An emergency meeting of the board of County Commissioners was held in the boardroom in Dove Creek, Colorado June 5th, 2018. Present for the meeting were Chairman of the Board, Steve Garchar, as well as Commissioners Julie Kibel and Floyd Cook. Also present for the meeting were Margret Daves, Special Projects Manager and Dennis Golbricht, County Attorney, via telephone.

Road Impact

RG Exploration LLC is drilling a new well, the 36-1, on Bug Point, which is in Utah, but is using the Dolores County roads. Mark Cuttright, Roy Merrill and several other representatives from the company called in to discuss the emergency road impacts raised by Dolores County. After some discussion the County requested that they water the gravel roads and they lower the truck speed limit. A representative from the company was to meet with our Road and Bridge supervisor as soon as possible to document the condition of the roads now and again when they are through. The County will meet with them to establish a road impact mitigation plan and discuss possible damage repair and mitigation. The Commissioners thanked them for calling in and working with us on this issue.

Resolution to lower speed limit

Commissioner Kibel made a motion to approve an emergency resolution to lower the speed limit of commercial traffic of 30,000 lbs. or more to 25 miles per hour on the following roads. CR 1.7, CR 6, CR J, CR P, CR 2.5, CR P.8, CR 1.5, and CR 7. The ongoing drought and immediate road damage occurring warrants the emergency action taken.

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned.

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Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners

Attest:

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Deputy Clerk to the
Board of County Commissioners