

RESOLUTION No. 2013-019

**A RESOLUTION OF THE
OURAY COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS**

**Regarding Summer/Fall Use of County Road 361 and
Adopting Signage to Promote Cooperative Usage**

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners has authority under Colorado law, including C.R.S. § 30-11-107 to manage and maintain county roads; and

WHEREAS, portions of CR 361 are narrow and constrained to one lane with two way traffic; and

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners is aware that County Road 361 ("CR 361") is used for multiple purposes and by an increasing number of people in vehicles of varying sizes and capabilities for mining operations, private and public lands access, recreation and tourism; and

WHEREAS, CR 361 is an unpaved road that in some locations is of insufficient width to allow vehicles to pass, has limited parking areas for those engaging in recreation on public lands in the area, and may have varying road conditions; and

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners finds that signage addressing "rules of the road" may eliminate or lessen conflicts among the various drivers and users of the road; and

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners has held multiple work sessions on this topic with interested users of the road, and has received public comment at public meetings regarding signage on CR 361.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF OURAY COUNTY, COLORADO, AS FOLLOWS:

1. The Board of County Commissioners hereby directs the Road and Bridge Department of Ouray County to have signs made with the language as approved by the Board of County Commissioners for posting at locations on the road in the approximate locations shown on the map attached as Exhibit A.
2. The Board of County Commissioners may revise the approved signage or add additional signage to promote cooperative use of CR 361, and post at locations as deemed appropriate in the Board's discretion, based on further public comments and suggestions at any regularly scheduled meeting of the Board of County Commissioners.
3. These signs may also be replaced with signage specifically addressing use of CR 361 during the winter and early spring months, such signage or other policy regarding winter use and maintenance of CR 361 to be the subject of additional work sessions and or regular meetings.

APPROVED AND ADOPTED THIS 7th DAY OF MAY, 2013.

Voting for: Commissioners Fedel, Padgett and Batchelder
Voting against: None



Attest:

Michelle Nauer
Michelle Nauer, Clerk and Recorder
By: Linda Munson-Haley, Deputy Clerk of the Board

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CR 361 Area Map (Signage)

Exhibit A

