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**Department of Transportation**

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November 14, 2022

**Permit No. 322150**

Eagle County Engineering Department  
PO Box 850  
Eagle, Colorado 81631

Dear Permittee:

1. Please review the attached State Highway Access Permit (Form #101) and all enclosed attachments
2. If you ACCEPT the Permit and its Terms and Conditions (and are authorized to sign as legal owner of the property, or as an authorized representative), please complete the DocuSign process within 60 days of the transmittal date on the permit. Your signature confirms your agreement to all the listed Terms and Conditions.
3. If you fail to complete the DocuSign within 60 days, the Colorado Department of Transportation (CDOT) will consider this permit withdrawn.
4. You may use the PayPal link to pay for this permit or send a check or money order made payable to "CDOT" for the total amount due of \$0.00 to our office.
5. If you wish to APPEAL the Terms and Conditions of the permit, please refer to the attached Form 101, Pages 2 and 3 for an explanation of the appeal procedures.
6. As described in the additional attached Terms and Conditions, you must make a written request to obtain a Notice to Proceed. DO NOT begin any work within the State Highway Right-of-Way without a validated Access Permit and Notice to Proceed. Use of this permit without the Colorado Department of Transportation's validation shall be considered a violation of State Law.

If you have any questions please call Kandis Aggen, Asst. Access Manager, at (970) 683-6270 or Brian Killian, Region 3 Access Program Manager, at (970) 683-6284.

If you choose to return the signed permit and/or check by mail, please send to:

Region 3 Access Unit  
Attn: Kandis Aggen, Asst. Access Manager  
222 S 6<sup>th</sup> St, Rm 100  
Grand Junction, CO 81501

<b>COLORADO DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION</b> <b>STATE HIGHWAY ACCESS PERMIT</b>			CDOT Permit No. <b>322150</b>
			State Highway No / Mp / Side 006E / 164.070 / Left
Permit Fee \$0.00	Date of Transmittal 11/14/2022	Region / Section / Patrol / Name 3 / 02 / 2M14 Greg Munson	Local Jurisdiction Eagle

The Permittee(s):  Eagle County Engineering Department PO Box 850 Eagle, Colorado 81631 (970) 328-3560	The Applicant(s):
is hereby granted permission to have an access to the state highway at the location noted below. The access shall be constructed, maintained and used in accordance with this permit, including the State Highway Access Code and any attachments, terms, conditions and exhibits. This permit may be revoked by the Issuing Authority if at any time the permitted access and its use violate any parts of this permit. The issuing authority, the Department and their duly appointed agents and employees shall be held harmless against any action for personal injury or property damage sustained by reason of the exercise of the permit.	
Location: This permit is for the Hillcrest Dr. and Highway 006E intersection for the north leg.	
Access to Provide Service to: (Land Use Code) (Size) (Units) <b>1098 - County Road Hillcrest Drive - North side 420 DHV</b>	
Additional Information: Please read the terms and conditions of the permit.	

<b>MUNICIPALITY OR COUNTY APPROVAL</b> Required only when the appropriate local authority retains issuing authority.			
Signature	Print Name	Date	Title
Upon the signing of this permit the permittee agrees to the terms and conditions and referenced attachments contained herein. All construction shall be completed in an expeditious and safe manner and shall be finished within 45 days from Initiation. The permitted access shall be completed in accordance with the terms and conditions of the permit prior to being used.			
<b>The permittee shall notify Dave Kuhn 2M5 with the Colorado Department of Transportation, at (970) 445-8132 at least 48 hours prior to commencing construction within the State Highway right-of-way.</b>			
The person signing as the permittee must be the owner or legal representative of the property served by the permitted access and have full authority to accept the permit and its terms and conditions.			
DocuSigned by: <b>Permittee Signature:</b> <i>Ben Gerdes</i>	Print Name Ben Gerdes	Date 11/15/2022   7:24 AM PST	
DocuSigned by: <b>Co-Permittee Signature:</b> (if applicable)	Print Name	Date	
This permit is not valid until signed by a duly authorized representative of the Department.			
<b>COLORADO DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION</b>			
DocuSigned by: Signature <i>Brian Killian</i>	Print Name Brian Killian	Title Access Manager	Date (of issue) 11/16/2022   8:07 AM MST

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## State Highway Access Permit Form 101, Page 2

The following paragraphs are excerpts of the State Highway Access Code. These are provided for your convenience but do not alleviate compliance with all sections of the Access Code. A copy of the State Highway Access Code is available from your local issuing authority (local government) or the Colorado Department of Transportation (Department). When this permit was issued, the issuing authority made its decision based in part on information submitted by the applicant, on the access category which is assigned to the highway, what alternative access to other public roads and streets is available, and safety and design standards. Changes in use or design not approved by the permit or the issuing authority may cause the revocation or suspension of the permit.

### APPEALS

1. Should the permittee or applicant object to the denial of a permit application by the Department or object to any of the terms or conditions of a permit placed there by the Department, the applicant and permittee (appellant) have a right to appeal the decision to the [Transportation] Commission [of Colorado]. To appeal a decision, submit a request for administrative hearing to the Transportation Commission of Colorado within 60 days of transmittal of notice of denial or transmittal of the permit for signature. Submit the request to the Transportation Commission of Colorado, 4201 East Arkansas Avenue, Denver, Colorado 80222-3400. The request shall include reasons for the appeal and may include changes, revisions, or conditions that would be acceptable to the permittee or applicant.

2. Any appeal by the applicant or permittee of action by a local issuing authority shall be filed with the local authority and be consistent with the appeal procedures of the local authority.

3. In submitting the request for administrative hearing, the appellant has the option of including within the appeal a request for a review by the Department's internal administrative review committee pursuant to [Code] subsection 2.10. When such committee review is requested, processing of the appeal for formal administrative hearing, 2.9(5) and (6), shall be suspended until the appellant notifies the Commission to proceed with the administrative hearing, or the appellant submits a request to the Commission or the administrative law judge to withdraw the appeal. The two administrative processes, the internal administrative review committee, and the administrative hearing, may not run concurrently.

4. Regardless of any communications, meetings, administrative reviews or negotiations with the Department or the internal administrative review Committee regarding revisions or objections to the permit or a denial, if the permittee or applicant wishes to appeal the Department's decision to the Commission for a hearing, the appeal must be brought to the Commission within 60 days of transmittal of notice of denial or transmittal of the permit.

### PERMIT EXPIRATION

1. A permit shall be considered expired if the access is not under construction within one year of the permit issue date or before the expiration of any authorized extension. When the permittee is unable to commence construction within one year after the permit issue date, the permittee may request a one year extension from the issuing authority. No more than two one-year extensions may be granted under any circumstances. If the access is not under construction within three years from date of issue the permit will be considered expired. Any request for an extension must be in writing and submitted to the issuing authority before the permit expires. The request should state the reasons why the extension is necessary, when construction is anticipated, and include a copy of page 1 (face of permit) of the access permit. Extension approvals shall be in writing. The local issuing authority shall obtain the concurrence of the Department prior to the approval of an extension, and shall notify the Department of all denied extensions within ten days. Any person wishing to reestablish an access permit that has expired may begin again with the application procedures. An approved Notice to Proceed, automatically renews the access permit for the period of the Notice to Proceed.

### CONSTRUCTION

1. Construction may not begin until a Notice to Proceed is approved. (Code subsection 2.4)

2. The construction of the access and its appurtenances as required by the terms and conditions of the permit shall be completed at the expense of the permittee except as provided in subsection 2.14. All materials used in the construction of the access within the highway right-of-way or on permanent easements, become public property. Any materials removed from the highway right-of-way will be disposed of only as directed by the Department. All fencing, guard rail, traffic control devices and other equipment and materials removed in the course of access construction shall be given to the Department unless otherwise instructed by the permit or the Department inspector.

3. The permittee shall notify the individual or the office specified on the permit or Notice to Proceed at least two working days prior to any construction within state highway right-of-way. Construction of the access shall not proceed until both the access permit and the Notice to Proceed are issued. The access shall be completed in an expeditious and safe manner and shall be finished within 45 days from initiation of construction within the highway right-of-way. A construction time extension not to exceed 30 working days may be requested from the individual or office specified on the permit.

