

## 2018 Bridging the Divide Agenda

**Friday, June 22, Wolf Creek Ski Area**

Time	Speaker	Topic
5:00 – 5:15	<b>Aaron Kimple</b> , San Juan Headwaters Forest Health Partnership Program Director	Welcome
5:15 – 5:25	<b>Sid Hall</b> , Rio Grande NF Fire and Fuels Specialist	Panel – Million Fire perspective
5:25 – 5:35	<b>Devin Haynie</b> , CO Division of Fire Prevention and Control Fire Management Officer	Panel – West Fork Fire perspective
5:35- 5:45	<b>Brian Norton</b> , Rio Grande Sheriff (TBD)	Panel – Evacuation perspective
5:45-6:00	Questions for panel	
<b>6:00- 6:15</b>	<b>Break</b>	
6:15-6:30	<b>Cassandra Doyon</b> , Rocky Mountain Timber Products Inc. Owner	Impacts of fire on local timber business
6:30-6:45	<b>Chad Lewis</b> , Rio Grande NF Forest Fire Management Office	Managing wildland fire on the Forest
6:45-7:00	<b>Adam Moore</b> , Colorado State Forest Service, Supervisory Forester of Communications and Communities	Protecting your home
<b>7:00-8:00</b>	Dinner	BBQ dinner, beer and conversation

**Saturday, June 23 South Fork Visitor Center**

Time	Speaker	Topic
9:00-9:10		Meet at South Fork Visitor Center Drive to Hope Creek – West Fork Fire
9:40 – 9:50	<b>Mike Blakeman</b> , Rio Grande NF Public Affairs Officer	Welcome
9:50 – 10:05	<b>Devin Haynie</b> , CO Division of Fire Prevention and Control Fire Management Officer	Setting the stage – Weather, Fuels, Fire behavior
10:05–10:40	<b>Dale Gomez/Kevin Duda/Tanner Dutton</b> (TBA)	Impacts and recovery of fire (forest, grazing, water, wildlife)
10:40-11:00		Drive to Fun Valley Overlook
11:00–11:10	<b>Brian Norton</b> , Rio Grande Sheriff (or Mike Blakeman)	Fun Valley Overlook – discuss evacuation challenge
11:10-11:30		Drive to Million Reservoir
11:30–12:30	<b>Ramona Weber</b> , Mineral County Commissioner	Lunch – discuss recovery of communities following a fire
12:30-12:45	<b>Sid Hall</b> , Rio Grande NF Fire and Fuels Specialist	Setting the stage – Weather, Fuels, Fire behavior
12:45 – 1:00	<b>Dale Gomez</b> , Rio Grande NF Wildlife Biologist	Impacts and recovery water resources and fish
		Drive to Willow Park overlook
1:30 – 1:40	<b>Mike Blakeman</b> , Rio Grande NF Public Affairs Officer	Willow Park overlook – discuss loss of structures
		Drive to Shaw Mesa turnoff
1:50 – 2:15	<b>Dale Gomez/Kevin Duda/Tanner Dutton</b> (TBA)	Impacts and recovery (forest, grazing, wildlife)
2:15 – 2:30	<b>Mike Blakeman</b> , Rio Grande NF Public Affairs Officer	Wrap up
3:00		Disperse from South Fork Visitor Center

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