The land package—which includes permanently reauthorize the Land and Water Conservation Fund—is expected to be **introduced in the U.S. Senate this afternoon**. Frank Lancaster, town Administrator for Estes Park, Colorado, says: “Outdoor recreation and proximity to open spaces—many of which have been enhanced through use of the Land and Water Conservation Fund—draws residents and visitors to our town. Our community is inextricably linked to the American public land system and outdoor recreation. The health, economic success, and cultural vitality of our town has been greatly enhanced by funds from the LWCF. It’s time for Congress to fully fund and permanently reauthorize the LWCF as it is truly one of America’s best conservation programs.”