Town of Saguache Master Plan

Addendum for November 2011

Introduction and Background: Page 4: Change last sentence to read:

According to the 2010 census, the community's population was 485, compared to 578 in 2000 and 584 in 1990.

Growth of the Town of Saguache: Page 5: Existing conditions: change paragraph to read:

Saguache is a diverse community consisting of several ethnic groups. As of the 2010 census, there were 485 people, 237 households and 130 families residing in the town. About 16.5% of the households in Saguache have children under the age of 18 living with them and nearly 34.8% of the households have someone 65 years of age or older. The median age of residents is about 49.7 years. Based on the 2010 census, the age distribution of the town's population is:

14.2% under the age of 18	(23% in 2000)
8.9% age 18-24	(5.2% in 2000)
18.7% age 25-44	(25.8% in 2000)
35.3% age 45-64	(28.5% in 2000)
22.9% age 65 and older	(17.5% in 2000)

Overall population numbers declined in the past decade since many younger people continue to leave Saguache in search of employment opportunities.

Town Services: Waste Water, page 8: add following sentence after "Cross connections on Gunnison Avenue from Tenth Street to Fifth Street were also fixed."

In 2011, as part of the Fourth Street renovation, 150 feet of sewer lines and manholes were relocated and updated.

Town Services: Actions, page 10, change sentence on wellhead protection to read:

Maintain a source water protection plan and a wellhead protection zone for the Town's source water and water wells.

Town Services: Actions, page 10, change reference to Saguache County Library to read Saguache Public Library.

Recreation, Existing Conditions, page 12: Saguache County Library:

Change to Saguache Public Library and add sentence: In November 2010, the citizens voted to create a Northern Saguache County Library District (NSCLD), with two libraries, one in Saguache, formerly under the County and one in Crestone, formerly under the Property Owner's Association (POA). (then continue with rest of paragraph)

Tourism: Actions, page 14 regarding the historic walking tour: paragraph to read:

An updated Historic Walking Tour brochure was completed and distributed in 2011 by the Saguache Downtown Revitalization Project, using Cecil Hall's original tour as a guide for the revised document.

Community Image and Historic Preservation: Actions, Page 16: change the first statement to read:

In 2011, the Town was established as a "Certified Local Government" for historic preservation purposes.