

*Residential Fuelwood and Post Questionnaire:* Forest Service personnel use this questionnaire to collect and evaluate information from residential households and logging contractors in order to monitor the volume, types,

species, sources of fuelwood and posts harvested for residential use, as well as the types of burning facilities in the State. The collected information will enable land managers to determine what timber to sell for use as fuelwood or

fence posts, how well the local forested land will meet the demand for these timber products, and how to project future demands on these renewable natural resources.

	Pulpwood received questionnaire	Logs and other roundwood received questionnaire	Residential fuelwood and post questionnaire
Estimate of Annual Burden Hours	30 minutes (0.5)	50 minutes (0.84)	10 minutes (0.17).
Type of Respondents	Primary users of industrial pulpwood.	Primary users of industrial roundwood products.	Residential households and logging contractors.
Estimated Annual Number of Respondents	157	1,782	500.
Estimated Annual Number of Responses per Respondent	1	1	1.
Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours on Respondents	79 hours	1,497 hours	85 hours.

**Comment Is Invited**

Comment is invited on: (1) Whether this collection of information is necessary for the stated purposes and the proper performance of the functions of the Agency, including whether the information will have practical or scientific utility; (2) the accuracy of the Agency's estimate of the burden of the collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used; (3) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including the use of automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

All comments received in response to this notice, including names and addresses when provided, will be a matter of public record. Comments will be summarized and included in the submission request toward Office of Management and Budget approval.

Dated: June 28, 2012.

**Deanna J. Stouder,**

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**DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE**

**Forest Service**

**Information Collection; Health Screening Questionnaire**

**AGENCY:** Forest Service, USDA.

**ACTION:** Notice; request for comment.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the Forest Service is seeking comments from all interested individuals and

organizations on the extension of a currently approved information collection, Health Screening Questionnaire.

**DATES:** Comments must be received in writing on or before September 4, 2012 to be assured of consideration.

Comments received after that date will be considered to the extent practicable.

**ADDRESSES:** Comments concerning this notice should be addressed to Washington Office—Fire and Aviation Management, National Interagency Fire Center, 3833 S. Development Ave., Boise, ID 83705, Attention: Larry Sutton.

Comments also may be submitted via facsimile to 208-387-5735 or by email to: [lsutton@fs.fed.us](mailto:lsutton@fs.fed.us).

The public may inspect comments received at the National Safety Office, National Interagency Fire Center, Forest Service, USDA, 3833 Development Avenue, Boise, ID, from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday (Mountain Standard Time). Visitors are encouraged to call ahead to 208-387-5970 to facilitate entry to the building.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Larry Sutton, Forest Service Fire Operations Risk Management Specialist, 208-387-5970. Individuals who use telecommunication devices for the deaf (TDD) may call the Federal Relay Service (FRS) at 1-800-877-8339, twenty-four hours a day, every day of the year, including holidays.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

*Title:* Health Screening Questionnaire.

*OMB Number:* 0596-0164.

*Expiration Date of Approval:* January 31, 2013.

*Type of Request:* Extension with revision of an approved information collection.

*Abstract:* The Protection Act of 1922 (16 U.S.C. 594) authorizes the Forest Service to fight fires on National Forest System lands. This information

collection is an approved Forest Service collection. The collection covers the USDA Forest Service (FS) and the Department of the Interior (DOI), and contains the information collection activities and burden hours for both agencies.

Wildland firefighters perform long hours of arduous labor in adverse environmental conditions. It is imperative that these firefighters be in sufficient physical condition to avoid injury to themselves or their coworkers. Federal employees and private individuals seeking employment as a firefighter with the FS or DOI complete the Health Screening Questionnaire (HSQ). This information collection covers the forms and burden hours associated with the private individuals who apply for firefighter positions with the aforementioned agencies.

Prospective firefighters must complete form *FS-5100-31, Health Screening Questionnaire*, when seeking employment as a new firefighter with the Forest Service or Department of the Interior. This form collects the following information:

- Name and Unit.
- Medical history.
- Current medical symptoms.
- Other health issues.
- Cardiovascular risk factors.

The information collected pertains to an individual's health status and health history in an effort to determine if any physical conditions exist that might result in injury or death during fitness testing or when fighting a wildfire. If Federal agency officials determine, based on the collected information, that an individual may not be physically able to train for or take a Work Capacity Test, the agency will require the individual to undergo a physical examination by a physician.

Form *FS-5100-30, Work Capacity Test: Informed Consent*, is signed by those deemed to be in sufficient health

to undergo a Work Capacity Test. The Work Capacity Test determines the level of an individual's aerobic fitness, level of muscular strength, and muscle endurance. The consent form is necessary to ensure the individual taking the test is aware of the various testing levels (arduous, moderate, and light) and the risks involved. The individual indicates the following:

- They have read the information on the form, the brochure "Work Capacity Test" and understand the purpose, instructions, and risks of the test.
- They have read the information, understood, and truthfully answered the HSQ.
- Test to be taken—pack test (arduous), field test (moderate), or walk test (light).

