

Members of the W.W.A.:

Congratulations go to Colorado! Finally, a Wilderness area freed from unlawful taxation. "User Fees" (taxes) forced upon public re-creationist on public lands and waters and for which the public receives absolutely nothing in return.

Idahoans, in particular members of the W.W.A., have struggled...since 1996... with this same extortion on the Salmon Rivers in the Frank Church River of No Return Wilderness. For seventeen (17) years Idahoans and others have been forced to pay a "users fee" (tax) in return for alleged services that never have and can never be provided in the Wilderness Area. Obviously,, political leaders in Colorado care more about fairness for their people than the political leaders in Idaho. Again, congratulations Colorado!

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WESTERN SLOPE NO-FEE COALITION



SEDONA'S REDROCKS



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DEAR PUBLIC LANDS SUPPORTER
Kitty Benzar ,

REMINDER: If you will be in the Denver area over the upcoming Memorial Day Weekend, you are invited to a party!

On Saturday, May 25, we will celebrate the end of access fees for the Mt Evans Highway and Wilderness Area. Meet us at the base of Colorado State Highway 5 at 1 PM for a joyous caravan followed by fellowship and refreshments.

Hope to see you there!

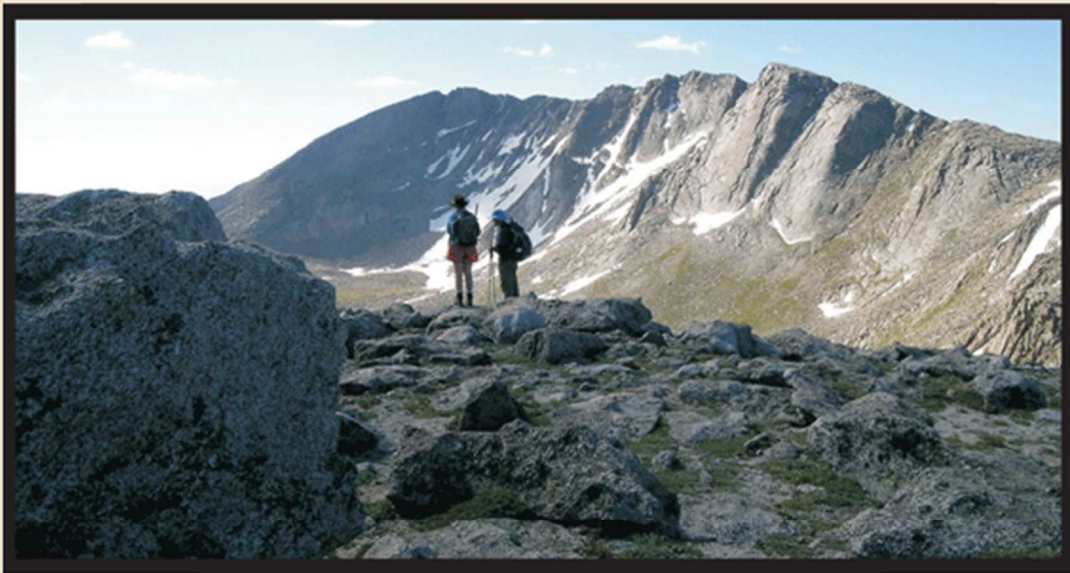
Mt. Evans is free again!

IT'S THE

MOUNT EVANS

FREEDOM CELEBRATION

*Celebrating the end of the FEE for
those accessing the Mt. Evans wilderness!*



JOIN THE CELEBRATION

MAY 25, 1 PM

MEET AT THE ECHO LAKE LODGE PARKING AREA

A caravan procession will drive up to Summit Lake sporting banners and balloons, then return to the upper Goliath Trailhead for a short party to offer congratulations and share stories over cake and refreshments.

The Western Slope No-Fee Coalition is a broad-based organization consisting of diverse interests including hiking, biking, boating, equestrian and motorized enthusiasts, community groups, local and state elected officials, conservatives and liberals, Republicans and Democrats, and just plain citizens.

Our goals are:

- To eliminate recreation fees for general access to public lands managed by the Forest Service and Bureau of Land Management
- To eliminate backcountry fees and interpretive program fees in National Parks.
- To require more accountability within the land management agencies
- To encourage Congress to adequately fund our public lands

Thank you for your support!

Sincerely,

Kitty Bazar
Western Slope No Fee Coalition

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