4. The issuing authority and the Department may inspect the access during construction and upon completion of the access to ensure that all terms and conditions of the permit are met. Inspectors are authorized to enforce the conditions of the permit during construction and to halt any activities within state right-of-way that do not comply with the provisions of the permit, that conflict with concurrent highway construction or maintenance work, that endanger highway property, natural or cultural resources protected by law, or the health and safety of workers or the public.

5. Prior to using the access, the permittee is required to complete the construction according to the terms and conditions of the permit. Failure by the permittee to abide by all permit terms and conditions shall be sufficient cause for the Department or issuing authority to initiate action to suspend or revoke the permit and close the access. If in the determination of the Department or issuing authority the failure to comply with or complete the construction requirements of the permit create a highway safety hazard, such shall be sufficient cause for the summary suspension of the permit. If the permittee wishes to use the access prior to completion, arrangements must be approved by the issuing authority and Department and included in the permit. The Department or issuing authority may order a halt to any unauthorized use of the access pursuant to statutory and regulatory powers. Reconstruction or improvement of the access may be required when the permittee has failed to meet required specifications of design or materials. If any construction element fails within two years due to improper construction or material specifications, the permittee shall be responsible for all repairs. Failure to make such repairs may result in suspension of the permit and closure of the access.

6. The permittee shall provide construction traffic control devices at all times during access construction, in conformance with the M.U.T.C.D. as required by section 42-4-104, C.R.S., as amended.

7. A utility permit shall be obtained for any utility work within highway right-of-way. Where necessary to remove, relocate, or repair a traffic control device or public or private utilities for the construction of a permitted access, the relocation, removal or repair shall be accomplished by the permittee without cost to the Department or issuing authority, and at the direction of the Department or utility company. Any damage to the state highway or other public right-of-way beyond that which is allowed in the permit shall be repaired immediately. The permittee is responsible for the repair of any utility damaged in the course of access construction, reconstruction or repair.

8. In the event it becomes necessary to remove any right-of-way fence, the posts on either side of the access shall be securely braced with an approved end post before the fence is cut to prevent any slacking of the remaining fence. All posts and wire removed are Department property and shall be turned over to a representative of the Department.

9. The permittee shall ensure that a copy of the permit is available for review at the construction site at all times. The permit may require the contractor to notify the individual or office specified on the permit at any specified phases in construction to allow the field inspector to inspect various aspects of construction such as concrete forms, subbase, base course compaction, and materials specifications. Minor changes and additions may be ordered by the Department or local authority field inspector to meet unanticipated site conditions.

10. Each access shall be constructed in a manner that shall not cause water to enter onto the roadway or shoulder, and shall not interfere with the existing drainage system on the right-of-way or any adopted municipal system and drainage plan.

11. By accepting the permit, permittee agrees to save, indemnify, and hold harmless to the extent allowed by law, the issuing authority, the Department, its officers, and employees from suits, actions, claims of any type or character brought because of injuries or damage sustained by any person resulting from the permittee's use of the access permit during the construction of the access.

#### CHANGES IN ACCESS USE AND PERMIT VIOLATIONS

1. It is the responsibility of the property owner and permittee to ensure that the use of the access to the property is not in violation of the Code, permit terms and conditions or the Act. The terms and conditions of any permit are binding upon all assigns, successors-in-interest, heirs and occupants. If any significant changes are made or will be made in the use of the property which will affect access operation, traffic volume and or vehicle type, the permittee or property owner shall contact the local issuing authority or the Department to determine if a new access permit and modifications to the access are required.

2. When an access is constructed or used in violation of the Code, section 43-2-147(5)(c), C.R.S., of the Act applies. The Department or issuing authority may summarily suspend an access permit and immediately order closure of the access when its continued use presents an immediate threat to public health, welfare or safety. Summary suspension shall comply with article 4 of title 24, C.R.S.

#### MAINTENANCE

1. The permittee, his or her heirs, successors-in-interest, assigns, and occupants of the property serviced by the access shall be responsible for meeting the terms and conditions of the permit, the repair and maintenance of the access beyond the edge of the roadway including any cattle guard and gate, and the removal or clearance of snow or ice upon the access even though deposited on the access in the course of Department snow removal operations. Within unincorporated areas the Department will keep access culverts clean as part of maintenance of the highway drainage system. However, the permittee is responsible for the repair and replacement of any access-related culverts within the right-of-way. Within incorporated areas, drainage responsibilities for municipalities are determined by statute and local ordinance. The Department will maintain the roadway including auxiliary lanes and shoulders, except in those cases where the access installation has failed due to improper access construction and/or failure to follow permit requirements and specifications in which case the permittee shall be responsible for such repair. Any significant repairs such as culvert replacement, resurfacing, or changes in design or specifications, requires authorization from the Department.

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Permittee(s): Eagle County Engineering Department

Location: Eagle County on CO Highway 006E, near Mile Ref. Pt. 164.07 Left

1. This permitted access is only for the use and purpose stated in the Application and Permit. This Permit is issued in accordance with the State Highway Access Code (2 CCR 601-1), hereafter referred to as the "Access Code", and is based in part upon the information submitted by the Permittee. Any subsequent relocation, reconstruction, modifications, the type of traffic using the access or 20% increase in volume to the access or shall require a new application and coordination with Colorado Department of Transportation, hereafter referred to as "CDOT". Any changes causing non-compliance with the Access Code may render this permit void, requiring a new permit.
2. This permit replaces any and all additional access permits that may be in existence for this access.
3. This permit is for a County Road, Hillcrest Drive (North leg).
4. The traffic volume shall be 420 DHV.
5. The Highway Access Category is NR-A.
6. This access shall have a full turning-movement.
7. The Permittee shall design and construct a full movement roundabout in accordance with the Access Code, national standards and CDOT rules and regulations. The design vehicle shall be a WB-67. A different design vehicle type may be used if approved by CDOT.
8. The Permittee is required to hire and pay for a third-party construction inspector to represent CDOT during the construction of the roundabout. The inspector shall report to CDOT during construction. Please see Exhibit A (attached) for the inspection requirements.
9. This access shall be designed and constructed to CDOT's standards.
10. A Notice to Proceed, CDOT Form 1265, is required before beginning construction on the access or any activity within the highway Right-of-Way. To receive the Notice to Proceed the Applicant shall submit a complete packet to CDOT (to Nick Nordquist - 970-683-6280, [nicholas.nordquist@state.co.us](mailto:nicholas.nordquist@state.co.us)) with the following items:
  - (a) Prior to the issuance of any Notice to Proceed, the applicant shall schedule a pre-construction meeting including but not limited to applicant, Engineer of Record, Construction Inspector, construction personnel, Permittee (if other than applicant), CDOT representative and Traffic Control Supervisor.
  - (b) A construction schedule-- required at the pre-construction meeting.
  - (c) A cover letter requesting a Notice to Proceed.
  - (d) Certificate of Insurance for Liability as per Section 2.3(11)(i) of the State Highway Access Code, naming CDOT on the face of the certificate as "an additional insured for general liability";
  - (e) A certified Traffic Control Plan in accordance with Section 2.4(6) of the Access Code. The Traffic Control Plan shall provide accessibility features to accommodate all pedestrians including persons with disabilities for all pathways during construction.
  - (f) Electronic copy of Construction Plans Stamped (11"x 17" with a minimum scale of 1" = 50') by a Colorado Registered Professional Engineer in full compliance with the State Highway Access Code.

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(g) Signed and sealed Notice to Proceed Checklist.

(h) Signed and Approved Performance Bond.

(i) Signed and sealed Drainage Report or narrative.

