

**ARKANSAS RIVER, POINT BAR PLACER AREA NOTIFICATION
 APRIL 1 – SEPTEMBER 30, 2013
 ROYAL GORGE FIELD OFFICE**

**Bureau of Land Management
 Royal Gorge Field Office
 3028 E. Main Street
 Canon City, CO 81212
 719-269-8500**



**Bureau of Land Management
 Arkansas Headwaters Recreation Area
 307 West Sackett
 Salida, CO 81201
 719-539-7289**

Applicant Name: _____
 Street Address: _____
 City: _____
 State: _____ Zip Code: _____
 Phone Number(s): _____

Please read and agree to abide by the attached stipulations and the terms and conditions of this notification, to include the following:

- I understand that enforcement of applicable regulations to protect the public health and safety and the environment will be administered by appropriate federal, state, or local authorities.
- This notification must be kept with the user when on site.

Signature (Applicant)

 Date

Signature (Authorized Officer)

 Date

BLM Official Use Only

General Information

Notification Number: CO-200- 2013 _____

COC: _ 76038 _____

Bonding Amount: _____
(Bonding amount is set by the BLM)

Date Received: _____

Date Mailed : _____

Expiration Date: **September 30, 2014**

Payment Information

Type
 Date
 Initials

OPERATIONS DESCRIPTION

IN THE WATER OF THE CHANNEL

- Suction Dredge
- Small Combo
- Other

ON SHORE, OUTSIDE OF THE CHANNEL

- High Banker
- Small Combo
- Other

Engine Size (total HP): _____ Maximum suction intake hose size: _____
 Other/Notes: _____

The following thresholds apply:

- On shore (high banking) is limited to a 3-inch intake nozzle and 8 hp in total motor size.
- In stream (suction dredging) is limited to a 4-inch intake nozzle and a motor not to exceed 8hp in total size.
- \$25 reclamation bond per operation, per 2-year season.

General Conditions of Use

All Placer Activities:

- Streamside (riparian) vegetation shall not be damaged by operations.
- Motorized vehicles are restricted to designated roads and parking areas and shall be kept at least 20 feet from the edge of the stream, and away from wet or muddy areas next to the stream, streamside vegetation or wetlands.
- On shore excavation locations shall be refilled upon completion of work. If the operator leaves the area for more than a two-day period, this work must be completed prior to departure.
- All trash, debris, or other items that were brought to the area, shall be removed to an approved disposal site when work is completed.

Public Lands in AHRA Corridor:

- Control erosion and water runoff.
- Take measures to isolate, remove, or control toxic materials.
- Reshape and re-vegetate disturbed areas where reasonable and practicable.
- Rehabilitate fisheries and wildlife habitat where reasonable and practicable.
- Maintain equipment, and other facilities, in a safe and orderly manner.
- Do not collect or disturb historic or archaeological resources or sites.
- All operations are required to comply with applicable state or federal regulations pertaining to threatened and endangered species.
- Unnecessary and undue degradation of public lands is not authorized.

Camping:

- You must not camp longer than 14 days in any 30 day period, at any one location, including any campground on public land. After the 14 days have been reached, you must move at least 30 air miles away from the previously occupied location.
- All campers are required at a minimum to carry and use a portable toilet and fire pan.
- The camping regulations apply to individuals camping on public lands in undeveloped locations and for relatively short durations for recreational purposes.
- Camping is authorized utilizing standard guidance applicable to public lands along the Arkansas River cooperation with the Arkansas Headwaters Recreation Area.

All Motorized/Mechanized Operations at Point Bar:

- Operations at Point Bar are prohibited between October 1 and March 31 to protect brown trout during the fish spawning period.
- Operations shall not take place within 200 feet of a public water supply intake, fish hatchery intake, irrigation diversion structure, bridge support, developed recreational sites, or boat ramp.

On Shore High Banking or Similar Activity

- A settling pond or area that prevents direct return of processed water to the river or stream is required for all high banking activities.
- Water being used for this operation needs to be returned to same part of the waterway.
- Disturbance or undercutting of trees is not authorized.
- The only disturbance authorized within the stream area is the placement of water pumps.
- Construction of diversion ditches, road building or other earth work is not authorized.
- On-shore work areas are limited to those areas at least 20 feet from the stream and outside of any riparian zones (stream side or wetland vegetation). Riparian vegetation shall not be damaged by operations.
- Refueling of motorized equipment shall take place at least 20-feet from any waterway or wetland area

In Stream Suction Dredging or Similar Activity

- Materials too large in size to be moved by hand or hand held implements shall remain undisturbed.
- Anchorage systems for suction dredging operations shall not span the stream or interfere with the passage of watercraft.
- Gasoline engines must be filled in a manner that prevents spills into the river and fuel stored at least 100 feet from the river.