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Subject: Mountain Pine Beetle Update

Date: April 30, 2012

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Attached please find information on the status of Rapid City's Mountain Beetle Program. There are currently only 22 open cases our staff is working on.

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Due to medical concerns Gary Garner will be out of the office for several weeks and the individuals doing the property surveys have returned to their normal duties with the Parks Division.

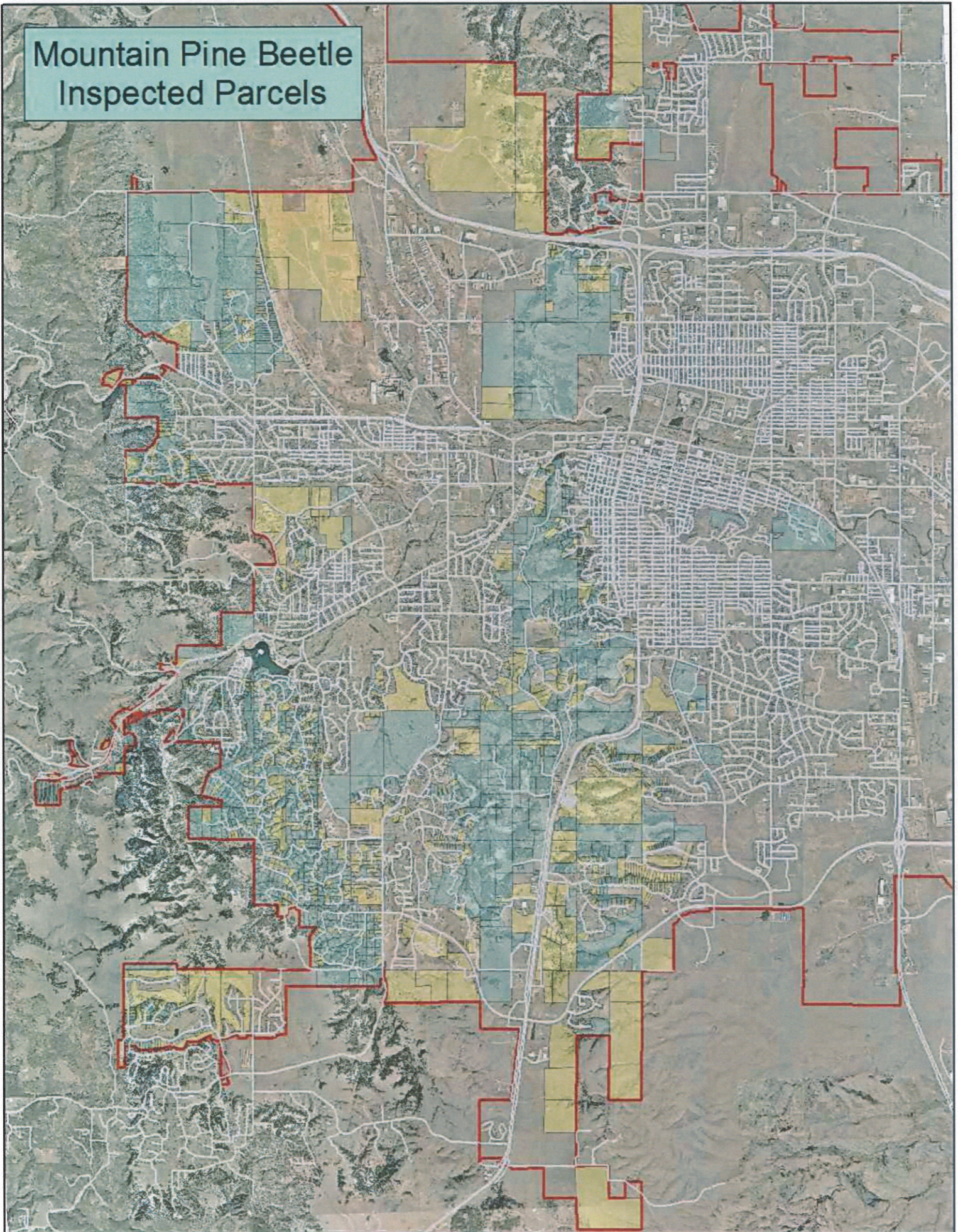
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We are very pleased with the results of our first year battling the Mountain Pine Beetle and we will submit a detailed report next month. If you have any questions, please contact me.

