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Legal NOTICE OF DECISION  
USDA - FOREST SERVICE  
NATURITA DIVISION RANGELAND ANALYSIS  
Grand Mesa, Uncompahgre, Gunnison National Forest, Norwood Ranger District  
San Miguel County, Colorado

Norwood District Ranger, Judy Schutz, has made a decision to implement adaptive management techniques for livestock grazing and include these in allotment management plans for allotments encompassing approximately 26,145 acres of Forest Service controlled lands. All of which, are located within the Naturita Division of the Norwood Ranger District

Key management strategies include adjusting the timing, intensity, frequency, and duration of livestock grazing to meet various management objectives outlined in the analysis. The primary objectives include improving Gunnison Sage Grouse habitat, improving riparian and aquatic health, improving rangeland health, improving quality and quantity of forage for big-game and livestock, and minimizing effects from livestock grazing to Burn Canyon reforestation efforts currently underway. Strategies to be implemented are more fully described and maps of their location are contained in an Environmental Assessment, and in the full Decision Notice/Finding of No Significant Impact prepared for this project. A copy of the Environmental Assessment and Decision Notice/Finding of No Significant Impact are available upon request at the Norwood Ranger District office located at 1150 Forest Street, Norwood, CO. 81423, 970-327-4261, or on the web at <http://www.fs.fed.us/r2/gmug>, under "Projects and Plans".

This decision is subject to administrative review pursuant to Federal Regulations at 36 CFR 215.11. Appeals (including attachments) must be in writing and filed (regular mail, fax, e-mail, hand-delivery, express delivery, or messenger service) with the Appeal Deciding Officer (§ 215.8) within 45 days following the date of publication of a legal notice of this decision in the Telluride Daily Planet. The publication date of the legal notice in the newspaper of record is the exclusive means for calculating the time to file an appeal (§ 215.15 (a)). Those wishing to appeal should not rely upon dates or timeframe information provided by any other source. Pursuant to 36 CFR 215.13 (b), only those individuals or organizations who expressed interest during the public involvement process may file an appeal.

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Appeals must meet content requirements of 36 CFR 215.14.

If no appeal is received, implementation of this decision may occur on, but not before, five (5) business days from the close of the appeal filing period.

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