

Level 4 Potential Conservation Area (PCA) Report

Name Big Blue Campground

Site Code S.USCOHP*5110

IDENTIFIERS

Site ID 1168 Site Class PCA
Site Alias None

Network of Conservation Areas (NCA)

| <u>NCA Site ID</u> | <u>NCA Site Code</u> | <u>NCA Site Name</u> |
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LOCATORS

Nation United States Latitude 381258N
State Colorado Longitude 1072317W

Quad Code Quad Name
38107-B4 Sheep Mountain

County
Gunnison (CO)

Watershed Code Watershed Name
14020002 Upper Gunnison

SITE DESCRIPTION

Minimum Elevation - Feet - Meters
Maximum Elevation - Feet - Meters

Site Description
No Data

Key Environmental Factors
No Data

Climate Description
No Data

Land Use History
No Data

Cultural Features
No Data

SITE DESIGN

Site Map P - Partial Mapped Date 08/08/1996
Designer Grunau, T.L.

Boundary Justification

The boundary is drawn to provide a buffer of approximately 1000' downstream and 1/2 mile upstream. This should be sufficient to protect against direct or indirect disturbance, including but not limited to, exotic species invasion, physical disturbance, and local hydrologic alteration. The extra buffer upstream should allow for settling of water if disturbance occurs.

Primary Area 583.74 Acres 236.23 Hectares

SITE SIGNIFICANCE

Biodiversity Significance Rank B5: General Biodiversity Interest

Biodiversity Significance Comments

A fair (BC-ranked) occurrence of a state rare (G4S3) plant community.

Other Values Rank No Data

Other Values Comments
No Data

LAND MANAGEMENT ISSUES

Land Use Comments
No Data

Natural Hazard Comments
No Data

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Exotics Comments

No Data

Offsite

Hydrological processes originating outside the planning boundary, including water quality, quantity, and timing, must be managed to maintain site viability.

Information Needs

No Data

ASSOCIATED ELEMENTS OF BIODIVERSITY

| <u>Element</u> | | | <u>Global</u> | <u>State</u> | <u>Driving</u> |
|-----------------|--|--------------------------------|---------------|--------------|------------------|
| <u>State ID</u> | <u>State Scientific Name</u> | <u>State Common Name</u> | <u>Rank</u> | <u>Rank</u> | <u>Site Rank</u> |
| 24666 | <i>Salix wolfii</i> / <i>Carex aquatilis</i> Shrubland | Subalpine Riparian Willow Carr | G4 | S3 | Yes |

REFERENCES

| <u>Reference ID</u> | <u>Full Citation</u> |
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| - | No Data |

ADDITIONAL TOPICS

Additional Topics

No Data

VERSION

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| Version Date | 08/08/1996 |
| Version Author | Grunau, T.L. |

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