

**FORESTRY COMMITTEE MINUTES
SANGRE DE CRISTO, DECEMBER 7, 2006**

ATTENDEES: **Bill Hicks** **Bob Dwyer** **Jeff DeChristopher**
 Dennis Riley **Cloyce Miller** **Val Philpott**
 Gary Crandell **John Hall** **Jack Peterson**
 Wayne Eisenbrandt **Steve Vittum** **Andy White(USFS)**
 Crystal Tischler(CFS)

SLASH PILE BURNING

Andy White the Pile Burn Boss with the USFS addressed our members and answered questions. Until there is sufficient snow all burning has been put on hold. Over 900 piles have been burned in this area. And, there will not be any thinning in 2007, they will consider thinning in 2008.

MOUNTAIN PINE BEETLE

Filing maps were turned in to Val with documented hours. Also, barbed wire locations.

2007 BUDGET

A copy of the Forestry budget for 2007 was given to all attendees.

CHIPPING

The chipping for 2006 was completed. We have \$3400 left of our grant money.

CWPP

Val and John Hall are working on the CWPP, with John doing the 'base map' and Val the narrative that will accompany the map. The first 'rough' draft of the narrative was handed out to all the attendees.

SLASH PIT BURNING

Resume burning Game Trail's slash was discussed. This is Jack Peterson's arena (Commons Committee) and he will pursue getting our burn policy reinstated.

NEXT MEETING AT SANGRE, JANUARY 4TH, 2007

