



Common Outdoor Ground

Volunteers for Southeast Wyoming Public Spaces



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- COG organizes volunteers in support of public lands in southeast Wyoming
- Projects that focus on
 - Increased recreation access
 - Sustainability of recreation resources
 - Ecosystem health
- **2022**
 - 182 Volunteers
 - 703 Volunteer Hours
 - 11 Volunteer Days
 - 15+ Sites
 - Valued at over \$21k



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- **Project Examples**
 - Clean up days
 - Removing barbed wire fencing on Pilot Hill
 - Installing wildlife safe fencing
 - Collecting seeds for wildfire rehab.
 - Re-opening campgrounds such as Nash Fork and Lake Owen
- **We want more projects closer to town!**
 - Work in service of more public places
 - Projects more accessible for families, youth, people without transportation etc.



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- What COG provides
 - Passionate volunteer base
 - Project promotion, planning, and day-of execution
 - Safety equipment, most tools
 - Food
- What partners provide
 - Projects + Sites
 - Site specific liability and/or waivers when necessary
 - Project expertise when necessary



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- **Goal: 2-3 City Projects Yearly**
 - Interesting projects that resonate with users
 - Visible, results-oriented
 - Can reasonably be done in a 2-4 hour time frame
 - Make our public spaces more enjoyable, beautiful, or accessible
- **Project Ideas? Contact:**
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