains rifle deer season.
- Horses prohibited except when training hunting dogs and only allowed in Feb., March,

April (through Wed. before spring turkey season opens) and Aug.

- Launching or taking out vessels prohibited from first day of teal season to last day of dark goose season.

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### SEGO SPRINGS SWA - CONEJOS CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Manassa, go 3 miles E on Hwy. 142 to access road, then go 0.5 of a mile N.

**GMU/ACRES:** 81 / 640 acres

**HUNTING:** rabbit, dove, waterfowl

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Open July 16-Feb. 14.
- Field trials may be authorized Aug. and Sept.
- Fires, bowfishing prohibited.

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### SETCHFIELD SWA - BENT CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Hwys. 50 & 101 in Las Animas, take Hwy. 101 S 16 miles to CR P. Go W on CR P 1 mile to CR 11, then go S 6 miles on CRs 11 and 10.

**GMU/ACRES:** 130 / 2,438 acres

**HUNTING:** pronghorn, rabbit, bobwhite quail, scaled quail, dove

**RECREATION:** picnicking, wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:** camping, fires prohibited

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### SEYMOUR LAKE SWA - JACKSON CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Walden, go 14 miles SW on Hwy. 14 to CR 28, then go 1 mile S to CR 11, then 3 miles S to CR 11A and 0.5 of a mile W.

**GMU/ACRES:** 17 / 81 water acres

**HUNTING:** waterfowl

**FISHING:** coldwater lake

**RECREATION:** camping, wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** rest room, boat ramp

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Boating prohibited if it creates a whitewater wake.
- Sailboards prohibited.

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### SHARPTAIL RIDGE SWA - DOUGLAS CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** Take Hwy. 85 S toward Roxborough Park. Turn W on Titan Pkwy., merge into Titan Rd. Turn S on Roxborough Park Drive. SWA is near end of road (before it curves W). SWA extends S.

**GMU:** 51

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Day use only. Foot access only.
- Camping prohibited.
- Hunting allowed only for deer and elk by permit. Hunters must have limited deer or elk license for GMU 51 before applying for permit. Maximum 2 hunters daily. Group applications allowed for max. 2 hunters per

group. Permits valid only 2-3 days starting after Labor Day weekend. Permits issued by drawing. Application deadline: 5 p.m. Aug. 9, 2012, available at the Wildlife Area Office in Denver, (303) 291-7227. Permit holders can take 1 non-hunting person, that person must stay with hunters at all times. Hunters can park in parking area behind gate during times they are allowed to hunt. Driving elsewhere on property prohibited.

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### NEW! SHRIVER-WRIGHT SWA - RIO GRANDE CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Monte Vista, go 3 miles E on Sherman Ave.

**GMU/ACRES:** 791 / 120 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, rabbit, dove, waterfowl

**FISHING:** coldwater river

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing, photography

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Fires, bowfishing prohibited.
- Camping allowed only in parking areas with self-contained trailers or campers.
- Area wildlife manager may post area-specific closures to manage waterfowl hunting pressure and for safety.

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### SIMMONS SWA - YUMA CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Wray, go S 5 mi. on Hwy. 385 to CR 30. Go E about 1 mile on paved road, turn S following paved road, turn E onto CR JJ, continue 0.5 of a mile E to parking lot.

**GMU:** 102

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Open Sept. 1-May 31.
- Foot access only.
- Camping, fires, dog training prohibited.
- Target practice prohibited except when authorized by area wildlife manager.

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### SIMPSON PONDS SWA - LARIMER CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From I-25 at Hwy. 402 exit (No. 255), go 2 miles W on Hwy. 402 to CR 9E, then go 0.5 of a mile N.

**GMU/ACRES:** 20 / 44 acres

**HUNTING:** dove, waterfowl

**FISHING:** warmwater

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Open 1 hour before sunrise to 1 hour after sunset; no time restrictions for fishing or hunters with a night-hunting permit.
- Camping, fires, dog training, horseback riding, bicycling prohibited.
- Boating prohibited except float tubes for fishing.
- Discharging firearms or bows allowed only when hunting. Discharging bows allowed for bowfishing.

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### SKAGUAY RES. SWA - TELLER CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Victor, go 0.5 of a mile E on CR 67 to CR 86, then go 2 miles E to CR 861. Go 12 miles E to SWA.

**GMU/ACRES:** 59 / 715 acres

**FISHING:** coldwater lake

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** rest rooms, boat ramps

**RESTRICTIONS:** boating prohibited if it creates a whitewater wake

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### SMITH RES. SWA - COSTILLA CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Blanca, go 0.5 of a mile W on Hwy. 160 to Airport Rd., then 4 miles S.

**GMU:** 83

**HUNTING:** waterfowl

**FISHING:** coldwater lake

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** trailer dump station, rest room, boat ramp

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- N and E shores open only July 16-Feb. 14.
- Fishing only within 200 yards of dam from Nov. 1 through end of waterfowl season.
- Field trials may be authorized Feb., March, Aug. and Sept.
- Waterskiing prohibited.
- Vehicles prohibited within 50 feet of water.

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### NEW! SMYTH SWA - CHAFFEE CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Poncha Springs, go 6 miles N on Hwy. 285. Then go 0.125 of a mile E and N on CR 191. Turn right at sign, parking at end of access road.

**GMU/ACRES:** 56 / 10 acres

**FISHING:** public access for fishing only on W side of Arkansas River

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### SOUTH REPUBLICAN SWA - YUMA CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Burlington, go 21 miles N on Hwy. 385 to CR 1, then go 3 miles E. Go 2 miles N and 2 miles E.

