



**Resource Management in
South Central Utah
Friday and Saturday, August 27 and 28, 2010**

Friday, August 27

High clearance 4x4 vehicles are recommended.

1 pm – Meet at the Forest Service Visitor Center (the old Wildcat Guard Station) on Highway 12 (about 16 miles south of Torrey and about 22 miles north of Boulder)

Aspen Management on Boulder Mountain. We will look at areas treated with fire in the 1990's, last year, and those that haven't had treatment.

5:30 pm – Dinner at Sandstone Inn Meeting Room

6:30 pm - Evening Presentation

Dr. Charles Kay, USU adjunct professor, will give a historical perspective of vegetative change in the Henry Mountains through his current repeat-photo work.

Saturday , August 28

Transport vehicles must be high clearance (required) 4x4 (recommended). Passenger cars are not appropriate transportation for the Henry Mountains. Access roads have several desert creek fords that are subject to change by flash flood events. Have your vehicle fully gassed when leaving Torrey. **Bring your own lunch and drinks. Bring extra water and snacks.** We will return to Torrey between 5 and 6 pm.

8 am – Meet at Sandstone Inn parking lot

Saturday will be spent in the Henry Mountains. This is a sky island (surrounded by desert) with somewhat unique ecology. This trip provides us an opportunity to look at the **recent wildfire effects**, discuss **State big game management**, and review BLM vegetation management plans in the **McMillan Spring Stewardship project**. The McMillan project addresses forest and ecosystem health, fuels/fire, and wildlife habitat management.

By COB August 20, please let Frank Roth know if you will be attending and which meal you want. You can pay on the 27th. **Also let him know** if you will be bringing a high clearance 4 – wheel drive vehicle and how many extra folks you can carry.

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Non-members and guests are always welcome.



Meal Options (Friday evening, August 27, 2010)

\$15 per person (tax & tip included)

Includes: entrée of choice, roll, salad, dessert, and non-alcoholic beverage.

Entrée choices are: Pot Roast
 Chicken Breast
 Pasta

OR

\$20 per person (tax & tip included)

Includes: salad, steak and ribs combo, roll, dessert, and non-alcoholic beverage.

Cash Bar (not included with meal price): beer or wine are available

Housing:

The Sandstone Inn (435-425-3775) in Torrey has a block of 10 rooms reserved for the night of Friday August 27. The room cost is \$58 (before taxes). You will need to make your own room reservation; the rooms are being held under the "Society of American Foresters." **The Inn is holding this block of rooms until August 17.** There are two private campgrounds in the area. Restaurants open in the morning at 7am. The Inn is on the hill above the gas station at the junction of Highways 12 and 24.



Near McMillan Spring Campground, July 2008