11. As per the Access Code, Section 4.5 (Section 5) this access, that is a public roadway, shall be improved and be re-constructed no less than 36 feet wide (exclusive of the radii). There shall be, at minimum, a 25' turning radii (or a radii that will accommodate the minimum turning radius of the largest vehicle projected to use the access). A turning template shall be required with the final plan sets for review prior to the issuance of a Notice to Proceed.
12. The horizontal axis of the access to the State Highway shall be constructed perpendicular to the centerline of the highway and extend from the edge of the roadway a minimum distance of 40 feet, or to the property line, whichever is greater. This design shall be in conformance with section 4 of the Access Code.
13. Side slopes shall be at a 4:1 slope on the roadway. The roadway shall slope away from the highway at a -2% grade for the first 20 feet of driveway. This design shall be in conformance with section 4 of the Access Code.
14. Access width and geometry shall be determined by designing the access for the largest vehicle using the access on a consistent basis.
15. Immediately upon completion of earthwork the access shall be hard-surfaced a minimum distance of 50 feet from the traveled way, or to the CDOT Right-of-Way, whichever is greater. Where the hard surface is to abut the existing pavement, the existing pavement shall be saw cut and removed a minimum of one foot back from the existing edge, or until an acceptable existing cross slope is achieved. Surfacing shall meet the CDOT's specifications with minimum surfacing to be equal to, or greater than, existing highway conditions in conformance with section 4 of the Access Code.
16. A design meeting is required prior to construction design. Required personnel for this meeting are: Professional Engineer of Record (i.e., the person who shall sign and seal the plan set), Design Engineer, and Permittee. Please contact Nick Nordquist at 970-683-6280 for scheduling this design meeting.

**17. Materials, Placing, and Compaction**

For Level 3 projects, the specifications for materials and compaction shall be discussed and determined at the pre-design meeting with the Region 3 Access Project Engineer.

Unless the Applicant has approval from the Access Manager who may state otherwise, the following are requirements for driveway construction:

Hot Mix Asphalt Option (HMA)

Base: 16 inches of class 6 gravel with maximum 6-inch lifts;

Surface: 4 inches of HMA in two, 2-inch lifts;

Compaction of the subgrade, embankments and backfill shall comply with sections 203 & 304 of the Colorado Highway Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction.

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Concrete Pavement Option: Portland Cement (PCCP)

Base: 4 inches of class 6 gravel;

Surface: A minimum of 6" of doweled and tied PCCP.

Compaction of the subgrade, embankments and backfill shall comply with sections 203 & 304 of the Colorado Highway Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction.

18. This permit allows for onsite construction as long as such use does not violate any terms of the permit. Permittee shall coordinate with CDOT for onsite construction and shall provide a traffic control plan and proof of liability insurance. If the access location, volume, or turning movement for onsite construction is different from the permitted access, a new temporary construction permit may be required.
19. No drainage from this site shall enter onto the State Highway travel lanes. The Permittee is required to maintain all drainage in excess of historical flows and time of concentration on site. All existing drainage structures shall be extended, modified or upgraded, as applicable, to accommodate all new construction and safety standards, in accordance with CDOT's standard specifications.
20. Open cuts, which are at least 4 inches in depth, within 30 feet of the edge of the State Highway traveled way, will not be left open at night, on weekends, or on holidays, or shall be protected with a suitable barrier per State and Federal Standards.
21. Nothing in this permit shall prohibit the Chief Engineer from exercising the right granted in CRS 43-3-102 Including but not limited to restricting left hand turns by construction of physical medial separations.
22. Under no circumstances shall the construction of a private driveway by a private interest interfere with the completion of a public highway construction project.
23. Any current or proposed cattle guard shall be maintained fully within the property boundaries and all repairs are the sole responsibility of the property owner.
24. Backing maneuvers within and onto the state highway right-of-way are strictly prohibited. All vehicles shall enter and exit the highway right-of-way in a forward movement. Backing into the right-of-way shall be considered a violation of the Terms and Conditions of the Access Permit and may result in the revocation of the permit by CDOT and/or Issuing Authority.
25. This access permit is issued for the entire parcel(s). No additional accesses will be granted for these parcels or any future parcels as a result of splitting or dividing land. All acceses to newly created parcels shall be provided internally from this access.
26. The Permittee assumes responsibility for any and all easements that are associated with this access. If an easement is part of this access permit, CDOT shall not be liable for incorrect information in the easement documentation and it's the permittees responsibility to ensure all applicable laws and regulations have been followed.
27. The Permittee is responsible for obtaining any necessary additional Federal, State and/or City/County permits or clearances required for construction of the access. Approval of this access

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permit does not constitute verification of this action by the Permittee. Permittee is also responsible for obtaining all necessary utility permits in addition to this access permit.

28. All workers within the State Highway right-of-way shall comply with their employer's safety and health policies/procedures, and all applicable U.S. Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) regulations - including, but not limited to the applicable sections of 29 CFR Part 1910 - Occupational Safety and Health Standards and 29 CFR Part 1926 - Safety and Health Regulations for Construction. Personal protective equipment (e.g. head protection, footwear, high visibility apparel, safety glasses, hearing protection, respirators, gloves, etc.) shall be worn as appropriate for the work being performed, and as specified in regulation.
29. The Permittee shall provide accessibility features to accommodate all pedestrians including persons with disabilities for all pathways during and after construction.
30. The Permittee is required to comply with the Americans with Disabilities Act Accessibility Guidelines (ADAAG) that have been adopted by the U.S. Architectural and Transportation Barriers Compliance Board (Access Board), and incorporated by the U.S. Attorney General as a federal standard. These guidelines are defining traversable slope requirements and prescribing the use of a defined pattern of truncated domes as detectable warnings at street crossings. The new Standards Plans and can be found on the Design and Construction Project Support web page at: <https://www.codot.gov/business/designsupport/standard-plans> .
31. When it is necessary to remove any highway right-of-way fence, the posts on either side of the access entrance shall be securely braced with approved end posts and in conformance with CDOT's M-607-1 standard, before the fence is cut, to prevent slacking of the remaining fence. All materials removed shall be returned to CDOT.
32. It shall be the responsibility of the Permittee to maintain adequate sight distance for this driveway. Trimming of vegetation or trees to maintain adequate sight distance is the sole responsibility of the Permittee.
33. CDOT will determine the extent of inspection services for the work. A daily inspection may be done by CDOT from the time work begins inside the highway right-of way until the job is completed and right-of-way restored to its original condition.
34. CDOT's plan review is only for general conformance with CDOT design standards and Access Code requirements. CDOT is not responsible for the accuracy and adequacy of the design. All Dimensions and elevations shall be confirmed and correlated at the job site. CDOT, through the approval of this document, assumes no responsibility for plan omissions or errors.
35. The CDOT inspector may suspend work due to: 1) Noncompliance with the provisions of this permit; 2) Adverse weather or traffic conditions; 3) Concurrent highway construction or maintenance in conflict with permit work; 4) Any condition deemed unsafe for workers or the general public. The work may be resumed upon notice from the CDOT Inspector
36. The permittee, his or her heirs, successors-in-interest, assigns, and occupants of the property serviced by the access shall be responsible for meeting the terms and conditions of the permit, the repair and maintenance of the access beyond the edge of the roadway including any cattle guard and gate, and the removal or clearance of snow or ice upon the access even though deposited on the access in the course of CDOT's snow removal operations. Within unincorporated areas the CDOT



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37. Any damage to present highway facilities including traffic control devices shall be repaired immediately at no cost to the Department and prior to continuing other work.
38. During access construction, no construction-related, personal vehicles will be permitted to park in the state highway right-of-way.
39. Any mud or other material tracked, or otherwise deposited, on the roadway shall be removed daily or as ordered by CDOT's inspector. If mud is an obvious condition during site construction, it is recommended that the contractor build a Stabilized Construction Entrance or Scrubber Pad at the intended construction access to aid in the removal of mud and debris from vehicle tires. The details of the Stabilized Construction Entrance can be found in the M & S Standards Plan No. M-208-1.
40. A fully-executed, complete copy of this permit and the Notice to Proceed must be on the job site with the contractor at all times during the construction. Failure to comply with this or any other construction requirement may result in the immediate suspension of work by order of the Department inspector or the issuing authority.
41. No work will be allowed at night, Saturdays, Sundays and legal holidays without prior authorization from the Department. The Department may also restrict work within the State Highway right-of-way during adverse weather conditions.
42. The access shall be completed in an expeditious and safe manner and shall be completed within 45 days from initiation of construction within State Highway right-of-way or in accordance with written concurrence of the Access Manager. All construction shall be completed in a single season.
43. All costs associated with any type of utility work will be at the sole responsibility and cost of the Permittee and at no cost to CDOT.
44. Areas of roadway and/or right-of-way disturbed during this installation shall be restored to their original conditions to insure proper strength and stability, drainage and erosion control. Restoration shall meet the Department's standard specifications for topsoil, fertilization, mulching, and re-seeding.
45. Permittee is required to complete the construction according to the terms and conditions of the permit prior to using the access. If the access is used prior to CDOT final acceptance, CDOT may suspend or revoke the permit, until construction is completed per the terms and conditions of the permit.
46. All construction and inspection work must be under the direction of a Colorado Registered Professional Engineer. The PE's responsibilities include, but are not limited to: The PE shall evaluate compliance with plans and specifications with regard to the roadway improvements within

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the State right-of-way. The PE shall carefully monitor the contractor's compliance on all aspects of construction, including construction zone traffic control.