**GMUs/ACRES:** 103, 109 / 18,365 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, rabbit, squirrel, turkey, pheasant, bobwhite quail, dove, waterfowl, snipe

**FISHING:** warmwater lake

**RECREATION:** power boating, sail boating, sail surfing, waterskiing, camping, wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** campsites, trailer dump station, rest rooms, drinking water, boat ramps, picnic area with barbecue pit

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Field trials may be authorized Feb., March, Aug. and Sept. No more than 2 trials may be authorized Feb.-March. Only 1 trial may be authorized Aug.-Sept.
- Waterfowl hunting prohibited on downstream



- face of dam and as posted.
- c. Parking for waterfowl hunting only in designated areas.
- d. Waterfowl hunting prohibited as posted.

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### **SPANISH PEAKS SWA - LAS ANIMAS CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Aguilar, go W on Apishapa Rd.; follow signs.

**GMU/ACRES:** 85 / 6,450 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, elk, rabbit, squirrel, turkey

**RECREATION:** camping, hiking, wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** rest rooms, drinking water

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Access only from established parking areas.  
Parking only in designated areas.
- b. Camping, fires permitted only in designated areas.

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### **SPINNEY MOUNTAIN SWA - PARK CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Hartsel, go 3 miles S on CR 59.

**GMUs/ACRES:** 58, 581 / 1,937 acres

**HUNTING:** waterfowl

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:** camping, fires prohibited

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### **SPRING CREEK RES. SWA - GUNNISON CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Gunnison go N on Hwy. 135 to Almont. Turn right on CR 742, travel 6 miles to Spring Creek. Turn left on CR 744 and go 14 miles.

**GMU:** 55

**FISHING:** coldwater lake

**RECREATION:** camping, fishing, wildlife viewing

**ACCESS:** limited to summer travel, usually July-Oct.

**FACILITIES:** USFS campsites, drinking water, rest rooms, boat ramp

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### **STALKER LAKE SWA - YUMA CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Wray, go 2 miles W on Hwy. 34 to CR FF, then go 1.5 miles N to access road, then 0.5 of a mile W.

**GMU/ACRES:** 98 / 75 acres

**HUNTING:** pheasant, bobwhite quail, dove, waterfowl

**FISHING:** coldwater lake, warmwater lake

**RECREATION:** picnicking, hiking, wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** rest room, boat ramp, picnic shelters, tables

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Only float tubes or craft propelled by hand, wind or electric motor allowed.
- b. Camping, fires prohibited.
- c. Hunting only with shotguns or bows.
- d. Discharging firearms or bows allowed only

when hunting. Discharging bows allowed for bowfishing.

e. Target practice prohibited except when authorized by area wildlife manager.

f. Hunting on W half of lake prohibited. Hunting permitted from closed area E to dam until Oct. 31.

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### **STORM MOUNTAIN ACCESS ROAD - LARIMER CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Masonville, go 3.25 miles NW on CR 27 to road.

**GMU:** 20

**RESTRICTIONS:** closed as posted when necessary to prevent road and habitat damage. Road closed when USFS closes the gate, usually around Dec. 1.

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### **SUMMIT RES. SWA - MONTEZUMA CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Mancos, go 9 miles NW on Hwy. 184.

**GMU:** 73

**HUNTING:** waterfowl

**FISHING:** warmwater

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** rest room, boat ramp

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Camping, fires prohibited.
- b. Boating prohibited if it creates a whitewater wake.

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### **TAMARACK RANCH SWA - LOGAN CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From I-76 at Crook exit (No. 149), go 0.5 of a mile N on Hwy. 55.

**GMUs/ACRES:** 91, 93 / 10,696 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, rabbit, squirrel, pheasant, bobwhite quail, dove, waterfowl, turkey

**RECREATION:** hiking, wildlife viewing, limited camping

**FACILITIES:** rest room, drinking water

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Camping only in designated area.
- b. Fires only in designated camping area.
- c. Field trials may be authorized Feb., March, Aug. and Sept. No more than 3 trials may be authorized Feb.-March and Aug., and only 1 in Sept.
- d. Mandatory check station with assigned parking spots. Hunters must stay at assigned area until 9 a.m., then can walk to adjacent areas and hunt. Deer and turkey hunters required only to check into E or W Tamarack, Unit 91. At S Tamarack, S of I-76, Unit 93, mandatory check in and out.
- e. Reservations available but not required on weekends as listed and Columbus Day (observed), Veterans Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas, New Year's Day, Martin Luther King Jr. Day and Presidents Day.

See "Reservation Procedures," (page 3) for details. The first hunt date available for reservations is the Sat. after Oct. 24 and the last date available is the last Sun. of regular duck season. Weekdays, weekends and holidays outside the reservation period and any unreserved or open units are available for hunting without reservations and are regulated through check station. Hunters must check in and check out as posted.

- f. Target practice prohibited except when authorized by area wildlife manager.
- g. Discharging firearms or bows allowed only when hunting. Discharging bows allowed for bowfishing.
- h. All recreational activities except deer hunting are prohibited on opening weekend of regular plains rifle deer season, and opening day and first weekend of late plains rifle deer season.
- i. Horses prohibited N of I-76 except when training hunting dogs and then only allowed in Feb., March, April (through Wed. before spring turkey season opens) and Aug.
- j. Launching or taking out vessels prohibited from first day of teal season to last day of dark goose season.

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### **TARRYALL RES. SWA - PARK CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Jefferson, go 16.5 miles SE on CR 77.

**GMUs/ACRES:** 50, 501 / 886 acres (175 acres of water)

**HUNTING:** deer, elk, waterfowl

**FISHING:** coldwater lake, stream fishing

**RECREATION:** camping

**FACILITIES:** rest room, boat ramp

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Closed at dam, spillway, outlet structures.
- b. Boating prohibited if it creates whitewater wake.

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### **TAYLOR RIVER SWA - GUNNISON CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Gunnison, go 10 miles N on Hwy. 135 to USFS Rd. 742 (Taylor River Rd.); then 18 miles E to base of Taylor Res.

