

**Appendix 3.1.6. River reaches used for rafting and suggested minimum, maximum and optimum flows (adapted from the Colorado Department of Natural Resources Water Supply and Needs Report for the Colorado River Basin (SWSI, 2006) with input from Bob Harris, Blazing Adventures, personal communication, August 21, 2007).**

**River reaches in the Roaring Fork River Watershed in Colorado listed for rafting use by American Whitewater**

<b>REACH DESCRIPTION</b>	<b>CLASS</b>	<b>MINIMUM SUGGESTED FLOW (cfs)*</b>	<b>MAXIMUM SUGGESTED FLOW (cfs)*</b>	<b>OPTIMUM FLOWS (cfs)</b>
<b>Roaring Fork River</b>				
Roaring Fork River from Weller Lake to Difficult Campground	V+	NA	NA	
Castle Creek from Aspen Music School Slaughterhouse Bridge on the Roaring Fork River	IV+	NA	NA	
Roaring Fork River from Aspen to Upper Woody Creek Bridge (Slaughterhouse)	IV-V	600	1800	1100
Roaring Fork River from Upper Woody Creek Bridge to Lower Woody Creek Bridge	III	600	4000	1500
Roaring Fork River from Lower Woody Creek Bridge to Rte. 82 Bridge	III	600	4000	1500
Roaring Fork River from Black Bridge to Veltus Park (Cemetery)	II+ (III-Cemetery)	1000	6000	2000
<b>Fryingpan River</b>				
Fryingpan River, upper	IV-V	NA	NA	
Fryingpan River from Norrie Colony to Ruedi Reservoir Inlet	IV+	NA	NA	
Fryingpan River from Seven Castles to Basalt	III+	300	1500	1000
Fryingpan River from Taylor Creek to Basalt	IV	300	1500	1000
<b>Crystal River</b>				
Crystal River from road to Crystal to Beaver Lake	V+	200	350	
Crystal River from Marble to Redstone	III-IV	600	4000	1200
Crystal River from Redstone to Penny Hot Springs	V+	600	4000	1200
Crystal River from Penny Hot Springs to Avalanche Creek	IV-V	600	4000	1200
Crystal River from Avalanche Creek to B.R.B. Campground	III	600	4000	1200

Original Source: <http://www.americanwhitewater.org/rivers/statedrain/CO-SWSI-2006>

\* Suggested levels of flow, not water rights.