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To: All Field Managers, Colorado

From: Deputy State Director, Resource Services

Subject: Off Highway Vehicle (OHV) Management Workshop, June 19-23, 2002,  
Castle Rock, Colorado DD: June 1, 2002

The Bureau of Land Management in partnership with the U. S. Forest Service, Colorado State Parks, and Colorado Off Highway Vehicle Coalition, is pleased to release registration material for the OHV Management Workshop, to be held at the Douglas County Fairgrounds, in Castle Rock, on June 19-23, 2002. Field trips and classroom sessions will also be held in the Rampart Range OHV area, in Pike National Forest.

The objectives of the workshop are to:

- To improve working relationships between agencies and the OHV community;
- To provide knowledge and expertise that will encourage development of quality OHV recreational opportunities;
- To create better understanding of the OHV public needs and desires;
- To improve the planning, design and maintenance of OHV facilities, trails, and OHV trail systems.

The benefits of the workshop to you and the public lands:

- Improved services and facilities for the OHV public;
- Increased public knowledge of land management processes;
- Reduced conflict between agency, recreation, community and environmental interests;
- Enhanced protection of natural and cultural resources.

The workshop agenda is designed for a combined audience of Field Managers, Field Specialists and OHV Enthusiasts. Wednesday will be set aside for all-terrain vehicle (ATV) certification and off-highway motorcycle training, with a welcome reception that evening. Thursday and Friday will involve field trips and discussions of issues and general principles. Saturday is targeted toward field personnel and OHV enthusiasts with discussions on management concepts, the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 process, and hands-on training for specific management techniques. Saturday will also include another chance for ATV and motorcycle certification and an eight-hour Chain Saw Certification training. Sunday is a work day sponsored by Fay Myers title "Celebration of Volunteerism." This day will be one of Colorado's "Year of the Trail" events.

The information presented at the workshop will assist us in improving our OHV management, enhancing OHV recreation opportunities, and protecting natural resources throughout Colorado.

Attached is the agenda, registration form and other pertinent information regarding the workshop.

Please fax your completed registration to Colorado Off Highway Vehicle Coalition, Attention: Corey Corbett, (303) 932-8733, by June 1, 2002. We encourage you to make every effort to take advantage of this workshop and to register as soon as possible. Space is limited.

Should you have any questions or need further information about the workshop, please contact Tina McDonald at (303) 239-3716.

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2-Attachments  
1-Agenda  
2-Registration Form