**GMU:** 55

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Camping, fires, hunting prohibited.
- b. Parking only in designated areas.
- c. Closed from Taylor dam to 325 yards downstream.

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### **TERRACE RES. SWA - CONEJOS CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Monte Vista, go 12 miles S on Hwy. 15 to USFS Rd. 250, then 9 miles W.

**GMUs:** 80, 81

**FISHING:** coldwater lake

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

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### **TETER-MICHIGAN CREEK SWA - PARK CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Jefferson, 2 miles S on Hwy. 285, then go 2 miles N on CR 35.

**GMU/ACRES:** 500 / 950 acres

**HUNTING:** big game, waterfowl

**FISHING:** coldwater stream fishing

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:** camping, fires prohibited

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### **THURSTON RES. SWA - PROWERS CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Lamar, go 9 miles N on Hwy. 196 to CR TT, then go 1 mile W to CR 7, then go 0.25 of a mile N.

**GMU/ACRES:** 127 / 400 acres

**HUNTING:** dove, waterfowl, rabbit

**FISHING:** warmwater

**RECREATION:** power boating, sail boating, sail surfing, waterskiing, camping, wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** boat ramps, rest room

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Open 1 hour before sunrise to 1 hour after sunset; no time restrictions for fishing.
- b. Boating prohibited if it creates whitewater wake Nov. 1 through last day of waterfowl season.
- c. ATVs, dirt bikes, snowmobiles prohibited.
- d. Frozen surface of lake closed.
- e. Dams, inlets, outlet structures open only for fishing.

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### **TILMAN BISHOP SWA - MESA CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** Take I-70 W toward Grand Junction. Exit Hwy. 6 to Palisade. Turn S on 38 Road, merge into F 1/4 Road. SWA along river N of junction of roads F 1/4 and 37 1/4.

**GMUs:** 30, 41

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Closed during nesting and migratory bird period, March 15-July 14.
- b. Camping, turkey hunting prohibited. Dogs prohibited except as an aid to hunting.
- c. Waterfowl hunters must hunt from designated blinds/zone. Maximum 4 hunters per blind. Mandatory check in and out at station.
- d. Hunting only with bows and shotguns with shot-shells only.
- e. Deer hunting allowed by permit. Applications available at the Wildlife Area Office in Grand Junction (970) 255-6100. Application deadline is Aug. 1. Permits by drawing; successful applicants notified by mail. Date, time and location of drawing included on application.
- f. Waterfowl hunting by reservation only. See "Reservation Procedures," (page 3) for details.
- g. Hunt areas not reserved are available on first-

come, first-served basis after 5 a.m. each hunt day. Reserved areas unoccupied by 7 a.m. also available on first-come, first-served basis. Any hunt area must be yielded upon request of hunter holding valid reservation for that area.

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### **TIMPAS CREEK SWA (INCLUDING OTERO POND) - OTERO CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Rocky Ford, go 4 miles S on Hwy. 71 to Hwy. 10, then 2 miles E across Timpas Creek Bridge, then go 1 mile S on CR 21, then 1 mile W on CR Z.

**GMU/ACRES:** 135 / 141 acres

**HUNTING:** rabbit, squirrel, pheasant, bobwhite quail, dove, waterfowl

**FISHING:** warmwater

**RECREATION:** camping, wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:** fires prohibited

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### **TOMAHAWK SWA - PARK CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Hartsel, go 5 miles N on Hwy. 9, then go 0.5 of a mile to parking area. Or: from Fairplay, go 10 miles S on Hwy. 9, then 0.5 of a mile to parking area.

**GMU/ACRES:** 50 / 1,655 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, elk, rabbit, waterfowl, pronghorn

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:** camping, fires prohibited

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### **TOMICHI CREEK SWA - GUNNISON CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** In Gunnison, go S on Teller St. to end of road. At parking lot for softball fields, find W Mountain trailhead sign. Take the dirt road to the SWA parking lot.

**GMU/ACRES:** 67 / 465 acres

**HUNTING:** waterfowl

**FISHING:** coldwater

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Access by foot only from designated points.
  - Access restricted south of Tomichi Creek to 100 feet S of high water line from Jan. 1-June 30, as posted.
  - Camping, fires prohibited.
  - Dogs must be on leash, except as aid in hunting.
  - Discharging firearms or bows prohibited in designated safety zones, as posted.
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### **TOTTEN RES. SWA - MONTEZUMA CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Cortez, go 3.5 miles E on Hwy. 160 to CR 29, then 1 mile N.

**GMU:** 73

**HUNTING:** waterfowl

**FISHING:** warmwater

**RECREATION:** picnicking, wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** rest room, boat ramp

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Open 1 hour before sunrise to 1 hour after sunset; no time restrictions for fishing.
  - Closed along N shore March 1-May 31.
  - Camping, fires, alcoholic beverages, glass containers prohibited.
  - Hunting prohibited in inlet Sept. 30-Jan. 20 as posted to protect resting waterfowl.
  - Boating prohibited if it creates a whitewater wake.
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### **TRUJILLO MEADOWS SWA - CONEJOS CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Antonito, go 36 miles W on Hwy. 17 to USFS Rd. 118, then go 4 miles W.

**GMU:** 81

**FISHING:** coldwater lake

**RECREATION:** camping, wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** rest room, drinking water

**RESTRICTIONS:** boating prohibited if it creates a whitewater wake

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### **TURK'S POND SWA - BACA CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Springfield, go 2 miles N on Hwy. 287 to CR HH, then go 14 miles E to CR 39. Go 3.5 miles N.

**GMU/ACRES:** 139 / 200 acres

**HUNTING:** dove, pheasant, waterfowl, rabbit

**FISHING:** warmwater

**RECREATION:** picnicking, wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Boating prohibited except float tubes or craft propelled by hand, wind or electric motor.
  - Camping and fires prohibited.
  - Closed near pond and administrative building except to retrieve downed waterfowl from opening day of waterfowl season through end of Feb.
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### **TWIN SISTERS SWA - LARIMER CO.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Allenspark, go 4 miles N on Hwy. 7 to Meeker Park (USFS Rd. 119), then go 2.5 miles N to USFS Rd. 325, then 1 mile W.