Failure to collect this data could result in injuries or deaths during the "Work Capacity Test" and while working on wildland fires. The information provided by an applicant for Federal employment is stored in secured official files, maintained according to Agency regulations. The information gathered is not available from other sources.

*Estimate of Annual Burden:* 5 Minutes.

*Type of Respondents:* Individuals.

*Estimated Annual Number of Respondents:* 7,471.

*Estimated Annual Number of Responses per Respondents:* 1.

*Estimated Total Annual Burden on Respondents:* 1,240.

#### Comment Is Invited

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All comments received in response to this notice, including names and addresses when provided, will be a matter of public record. Comments will be summarized and included in the submission request toward Office of Management and Budget approval.

Dated: June 26, 2012.

**Robin L. Thompson,**

*Associate Deputy Chief, State & Private Forestry.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

### Forest Service

#### **Arapaho and Roosevelt National Forests and Pawnee National Grassland; Boulder and Gilpin County, CO; Eldora Mountain Resort Ski Area Projects**

**AGENCY:** Forest Service, USDA.

**ACTION:** Notice of intent to prepare an environmental impact statement.

**SUMMARY:** The Arapaho and Roosevelt National Forests and Pawnee National Grassland is preparing an Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) to consider and disclose the anticipated environmental effects of implementing select projects from the 2011 Master Plan for Eldora Mountain Resort (Eldora). Through the identification of opportunities and constraints at the ski area, the proposed projects are designed to allow Eldora to meet guest expectations for a safe, quality, recreational experience by providing appropriate lifts, terrain, and guest services at the resort.

**DATES:** Comments concerning the scope of the analysis must be received by August 6, 2012. The draft environmental impact statement is expected to be available for public review in June 2013 and the final environmental impact statement is expected in April 2014.

**ADDRESSES:** Send written comments to: Eldora EIS Projects; Eldora EIS NEPA Contractor; P.O. Box 2729; Frisco, CO 80443. Comments may also be sent via email to: [info@EldoraEIS.com](mailto:info@EldoraEIS.com), or by facsimile to (970) 668-5798. Include "Eldora EIS Projects" in the subject line. Comments may also be submitted online at [www.EldoraEIS.com](http://www.EldoraEIS.com). The scoping notice and map can be reviewed/downloaded at [www.EldoraEIS.com](http://www.EldoraEIS.com).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Additional information related to the proposed project can be obtained from the project Web site, [www.EldoraEIS.com](http://www.EldoraEIS.com), by contacting the Eldora EIS NEPA Contractor, Travis Beck, at (970) 668-3398 ext. 103, or by emailing: [info@EldoraEIS.com](mailto:info@EldoraEIS.com). Further information will also be made available at two public open houses: one on July 18, 2012, from 5-8 p.m. at the Boulder Ranger District of the Arapaho and Roosevelt National Forests and Pawnee

National Grassland, located at 2140 Yarmouth Avenue, Boulder, CO 80301; and one on July 19, 2012, from 5-8 p.m. at the Nederland Community Center, located at 750 Highway 72 North, Nederland, CO 80466.

Individuals who use telecommunication devices for the deaf (TDD) may call the Federal Information Relay Service (FIRS) at 1-800-877-8339 between 8 a.m. and 8 p.m., Eastern Time, Monday through Friday.

#### **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

*Purpose and Need for Action:* The Forest Service is preparing an EIS to respond to Eldora's request to implement projects from their accepted Master Plan. In the Master Plan, Eldora identified deficiencies in several areas that detract from the guest experience and skier safety at the resort. In order to meet the needs and expectations of existing and potential guests and provide a safe skiing experience, the Forest Service has identified a purpose and need to: (1) Improve the reliability of lift and terrain offerings; (2) address skier safety concerns during prevalent wind events; (3) provide additional Intermediate to Expert ability level terrain and a new, more natural terrain experience; (4) provide new and upgraded lift infrastructure to improve the quality of the alpine ski experience; and (5) expand and improve on-mountain guest services.

*Proposed Action:* The project area includes approximately 615 acres of National Forest System (NFS) lands and 435 acres of private lands. The Forest Service only maintains jurisdiction over the NFS lands; however, to fulfill its obligations under the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) the Forest Service will analyze the entire project area for direct, indirect and cumulative effects. The proposed projects would add approximately 105 acres of traditional terrain and include approximately 80 acres of gladed terrain projects. Much of the traditional terrain construction will require tree removal for the area of the trails, approximating 105 acres of removal, although a more accurate quantity of tree removal will be disclosed in the EIS as all proposed trails may not necessitate complete tree removal. Each project component is discussed below. Additional detail can be viewed at [www.EldoraEIS.com](http://www.EldoraEIS.com).

1. Placer Express Lift and Trails—Install a new six-person chairlift and create approximately 30 acres of traditional terrain and approximately 30 acres of gladed terrain projects. A Forest Plan amendment would be required to adjust the Special Use Permit (SUP) boundary to include approximately 70