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Comments: Good morning Adam and Kathleen,

It seems as though there is guidance within the USDA's Climate Change Resource Center on guidance with respect to climate change, NEPA pre-implementation.

https://www.fs.usda.gov/ccrc/topics/nepa-introduction-incorporating-climate-change

Though this does not appear to be legally binding, there exists an opportunity for the Dillon Ranger District along with The Town of Frisco's Sustainability Department to create a dynamic project with climate change as an integral part of the process.

This is highly consistent with our own County's Climate Plan as well as the State of Colorado's Natural and Working Land piece of the Climate Plan.

As a matter of precedence, I cite the Climate Change Response Network and the work across the nation including 3 projects in Colorado initiating practices through the Adaptive Silviculture for Climate Change network.

Our organization is here as a community partner along with our growing network to aid in this process to ensure the most cutting edge climate adaptation and mitigation practices are integral to this and future projects on all our public land.

Thank you.

Tom K