47. If this permit requires a traffic signal the Permittee accepts all responsibility of traffic signals and operations from the day of the start of work on the signal until the signals are in their final configuration and CDOT has accepted the signal after inspection by the traffic signal crew, City/County Police/Sheriff and State Patrol.

Construction Completion & Final Acceptance

48. The Permittee shall notify the Access Manager within 10 working days to request a final inspection. This request shall include signed and sealed certification that inspections, materials, materials testing, and construction methods conform to the plans, specifications and purpose of design; and have been completed in accordance with all applicable CDOT Standards and Specifications; and that the access is constructed in conformance with the State Highway Access Code, 2 CCR 601-1, and the terms and conditions included in this permit. The engineer of record shall be present for this inspection. The access serviced by this permit may not be opened to traffic until the CDOT Access Manager provides written initial acceptance.
49. Following the final inspection, CDOT will prepare an Access Construction Inspection Summary Letter and send it to the applicant, Permittee, and engineer of record. If additional items are required to complete the access construction, a list of these items will be part of the access construction inspection summary letter. All required items and final as-built survey shall be completed within 30 days from receiving the Access Construction Summary Letter. When all work is complete and in conformity to these terms and conditions, an initial acceptance letter will be sent to the Permittee and this access may be opened for traffic.
50. The 2-year warrantee period will begin when the initial acceptance letter is issued. In accordance with section 2.5(6) of the State Highway Access Code, if any construction element fails within two-years due to improper construction or material specifications, the Permittee shall be responsible for all repairs. Failure to make such repairs may result in suspension of the permit and closure of the access. The letter of final acceptance will be issued once the access has been inspected and is found to comply with all material and construction in accordance with all applicable Department Standards and Specifications approx. 2 years after initial acceptance.

## Exhibit A

1. Permittee shall provide all construction inspection and testing per the CDOT Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction, latest edition. All costs shall be paid by the Permittee.
2. Permittee shall provide Consultant Access Permit Inspection Staff (CAPIS) to fulfill the function of the normal CDOT Access Inspector. The CAPIS work shall be under the direction of, and shall be reviewed by a Professional Engineer registered in the State of Colorado. The consultant fulfilling the role shall be pre-approved by CDOT. All costs shall be paid by the Permittee. The Consultant Access Permit Inspection staff shall coordinate with the CDOT Access Project Manager and CDOT Access Engineer.
3. The CAPIS permanently assigned to the access project shall be competent in road and bridge construction and be thoroughly familiar with current CDOT specifications, manuals, forms and documentation requirements. The level of qualification provided shall be as requested and approved by the CDOT Access Engineer and the CDOT Access Project Manager. The Consultant Access Permit Inspection staff shall have recent experience working for CDOT on similar projects and providing CDOT inspection services. The CAPIS cannot work for the same company as the Construction Project Engineer.
4. All of the CAPIS on-site project personnel shall maintain a daily diary and photos for each day the consultant Access Permit Inspector performs work on the project. The contents of the diary shall be brief and accurate statements of progress and conditions encountered during the prosecution of the work. Editorial comments shall not be incorporated in the diaries or on any written correspondence applicable to the project. Compiled copies of the daily diary shall be given to the CDOT Project Manager weekly at a minimum or as required to convey the progress of the project and provide adequate communications.
5. The CAPIS shall assist the CDOT Project Manager in performance of construction observation and inspection activities and other construction project-related activities, as directed by the CDOT Project Manager.
  - (a) Onsite observation of all major construction activities including but not limited to the following:
    - i) Construction staking and layout;
    - ii) Sub-base placement and compaction;
    - iii) Asphalt placement and asphalt testing;
    - iv) Placement of concrete forms and rebar;
    - v) Concrete placement and concrete testing;
    - vi) Pavement striping;
    - vii) Utility staking, installation, and construction;
    - viii) Utility boring activities;
    - ix) And as directed by the CDOT Project Manager:
  - (b) Initial, follow-up, completion, and final inspections of work in progress.
  - (c) Notifying Engineer of Record and CDOT Access Engineer of non-compliance with

- the contract plans and specifications;
- (d) Submittal of Project Diaries as required.
- (e) Preparation of routine correspondence to the CDOT Staff.
- (f) Participation in weekly progress meetings with contractor, subs, utilities, and other interested parties;
- (g) Anticipating project problems and suggesting solutions to the CDOT Project Manager and Access Engineer;
- (h) Review Contractor's Method of Handling Traffic and contact Engineer of Record and CDOT Access Engineer if there are comments/concerns.
- (i) Monitoring compliance with and taking appropriate action to preserve safety on the project for all workers and traveling public in accordance with the Contractor's Method of Handling Traffic and the Manual of Uniform Traffic Control Devices;
- (j) Review of punch lists of uncompleted work, non-conformance, and deficiencies. Maintaining accurate field notes during construction reflecting actual construction details to be used in the review of the as-constructed plans;
- (k) Assist the CDOT Project Manager in the final walk through and preparing project final close-out documentation;
- (l) Miscellaneous project-related duties as directed by the CDOT Project Manager.

6. During construction, the CAPIS shall:

- (a) Observe the Contractor's operations and report fully on Project Diary.
- (b) Assure that the mechanisms, devices, materials, and workmanship provided by the Contractor are in compliance with the Construction Plans and any other contract references; and document this in the Inspector's Report.
- (c) For those Pay Items that involve electronic and/or mechanical equipment, verify that the installation performs as specified, and document that finding.
- (d) Observe performance of special tests, investigations, or monitoring which may be required to fulfill the intent of the plans and specifications.
- (e) When deficiencies occur on the construction site, report fully to the CDOT Project Manager, CDOT Permit Unit Engineer and Engineer of Record.
- (f) Participate in weekly coordination meetings with the Contractor, subcontractors, utilities, and other interested parties.

7. The Permittee shall provide the following public information services on an ongoing basis throughout the duration of the access project. The public information manager (PIM) shall be available on every working day, accessible and on call by cell phone or pager at all times and available upon the request of the CDOT at other than normal working hours. The PIM shall communicate with the CDOT daily.

- (a) The Permittee shall establish a Public Information Office (PIO) equipped with a telephone and an answering machine or answering device with the capability to record a message from the caller. This may be a cell phone, but shall be a local number. The PIO shall be equipped with a computer and an e-mail account. The PIO may or may not be

located within the Contractor's regular office provided that the telephone has a local call number. The PIO shall record a friendly greeting on the project's published phone line each week, updating the message throughout the week, as necessary, depending on changes in work schedule, activities and traffic impacts. The recording shall include each week's forthcoming activities including work days, hours and expected traffic delays, posted detours, project completion date, and office hours. The PIO shall check the answering machine at least twice every calendar day, including weekends. The PIO shall respond to callers and e-mail inquiries as soon as possible, but at least within 24 hours. The PIM shall keep a logbook of all calls including the contact name, date of contact, date responded, the contact's comments, and the action the PIM took. A copy of this log shall be submitted to the CDOT every two weeks or more frequently, as requested by the CDOT.

(b) The PIO shall maintain communications with businesses and individual residences, commuters, local government entities and all other stakeholders that are directly adjacent to and affected by the project, or that express interest in being informed. Using a communications method or strategy approved by the CDOT, the Permittee shall notify stakeholders about the project two weeks prior to beginning any lane restrictions or project activities. Depending upon project impacts, contact with stakeholders may be required daily, weekly, monthly or periodically throughout the duration of the project. Communications tools could include hand flyers, door hangers, newsletters, mailers, using e-mail distribution lists, etc. All public information correspondence and subsequent updates shall be submitted to both CDOT's Region Public Relations Manager and the CDOT Project Manager two business days before distribution, and shall be approved by CDOT's Region Public Relations Manager before distribution.

