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Wolford Reservoir Trail

Getting There

The Wolford Reservoir Trail is located approximately eight miles north of Kremmling on Highway 40. Turn east into the Red Desert Overlook Day Use Area. The trail begins at the southeast corner of the parking area.

General Information

The Wolford Mountain area provides unrestricted use for foot traffic throughout the area. The 0.2-mile Wolford Reservoir Trail is designated for foot and horse traffic. The trail descends through sagebrush habitat, providing access to the shore of Wolford Mountain Reservoir. Many fish species are found in Wolford Mountain Reservoir, including cutbow, cutthroat, brown, and rainbow trout; kokanee salmon, splake and suckers. Public lands managed by the BLM in the Kremmling Field Office are highly intermixed with private property. Please respect private land!

Safety

The shoreline at the end of Wolford Reservoir Trail is mostly gradual, however some of the shoreline areas nearby drop steeply to the water, and loose rocky soils can result in loss of footing. Be cautious of small children and non-swimmers near the reservoir. Obtain a weather forecast prior to your visit. Weather conditions can change quickly. Watch the sky for dark clouds moving in. Listen for thunder. Feel for changes in wind direction, speed and temperature. Sunscreen, rain gear, and layered clothing are recommended.

Protect Natural Resources

Trash services are not provided – please pack out your trash.

The sage-steppe ecosystem of the western United States is one of the most at-risk ecosystems in America due to conversion for agriculture; construction of cities, roads, and energy development; and invasion by non-native species and woodlands. The loss of sage-steppe habitat threatens more than 350 plant and animal species in the American west. Please help protect this habitat: avoid causing damage to sagebrush and other plants by using existing routes when visiting or passing through the sage-steppe; and remove hitchhiker seeds from clothing and sporting gear prior to entering the area to reduce the introduction of non-native plants.

