



Greetings,

First and foremost, thank you all for the strong support you have shown for skiing on Snodgrass Mountain. This groundswell of support has created great positive momentum with the following results:

- MyGunnisonValley.com poll in early April had over 1,000 votes cast (the most ever) with 85% of the respondents supporting CBMR moving forward with plans to expand lift-served skiing on Snodgrass;
- Crested Butte/Mt. Crested Butte Chamber poll conducted in early April with 134 businesses responding, with 60% in support of lift served skiing, 31% in opposition and 9% undecided.
- Snodgrass presentation to the community at a joint meeting of the Mt. Crested Butte and Crested Butte Town Councils with over 250 people in attendance with a strong majority showing support for Snodgrass.
- Presentation to the Gunnison City Council with a room full of supporters that has resulted in the Council drafting a letter to the Forest Service in support of Snodgrass being moved into the NEPA process. It is anticipated the Council will approve the letter on June 24<sup>th</sup>.
- MyGunnisonValley.com poll conducted earlier this week resulted in a very heavy turnout with 88% of the votes cast supporting the sending of the letter from the Gunnison City Council to the Forest Service.
- Presentation to the Crested Butte South Property Owners Association Board of Directors. The Board voted to send a letter to the Forest Service that recognizes the positive economic impact of Snodgrass and supports moving Snodgrass into the NEPA process.
- The Mt. Crested Butte Town Council has sent a letter to the Forest Service urging them to begin the NEPA process.

These are some of the tangible results from your support, but we cannot rest. The Forest Service has made it clear that they will not allow the Snodgrass plan to enter the NEPA process unless there is strong community support for it. The Forest Service will gage this support by community feedback to them through letters and emails. **Therefore, it is most critical that all of the supporters for lift serviced alpine skiing on Snodgrass either email or write letters of support for the project to the Forest Service.**

Emails to the Forest Service can be sent via the **SnodgrassFacts.com** web site, or you can send letters to the following address:

Charlie Richmond, Forest Supervisor  
USDA Forest Service  
Grand Mesa, Uncompahgre and Gunnison National Forest  
2250 Highway 50  
Delta, CO 81416

Again, thank you for your help and let's ensure that Snodgrass happens by sending your email or letter of support.

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