



## Open Space Operations

### General-

- Attended Agricultural Advisory Board (AAB) , Habitat Partnership Program (HPP) and Open Lands Advisory Board (OLAB) meetings
- Completed Conservation Easement monitoring reports for Ag properties
- Scheduled seeding projects at River Bluffs and Red Mountain with Weed District
- Worked in partnership with Larimer Humane Society to set up an information booth at Devil's Backbone trailhead to educate visitors about heat exhaustion with dogs

### Rangers-

- Hosted prehunt meeting for the nine Red Mountain hunters
- Red Mountain Open Space hunting season begins on October 15<sup>th</sup>
- Hosted Blue Sky Marathon at Devil's Backbone/Horsetooth Mountain
- Rangers will participate in the CSU homecoming parade
- Several smash and grabs reported at the Devil's Backbone trailhead
- Rangers responded to a physical altercation at the Horsetooth Mountain trailhead, female was taken in to custody for domestic violence
- Rangers assisted Colorado Parks and Wildlife with hunter that had taken an illegal elk on the National Forest property adjacent to Eagle's Nest
- Rangers assisted with NOCO Nature Fair at Fort Collins Nix Farm
- Report of waterfowl hunters illegally accessing Fossil Creek Reservoir, unable to locate

### Maintenance/Projects/Leases-

- Contracted grading of entry roads at Eagle's Nest and Red Mountain
- North Poudre Irrigation Company graded secondary roads at Red Mountain to repair flash flood damage per our agreement
- Completed fence repair projects at Eagle's Nest – FEMA
- Checked range, forage, and water conditions at North Property, RMOS, ENOS and discussed pasture schedule and durations with lessees
- Completed box culvert repairs on entry road at Red Mountain – re-repair
- Worked with Ackerman to contract repairs at Sand Creek barn
- Completed a variety of plumbing repairs at McGraw rental house