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Golden Horseshoe Summer Motorized Road / Trail System

Governor King - #GH-67, South Fork Swan - #9088, Golden Rule - #GH-71, Fuller - #GH-44, Half Pipe - #GH-65, Last Chance - #GH-16, Wire Patch Loop - #GH - 70

Difficulty: EASY TO MORE DIFFICULT

Trail Use: Moderate

Length: Governor King - 1.1 mi., S. Fork Swan - 2.0 mi., Golden Rule - 0.9 mi., Fuller - 1.2, Half Pipe - 0.2 mi., Last Chance - 0.2 mi., Wire Patch—0.5 mi.

Elevation: The lowest elevation is at the Tiger Road Trailhead at 9,440 feet. The highest is at Humbug Hill at 11,031 feet.

Elevation Gain: 1,591 feet

Open In Summer To: **HIKING, HORSE, MTN. BIKING, MOTORCYCLE, ATV, 4X4**

Access #1: French Gulch Trailhead

- From I-70, take Exit 203, Frisco / Breckenridge and travel south on Highway 9 through Frisco and toward Breckenridge (approximately 9.5 miles).
- At the traffic light (by the 7-11), turn left onto County Road 450. Proceed about 0.4 miles.
- Turn right onto Reiling Road. Proceed about 0.7 miles through the Vista Point neighborhood.
- At the stop sign, turn left onto French Creek Rd. and proceed 2.6 miles on this 2-lane gravel road.
- The trailhead is on the right by the information kiosk.

Access #2: Tiger Road Trailhead

- From I-70, take Exit 203 (Frisco) and travel south on Highway 9 through the town of Frisco for approximately 6.6 miles
- At the traffic light, turn left on to Tiger Road (not Tiger Run Road) and proceed 4.6 miles.
- The Tiger Townsite Trailhead is on the right (about 2 miles past the end of the pavement). Trailer parking is available.

Trail Highlights:

- The Golden Horseshoe is an 8,900 acre area that lies between French Gulch to the south and Swan River drainage to the north. The name “Golden Horseshoe” captures both the historic gold mining era and the physical shape of the area. It is rich in natural resources, recreational opportunities, and cultural resources.

Important Information:

- ATVs and 4x4 vehicles are not permitted on single track trails.
- OHVs must stay on designated routes only. Obtain a Dillon Ranger District Motor Vehicle Use Map to determine designated routes.
- Mountain bikes, motorcycles, ATVs, and 4x4 vehicles may only be used on trails marked with a symbol allowing that use.

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- Motorcycle Trails
- OHV Roads

