

Issues and Opportunities

Golden Eagle Nest Protection

- Primary resource, also complicates other objectives.

Grassland Restoration

- Several areas are in a degraded condition; will require active restoration that is compatible with other objectives.

Recreation Opportunities

- Key link for regional trail connection and future influx of new residents.

Wetland and Riparian Habitat

- Key habitat element but is reliant on long-term ditch management.

Prairie Dog Colonies

- Active colonies support the golden eagle.
- May complicate grassland restoration efforts.

Agricultural Use

- Existing grazing is consistent with the history and setting.
- Need to determine if grazing is sustainable long term and define a strategy that is compatible with restoration goals.

Eagle Vista
NATURAL AREA