**GMU/ACRES:** 20 / 640 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, elk, dusky grouse

**RECREATION:** hiking, wildlife viewing

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### **TWO BUTTES RES. SWA - BACA, POWERS COs.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From Springfield, go 18 miles N on Hwy. 287 to CR B.5, then 3 miles E.

**GMUs/ACRES:** 138, 139 / 8,533 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, pronghorn, rabbit, pheasant, bobwhite quail, scaled quail, dove, waterfowl

**FISHING:** warmwater

**RECREATION:** camping, hiking, rock climbing, wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** rest rooms, drinking water, rifle range, boat ramps

**RESTRICTIONS:** boating prohibited in Two

Buttes Ponds below dam except float tubes or craft propelled by hand, wind or electric motor

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### VAIL DEER UNDERPASS SWA - EAGLE CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Vail, go 4 miles W on S side of frontage road of I-70.

**GMUs:** 36, 45

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Open June 16-Oct. 31.
- Hunting prohibited.

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### VAN TUYL SWA - GUNNISON CO.

**CABIN CREEK UNIT:** From Gunnison, go 6.5 miles E on Hwy. 50, then go 0.2 of a mile N on BLM Rd. 3107. 200 acres

**LOST CANYON UNIT:** From Gunnison, go 1.2 miles N on Hwy. 135, turn E and take CR 10 for 3 miles. Turn E on CR 743 and go about 6 miles to SWA. 310 acres

**GMU/ACRES:** 55 / 510 total acres

**HUNTING:** deer, elk, dusky grouse

**RECREATION:** camping, hiking, wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:** BLM road closures March 1-May 15. Motorized travel, including over the snow, restricted to BLM Rd. 3107 (Cabin Creek) and CR 743 (Lost Canyon).

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### VERNER SWA - JACKSON CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Walden, go 0.5 of a mile W on Hwy. 14 to CR 12, then go 5.1 miles W to CR 18, then 0.5 of a mile W to access road. SWA is 1 mile of river.

**GMU:** 16

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RESTRICTIONS:** open for fishing only

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### WAHATOYA SWA - HUERFANO CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From LaVeta, go 1 mile E on Bear Creek Rd.

**GMU/ACRES:** 85 / 80 acres

**FISHING:** coldwater lake

**RECREATION:** picnicking, hiking, wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** rest room

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Boating prohibited except float tubes or craft propelled by hand or wind.
- Camping, fires prohibited.

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### WALKER SWA - MESA CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Grand Junction, go 2 miles W on Hwys. 6 and 50, turn S on River Rd., go 0.5 of a mile and turn S on gravel road.

**GMUs/ACRES:** 30, 40 / 351 acres

**FISHING:** warmwater

**RECREATION:** rafting, canoeing, wildlife viewing, interpretive program

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Open a half hour before sunrise until a half hour after sunset.
- Camping, fires, dogs, hunting, trapping prohibited.
- Discharging firearms or bows prohibited. Bows permitted for bowfishing.

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### WARD ROAD POND SWA - JEFFERSON CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** In Denver at I-70 and Ward Rd.

**GMU:** 38

**FISHING:** warmwater

**FACILITIES:** rest room

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Open for fishing only.
- Only float tubes or craft propelled by hand allowed.
- Camping, fires, hunting, dog training, discharging firearms or bows prohibited.

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### WATSON LAKE SFU - LARIMER CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Fort Collins, go 7 miles NW on Hwy. 287 to Rist Canyon Rd. (CR 28), then go 1 mile.

**GMU/ACRES:** 19 / 90 acres

**FISHING:** coldwater stream

**RECREATION:** limited tours

**FACILITIES:** rest room

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Hunting, dogs prohibited.
- Closed along W bank of Poudre River next to employee housing.

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### WATSON LAKE SWA - LARIMER CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Fort Collins, go 7 miles NW on Hwy. 287 to Rist Canyon Rd. (CR 52E), then go 1 mile W.

**GMU/ACRES:** 19 / 44 acres

**FISHING:** coldwater stream, warmwater lake

**RECREATION:** picnicking, wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** rest rooms, nature trails

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Open 1 hour before sunrise to 1 hour after sunset; no time restrictions for fishing.
- Boating, camping, hunting, ice fishing, ice skating, discharging firearms prohibited.
- Parking prohibited on S dam.
- Closed on NW side as posted.
- Use or possession of live minnows prohibited.

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### WAUNITA WATCHABLE WILDLIFE AREA - GUNNISON CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Gunnison, go E on Hwy. 50. Turn left at CR 887 to WWA site.

**GMU:** 551

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing April 1-May 15 for Gunnison sage-grouse

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Camping, fires, dogs, discharging firearms

- prohibited.
- b. Trash must be packed out.

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### WEBSTER SWA - WELD CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From LaSalle, go 0.25 of a mile N on Hwy. 85 to CR 394, then go 2.25 miles.

**GMU/ACRES:** 94 / 158 acres

**HUNTING:** rabbit, pheasant, dove, waterfowl

**RECREATION:** hiking, wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Camping, fires, horses prohibited.
- b. Discharging firearms or bows prohibited, except shotguns, muzzleloaders or bows allowed for hunting Sept. 1-Feb. 28. Shotguns or bows also allowed in spring turkey season.
- c. From March 1-Aug. 31, SWA is only open to spring turkey hunters with valid license during spring turkey season.
- d. Dogs allowed only as hunting aid. Dog training allowed only when training for hunting.

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### WELLINGTON RES. NO. 4, SMITH LAKE SWA - LARIMER CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From I-25 at the Wellington exit, go 0.3 of a mile W on Hwy. 1 to CR 7, then 1.4 miles N to CR 66, then 2 miles W.

