

Over the ridge from Armijo Canyon, the crew finishes the trail leading down into the next canyon.



The new trail will cut back and forth across the canyon bottom.



The thick duff is cleared and the new tread starts to appear.



The new trail section is cut in and finishing touches are applied.



The result is a nice flowy section cutting across the old fall line trail which followed the drainage.



Lower down, the crew cuts through the toughest section of the day.



Boom, done! Nice sustainable undulating tread through the ponderosas.



Dirt is pulled down on a drainage crossing which has been backfilled with cobble.



The cobble collecting was mostly sandstone and limestone: Petrified wood? We didn't use this one...



At the lower end of the tough section, extra dirt had to be requisitioned to finish the drainage backfill.



The trail squeezes between two ponderosas but three equestrians proved it wasn't too tight.



The rock crew analyzes the last drainage crossing of the day.



Done. Dirt is dragged in to complete the crossing. And we saw it hold up well to the three equestrians.



Finishing the lower end of the reroute. The boss was surprised we finished the entire section.



We couldn't help notice the fiery paintbrush popping up in the canyon.



Whoa! And water is still flowing a long ways down the bottom of the canyon at the end of May!