

Level 4 Potential Conservation Area (PCA) Report

Name Long Draw Trail

Site Code S.USCOHP1*2753

IDENTIFIERS

Site ID 1936 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>
-		No Data

LOCATORS

Nation United States Latitude 403058N
State Colorado Longitude 1054601W

<u>Quad Code</u>	<u>Quad Name</u>
40105-E7	Chambers Lake
40105-E6	Comanche Peak

County

Larimer (CO)

<u>Watershed Code</u>	<u>Watershed Name</u>
10190007	Cache La Poudre

SITE DESCRIPTION

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

Site Description

The site is along a forested west-facing slope above Long Draw Creek and includes stream flowing into Corral Creek.

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 04/04/1995
Designer Simonson, S.

Boundary Justification

The boundary includes Corral Creek and parts of the Cache la Poudre River, a continuous riparian corridor of willows. It includes a 200-foot buffer to the valley bottom lands and crosses Forest Service Road 156 to encompass entire riparian corridor.

Primary Area 959.43 Acres 388.27 Hectares

SITE SIGNIFICANCE

Biodiversity Significance Rank B3: High Biodiversity Significance

Biodiversity Significance Comments

Biodiversity rank is based on two good (B-ranked) occurrences of a globally vulnerable (G3/S3) natural community, Salix wolfii/mesic forb. The site also supports a good (B-ranked) occurrence of a globally demonstrably secure (G5/S4) natural community, Salix planifolia/Carex aquatilis.

Other Values Rank No Data

Other Values Comments

No Data

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LAND MANAGEMENT ISSUES

Land Use Comments

No Data

Natural Hazard Comments

No Data

Exotics Comments

No Data

Offsite

This site may not protect the occurrence from indirect recreational impacts associated with the existing trail and road.

Information Needs

Boundaries need to be ground-truthed.

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>
24850	<i>Salix planifolia</i> / <i>Carex aquatilis</i> Shrubland	Subalpine Riparian Willow Carr	G5	S4	Yes
24572	<i>Salix wolfii</i> / Mesic Forbs Shrubland	Subalpine Riparian Willow Carr	G3	S3	Yes
24572	<i>Salix wolfii</i> / Mesic Forbs Shrubland	Subalpine Riparian Willow Carr	G3	S3	Yes

REFERENCES

<u>Reference ID</u>	<u>Full Citation</u>
192848	Bustos. 1995. U.S. Forest Service. Personal communication to the Colorado Natural Heritage Program, Fort Collins, CO.

ADDITIONAL TOPICS

Additional Topics

No Data

VERSION

Version Date	04/04/1995
Version Author	Simonson, S.

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