White Mountains National Recreation Area Access Repairs

District or Unit Name: Fairbanks District

Description: The project repairs the Nome Creek Road, which provides year-round access to the White Mountains National Recreation Area and sole access to Beaver Creek Wild and Scenic River. The 18-mile road will be repaired by grading and restoring lost aggregate surfacing, repairing culverts to improve drainage, and repairing the site roads providing access to Mt. Prindle and Ophir Creek Campgrounds and other spur roads.

Recreational Values: Cabins, camping, fishing, float trips, gold panning, hiking, hunting, wild and scenic river

GAOA Funding, Fiscal Year 2022: $10,400,000

Cost

Estimated Deferred Maintenance Reduction: $13,045,000

Benefit

Through project efficiencies and other cost-saving measures, the funding received is anticipated to address a larger amount of deferred maintenance backlog.

Total Economic Impact of Project:

152 jobs supported

$16.5 million in economic contributions

Priorities Addressed: