

# 2016-2020 Denver Water 5 year plan proposals - reply due May 28th

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<b>Subject</b>	<b>2016-2020 Denver Water 5 year plan proposals - reply due May 28th</b>
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The forest has a great opportunity to acquire funding for watershed maintenance and restoration treatments with objectives of providing clean water from the Blue River Headwaters. Over the last five years, funding was primarily focused on vegetation treatments to reduce the impacts of wildfire in the Upper Blue watershed.

Most of you submitted some brief proposals a couple months ago that could potentially be funded with Denver Water Board (DWB) partnership money 3026-2020. Denver Water was interested, but not committed to the proposals, they wanted more detailed information on road decommissioning, trail decommissioning, reforestation, noxious weed treatments, stream improvements, etc.

DWB is looking to fund implementation of projects, not planning (NEPA).

For 2016-2020 proposals, if you believe that it worth your effort for funding, DWB would like a proposal (one page or less project description) which includes:

## Description of the Project

Where is the project going to occur and what year (created a table with the road #'s, trail #'s, miles, to be decommissioned or acres of nx weed treatments). The table should also show what is DWB funded and what would be USFS funded (or partner funded).

Why is it needed

How is it going to be accomplished

What are the benefits to watershed health

How are we going to know it's effectiveness (monitoring plan)

Are there other partners involved

Estimated cost of project

Provide maps of the project (8.5 x 11"). The scale of the map 1:24000 if possible. The maps should display the roads or trails to be decommissioned by year (color code it for planned year).

If you can get this info to me by May 28th, I'll submit it for further review and field trip review this summer.

This is a great opportunity to build your program with partnership funding.

Questions -let me know.

Thanks - Cary



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