

MEMORANDUM

P.O. Box 4100 ◆ Frisco, Colorado 80443

To: MAYOR AND TOWN COUNCIL

FROM: DIANE MCBRIDE, ASSISTANT TOWN MANAGER / DIRECTOR REC/CULTURE

RE: CAMP HALE - CONTINENTAL DIVIDE NATIONAL MONUMENT UPDATE

DATE: NOVEMBER 8, 2022

On Thursday, October 27, 2022, staff (Susan Lee, Pete Swenson and Diane McBride) met with representatives from the Dillion Ranger District to learn about potential implications of the newly designated Camp Hale-Continental Divide National Monument on the Frisco Backyard management proposal. Adam Bianchi, Dillon District Ranger, explained that the Forest Service will be tasked with developing a management plan for the Camp Hale-Continental Divide National Monument over the next several years. Because the Monument proclamation includes support for recreation and fuels management, the Backyard proposal and NEPA study should be able to proceed as planned. Mr. Bianchi will be present at the November 8th Council work session for further discussion. The Camp Hale – Continental Divide National Monument FAQ document is included as an attachment for Council review.