



TRAIL SEGMENT DESIGNATION PROCESS & APPLICATION

RGT Segments:

Date of Submittal:
Submittal to: RGT Commission

Approval Date (RGT Commission):

Applicant Information

Name/Title:
Name/Title:

Email:

☐ Land Owner / ☐ Land Manager (Check which applies) / ☐ Other

If additional applicants:

Name/Title:

Email:

☐ Land Owner / ☐ Land Manager (Check which applies) / ☐ Other

Access

Public Access:

☐ Yes / ☐ No / ☐ With permit

User Groups (if not open to all the below groups, note alternate accommodation for those groups in the "Connectivity" section of the application):

☐ Hikers / ☐ Bikers / ☐ Equestrians

Surfacing:

☐ Paved / ☐ Unpaved / ☐ Blue (water)

Universal Design/ADA Accessible:

☐ Yes / ☐ No / ☐ Partial

Difficulty:

☐ Easy (mostly flat & smooth) / ☐ Moderate (some elevation change) /

☐ Difficult (significant elevation change)



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RGT Segments:

Traffic Flow:

Barriers:

Signage:

Features:

Designation Type

☐ Proposed/ ☐ Full Designation of through trail / ☐ Full Designation of spur trail (Check which applies)

(Note: Proposed Designation is for proposed future trail segments; Full Designation is for existing/constructed trail segments.)

RGT Segment for Designation (for future identification purposes)

County	Jurisdiction	Segments	Existing Facility	Existing Facility Name	Miles	Application Type
				Total		

Location/Description

Please describe the boundaries, extent, and relative location of the trail segment and how it relates to the Rio Grande Trail Corridor.

RGT Vision

How does this segment support the vision of the Rio Grande Trail?

Ownership

Is the segment in public ownership, or are necessary easements or agreements in place? If not, describe



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the plan for obtaining and/or managing the trail right-of-way.

Public Support

Please indicate whether there has been any public outreach and whether there are any groups, organizations, or individuals that have demonstrated support for this trail segment.

Connectivity

Describe how this trail segment would provide continuity and/or connectivity within the overall Rio Grande Trail system.

Impact Studies

Have environmental impact studies and/or cultural surveys been conducted to understand the potential impacts of trail designation? How may the impacts support existing efforts, community visions, or regional planning? (Required for full designation, optional for proposed designation)

Capacity to Maintain

How will the trail segment be maintained, and by whom?

Public Safety

Indicate how public safety will be addressed.

Additional Documentation

Please provide any supporting documentation that would help the Commission evaluate your request as a separate attachment. This could include maps of the proposed route for designation, letters of support, resolutions from the respective municipality or county, existing planning studies, easement documentation, pictures of the trail, etc.