



HABITAT PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM MEETING MINUTES

Uncompahgre HPP Committee

Phone Conference

May 14th, 2018

6:30 pm

Uncompahgre HPP Members Present: Kelly Crane, CPW; Bobby Gray, Sportsperson; Bob Black, Ag Producer; Angela LoSasso, BLM

Introduction: Committee members identified themselves. The remaining budget at the start of the meeting was \$32,800.00.

New Business:

1. The committee reviewed a fencing project from Tony Abel. The project area is located in a migration corridor with heavy deer and elk traffic in the fall and spring. The proposal involves removing old barbed wire and constructing $\frac{3}{4}$ mile of new wildlife-friendly fence. $\frac{1}{4}$ mile of the fence was planned for completion in FY18, with the remainder of the fence to be completed as a separate project in FY19. The committee discussed concerns that the proposed fence line was not near or adjacent to public lands, which offers diminished benefit to the public. Additionally, the cost share details were not clear on the application. Since the landowner was not able to attend the conference, the application was tabled for the next meeting.

Next meeting: September 5th, 2018 @ 6:30pm