March 2013

March 2013 Budget update
White River National Forest
Coal Basin Restoration Project
Funded with grants through CVEPA – Crystal River Environmental Protection Association to White River National Forest

Jurisdiction	Requested Amount	Status
Carbondale	**$2000**	**Committed 3/5/13**
Glenwood Springs	$2000	Pending FAB discussion
Aspen	**$2000**	**Committed 3/19/13**
Basalt	**$2000**	**Committed 3/12/13**
Snowmass Village	**$2000**	**Committed 3/18/13**
County		
Garfield	**$5000**	**Committed 3/25/13**
Eagle	$5000	Requested Mar 12: pending action
Pitkin –Healthy Rivers Board	**$10,000**	**Committed 3/20**
Delta County	???????????	sent letter to determine interest
Gunnison County	???????????	sent letter to determine interest
Other		
Heartland Env Services	**$2000**	**Committed**
North Thompson Cattlemen	**donation of time**	**Committed**
Amount Committed	**$25,000**	**Committed 3/25/13**

Grant requests for 2014.
CVEPA plans to apply for matching grants for 2014. The goal is to have 3 years of pilot projects modified to use this process of restoration in Coal Basin (with consideration of climate, temperatures, moisture, elevation, assessed damage, soil, vegetation needs, uses (recreation, grazing), wildlife habitat requirements, etc.) . This long range plan for Coal Basin Restoration will, with leadership from the White River National Forest, provide a model for use by the US Forest Service in a unique collaborative proposal for stewardship responsibility in restoration.

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