

SRBCH MEETING
July 10, 2026
Emery County Administration Building

Welcome and introduction:

MEMBERS PRESENT: Don, Terri, Dale, Patti, Scott, Susan, Ken, Rod, Braden Jones and family, Brett Broadhead and family.

Review May Minutes - reviewed June minutes, no issues

Treasure's Report- Ken - \$20,000 in CD at EU Credit Union, \$3,700 in checking

Public Lands- Rod – Washington D.C. is potentially pushing to eliminate road less travel. An analysis to keep road less the same may need to be completed.

Old Business:

Kacie – Forest Service- Nate Conder (State Trails Crew) is planning to work on the Big East Trail July 20-22. 13 hours/days. Request our help in packing in tools and assisting on trail work. Still working on finding out what this project will entail and what the crew is expected to do. Waiting for more information from the Forest Service

BLM had two Travel Plan reassessments out for review. Comment period ends on June 9th. SRBCH letter was sent commenting on the Calf Mesa and short cut out of Fuller Bottom routes.

Forest Service is starting the process to raise recreation fees on the Manti. Sixty-day comment period starts on June 15. Info on story map (access to map coming on June 15).

New Business:

Scad Valley Trailhead is on hold because of fire danger Waiting on Forest Service

Manti (northern zone) Forest Service is in Stage One Fire Restrictions. Meaning you cannot have fires anywhere except in establish metal concrete fire rings. You can still use a bbq or small propane fireplace; both must have a shut off valve.

On July 11, 2026 this changes to Stage 2 on the Mani Lasal

Trails Cleared

Everyone report on trails they have cleared. (we may clear one trail more than once)

Schedule: Mill Cyn to Potters Pond has been cleaned for the first time in since the fires. You can now ride from Black Cyn – Shoofly – Mill – Potter's Pond.

July 20-22 – Pack tools for State Trail Crew and FS on Big East Trail

July 10, 2026 – July 9-11, 2026 will be the annual SRBCHU campout at Black Canyon.

Dinner will be Friday night, July 10 at 5:30 for all members.

MENU- Eric – pulled pork Terri – Baked beans Dale – Coleslaw Rod – Buns Coco – potato salad Angela – Cherry Pie Bars Ken – cobbler Wayne – eating utensils

July 20 – 22, 2026 – Pack tools for State Trail Crew and Forest Service on Big East Trail

Member questions: On chainsaw training – The new chainsaw administrator for the State is Gary Sidoway from the High Uinta chapter. They are still working on confirmation of classes. Ken and Wayne can still do the training. Ken is good on his C bucket trainer until August 2026.

NEXT SRBCH MEETING August 6 at Emery County Building 6:30