Six Mile Dam Restoration Project (Designs)









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Project Location

- Carlsbad, New Mexico, 88220
- Coordinates-(32.383489, -104.145815)
- Six miles southeast of Carlsbad

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Project Background

- BLM and City of Carlsbad partnership
- Popular public use area
- BLM led management
- Bank erosion
- Heavy sediment disbursement
- Shore angling access limited
- Previous work completed
 - Salt cedar removal
 - Native forbs planting
 - Installation of 12 picnic sites
 - Installation of kayak launch doc
- ~1 mile long

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Project Purpose

Stabilize Riverbank

- Stabilizing the riverbank will reduce sedimentation, improve water quality, enhance aquatic habitat, and protect downstream areas.
- Angling Opportunities
 - Incorporating angling access structures/points into riverbank stabilization, i.e., fishing piers or platforms.
- Native Vegetation Planting
 - Incorporating native plants in riverbank stabilization that are well-adapted to the local climate and soil conditions will require less maintenance and provide long-term stability.

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Project Summary-

Estimated Design Cost \$65,000

- BLM Property
 - 80% HSP Funding- \$52,000
- City of Carlsbad Property
 - 20% State/Grant Funding-\$13,000







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