

Plenty of tools to go around as the crew works their way up steep terrain on Vista Trail to the ridge.



Scraping loose rock out of the trail corridor while the FOSM Stumpmeister gets to work.



The process here was rough out the tread, level it, rework it, level it, rework it, repeat...



The crew enjoyed the shade while it lasted but the sun was rising higher over the ridge.



Before: first tool swing into a new trail section.



During: hmmmm, all of a sudden there is a lot of hard clay under these rocks...



After: through the tree portal, the finished trail appears.



Remember, these guys aren't being paid to work this hard!



This rock near the backslope just had to come out. A lot of work went into this section.



It was almost chilly in Tijeras when we met, but working in the sun later got pretty warm.



The crew is looking forward to getting up to the top of the ridge. Maybe by next session.



Looking the other direction on Vista Trail, one can see all the way down to the cement plant.