

Level 4 Potential Conservation Area (PCA) Report

Name Smith Creek

Site Code S.USCOHP*1650

IDENTIFIERS

Site ID 120 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 381126N
State Colorado Longitude 1050950W

Quad Code Quad Name
38105-B2 Hardscrabble Mountain

County
Custer (CO)

Watershed Code Watershed Name
11020002 Upper Arkansas

SITE DESCRIPTION

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

Site Description

Site is a nesting area for raptors. It encompasses a creek and the surrounding canyon and ridgetop.

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 05/19/1997
Designer Loar, A.M.

Boundary Justification

The boundary includes known occurrences during the breeding season and a buffer to protect the area from direct disturbances. Note that foraging area of these birds possibly extends far outside of the site boundary.

Primary Area 1,426.57 Acres 577.31 Hectares

SITE SIGNIFICANCE

Biodiversity Significance Rank B5: General Biodiversity Interest

Biodiversity Significance Comments

The site supports an extant occurrence of a globally vulnerable (G3T3/S1) bird subspecies.

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

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>
17954	<i>Strix occidentalis lucida</i>	Mexican Spotted Owl	G3T3	S1B,SUN	Yes

REFERENCES

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

ADDITIONAL TOPICS

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No Data

VERSION

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Version Author	Loar, A.M.

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