

A photograph of a dirt road winding through a forest. The road is unpaved, composed of dirt and scattered rocks, and leads into the distance. The forest consists of tall, thin birch trees with white bark and dark trunks, interspersed with evergreen trees. The ground is covered with dry leaves, twigs, and patches of green grass and small yellow flowers. The sky is clear and blue. The text "Road Closure and Travel Management" is overlaid in red on the center of the image.

Road Closure and Travel Management

2002 Uncompahgre Forest Travel Decision

ID'd the permanent transportation system (System Routes)

Others were closed (Non System Routes - Plateau 537 miles)

- high road density, parallel, or w/in 0.5 mile of another
- soil/water/wildlife habitat impacts





Non-system roads closed by:

- Minimal ground disturbing
- Ground disturbing

Approximately 60% of the non-system treated

Principal factors to consider:

- Was it done
- Did it stop use
- Travel way re-vegetating
- Resource benefits achieved or improving





CFLRP Grant included:

- **119 miles of road decommissioning**
- **1.5 miles of re-routing**
- **100 miles of erosion control on trails**