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| **Region:** | Green River |
| **Habitat Priority Area Name:** | Hell Canyon Creek |
| **Habitat Area Type:** | **Aquatic  Terrestrial  Combined**  Stream, riparian, aspen, aspen, alder, mountain shrub |
| **Habitat Values:** | Upper Hell Canyon Creek provides habitat for a conservation population of genetically pure Colorado River cutthroat trout; regenerating aspen and mountain shrub communities in response to a 2000 fire. |
| **Reason Selected:** | Upper Hell Canyon Creek provides habitat for a remnant conservation population of Colorado River cutthroat trout that warrants habitat protection. |
| **Area Boundary Description:** | The entire Hell Canyon Creek watershed portion of sixth level HUC Savery Creek 140500030403. |
| **Focal species or species assemblage(s) (limit 6):** | Colorado River cutthroat trout (NSS2), boreal toad (NSS1), smooth green snake (NSS2), Boreal chorus frog (NSS4), northern leopard frog (NSS4) |
| **SWAP Tier 1 species:** | Colorado River cutthroat trout, flannelmouth sucker, boreal toad |
| **Solutions or actions:** | * Maintain a fish passage barrier that was constructed during 2012 on private lands near the confluence with Savery Creek to prevent any upstream movement of non-native trout and maintain the genetic integrity of the CRC population * Promote aspen community restoration * Advocate sound livestock grazing practices |
| **Additional Information:** |  |
| **Land ownership and surface area:** | BLM: 1,083 ac (19%),  USFS: 2,188 ac (38%),  State: 0 ac (0%),  Private: 2,447 ac (43%),  Total area: 5,718 ac |