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XC SKIING
SNOWSHOEING

6 - LILY PAD - FDT 50

Difficulty: EASY

Trail Use: Heavy

Length: 1.29 miles (one-way)

Elevation: Starts at 9,883 feet and ends at 9,921 feet (highest point 9,951 feet)

Elevation Gain: +68 feet – 30 feet = +38 feet

Open To: CROSS-COUNTRY SKIING, SNOWSHOEING

Access:

- From I-70 take Exit 205, Silverthorne / Dillon, and travel north on HWY 9 to the first traffic light at the intersection of Rainbow Drive / Wilderndest Road. Turn left onto Wilderndest Road (this road turns into Ryan Gulch Road).
- Travel for 3.6 miles to the top of Ryan Gulch Road. Towards the end of the road there will be a parking area on the left. Park in this area. Ryan Gulch Road continues on into a loop.
- The trailhead will be on the southern end of the loop. The trailhead is next to a road with a chain across it.

Trail Highlights:

- There are great views of the Dillon Reservoir and the entire Blue River Valley from the trailhead.

Important Information:

- **BECAUSE THIS TRAIL TRAVELS INTO THE EAGLES NEST WILDERNESS YOUR DOG MUST BE ON A LEASH.**
- **THIS ROAD IS USED FOR MULTIPLE ACTIVITIES TO INCLUDE CROSS-COUNTRY SKIING AND SNOWSHOEING. PLEASE RESPECT OTHER USERS.**

PACK IT IN - PACK IT OUT!! LEAVE NO TRACE!!

THIS MAP IS INTENDED FOR USE AS A GENERAL GUIDE ONLY, NOT FOR ACTUAL LAND NAVIGATION. THE WHITE RIVER NATIONAL FOREST STRONGLY SUGGESTS PURCHASING A TOPOGRAPHIC TRAIL MAP AND COMPASS PRIOR TO BEGINNING A CROSS-COUNTRY SKIING OR SNOWSHOEING TRIP.