**GMU/ACRES:** 9 / Wellington Res. No. 4: 105 acres. Smith Lake: 30 acres.

**FISHING:** warmwater and coldwater species

**RECREATION:** picnicking, wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** rest rooms

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Open 1 hour before sunrise to 1 hour after sunset; no time restrictions for fishing.
- b. Boating prohibited if it creates a whitewater wake.
- c. Hunting, discharging firearms or bows, camping, open fires, OHVs, snowmobiles prohibited.
- d. Sailboards prohibited on Wellington Res. No. 4.

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### WELLINGTON SWA - LARIMER, WELD COS.

**WELLINGTON UNIT:** From I-25 and Hwy. 14 exit, go 9 miles N on E service road to CR 64 and then 1.5 miles E.

**GMU:** 87

**COBB LAKE UNIT:** From I-25 and Hwy. 14 exit, go 5 miles N on E service road to CR 56, then 1.4 miles E.

**SCHWARE UNIT:** From I-25 and Hwy. 14 exit, go 7 miles N on E service road to CR 60, then 1 mile E.

**FISHING:** warmwater

**HUNTING:** rabbit, pheasant, dove, waterfowl

**RECREATION:** hiking, wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Wellington and Schware units open only July 16-March 14.

- b. Wellington Unit closed from first day of regular waterfowl season to first day of pheasant season except Sat., Sun., Mon. and legal holidays.
- c. Boating prohibited except craft propelled by hand to hunt waterfowl.
- d. Camping, fires prohibited.
- e. Field trials may be authorized on Wellington and Schware units Feb., March 1-14 and Aug. Trials may be authorized on Cobb Lake Unit year-round.
- f. Target practice must be authorized by area wildlife manager.
- g. Horseback riding prohibited except at Cobb Lake Unit during field trials.
- h. Big-game hunting only with archery, shotguns with slugs and muzzleloading.
- i. Domestic, feral or privately-owned game birds may be released with permit for dog training on Cobb Lake Unit. All birds taken shall be removed, and all privately-owned game birds shall be prepared for human consumption.

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### WEST BANK SWA - GARFIELD CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** Go S on Hwy. 82, turn right at mile marker 5 on CR 154.

**GMUs:** 43, 444

**FISHING:** coldwater stream.

**RECREATION:** boat launch, angler access.

**RESTRICTIONS:** camping, fires, discharging firearms prohibited

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### WEST LAKE SWA - LARIMER CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Red Feather Lakes, go 1 mile E on Red Feather Lakes Rd.

**GMU/ACRES:** 191 / 38 water acres

**HUNTING:** waterfowl

**FISHING:** coldwater lake

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing, fishing, camping

**FACILITIES:** campground, rest room, drinking water

**RESTRICTIONS:** only float tubes or craft propelled by hand, wind or electric motor allowed

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### WEST LAKE SWA - MESA CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** 711 Independent Ave., Grand Junction.

**GMU/ACRES:** 30 / 6 acres

**FISHING:** warmwater lake

**FACILITIES:** rest room

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- a. Open 7 a.m.-9 p.m.
- b. Boating, water contact activities prohibited.

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### WEST RIFLE CREEK SWA - GARFIELD CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Rifle, go 4 miles N on Hwy. 13 to Hwy. 325, turn right and go 4 miles to CR 252. Go 1.5 miles NW.

**GMU:** 33



**HUNTING:** deer, elk, black bear, mountain lion, turkey, rabbit, dove, bobcat

**RECREATION:** hiking, wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** campground on CR 252, 4 miles NW of Hwy. 325; non-potable water only

**RESTRICTIONS:** camping only from day after Labor Day-Dec. 31

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### WHEELER SWA - GARFIELD CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Silt, take I-70 W about 1 mile. SWA on N side of interstate between I-70 and Hwys. 6 & 24, adjacent to Colorado River. SWA only legally accessible via river.

**GMUs/ACRES:** 33, 42 / 48 acres

**HUNTING:** rabbit, dove, waterfowl

**FISHING:** trout, whitefish

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

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### WHITEHORSE SWA - ADAMS CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** Take I-76 E toward Barr Lake. Exit 152nd Avenue, go E. Turn left on Picadilly Road, turn left on 128th Avenue. SWA is at corner of 128th and Tower Rd. and extends SE.

**GMU:** 104

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Open only for youth/mentor waterfowl hunting when authorized by area wildlife manager as participants in CPW youth hunter program.
- Reservations required for waterfowl hunting. See "Reservation Procedures," (page 3). Hunters with reservations can only hunt area specified on reservation except in areas where reservations are not required or are unreserved and unoccupied. Mandatory check in and check out as posted at designated check station.

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### WILLIAMS CREEK RES. SWA - HINSDALE CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Pagosa Springs, go 3 miles W on Hwy. 160 to USFS Rd. 631, then go 30 miles N.

**GMU/ACRES:** 77 / 508 acres

**HUNTING:** waterfowl

**FISHING:** coldwater lake

**RECREATION:** boating, wildlife viewing, camping

**FACILITIES:** rest room, drinking water, boat ramp, campgrounds

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Camping, open fires, sailboards prohibited.
- Boating prohibited if it creates white-water wake.
- Snowmobiles allowed only as aid in ice fishing.

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### NEW! WILLOW CREEK SWA - YUMA CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Wray, go S on Hwy. 385 about 6 miles to CR 30. Turn E on CR 30, go 5 miles and turn S on CR NN. Go 3.5 miles S to parking area on W side of road.

**GMU/ACRES:** 102 / 920 acres

**HUNTING:** deer, turkey, dove, rabbit

**RECREATION:** wildlife viewing

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Open Sept. 1-May 31. Access by foot only, no horses allowed on property.
- Camping, fires, dog training prohibited.
- Target practice must be authorized by area wildlife manager.

