

## Ecosystem Restoration Project Information Sheet

## Salina Creek Prescribed Fire

Richfield Ranger District, Fishlake National Forest

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Planned Date: Spring/Fall - 2016 Season

**Location:** Salina Creek / Skutumpah Reservoir, Duncan Mountain

**Legal Description:** Township 21 South, Range 3 East, Sections 19, 25, 27-28

Township 21 South, Range 4 East, Sections 31-36

Township 22 South, Range 4 East, Sections 2, 3, 11 and 12,

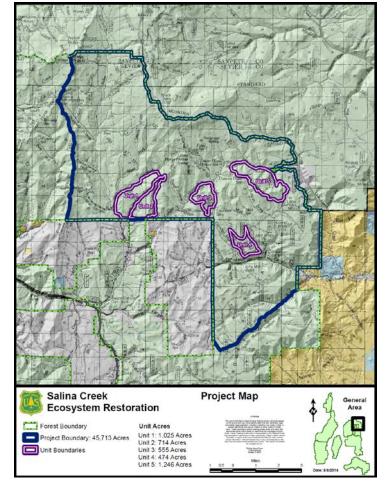
**Lat/Long:** N 38° 57.218' W 111° 30.734'

N 38° 56.227' W 111° 27.963'

**Project Description:** The Salina Creek Prescribed Fire Project is an ecosystem restoration project located near Salina Creek, Skutumpah Reservoir, Duncan Mountain and Convulsion Canyon Purpose and need:

- Reduce the risk for large scale high intensity wildland fire by improving firefighter safety and reducing the threat to adjacent private property.
- Restore ecosystems to properly functioning condition in terms of species composition.
- Create more desirable habitat for wildlife species dependent on the various ecosystems in the area.

To accomplish the desired condition, prescribed fire techniques may be implemented within 4014 acres utilizing broadcast ignition. Approximately 30-80% of the fuels will be burned in a mosaic pattern to break up continuous fuel beds that support high intensity stand replacing fire and create a diversity of



structural vegetative stages, age classes and species composition.