(c) Each communication tool shall include contact information, PIM's name, office phone, CDOT Web-site address with CDOT logo. Cell phone numbers and e-mail addresses shall be provided. The communication shall include the description of work, lane restrictions, a detour map if warranted, the anticipated start and completion dates, hours of operation and work schedule CDOT's Region Public Relations Manager will provide additional text for inclusion, if warranted.

(d) The Contractor shall erect construction traffic signs with the dates the Contractor expects to initiate and complete construction and with the Contractor's public information office's or PIM's phone number at each major approach to the project. The signs shall conform to the requirements of Section 630 and shall be erected at least one week prior to the beginning of construction. These signs shall be updated if the project schedule changes, at no cost to the department.

## COLORADO DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

### Environmental Clearances Information Summary

**PURPOSE** - This summary is intended to inform entities external to CDOT that may be entering the state highway right-of-way to perform work related to their own facilities (such as Utility, Special Use or Access Permittees), about some of the more commonly encountered environmental permits/clearances that may apply to their activities. This listing is not all-inclusive—additional environmental or cultural resource permits/clearances may be required in certain instances. Appropriate local, state and federal agencies should be contacted for additional information if there is any uncertainty about what permits/clearances are required for a specific activity. **IMPORTANT: Please Review The Following Information Carefully – Failure to Comply With Regulatory Requirements May Result In Suspension or Revocation of Your CDOT Permit, Or Enforcement Actions By Other Agencies.**

**CLEARANCE CONTACTS** - As indicated in the permit/clearance descriptions listed below, the following agencies may be contacted for additional information:

- Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment (CDPHE): General Information – (303) 692-2000  
Water Quality Control Division (WQCD): (303) 692-3500  
Environmental Permitting Website <https://www.colorado.gov/pacific/cdphe/all-permits>
- CDOT Water Quality Program Manager: (303) 512-4053 <https://www.codot.gov/programs/environmental/water-quality>
- CDOT Asbestos Project Manager: (303) 512-5519
- Colorado Office of Archaeology and Historic Preservation: (303) 866-5216
- U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, District Regulatory Offices:  
Omaha District (Northeastern CO), Denver Office (303) 979-4120  
<http://www.nwo.usace.army.mil/Missions/RegulatoryProgram/Colorado.aspx>  
Sacramento District (Western CO), Grand Junction Office (970) 243-1199  
<http://www.spk.usace.army.mil/Missions/Regulatory.aspx>  
Albuquerque District (Southeastern CO), Pueblo Office (719) 543-9459  
<http://www.spa.usace.army.mil/Missions/RegulatoryProgramandPermits.aspx>
- CDOT Utilities, Special Use and Access Permitting: (303) 757-9654 <https://www.codot.gov/business/permits>

**Wildlife Resources** - Disturbance of wildlife shall be avoided to the maximum extent practicable. Entry into areas of known or suspected threatened or endangered species habitat requires special authorization from the CDOT permitting office. If any threatened or endangered species are encountered during the progress of the permitted work, work in the subject area shall be halted and the CDOT Regional Permitting Office and Region Planning and Environmental Manager shall be contacted immediately. Authorization must be provided by CDOT prior to the continuation of work. Information about threatened or endangered species may be obtained from the CDOT website, <http://www.codot.gov/programs/environmental/wildlife/guidelines>, or the Colorado Parks and Wildlife (CPW) website, <http://www.cpw.state.co.us/learn/Pages/SOC-ThreatenedEndangeredList.aspx>. Additional guidance may be provided by the appropriate Region Planning and Environmental Manager (RPEM).

**Cultural Resources** - The applicant must request a file search of the permit area through the Colorado Office of Archaeology and Historic Preservation (OAHP), Denver, to ascertain if historic or archaeological resources have previously been identified (<https://www.historycolorado.org/file-access>; 303-866-5216). Inventory of the permit area by a qualified cultural resources specialist may be necessary, per the recommendation of CDOT. If archaeological sites/artifacts or historic resources are encountered as the project progresses, all work in the subject area shall be halted and the CDOT Regional Permitting Office and Region Planning and Environmental Manager shall be contacted immediately. Authorization must be provided by CDOT prior to the continuation of work. Additional guidance may be provided by the Regional Permitting Office and RPEM.

**Paleontological Resources** - The level of effort required for paleontological resources is dependent on the amount of ground disturbance, including rock scaling, digging, trenching, boring, ground leveling, and similar activities.

- If the permit will involve extensive ground disturbance (generally involving more than one mile of CDOT ROW), a full review will be required by a qualified paleontologist, including map, file, and locality searches, with final recommendations provided by the CDOT paleontologist upon receipt of the report. Based on results of the review, a survey or inventory of the permit area may be necessary.
- If the permit will involve a small amount of ground disturbance (less than one mile of ROW), the applicant must request a fossil locality search through the University of Colorado Museum of Natural History (<https://www.colorado.edu/cumuseum/research-collections/paleontology/policies-procedure>) and the Denver Museum of Nature and Science (<https://www.dnms.org/science/earth-sciences/earth-sciences-collections/>). The museum collections manager will provide information about localities in the project area. If there are no known localities, the permit requirement for paleontology is complete upon submitting that information to CDOT. If there are known localities, the CDOT paleontologist will be contacted by the museum with details, and additional recommendations will be made if necessary. Note that museum staff are not required to disclose the details of fossil localities to the permit applicant, nor is detailed locality information required for the permit application to proceed.
- If the permit does not involve ground disturbance, no action is required for paleontological resources. If fossils are encountered during the permitted action, all work in the immediate area of the find should stop and the CDOT Staff Paleontologist and the Region Environmental Manager should be contacted immediately. Authorization must be provided by CDOT prior to the continuation of work. Additional guidance may be provided by the Regional Permitting Office in the Permit Special Provisions. Contact Information: See the museum websites listed above. The CDOT Paleontologist is not able to conduct locality searches independently. For further information contact CDOT Paleontologist Nicole Peavey at [nicole.peavey@state.co.us](mailto:nicole.peavey@state.co.us) or (303) 757-9632.

**Hazardous Materials, Solid Waste** - The Solid Wastes Disposal Sites and Facilities Act C.R.S. 30-20-100, et al, and Regulations Pertaining to Solid Waste Disposal Sites and Facilities (6 CCR 1007-2), prohibit solid waste disposal without an approved Certificate of Designation (a landfill permit). The Colorado Hazardous Waste Act C.R.S. 25-15-301 et al, and the Colorado Hazardous Waste Regulations (6 CCR 1007-3) prohibit the transfer, storage or disposal (TSD) of hazardous waste except at permitted TSD sites. There are no permitted landfills or TSD sites within the State Highway Right of Way. Therefore, all solid or hazardous wastes that might be generated by the activities of entities entering the State Highway Right of Way must be removed from the ROW and disposed of at a permitted facility or designated collection point (e.g., for solid waste, a utility or construction company's own dumpster). If pre-existing solid waste or hazardous materials contamination (including oil or petroleum contaminated soil, asbestos, chemicals, mine tailings, etc.) is encountered during the performance of work, the permittee shall halt work in the affected area and immediately contact the CDOT Regional Permitting Office for direction as to how to proceed.

**Contact Information:** Theresa Santangelo-Dreiling, CDOT Hazardous Materials Management Supervisor: (303) 512-5524.

**Asbestos Containing Materials, Asbestos Contaminated Soil** - All work on asbestos containing materials (ACM) must comply with the applicable requirements of the CDPHE Air Pollution Control Division's (APCD) Regulation 8. Disposal of ACM, and work done in asbestos-contaminated soil, must comply with the CDPHE Hazardous Materials and Waste Management Division's (HMWMD) Solid Waste Regulations. The application for any CDOT permit must specifically identify any ACM involved in the work for which authorization is being requested. Additional guidance or requirements may be specified in the permit special provisions.