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### WINDY GAP WATCHABLE WILDLIFE

#### AREA - GRAND CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Granby, go 2 miles W on Hwy. 40. WWA is on Hwy. 125.

**GMUs/ACRES:** 18, 28 / 12 acres

**FACILITIES:** picnic tables, toilets, 0.25 of a mile interpretive trail

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Open sunrise to sunset, only viewing area open.
- Dogs prohibited beyond parking area.
- Fishing, discharging firearms, camping, fires, hunting, trapping prohibited.

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### WOODS LAKE SWA - SAN MIGUEL CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Telluride, go 13 miles W on Hwy. 145 to USFS Rd. 618 in Fall Creek; then 9 miles S.

**GMU/ACRES:** 70 / 160 acres

**FISHING:** coldwater stream, coldwater lake

**RECREATION:** canoeing, wildlife viewing

**FACILITIES:** rest room

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Boats prohibited except float tubes or craft propelled by hand, wind or electric motor.
- Camping prohibited.

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### WRAY SFU - YUMA CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Wray, go 2 miles W on Hwy. 34 to CR FF, then go 2 miles N.

**GMU/ACRES:** 98 / 355 acres

**RECREATION:** limited tours

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Camping, hunting, dogs prohibited.
- Closed E of CR FF.

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### WRIGHT'S LAKE SWA - CHAFFEE CO.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Nathrop, go 8 miles W on CR 162 to CR 291. Then go 0.4 of a mile W on CR 291 to parking area.

**GMUs:** 56, 481

**FISHING:** open for fishing only, coldwater lake and stream, artificial flies and lures only

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### YAMPA RIVER SWA - ROUTT CO.

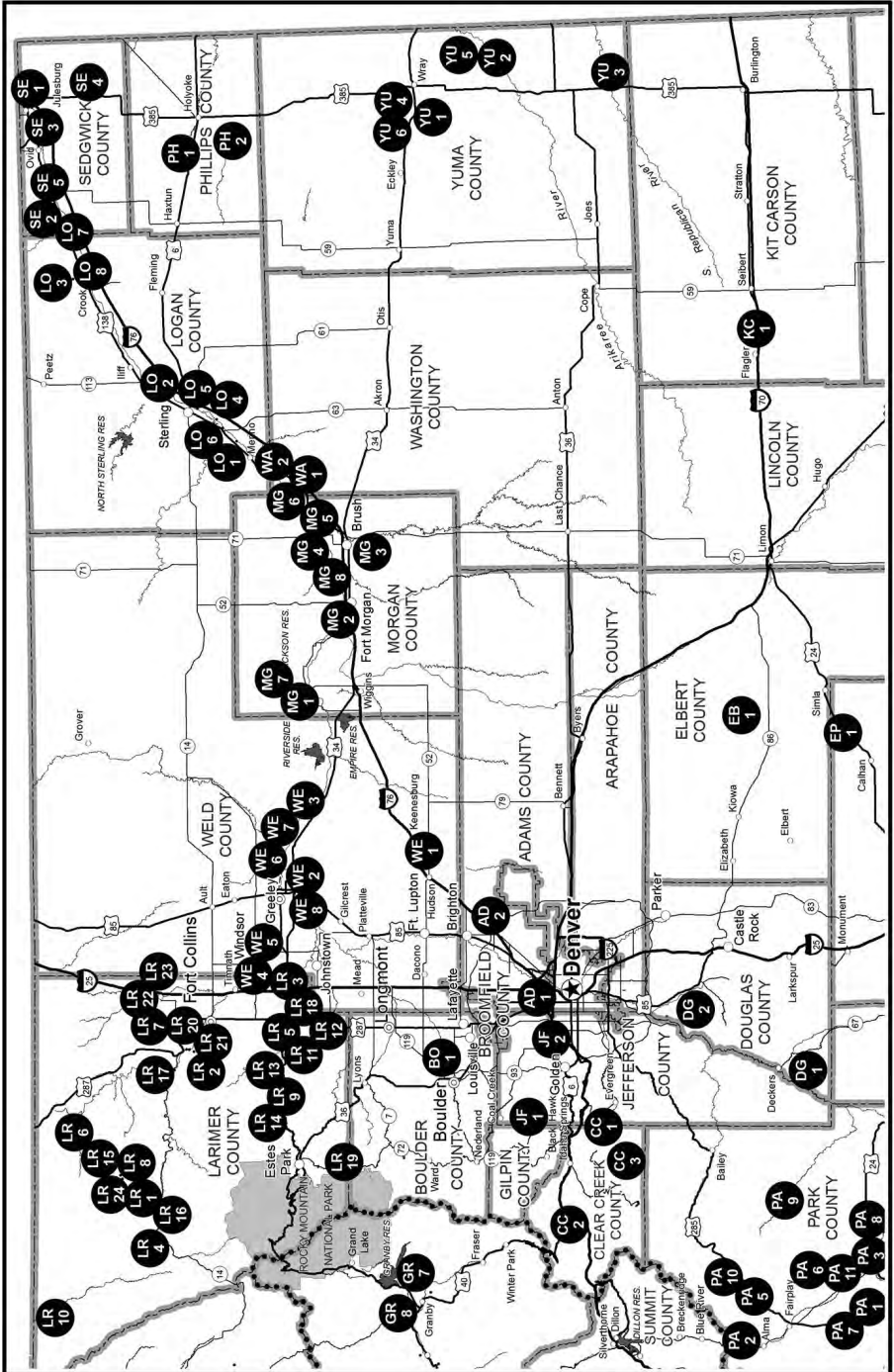
**DIRECTIONS:** From Craig, go E on Hwy. 40.

SWA is on S side of Hwy. 40 shortly after passing CR 29 turn-off.

