

Are ATVs allowed on open space?

The Rules and Regulations for Boulder County Parks and Open Space Areas are established under Resolution No. 2008-31, adopted January 22nd, 2009. Rule 9(a) states:

No person shall operate a motor vehicle, including a car, truck, motorcycle, minibike, snowmobile, four-wheel drive or other recreational vehicle, within any County Parks and Open Space area, unless the area is specifically designated and posted to permit the operation of such vehicle in that area. County and emergency vehicles on official business are excepted from this Rule. For exceptions related to disabled access refer to Rule 9b.

For further information on the Rules and Regulations governing use of Open Space Areas in Boulder County, please visit:

http://www.bouldercounty.org/openspace/recreating/public_parks/rules®s.htm.

Clarify map for parcels and junior/senior rights near Snowbound?

Any map used by BCPOS for public presentations should be understood to be representational only. BCPOS makes every effort to ensure the veracity of all of its property maps. However, errors do occur, when a map error is identified, please contact BCPOS and we will work with the individual landowner to rectify the error.

Does an easement transfer with the R&PPA to the County?

Boulder County Parks and Open Space will recognize all existing easements held by private property owners on BLM lands at the easement owner's request. Temporary easements will need to be converted to permanent easements by landowners through discussions with Boulder County upon the transfer of the affected property.

Can the R&PPA be re-opened and changed by BOCC?

As part of the Recreation and Public Purposes Act process, BCPOS has submitted an application to the BLM for certain BLM properties around Gold Hill. The application includes certain amenities that were proposed after a planning process involving BCPOS and the Gold Hill community. The BLM will review the application and BCPOS will be subject to whatever terms the BLM requires in order to cause the transfer of property.

As part of the BCPOS proposal, we will complete a Management Plan for all properties when the land is transferred to the Department. This complete Management Plan shall be reviewed and approved by the Board of County Commissioners before it could be put in place. This management plan will not alter the use of the land as open land and will not contradict any agreements made between BCPOS and the BLM during the R&PPA process.