

2012 Project Summary

Dolores River Restoration
Grand Junction Field Office

Willow Planting



8,200 willow poles
11 sites
6 mile reach

Remote Irrigation



Russian Knapweed Treatments



Tamarisk Resprout Treatments



167 acres treated

- 113 acres BLM crew
- 54 acres contract

Tamarisk Treatment

Mechanical: 71 acres

Manual: 24 acres



Still in the Works for 2012

- Mechanical tamarisk removal on 40 acres of private land
- Knapweed treatments until freeze-out
- Dormant pole planting of cottonwoods
- Cut-stump tamarisk removal (BLM crew)
- Re-seeding (grasses) on select areas
- Establish CSU/Dow Agro study plots