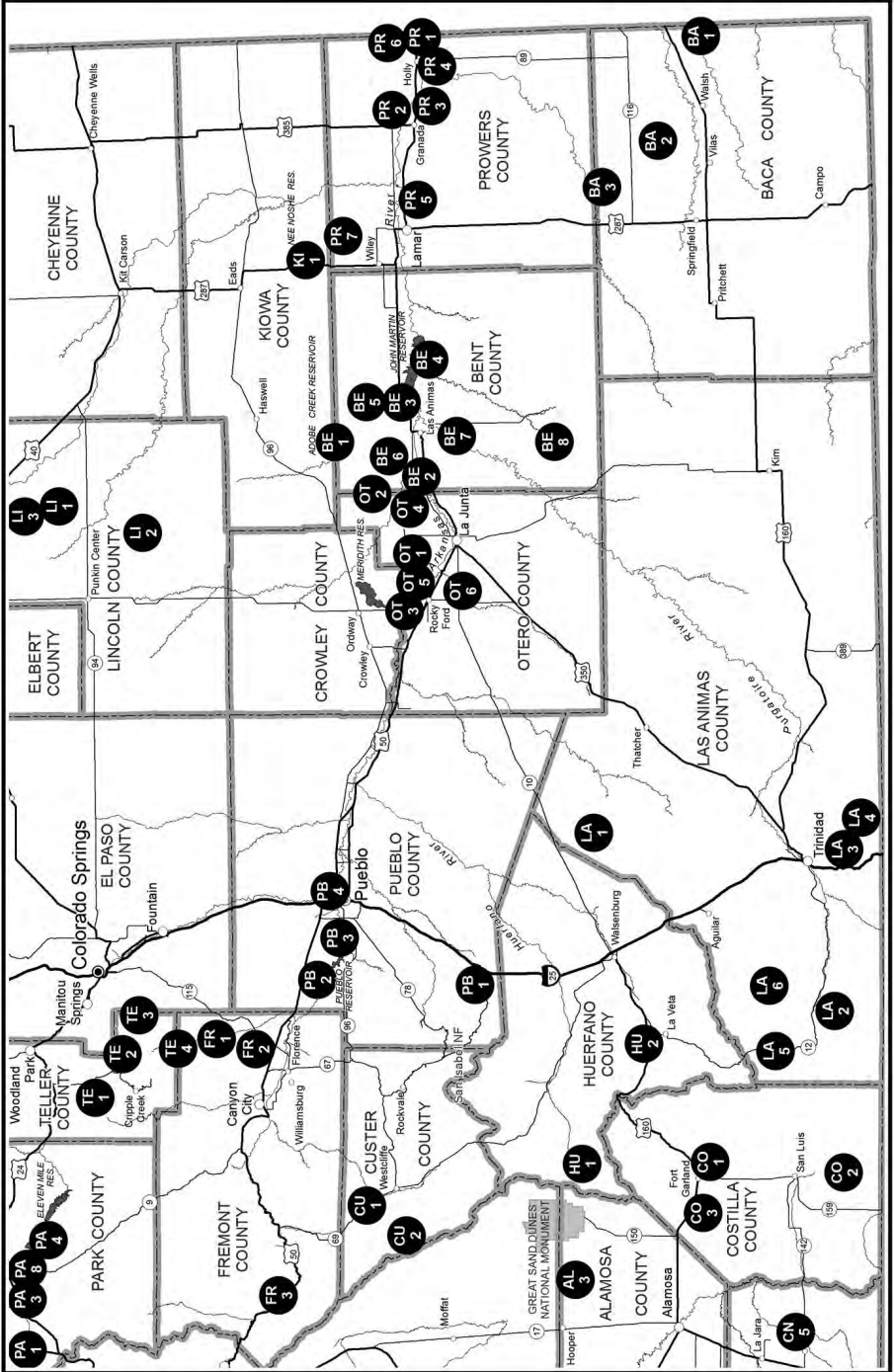
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**RESTRICTIONS:** camping, fires prohibited

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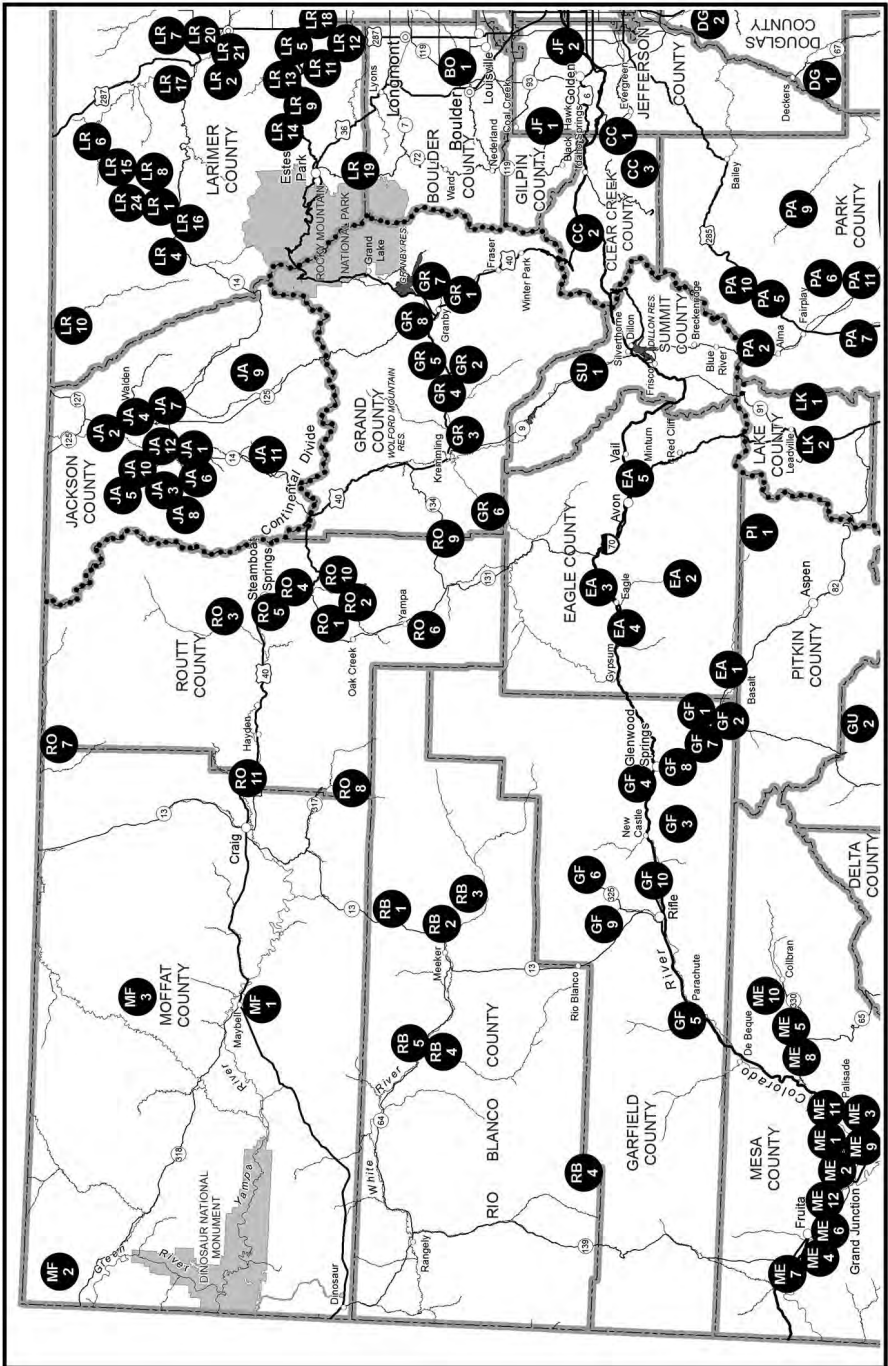


