

A Big “Thank You” to Rocky Mountain Rotorcraft and Gates Scott!

Colorado Open Lands would like to give special thanks to Gates Scott, a commercial helicopter pilot for Rocky Mountain Rotorcraft. In April 2007, Gates sent out an email to all of the land trusts in Colorado offering to donate his time and helicopters to assist in monitoring conservation easements. Colorado Open Lands took him up on his offer and monitored four easements in 2007 and eight in 2008.

Not only was it great fun, but we were able to monitor eight easements in one morning that were spread out over a large area on the Front Range. It saved us a lot of time and money and we took excellent photos of all of the easements so we didn't have to monitor them on the ground, said Mo Ewing, Director of Land Stewardship.

Rocky Mountain Rotorcraft is an Enstrom Helicopter sales/service/flight training operation out of Erie – Tri County Airport in Erie, Colorado.

