

What are the outdoor recreation needs in your region?

Programs

INFR

Not Prioritized!
(Just grouped)

Many opportunities for Outdoor rec. in Farmington; promote the range opportunities available for visitors;

manufacturer standpoint we need some help with expansion and start up. Leases and real estate have become very expensive along with everything else. Manufacturing has very small margins as we compete against

State-wide needs equestrian-friendly campgrounds including space for trailers. Blue Water Lake is one potential site. old radar site at continental divide has been identified with space for large RVs and equestrian. Need plan

As result of McKinley County trails at Mount Taylor, now host mountain biking races; big economic benefit; Need to continue to extend trails development at Mount Taylor

More single track trails on the Grants side of Mount Taylor

Connecting existing and prospective business owners with 'business bootcamps'

Need more Tour Activities also in Cibola County.

Partnerships with agencies to assist with appropriate signage. Backcountry horsemen partnered with USFS to create signage

put ins on both the San Juan River and on the Animas River to provide more half day trip opportunities or better tubing experiences, At this moment on the San Juan at low water you will be on the river for a full day with no

To go with that bike access to put in and takes outs for shuttle purposes or perhaps a shuttle company for tubers and rafters and boaters

Funding to assist with managing illegal dump sites on public land.

Need more BLM staff dedicated to outdoor recreation in the Farmington Office

Also more USFS staff to work on special use permitting. In Cibola County

Cibola County needs more trails. They are in progress with the Zuni Mountains Trails project, but not yet built.

along with RV Camp grounds we need some tent freindly campsites with shade structures Camp sites closer to the towns

Extend mountain biking programs; NW New Mexico race series

Need help with permitting

Need more signage along public trails to guide public.

Need for additional infrastructure (power/water/sewer) to provide quality camping (RV Resorts)

Growth in mountain biking; including grant money for manufacturing of bikes; available space; need to recruit interested manufacturer

HIGH

Need assistance with BLM permitting.

LOW

What are the opportunities or barriers to meeting your region's outdoor recreation needs?

Lack of specifically equestrian friendly campgrounds

Business owners; need for bike shops, retail shops, outfitters, etc.

little public land along the river corridors for access

Effective advertising for local businesses is a big hurdle; need more resources

permitting through federal agencies

Staffing

We have a massive amount of outdoor assets that are unique to New Mexico

Campgrounds, great trails, Zuni Mountains and forests; Opportunity for campgrounds to get more people enjoying

Farmington has a great record in advertising for outdoor recreation

Ample hospitality opportunities (hotels)

Available large facilities for manufacturing and attractions

**Water
(3 rivers)**

BARRIERS

OPPORTUNITIES