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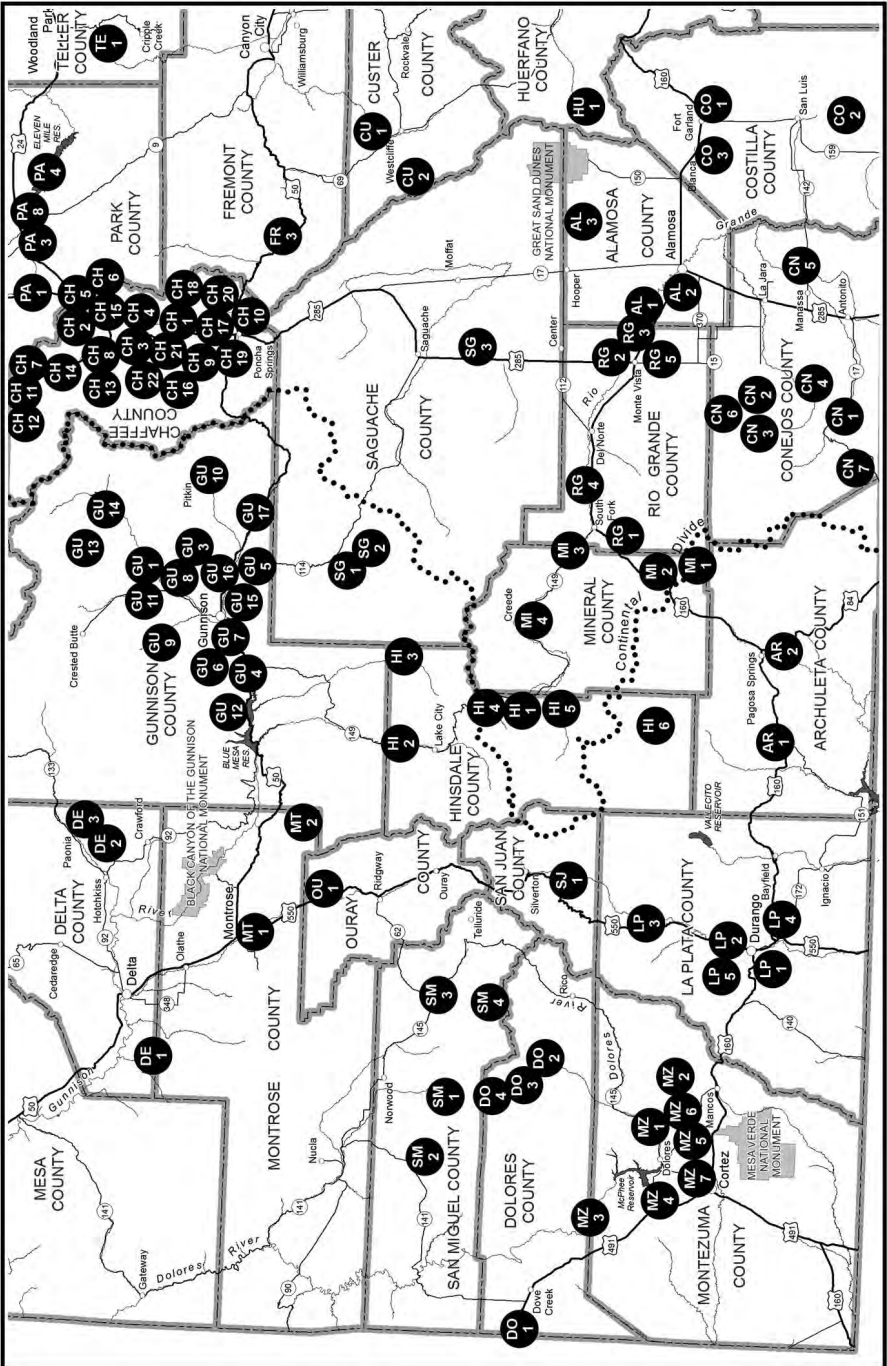




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