AGENDA ITEM or FINAL CONTRACT REVIEW SUBMITTAL FORM

Agenda Item: Ratification of Chairperson's Signature; Letter of

Action Requested: Other Ratification of BOCC Signature - Letter of Support Alpine Tunnel

Parties to the Agreement:

Term Begins: **Term Ends:** **Grant Contract #:**

Summary:

Letter of Support re: Alpine Tunnel

Fiscal Impact:

Submitted by: Liz Mense **Submitter's Email Address:** EMense@gunnisoncounty.org

Finance Review: ○ Required ◉ Not Required

Comments:

Reviewed by: Discharge Date:

County Attorney Review: ◉ Required ○ Not Required

Comments:

Reveiwed by: GUNCOUNTY1\mhoyt Discharge Date: 8/17/2018 Certificate of Insurance Required Yes ○ No ◉

County Manager Review:

Comments:

Reveiwed by: GUNCOUNTY1\khaase Discharge Date: 8/17/2018

◉ Consent Agenda ○ Regular Agenda ○ Worksession Time Allotted: 0

Agenda Date: 8/21/2018

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August 14, 2018

To: History Colorado State Historical Fund
From: Gunnison County Board of County Commissioners

Re: Alpine Tunnel submission to Endangered Places List

Ladies and Gentlemen:

The Gunnison County Board of County Commissioners is pleased to offer support for the US Forest Service's application to add the Alpine Tunnel historic site in Gunnison County to the Endangered Places List. This impressive site is notable for several reasons, including its elevation and human achievement within an inhospitable climate for railroads. It is also one of the most popular tourist attractions in Gunnison County. Protecting this valuable asset of Gunnison's history is very important and fixing the wall soon will help avoid more damage from coming winters.

The US Forest Service has maintained the site well in the past. Thank you for your consideration and all your efforts to preserve Colorado history.

Sincerely,

Phil Chamberland, Chairperson
Gunnison County Board of County Commissioners

Jonathan Houck,
Gunnison County Board of County Commissioners

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Gunnison County Board of County Commissioners

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