**Contact Info:** CDPHE APCD and HMWMD Regulations can be accessed via the CDPHE Environmental Permitting Website listed above. Additional information **concerning clearance on CDOT projects** is available from the CDOT Asbestos Project Manager (303) 949-2729, or Theresa Santangelo-Dreiling, Hazardous Materials Management Supervisor: (303) 512-5524.

**Transportation of Hazardous Materials** - No person may offer or accept a hazardous material for transportation in commerce unless that person is registered in conformance with the United States Department of Transportation regulations at 49 CFR, Part 171. The hazardous material must be properly classed, described, packaged, marked, labeled, and in condition for shipment as required or authorized by applicable requirements, or an exemption, approval or registration has been issued. Vehicles requiring a placard, must obtain authorization and a State HAZMAT Permit from the Colorado Public Utilities Commission. **Contact**

**Information:** For authorization and more info call the Federal Motor Safety Carrier Administration, US DOT for inter- and intra-state HAZMAT Registration (303) 969-6748. Colorado Public Utilities Commission: (303) 894-2868.

**Discharge of Dredged or Fill Material – 404 Permits Administered By the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, and Section 401 Water Quality Certifications Issued by the CDPHE WQCD** - Clean Water Act section 404 permits are often required for the discharge of dredged or fill material into waters of the U.S., including wetlands. Several types of section 404 permits exist, including nationwide, regional general, and individual permits. Nationwide permits are the most commonly authorized type for activities with relatively minor impacts. If an individual 404 permit is required, section 401 water quality certification from the CDPHE WQCD is also required. Contact the appropriate Corps District Regulatory Office for information about what type of 404 permit may be required (contact information above). Contact the CDPHE Water Quality Control Division at (303) 692-3500.

**Working on or in any stream or its bank** - In order to protect and preserve the state's fish and wildlife resources from actions that may obstruct, diminish, destroy, change, modify, or vary a natural existing stream or its banks or tributaries, it may be necessary to obtain a Senate Bill 40 certification from the Colorado Department of Natural Resources. A stream is defined as 1) represented by a solid blue line on USGS 7.5' quadrangle maps; and/or 2) intermittent streams providing live water beneficial to fish and wildlife; and/or 3) segments of streams supporting 25% or more cover within 100 yards upstream or downstream of the project; and/or 4) segments of streams having wetlands present within 200 yards upstream or downstream of the project measured by valley length. The CPW application, as per guidelines agreed upon by CDOT and CPW, can be accessed at <https://www.codot.gov/programs/environmental/wildlife/guidelines>.

**Erosion and Sediment Control Practices** - Any activities that disturb one or more acres of land require a Stormwater Construction Permit (SCP) from the CDPHE-WQCD. Erosion & sediment control requirements will be specified in that permit. In situations where a stormwater permit is *not* required, all reasonable erosion and sediment control measures should be taken to minimize erosion and sedimentation. Control practices should be in accordance with CDOT Standard Specifications 107.25, 208, 213 and 216 (<https://www.codot.gov/business/designsupport/cdot-construction-specifications>). The CDOT Erosion Control and Stormwater Quality Guide (website: <https://www.codot.gov/programs/environmental/landscape-architecture/erosion-storm-quality>) can also be used to design erosion/sediment controls. **Contact Information:** Contact the CDPHE-WQCD at (303) 692-3500. Website: <https://www.colorado.gov/pacific/cdphe/wq-construction-general-permits>

**Site Stabilization** - All disturbances require a stabilization plan, native seeding or landscape design plan according to applicable CDOT Standard Specifications 212-217 and 623. The CDOT Erosion Control and Stormwater Quality Guide should also be used to plan restoration of disturbed vegetation. Website: <https://www.codot.gov/programs/environmental/landscape-architecture/erosion-storm-quality>

**Stormwater Discharge From Industrial Facilities** - Discharges of stormwater runoff from certain types of industrial facilities, such as concrete batch plants - require a CDPS Stormwater Permit. **Contact Information:** Contact the CDPHE-WQCD at (303) 692-3500. Website: <https://colorado.gov/pacific/cdphe/wq-commerce-and-industry-permits>

**Concrete Washout** - Waste generated from concrete activities shall NOT be allowed to flow into the drainage ways, inlets, receiving waters, or in the CDOT ROW. Concrete waste shall be placed in a temporary concrete washout facility and must be located a minimum of 50 feet from state waters, drainageways, and inlets. Concrete washout shall be in accordance to CDOT specifications and guidelines at <https://www.codot.gov/business/designsupport/cdot-construction-specifications> and refer to the specifications and their revisions for sections 101, 107 and 208.

**Construction Dewatering (Discharge or Infiltration) and Remediation Activities** - Discharges of water encountered during excavation or work in wet areas may require a Construction Dewatering or Remediation Activities Discharge Permit. **Contact**

**Information:** Contact the CDPHE-WQCD at (303) 692-3500. For Applications and Instructions: <https://www.colorado.gov/pacific/cdphe/wq-construction-general-permits>.

**Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System (MS4) Requirements** - When working in a MS4 area, discharges to the storm sewer system are subject to CDOT's or other municipalities' MS4 Permit. For activities within the boundaries of a municipality that has a MS4 permit, the owner of such activity should contact the municipality regarding stormwater related requirements. All discharges to the CDOT highway drainage system or within the Right of Way (ROW) must comply with the applicable provisions of the Colorado Water Quality Control Act, the Water Quality Control Commission (WQCC) Regulations (<https://www.colorado.gov/pacific/cdphe/wqcc-regulations-and-policies-and-water-quality-statutes>) and the CDOT MS4 Permit #COS-000005 (<https://www.codot.gov/programs/environmental/water-quality/documents>). Discharges are subject to inspection by CDOT and CDPHE. For CDOT-related MS4 programs and requirements, go to: <https://www.codot.gov/programs/environmental/water-quality/stormwater-programs>.

**Post-Construction Permanent Water Quality** - When working in a CDOT MS4 area and the activity disturbs one or more acres, permanent water quality control measures may be required. Information on the requirements can be found under the CDOT Permanent Water Quality MS4 Program at: <https://www.codot.gov/programs/environmental/water-quality/stormwater-programs/pwq-permanent-water-quality>

**Discharges to Storm Sewer Systems**

**Prohibited Discharges** - All discharges are subject to the provisions of the Colorado Water Quality Control Act and the Colorado Discharge Permit Regulations. Prohibited discharges include, but are not limited to, substances such as wash water, paint, automotive fluids, solvents, oils or soaps and sediment.

**Allowable Discharges** - The following discharges to stormwater systems are allowed without a permit from the CDPHE-WQCD: landscape irrigation, diverted stream flows, uncontaminated ground water infiltration to separate storm sewers, discharges from potable water sources, foundation drains, air conditioning condensation, irrigation water, uncontaminated springs, footing drains, water line flushing, flows from riparian habitats and wetlands, and flow from firefighting activities. **Contact Information:** Contact the CDPHE-WQCD at (303) 692-3500. Information can also be found in the CDOT Illicit Discharge MS4 Program PDD at: <https://www.codot.gov/programs/environmental/water-quality/stormwater-programs/idde.html>.

**Spill Reporting** - Spills shall be contained and cleaned up as soon as possible. Spills shall NOT be washed down into the storm drain or buried. All spills shall be reported to the CDOT Illicit Discharge Hotline at (303) 512-4426 (4H20), as well as the Regional Permitting Office and Regional Maintenance Supervisor. Spills on highways, into waterways, any spill in the highway right-of-way exceeding 25 gallons, or that may otherwise present an immediate danger to the public shall be reported by calling 911, and shall also be reported to the CDPHE at 1-877-518-5608. More information can be found at <https://www.colorado.gov/pacific/cdphe/emergency-reporting-line>.

