



**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
OF THE COUNTY OF GUNNISON, COLORADO**

RESOLUTION NO. 23- 9

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING TEMPORARY WEIGHT RESTRICTION FOR A
PORTION OF COUNTY ROAD 734 ALSO KNOWN
AS SLATE RIVER ROAD**

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Gunnison, Colorado, (hereinafter the "Board") has the legal authority to regulate and control the use of certain highways and roads in Gunnison County, Colorado; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to C.R.S. § 42-4-111 (1)(v) and C.R.S. §18-9-117(1)(b),(c), and (f) the Board has the authority to adopt temporary regulations as may be necessary to cover special conditions; and

WHEREAS, Colo. Rev. Stat. §§ 42-1-102(43) and 42-4-106 authorize Gunnison County to prohibit the operation of identified vehicles on any road open to use of the public for purposes of vehicular travel for a total period not to exceed ninety (90) days in any one calendar year, whenever roads within the County will be seriously damaged due to the use of certain vehicles;

WHEREAS, as a result of the winter thaw there is a certain portion of County Road 734 also known as the Slate River Road (hereinafter "County Road 734"), that has deteriorated and there is resource damage; and

WHEREAS, that portion of County Road 734 that has deteriorated is located from the intersection of CR 734 and CR 317 (Gothic Road) to the end of winter maintenance at the CR 734 trailhead; and

WHEREAS, to prevent further resource damage and deterioration of that portion of County Road 734, a temporary weight restriction has been recommended for the season beginning March 21, 2023 through May 15, 2023 or sooner if conditions allow; and

WHEREAS, those adjacent property owner(s) and occupant(s) of adjacent lands shall be subject to the road weight restrict of a 15 ton load limit per vehicle for that portion of County Road 734; and

WHEREAS, such weight restriction will not adversely affect health and safety nor will it cause substantial injury to the owner(s) or occupant(s) of adjacent land(s); and

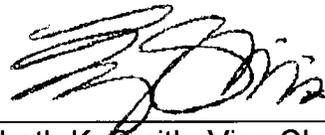


NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Gunnison, Colorado that a certain portion of County Road 734 located from the intersection of CR 734 and CR 317 (Gothic Road) to the end of winter maintenance at the CR 734 trailhead is subject to the road weight restriction of a fifteen (15) ton load limit per vehicle for that portion of County Road 734 for the season beginning March 21, 2023 through May 15, 2023, or sooner if conditions allow.

INTRODUCED by Commissioner Smith, seconded by
Commissioner Puckett Daniels, and adopted this 21st day of March, 2023.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
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By: 
Jonathan Houck, Chairperson

By: 
Elizabeth K. Smith, Vice Chairperson

By: 
Laura Puckett Daniels, Commissioner

ATTEST:


Deputy County Clerk

