

Landscape Profile: Piedra 47, 000 Acres			District: Pagosa March 31, 2005		
Outstanding Features	Active Uses	Landscape Concerns	Landscape Opportunities	Oil and Gas Leasing (Acres)	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Natural setting – undisturbed low elevation Managed to maintain wilderness characteristics Beautiful river corridor Ponderosa pine old growth 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Multiple Recreation Uses – non motorized Grazing Scientific study – fire history and birds 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Brush and fir encroachment on ponderosa pine Weed proliferation – thistle cheatgrass & hounds tongue loss of cutthroat habitat Wildfire Risks – area wide Archeological site impacts 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Prescribe burning as part of forest restoration to reduce wildfire risk and to restore natural conditions Forest restoration & wildlife habitat improvements, and Ponderosa Pine habitat Hunting Trailhead improvement Wildfire use 	Current leases 0 Available 0 W/restrictions 0 (No Surface Occupancy) Non-FS 0	
	Land Ownership (Acres)				
	National Forest 47,000 BLM 0 Private 0 State 0				
Vegetation Data	Dominant Recreation Uses			Roads and Trails	
Vegetation Types: % of area by Vegetation Types: Grasslands 2 Shrublands 1 Riparian veg. 1 Aspen 16 Conifers 55 Ponderosa pine 11 Spruce/Fir 14 Currently Suitable Timberlands: 0 acres	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Hiking, Horse packing Hunting Rafting/kayaking fishing 			Roads (miles) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Improved 0 Unimproved 0 Closed 0 Non-System 1 est. Trails (miles) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Classified 42 Unclassified 0 Total Miles 43	