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## CCA Completes Work at Easter Seals Camp

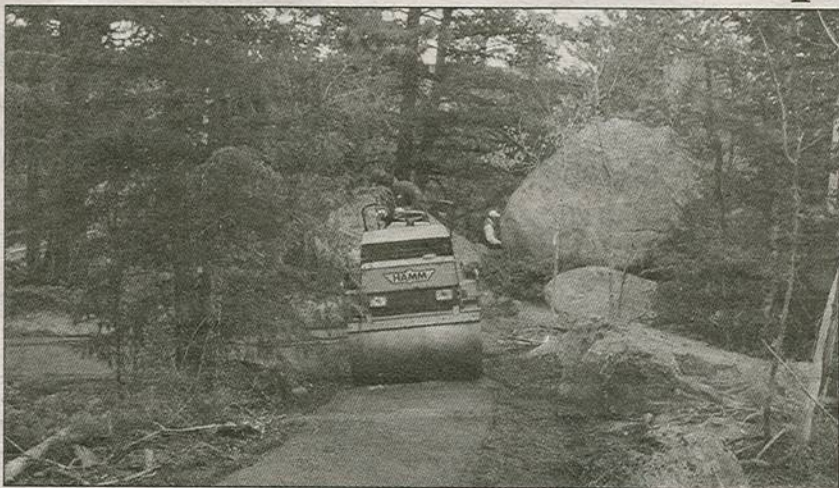
The end of October marked the conclusion of a four-year charitable effort made by members of the Colorado Contractors Association Inc. benefiting Easter Seals' Colorado Rocky Mountain Village in Empire. The final phase of work has been valued at about \$40,000, bringing the four-year total to more than \$250,000 of work done by members of CCA.

Through volunteer labor and equipment, numerous truckloads of donated recycled asphalt were used for the addition of trails that provide backwoods access for wheelchair users. Six tee-boxes formed from concrete were used to expand the camp's disc golf course. Other efforts included the complete demolition and excavation work on the camp's outdated swimming pool and the creation of a memory garden.

The memory garden, which features a 5,600 lb. marble centerpiece, is the result of an Eagle Scout project. It was constructed through a collaborative effort between high school student Morgan Cornwell and the Association Advancement Committee of CCA.

The Association Advancement Committee selects a charitable project each spring that demonstrates the skill, leadership, generosity and community spirit of contractors and suppliers of the heavy/highway/utility construction industry in Colorado.

"Easter Seals camp is a special place that sometimes is the only time and place children, teens and adults with disabilities



Colorado Contractors Association President/Chairman Paul Iwata maneuvers a riding asphalt roller over a trail section at Easter Seals' Colorado Rocky Mountain Village.

spend time away from their parents or caregivers," said Camp Director Roman Krafczyk. "It is a time to have fun and gain a sense of self-independence. Colorado Contractors Association's generosity will have a lifetime of impact on our campers."

The Colorado Contractors Association Inc. was established in 1933 and is comprised of more than 350 firms; contractors who construct the state's infrastructure, including streets and highways, bridges, underground utilities, water

treatment and storage facilities and other transportation systems – airfields and light rail facilities. The member base also includes construction support businesses such as financial, insurance and bonding, material supplies and heavy equipment companies.

For more information about this charitable effort or to propose a project for next year, contact Tim Montano, associate director of member services and marketing, at 303-290-6611.



CCA Associate Council Chairperson Mark Lillemon and CCA staff member Brian Garber construct a water bar in a trail to create proper drainage.

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