2025 Trail Project Accomplishments

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Jan - Oct 2025

Volunteer hours: 3633 # of logs removed: 1188 Deferred Maintenance

(Miles of trail significantly improved):65 miles

Routine maintenance: 92 miles **Meals made for trail projects**: 390



Map of Trail Projects

Interactive Map with Highlighted Trails

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Trails Improved by District:

Wilderness

Glenwood

Silver City

Wilderness District

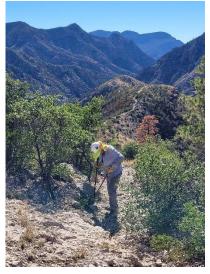
(Lower) Turkey Creek Trail #155

Map Photos

Mileage completed: 5 miles deferred maintenance

Accomplishments: brushed, logged & spot retread









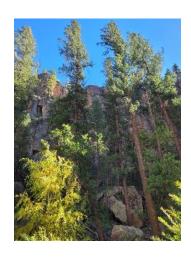
Canyon Creek Trail # 31

Map Photos

Mileage completed: 2 miles deferred

maintenance:

Accomplishments: 1 sign, drains, spot tread, rock removal, brushing, and logging





Big Timber Trail #95

Map Photos

Mileage completed: Deferred maintenance: 3 miles

Accomplishments: We removed 68 logs, built 97 cairns, spot retread, and brushed.







McKnight Canyon Trail #92

<u>Map</u>

Mileage completed: 1.25 miles of deferred

maintenance

Accomplishments: We removed 45 logs, built 6

trail markers, retreaded and brushed.





CDT near Brannon Park and Big Timber Trail #95

Map Photos

Mileage completed: Deferred maintenance: 0.9 miles of the nonexistent Big Timber Trail and 5.5 miles of the CDT



Accomplishments: We removed 39 logs, built 47 cairns, retreaded over 1 mile, improved 14 drains, and did lots of brushing.





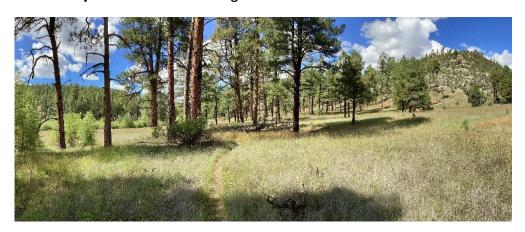


Aeroplane Mesa Trail #705 and Middle Fork Trail #157

Map Photos

Mileage completed: 1 miles deferred maintenance

Accomplishments: brushing and rock removal





Flying V Trail #706

Map Photos

Mileage completed: 2 miles deferred maintenance

Accomplishments: 2 signs, logged,

spot tread, trail markers





Trails Near Rocky Canyon Campground

Map Photos

Mileage completed: 5.4 miles of deferred trail maintenance & 4.7 miles of routine trail maintenance.

Accomplishments: Lots of brushing and removing rocks, we maintained about 12 drain

removing rocks, we maintained about 12 drains, built 15 cairns, removed 10 logs, and reinstalled two signs. Trails include CDT and #700











Mimbres River Trail # 77 & CDT Access Trail #741

Map Photos

Mileage completed: 5.5 miles of deferred maintenance on Mimbres River Trail and 2.8 miles of the CDT Access Trail.

Accomplishments:

Mimbres River: 95 logs, put in 25 drains, built 40 cairns, and did lots of brushing and tread.

CDT Access: 33 logs and brushed.





Brushy Mountain Trail # 403

Map Photos

Mileage completed:
3.4 miles of deferred maintenance.
Accomplishments:
Logged, brushed, spot retread, and trail markers







Granny Mountain Trail #160 & Nearby Trails

Map Photos

Mileage completed: 3 miles of deferred maintenance and 1 mile of routine maintenance.

Accomplishments:

Logged & brushed plus 2 signs installed:

- From Woody's Corral to junction with # 162
- EE Canyon Trail # 163
- Ring Canyon Trail # 162 from Granny Mtn Trail #160 to EE Canyon Trail #163





Loco Mountain Trail #143

Mileage and Accomplishments: 3 miles logged

Middle Fork Trail #157 and Loco Mtn Trail #143

Map

Mileage completed: 9.5 miles of routine maintenance

Accomplishments:

Logged

- Middle Fork Trail #157 from Gilita Creek
 Trailhead to Loco Mountain Trail
- Switchback of the Loco Mtn Trail #143



Lilley Park Trail #164 and Big Bear Trail #28

Map

Mileage completed: 12 miles of routine maintenance

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Accomplishments:

Logged

- #164 from Little Bear to 3 miles past #28
- #28 from #164 to West Fork





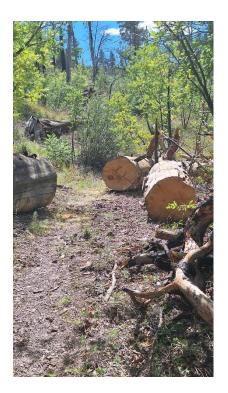
Logging near Middle Fork and EE Canyon

Mileage completed: 14 miles routine maintenance

Accomplishments: crosscuts removed







Glenwood District

Upper Mineral Creek #201 & South Fork Mineral Creek Trail #798

MAP Photos

Mileage completed: 2 miles of deferred maintenance.

Accomplishments: Logged, brushed, & spot retread







Little Dry Trail #180

Map Photos

Mileage completed: 3 miles of deferred maintenance

Accomplishments: removed 63 logs plus

spot brushing.

Notes:





Additionally, since this trail is located in the creek bottom, excessive leafy vegetation can grow in the summer, making the trail difficult to find. All this will die back in the fall.







Holt Apache Trail #181 & South Fork Whitewater Trail #212

Map Photos

Mileage completed: 10.5 miles of routine maintenance

Accomplishments: Logging



Silver City District

Railroad, Gallinas & Crest Trails

Map Photos

Mileage completed: 3.1 miles of deferred maintenance and 8.2 miles of routine maintenance
Accomplishments:
Logged (routine maintenance) and brushed with spot tread.





CDT from Bear Creek TH to Little Cherry

Creek Junction

Map Photos

Mileage completed: 6 miles of routine maintenance
Accomplishments:
Logged







Little Cherry Creek Trail #241

<u>Map</u>

Mileage completed: 1.5 miles of deferred maintenance

Accomplishments: Brushing and logging



Gnarly Trail # 901

Map Photos

Mileage completed: 2.5 miles of deferred maintenance

Accomplishments: Brushing, logging, spot tread, and trail markers







Sycamore Canyon Trail # 234 (northern

part)

Map Photos

Mileage completed: 0.5 miles of deferred maintenance
Accomplishments:

Brushing





Sycamore Canyon Trail # 234 (southern part)

Map Photos

Mileage completed: 1.15 miles of deferred maintenance

Accomplishments: Brushing and logging



CDT toward Bullard Peak

Map Photos

Mileage completed: 4.5 miles of deferred maintenance

Accomplishments: Brushing, logging, spot tread and trail marking







Huge Thanks to Everyone who made these trail projects possible! *Join Us in 2026!*