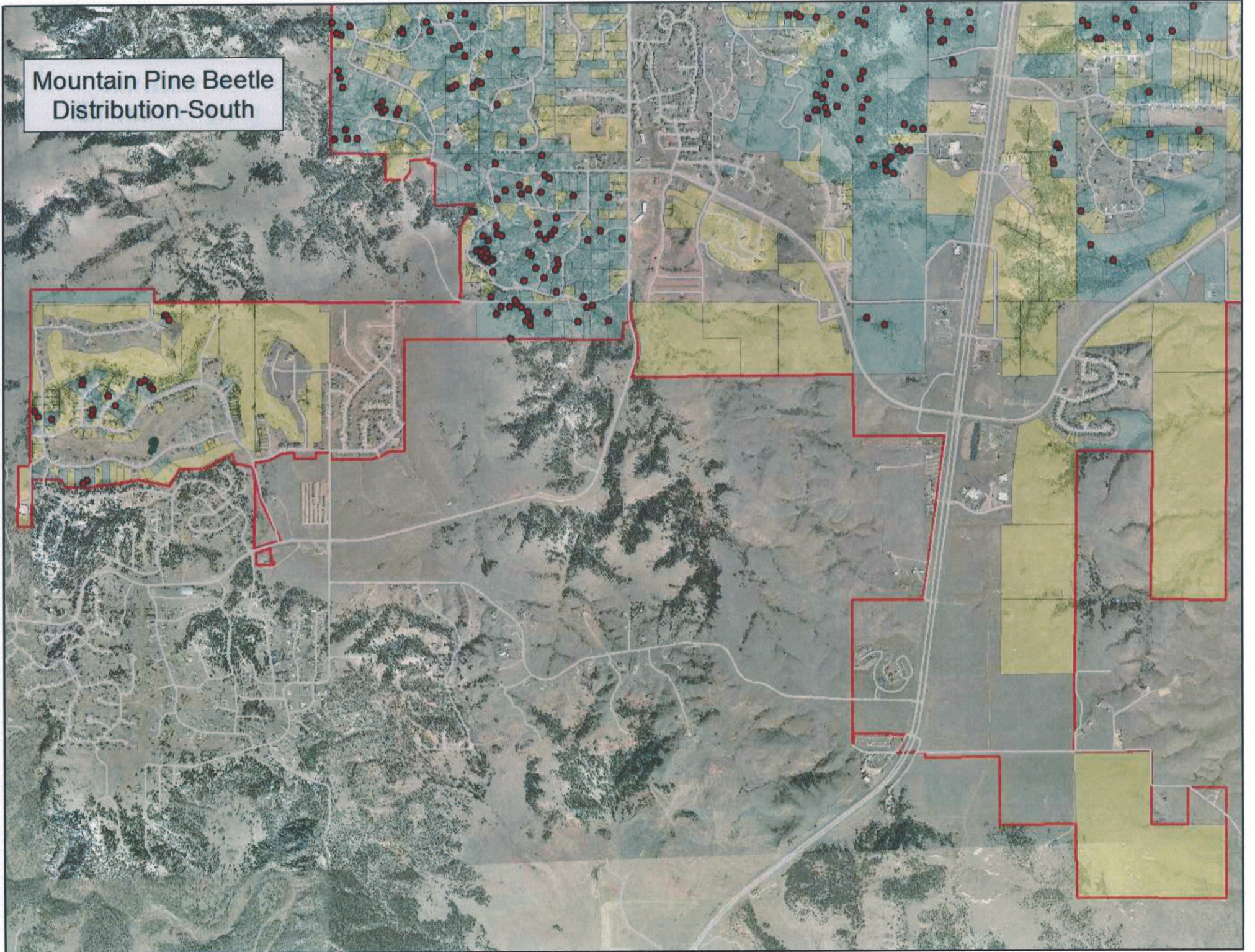
Mountain Pine Beetle Tree Removal Program
Weekly Summary 4/4/2012

	<u>Parcels</u>	<u>Modified Acres</u>	
Potential MPB Targets	2478	6975.65	
Inspections Requested	1350	4818.06	69%
Inspections Completed	1350	4818.06	
No Infestation Found	999	2287.61	
Infestation Found	351	2530.45	
Requested Inspections Yet to Complete	0	0	
Trees permitted for removal	798		
Infested trees, no permit	441		
Total # of Infested Trees	1239		
Trees removed/ permit	755		
Trees removed/ no permit	407		
Total Trees removed	1162		
Infested Trees, permit, not removed	43		
Infested Trees, no permit, not removed	34		
Total Infested trees-not removed	77		
Infested trees/acre inspected	0.26		
Permits Issued	226		
Total Reimbursement Authorized	\$130,955.16		
Trees permitted for removal	797		
Average reimbursement/tree	\$164.31		
Average reimbursement/parcel	\$579.45		
Open Cases, No Permit request	22		

Mountain Pine Beetle
Inspected Parcels



Mountain Pine Beetle
Distribution-South



Mountain Pine Beetle
Distribution-North

