

**Proposed Resource Management Plan and  
Final Environmental Impact Statement for the  
Uncompahgre Field Office, Colorado  
BLM/CO/PL-19/001**

1. Responsible Agency: United States Department of the Interior  
Bureau of Land Management
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4. Abstract: This Proposed Resource Management Plan and Final Environmental Impact Statement describes and analyzes five alternatives and one partial alternative for managing over 675,800 acres of BLM-administered lands and 971,220 acres of federal subsurface mineral estate in southwestern Colorado. The Uncompahgre Field Office spans portions of Delta, Gunnison, Mesa, Montrose, Ouray, and San Miguel counties. The plan alternatives are Alternative A (the “No Action” alternative or continuation of the 1985 San Juan/San Miguel Resource Management Plan and 1989 Uncompahgre Basin Resource Management Plan), Alternative B (resource conservation emphasis), Alternative C (resource use emphasis), Alternative D (the “balanced” and Agency-Preferred Alternative in the Draft Resource Management Plan and Environmental Impact Statement), and Alternative E (the Agency-Proposed Resource Management Plan). Planning issues addressed include categories such as travel management, energy development, recreation management, lands and realty, wildlife and fish, and special designations. The alternatives also address designation of Areas of Critical Environmental Concern and Wild and Scenic River suitability findings.
5. Protest Period: Protests on the Uncompahgre Proposed Resource Management Plan and Final Environmental Impact Statement must be postmarked or received 30 days from the date the US Environmental Protection Agency publishes a Notice of Availability in the *Federal Register*.
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