

Coffman Introduces Bill to Fight Bark Beetle Blight

(WASHINGTON, D.C.) –

Rep. Mike Coffman

Coffman commented, “Throughout the West federal forest lands are being choked with a buildup of hazardous fuels.

The National Forest Insect and Disease Emergency Act of 2009 will:

- Ensure adequate emphasis is placed on the mitigation of hazards around communities and critical infrastructure.
- Ensure increased resources are available within each designated insect and disease emergency.

- Make permanent, as of the date of enactment of this Act, existing Good Neighbor authority for CC

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