

# Level 4 Potential Conservation Area (PCA) Report

Name Good Spring Creek

Site Code S.USCOHP\*5812

## IDENTIFIERS

Site ID 1360 Site Class PCA  
Site Alias Good Spring Creek

### Network of Conservation Areas (NCA)

<u>NCA Site ID</u>	<u>NCA Site Code</u>	<u>NCA Site Name</u>
-		No Data

## LOCATORS

Nation United States Latitude 401440N  
State Colorado Longitude 1074655W

<u>Quad Code</u>	<u>Quad Name</u>
40107-B7	Ninemile Gap
40107-C7	Axial

County  
Moffat (CO)

<u>Watershed Code</u>	<u>Watershed Name</u>
14050002	Lower Yampa

## SITE DESCRIPTION

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

### Site Description

Site is a narrow riparian area adjacent to Good Spring Creek. It is bordered to the east and west by steep hillsides. Site is bisected by Hwy 13/789.

### 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 09/26/1996  
Designer Culver, D.R.

### Boundary Justification

The boundary encompasses the narrow valley for one mile to provide a buffer from direct disturbances.

Primary Area 267.49 Acres 108.25 Hectares

## SITE SIGNIFICANCE

Biodiversity Significance Rank B4: Moderate Biodiversity Significance

### Biodiversity Significance Comments

The site supports two good occurrences of globally secure (G5) plant communities: beaked sedge montane wet meadow (*Carex utriculata*) and coyote willow mesic graminoid (*Salix exigua* / mesic graminoid). Although globally common, the occurrences represent the best examples of these elements in Moffat County, CO.

Other Values Rank No Data

### Other Values Comments

No Data

## LAND MANAGEMENT ISSUES

### Land Use Comments

No Data

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## Natural Hazard Comments

No Data

## Exotics Comments

No Data

## Offsite

No Data

## 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>
18795	<i>Carex utriculata</i> Herbaceous Vegetation	Beaked Sedge Montane Wet Meadows	G5	S4	Yes
24872	<i>Salix exigua</i> / Mesic Graminoids Shrubland	Coyote Willow/Mesic Graminoid	G5	S5	Yes

## REFERENCES

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

## ADDITIONAL TOPICS

### Additional Topics

No Data

## VERSION

<b>Version Date</b>	09/26/1996
<b>Version Author</b>	Culver, D.R.

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