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Dahlgreen Aspen Prescribed Fire Successfully Implemented

Evanston, WY, June 18, 2008 – The Evanston/Mt. View Ranger District successfully implemented the Dahlgreen Aspen, 250 acre prescribed fire on Sunday, June 15, 2008. "All objectives of the prescribed fire were met," said Steve Ryberg, Evantson/Mt View District Ranger. Ryberg stated "that the objects include regeneration of aspen stands that provide habitat for wildlife, forage for livestock, desirable recreation sites, and landscape diversity. The burn also removed conifer trees and down and dead timber which can be added fuel for a wildland fire."

The Evanston/Mt View Ranger District would like to thank the Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation, Rock Springs and Salt Lake Bureau of Land Management and the Mountain View Volunteer Fire Department for their assistance in successfully implementing this project and the Uinta County Sheriff's office and Whiting Petroleum for their support during the project.

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