

San Juan Plan Revision History & Timeline

December 2004	San Juan Public Land Center (SJPLC) begins process to jointly revise the Land and Resource Management Plans for San Juan National Forest and San Juan BLM Lands.
2005-2006	<p>Public scoping and involvement:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ Plan issues and alternatives developed with input from the public, federal, state, & local governments, tribes, FS & BLM personnel, and other groups and organizations. The core of the community input process consisted of 21 meetings over a period of eight months held in Cortez, Durango and Pagosa. Three additional meetings held in Norwood, Rico and Silverton to gather input regarding the management of lands surrounding those communities. ❖ SJPLC holds six public meetings in Durango, Pagosa, Cortez, Silverton, Rico and Norwood to review preliminary alternatives.
December 2007	Draft Land and Resource Management Plan & Environmental Impact Statement released for public review and comment. Over 18,000 letters were submitted during the 120-day comment period.
2009 & 2010	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ Reasonable Foreseeable Development Scenario revised to include development projections for the Gothic Shale Gas Play (GSGP) ❖ New air quality model completed using new development projections ❖ SJPLC develops Supplement to the Draft Environmental Impact Statement to incorporate new information
2011	<p>Supplement to the Draft Environmental Impact Statement released for public review and comment with a 90-day comment period beginning on August 26, 2011</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ Open Houses to be conducted in Norwood, Dove Creek, Cortez and Durango ❖ Comments accepted from August 26th-November 25th, 2011
Next Steps	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ Review and respond to public comments on the Supplement to the Draft Environmental Impact Statement ❖ Use comments already received on the Draft Land and Resource Management Plan/Draft Environmental Impact Statement to develop the Final Land and Resource Management Plan and Environmental Impact Statement
December 2012	Anticipated completion of the Final Land and Resource Management Plan and Environmental Impact Statement.