**Disposal of Drilling Fluids** - Drilling fluids used in operations such as Horizontal Directional Drilling may be classified as "discharges" or "solid wastes," and in general, should be pumped or vacuumed from the construction area, removed from the State Highway Right of Way, and disposed of at permitted facilities that specifically accept such wastes. Disposal of drilling fluids into storm drains, storm sewers, roadside ditches or any other type of man-made or natural waterway is prohibited by Water Quality Control and/or Solid Waste regulations. Small quantities of drilling fluid solids (less than 1 cubic yard of solids) may be left on-site after either being separated from fluids or after infiltration of the water, provided: 1) the drilling fluid consists of only water and bentonite clay, or, if required for proper drilling properties, small quantities of polymer additives that are approved for use in drinking water well drilling; 2) the solids are fully contained in a pit, and are not likely to pose a nuisance to future work in the area, 3) the solids are covered and the area restored as required by CDOT permit requirements (Utility, Special Use, or Access Permits, etc.). **Contact Information:** Contact CDPHE (telephone #'s listed above).

**Noxious Weeds and Invasive Species Management Plan** - Noxious Weeds and Invasive Species guidance can be found by contacting the Colorado Department of Agriculture (<https://www.colorado.gov/pacific/agconservation/noxiousweeds>) and the Colorado Division of Parks and Wildlife (<http://cpw.state.co.us/aboutus/Pages/RS-NoxiousWeeds.aspx>). In either case, management plans involving the control of noxious weeds associated with the permitted activity and cleaning of equipment will be required.





## What is stormwater runoff?

Stormwater runoff occurs when precipitation from rain or snowmelt flows over the ground. Impervious surfaces like roads and sidewalks prevent stormwater from naturally soaking into the ground.

## Why is stormwater runoff a problem?

Stormwater can pick up debris, chemicals, dirt and other pollutants and flow into CDOT's storm drain system or directly into a stream, river, lake, wetland or reservoir. Anything that enters CDOT's storm drain system is discharged untreated into the waterways we use for fishing, swimming, and providing drinking water.



**Dredged spoil, dirt, slurry, solid waste, incinerator residue, sewage, sewage sludge, garbage, trash, chemical waste, biological nutrient, biological material, radioactive material, heat, pH, wrecked or discarded equipment, rock, sand, any industrial, municipal, or agricultural waste.**

## Tips for Reporting an Illicit Discharge

Call the illicit discharge hotline at **(303) 512-4426**. From a safe distance try to estimate the amount of the discharge. Identify characteristics of the discharge (color, odor, algae, etc.). Obtain information on the vehicle dumping the waste (if applicable).

Do not approach!

Call \*CSP for illicit dumping.

If possible, take a photo, record a license plate.

**REMEMBER:**

**Never get too close to the illicit discharge, it may be dangerous!!!**

For more information on CDOT Utility Permits:

<https://www.codot.gov/business/permits/utilities/specialuse>

For more information on CDOT Access Permits:

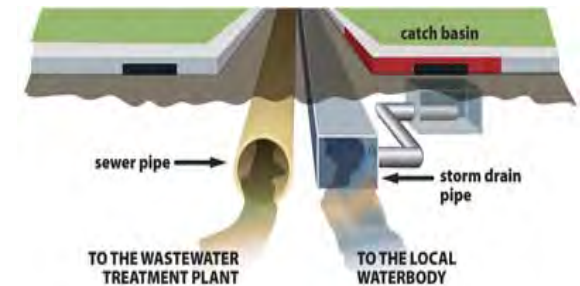
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For more information on CDOT Water Quality Program:

Water Quality Program Manager  
4201 E. Arkansas Ave.  
Shumate Building  
Denver, Colorado 80222  
303-757-9343

## Water Quality Program Industrial Facilities Program

CDOT has a Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System permit, otherwise known as (MS4) from the Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment. The permit states that only stormwater can be discharged from CDOT's storm drain system.



*As part of the permit, CDOT has several different programs to prevent pollutants from entering into the storm drain system:*

- Construction Site Program
- New Development Redevelopment Program
- Illicit Discharge Program
- Industrial Facilities Program
- Public Education and Outreach Program
- Pollution Prevention and Good Housekeeping Program
- Wet Weather Monitoring Program



## Control Measures for Industrial Facilities

Industrial facilities can use control measures (CM) otherwise known as Best Management Practices (BMP) during the construction of a facility and when operating the facility. Control measures are schedules of activities, maintenance procedures, and other management practices to prevent and reduce pollution entering into CDOT's storm drain system. Control Measures also include treatment, operating procedures, and practices to control site run off which can include structural and non-structural controls.

CDOT defines a utility, or utility facility as any privately, publicly, or cooperatively owned line, facility, or system producing, transmitting or distributing the following:

- ✓ Communications
- ✓ Cable television
- ✓ Power
- ✓ Electricity
- ✓ Light
- ✓ Heat Gas
- ✓ Oil
- ✓ Crude Products
- ✓ Water
- ✓ Stream
- ✓ Waste
- ✓ Stormwater not connected with highway drainage
- ✓ Similar Commodity

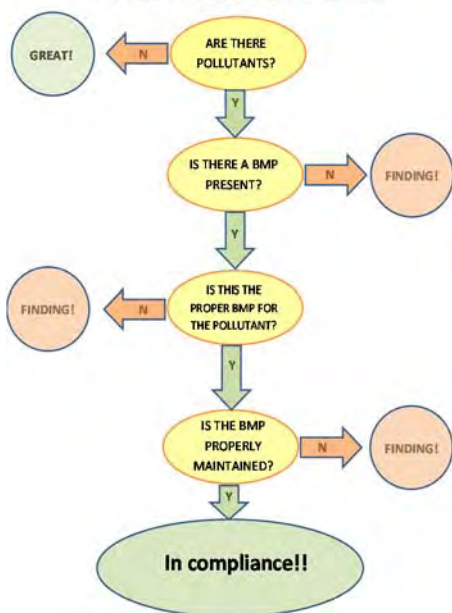
## Industrial Facilities Program Elements:

1. Educate and outreach to owners or operators that have potential to contribute substantial pollutant to water.
2. Report and include information on discharge and water quality concerns. Provide written notification within 15 days of discovery to CDPHE.
3. Submit an annual report to CDPHE containing the number of informational brochures distributed; name and title of each individual trained.

## Education

There are instances when a utility company or other entity doing work in the state highway right-of-way will require some type of environmental permit or clearance for that work. CDOT has put together an Environmental Clearances Information Summary for those applying for a CDOT Utility and Special Use Permit or Access Permit to obtain all required clearances. This fact sheet is given to each permittee and is available at: <http://www.coloradodot.info/programs/environmental/resources/guidance-standards/Environmental%20Clearances%20Info%20Summary.pdf>

## THE GAUNTLET



# Permit 322150

Legend



Hillcrest Dr

Access location  
(roundabout).

Highway 6



# STATE OF COLORADO

## DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Traffic & Safety Section  
222 South 6<sup>th</sup> Street, Room 100  
Grand Junction, Colorado 81501  
(970) 683-6284



Dear Applicant,

Thank you for your inquiry about properly obtaining access to the State Highway System. Through this process, CDOT is aiming to improve the safety and operational efficiency of our state highways. Access management is one of the means to achieve this. Please read this letter carefully and follow its instructions to ensure the most efficient processing of your application for access.

Applications for access shall include a **completed** access permit application (CDOT Form No. 137) and any required attachments reasonably necessary to review and assess the application or complete the permit. Copies of forms, the State Highway Access Code, and other helpful information are also available at our internet site, [www.dot.state.co.us/AccessPermits/index.htm](http://www.dot.state.co.us/AccessPermits/index.htm).

Necessary attachments to the application shall include the following, although additional information may be required:

- ✓ Warranty Deed and current Title Insurance
- ✓ Power of Attorney for signature authority (if other than owner)
- ✓ Location Map AND Surrounding Ownership Map (may be combined into one)
- ✓ Site Plan (If there will be more than 100 trips per day (50 cars per day), plans need to be stamped by a P.E.)
- ✓ Stake at Centerline of Proposed Access with Owners Name
- ❖ **Do not send any money at this time**

If any of the above items are missing, your application will be rejected. The Department will promptly transmit written notice to the applicant if the application is not complete and sufficient for review. The notice will include any outstanding items, issues, or concerns.

