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To all interested persons:

Re: Developed Shooting Range Possibility on Private or County Land

After further research and review we are adding two sites for consideration as possible shooting range sites in Gilpin County:

Wide Awake, Missouri Gulch Road

This property is located at the top of Missouri Gulch Road and has been an active shooting site for years. The shooting site is actually on USFS land but people have been parking on private property. The current owner is interested in selling the 20 acre property and has agreed to allow the county to apply for a Colorado Parks & Wildlife Range Grant to purchase this site. Further site inspection by range experts will begin when the weather permits.

La Place Mining Claim

This 4.4 acre property, which is accessed from the Central City Parkway, was recently acquired by the county in a land exchange. The property will require site visits and sound tests when weather permits before we confirm it is suitable for a range site.

Once we have the ability to tour both sites and hear from range experts, we will conduct publicly noticed sound tests. We look forward to comments from all residents interested in this process.

Regards,

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