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RS-FMP Program of Work
1. INTRODUCTION

This document is a living, working road map to guide the Wasatch-Cache National Forest, over the next five years, in providing a quality, sustainable developed recreation program. It describes the vision (niche) for the overall Forest recreation program and outlines proposals specific to individual developed recreation sites.

The proposals and guidance contained in this document were developed through, and are the end result of, the national Recreation Site Facility Master Plan (RS-FMP) process. Existing and projected visitor demands, resource conditions, program costs, and revenue were all considered in developing proposals.

This document will serve as a framework from which the Forest will prioritize investments, as well as pursue changes in operations or maintenance of developed recreation sites and facilities. Proposals are wholly consistent with the Intermountain Region Recreation Strategy, February 2004, and the Wasatch-Cache National Forest Land and Resource Management Plan.

The Forest recognizes that site-specific analysis and public involvement may be necessary prior to implementing some of the proposals contained in this document. As implementation of site-specific proposals are considered, they will be evaluated to determine if they are subject to the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) and all required procedures shall be executed.

The Forest also recognizes that proposals relating to fees will require consistency with criteria outlined in the Recreation Enhancement Act (REA) and coordination with the appropriate Recreation Resource Advisory Committee (RRAC).