

# Price Canyon Hazardous Fuels Mitigation Project

## Carbon County, Utah



### Contact

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**Location:** Approximately 6 miles northwest of Helper, Utah and west of Highway 191.

**Implementation Date:** Project work was implemented in Fall of 2007 and will continue throughout 2008.

**Project Acres:** 603

**Acres to be treated in 2008:** 603

**Legal:** T. 12 S. R. 9 E., Sec. 16, 17, 20-22, 27, 28.

### Project Description:

The overall goals of this fuels management project are the prevention of stand-replacement wildland fires and the protection of the health and safety of public and firefighters.

Treatment objectives include: thinning coniferous trees and brush to a more natural and historic density, reducing fuels loads, limiting the growth and spread of gamble oak in the campground and along the road, enhancing wildlife habitat by reducing slash, brush and other understory vegetation in old growth ponderosa pine stands, and the reintroduction of fire into the ecosystem to sustain a healthy ponderosa pine forest.

