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BLM Campground Closure Lifted

The Williams Creek fire, located approximately 15 miles east of Glide, has been contained and BLM has announced that they will reopen the Scaredman Campground located approximately two miles north of Steamboat off of the Diamond Lake Highway (Highway 138). BLM is also re-opening the Rock Creek and Canton Creek Roads that were temporarily closed for public safety and fire management access.

All grounds east of Rock Creek and west of Canton Creek will remain closed until further notice.

The BLM manages more land – 256 million surface acres – than any other Federal agency. This land, known as the National System of Public Lands, is primarily located in 12 Western States, including Alaska. The Bureau, with a budget of about \$1 billion, also administers 700 million acres of sub-surface mineral estate throughout the nation. The BLM's multiple-use mission is to sustain the health and productivity of the public lands for the use and enjoyment of present and future generations. The Bureau accomplishes this by managing such activities as outdoor recreation, livestock grazing, mineral development, and energy production, and by conserving natural, historical, cultural, and other resources on public lands.

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