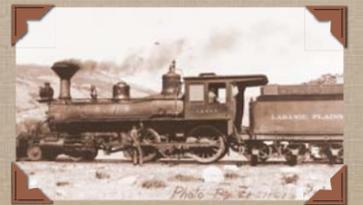


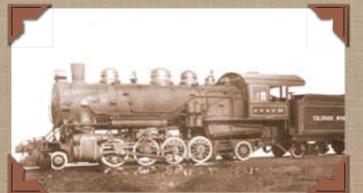
FOLLOW THE TRACKS ON THE MEDICINE BOW RAIL-TRAIL



A 94-YEAR HISTORY



Engine No 3, 1908
Laramie, Hahns Peak & Pacific, 1901-1914



Engine No 8, 1917
Colorado, Wyoming & Eastern, 1914-1924



Engine No 5, 1931
Laramie, North Park & Western, 1924-1951



Union Pacific Consolidation (2-8-0) No. 533
Union Pacific - Coalmont Branch, 1951-1987



Engine No. 1512
Wyoming-Colorado Railroad, 1987-1995

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SUSTAINING RESOURCES

Follow the tracks of the Laramie, Hahns Peak, and Pacific Railroad, and learn how it hauled timber, coal, and cattle to support the livelihood of early loggers, miners and ranchers. The Medicine Bow National Forest still supports diverse wildlife, wetlands, forests, grazing lands, natural and historic features, and recreation opportunities.

Please help protect these resources for future generations.

TRAIL ETHICS

- ⊗ Motorized vehicles are prohibited on the trail.
- ⊗ Stay on trail to reduce erosion.
- ⊗ Control dogs by leash or voice.
- ⊗ Pick up after your dog.
- ⊗ Respect private property and closures.
- ⊗ Leave structures and artifacts intact for future visitors to enjoy.
- ⊗ Avoid introducing noxious weeds - check your bike for "hitchhikers."

BE AWARE

- ⊗ **WEATHER:**
Clear, sunny days can quickly turn to afternoon thunderstorms. For your safety, carry raingear. Snow is possible any time of year.
- ⊗ **HIGH ALTITUDE SICKNESS:**
This trail is over 9,000 feet elevation. Drink plenty of water. Watch for symptoms: Headache, nausea, shortness of breath, loss of appetite and insomnia. Descend immediately if these symptoms persist and seek medical advice.
- ⊗ **WILDLIFE:**
Respect wildlife. Never approach or feed any wild animal. Be aware of your surroundings and monitor young children. Wildlife you may see include: moose, mountain lion, black bear, elk, deer and antelope.



LEGEND	
	Forest Road
	State Hwy
	Rail Trail
	Historic Rail Line
	Streams
	Hiking Trail
	Campground
	Trailhead
	Winter Trailhead
	Forest Land
	State Land
	Private Land

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Caring for the Land and Serving People