Send completed applications to: Access Unit Manager  
222 South 6th Street, Room 100  
Grand Junction, CO 81501  
(970) 683-6284

Once a field review has been conducted by CDOT, your application will be forwarded to the appropriate local jurisdiction, if applicable. The local authorities of the Town of Crested Butte, Town and County of Eagle, Town of Oak Creek, Town of Olathe, and Pitkin County have retained access permit issuing authority; your application will be forwarded to them for review and processing. If the access is in the Town of Avon, City of Delta, Town of Fraser, or in unincorporated areas of Delta, Grand, Gunnison, Hinsdale, Jackson, or Montrose County we will forward your application to them for comment once we determine that it is complete.

Construction may not begin until a Permit and a Notice to Proceed have been approved. Additional information may be required before a Notice to Proceed is issued. Two items that are always required are a certificate of insurance naming CDOT as an insured party and a traffic control plan. Please allow 45 days for processing this application.

If there are any further questions, please feel free to contact this office at the above referenced address and number.

Attachments: Application Form (CDOT Form No. 137)  
Examples of Site Plan and Surrounding Ownership Map

# COLORADO DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION STATE HIGHWAY ACCESS PERMIT APPLICATION

Issuing authority application  
acceptance date:

- Instructions:
- Contact the Colorado Department of Transportation (CDOT) or your local government to determine your issuing authority.
  - Contact the issuing authority to determine what plans and other documents are required to be submitted with your application.
  - Complete this form (some questions may not apply to you) and attach all necessary documents and Submit it to the issuing authority.
  - Submit an application for each access affected.
  - If you have any questions contact the issuing authority.
  - For additional information see CDOT's Access Management website at <http://www.dot.state.co.us/AccessPermits/index.htm>
- Please print or type**

1) Property owner (Permittee) <b>Eagle County</b>		2) Applicant or Agent for permittee (if different from property owner) <b>Eagle County</b>	
Street address <b>P.O. Box 850, 500 Broadway</b>		Mailing address <b>P.O. Box 850, 500 Broadway</b>	
City, state & zip <b>Eagle, CO 81631</b>	Phone # <b>970.328.3567</b>	City, state & zip <b>Eagle, CO 81631</b>	Phone # (required) <b>970.328.3567</b>
E-mail address <b>richard.davies@eaglecounty.us</b>		E-mail address if available <b>richard.davies@eaglecounty.us</b>	
3) Address of property to be served by permit (required) <b>Hillcrest Drive</b>			
4) Legal description of property: If within jurisdictional limits of Municipality, city and/or County, which one? county subdivision block lot section township range <b>Eagle Vail Christian H</b>			
5) What State Highway are you requesting access from? <b>Highway 6 - 006E</b>		6) What side of the highway? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> E <input type="checkbox"/> W	
7) How many feet is the proposed access from the nearest mile post? <b>282</b> feet <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/> S <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> E <input type="checkbox"/> W from: <b>164</b>		How many feet is the proposed access from the nearest cross street? <b>0</b> feet <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> E <input type="checkbox"/> W from: <b>Hillcrest Drive</b>	
8) What is the approximate date you intend to begin construction? <b>5/15/2023</b>			
9) Check here if you are requesting a: <input type="checkbox"/> new access <input type="checkbox"/> temporary access (duration anticipated: ) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> improvement to existing access <input type="checkbox"/> change in access use <input type="checkbox"/> removal of access <input type="checkbox"/> relocation of an existing access (provide detail)			
10) Provide existing property use <b>Reconstruction of Hwy 6 &amp; Hillcrest Dr intersection into a roundabout</b>			
11) Do you have knowledge of any State Highway access permits serving this property, or adjacent properties in which you have a property interest? <input type="checkbox"/> no <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> yes, if yes - what are the permit number(s) and provide copies: <b>301110, 397126, 395186, 391062</b> and/or, permit date:			
12) Does the property owner own or have any interests in any adjacent property? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> no <input type="checkbox"/> yes, if yes - please describe:			
13) Are there other existing or dedicated public streets, roads, highways or access easements bordering or within the property? <input type="checkbox"/> no <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> yes, if yes - list them on your plans and indicate the proposed and existing access points.			
14) If you are requesting agricultural field access - how many acres will the access serve? <b>N/A</b>			
15) If you are requesting commercial or industrial access please indicate the types and number of businesses and provide the floor area square footage of each.			
business/land use	square footage	business	square footage
16) If you are requesting residential development access, what is the type (single family, apartment, townhouse) and number of units?			
type	number of units	type	number of units
17) Provide the following vehicle count estimates for vehicles that will use the access. Leaving the property then returning is two counts.			
Indicate if your counts are <input type="checkbox"/> peak hour volumes or <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> average daily volumes.	# of passenger cars and light trucks at peak hour volumes <b>3,565</b>	# of multi unit trucks at peak hour volumes	
# of single unit vehicles in excess of 30 ft.	# of farm vehicles (field equipment)	<b>Total count of all vehicles</b> <b>3,565</b>	

18) Check with the issuing authority to determine which of the following documents are required to complete the review of your application.

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| a) Property map indicating other access, bordering roads and streets.                                      | e) Subdivision, zoning, or development plan.      |
| b) Highway and driveway plan profile.  | f) Proposed access design.                        |
| c) Drainage plan showing impact to the highway right-of-way.   | g) Parcel and ownership maps including easements. |
| d) Map and letters detailing utility locations before and after development in and along the right-of-way. | h) Traffic studies.                               |
|  | i) Proof of ownership.                            |

1- It is the applicant's responsibility to contact appropriate agencies and obtain all environmental clearances that apply to their activities. Such clearances may include Corps of Engineers 404 Permits or Colorado Discharge Permit System permits, or ecological, archeological, historical or cultural resource clearances. The CDOT Environmental Clearances Information Summary presents contact information for agencies administering certain clearances, information about prohibited discharges, and may be obtained from Regional CDOT Utility/Special Use Permit offices or accessed via the CDOT Planning/Construction-Environmental-Guidance webpage <http://www.dot.state.co.us/environmental/Forms.asp>.

2- All workers within the State Highway right of way shall comply with their employer's safety and health policies/procedures, and all applicable U.S. Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) regulations - including, but not limited to the applicable sections of 29 CFR Part 1910 - Occupational Safety and Health Standards and 29 CFR Part 1926 - Safety and Health Regulations for Construction.

Personal protective equipment (e.g. head protection, footwear, high visibility apparel, safety glasses, hearing protection, respirators, gloves, etc.) shall be worn as appropriate for the work being performed, and as specified in regulation. At a minimum, all workers in the State Highway right of way, except when in their vehicles, shall wear the following personal protective equipment: High visibility apparel as specified in the Traffic Control provisions of the documentation accompanying the Notice to Proceed related to this permit (at a minimum, ANSI/ISEA 107-1999, class 2); head protection that complies with the ANSI Z89.1-1997 standard; and at all construction sites or whenever there is danger of injury to feet, workers shall comply with OSHA's PPE requirements for foot protection per 29 CFR 1910.136, 1926.95, and 1926.96. If required, such footwear shall meet the requirements of ANSI Z41-1999.


Where any of the above-referenced ANSI standards have been revised, the most recent version of the standard shall apply.

3- The Permittee is responsible for complying with the Revised Guidelines that have been adopted by the Access Board under the American Disabilities Act (ADA). These guidelines define traversable slope requirements and prescribe the use of a defined pattern of truncated domes as detectable warnings at street crossings. The new Standards Plans and can be found on the Design and Construction Project Support web page at: <http://www.dot.state.co.us/DesignSupport/>, then click on *Design Bulletins*.

If an access permit is issued to you, it will state the terms and conditions for its use. Any changes in the use of the permitted access not consistent with the terms and conditions listed on the permit may be considered a violation of the permit.

**The applicant declares under penalty of perjury in the second degree, and any other applicable state or federal laws, that all information provided on this form and submitted attachments are to the best of their knowledge true and complete.**

**I understand receipt of an access permit does not constitute permission to start access construction work.**

Applicant or Agent for Permittee signature 	Print name <b>Ben Gerdes</b>	Date <b>10/28/22</b>
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If the applicant is not the owner of the property, we require this application also to be signed by the property owner or their legally authorized representative (or other acceptable written evidence). This signature shall constitute agreement with this application by all owners-of-interest unless stated in writing. If a permit is issued, the property owner, in most cases, will be listed as the permittee.

Property owner signature	Print name	Date
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