

# GARNA Proposed Structure with Sustainability Program and “Education/Action After Education” Pillars

## Board

Fundraising:

Annual Event, Photography Fundraiser, Outreach and General Fundraising Efforts

Committee Participation:

Finance Committee, Membership Committee, Program Committee, Event Committee

## Administration

Grant Management, Website, Newsletter, Member Outreach – Email, Social Media, Advertising, Partnership Development and Management Policy and Guideline Development, Insurance, Data Base Management, Volunteer Management, Board Relations Contracts/MOUs

### Education

### Action after Education

#### Projects

- Recreation in Balance
- Stage and Rail Trail
- Chaffee County Heritage Area Advisory Board (CCHAAB)
- Collegiate Peaks Scenic and Historic Byway

#### Youth Programs

- GARNA’s youth program provides science-based, experiential activities and education through school field trips, internships, enrichment programs, and summer camps.
- Including
  - School Based Programs
  - Out of School Programs
  - Steam Explorers Program
  - Summer nature Camps

#### Community Programs and Clubs

- Clubs
- GARNA sponsors seminars, presentations, fieldtrips and study programs that celebrate the rich natural and deep cultural and historical resources of the greater Arkansas River area
  - Community Public Programs
  - Ski with a Naturalist
  - Salida Community Garden
  - Film Series
  - Book and Map Outlets/Green Tips/Publications
  - Sustainability

#### Chapters

- Friends of Four Mile
- Upper Arkansas Wilderness Volunteers
- Crestone wilderness Stewards

#### Chaffee Green Sustainability Program

- Research and Development– long term planning
  - Internally addressing: sustainable waste stream issues like landfill issues, waste stream diversion, composting, recycling, waste energy, and others
  - County waste, landfill (Likely to fold into Comprehensive Plan)
- Sustainable Salida, PS, Buena Vista – single use plastics, management of waste, recycling, town clean-ups, education and participation, ordinances/businesses
- Composting – education; commercial & residential (overlap with SS, SBV, Educ. & Comp Plan)
- Chamber efforts/SBA/Business outreach
- Community Engagement & Education (in alignment with GARNA Programs)
- Renewable Energy (Residential/Commercial)
- County and municipality specific topics (more ancillary to support other task forces)