



Permit # _____

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Permit Fee _____

Date: _____

1060 Main Avenue, Suite #104

Durango, CO 81301

Received By: _____

970-382-6363

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SPECIAL TRANSPORT PERMIT

Company:

Name: _____

Over La Plata County Roads: _____

Address: _____

City, ST, Zip: _____

Date of Transport: _____

Phone: _____

To Move or Haul (law requires specific description of Load) of greater weight or dimensions than specified by State Law.

Vehicle Information:

License # _____ Motor or Serial # _____ Year: _____ Make: _____

of Axles _____ Gross Weigh: _____ Distance 1st to Last Axle _____ ft _____ in

Width _____ ft _____ in Length _____ ft _____ in Max Height: _____ ft _____ in

The following restriction must be observed **AS REQUIRED BY LAW:** C.R.S. 42-4-101 TO 42-4-1717 (2C.C.R.601-4)

____ Flagmen Required ____ Number ____ Wide Load Sign Front ____ Wide Load Sign Rear

____ Red Flags Displayed on Load ____ Pilot Car Ahead ____ Pilot Car Behind

Max. Speed Across Bridges, 10 M.P.H.

Be it understood by the applicant that this permit, when issued, is valid only on those highways under the jurisdiction of La Plata County and that to operate on highways under the jurisdiction of the State of Colorado or any Municipality herein, it is necessary to obtain a separate permit from the State of such Municipality.

If the requested permit is granted,, the undersigned agrees:

1. To take every precaution to protect the highway and the traffic from damage or injury, using pilot cars or flagmen to warn the traveling public on all blind curves, both vertical and horizontal.
2. In case of over-width of Load, the same to be placed on the vehicle with the overhangs as far to the right as possible and in any event the material shall be Loaded so as to present the minimum hazard to traffic.
3. To make this traffic movement only between DAYLIGHT and DARK, and to remove the traffic Load from the highway except between those hours.
4. To be financially responsible and to make prompt payment for any damage caused to the traffic, to traffic lights, overhead signs, wires, cables and other installations or to the highway or bridges by the transportation of this Load in excess of limitations prescribed by statute.
5. That the operator of the vehicle or vehicles is duly Licensed according to statute.
6. To operate the vehicle or vehicles at all times in accordance with any and all provisions of Law, except as exempted herein, with regard to motor vehicles and the operation thereof.
7. Except when a permit is requested and granted for over-weight, the undersigned applicant specifically states that the Load is legal weight; and that same cannot be Loaded to conform with the statute. He/she certifies that he/she understands and accepts all provisions of this permit.

THIS PERMIT NOT GOOD

And becomes **VOID** during Blizzard, Heavy Snow Icy Road Conditions or Adverse Weather Limiting Sight Distance.

Signed _____
Applicant's Name

This application, when issued by La Plata County, becomes the requested permit subject to the above conditions and with the understanding that, no liability is assumed by the Department by reason of its issuance, in regard to conditions of roads or capacity of bridges, and the applicant is charged to make necessary examination and inspection as to the adequacy of road or bridges to care for the traffic movement. In case of emergency, the field officials of the Department have authority to suspend this permit until emergency conditions has passed:

By: _____
Authorized agent for La Plata County

This application and Permit is to be made out in duplicate, and both copies signed by both the Applicant and, if granted, by an Agent of La Plata County.

The original is to be given to the Applicant; the second copy is to be retained by La Plata County.

Every such permit shall be carried in the vehicle or combination of vehicles to which it refers and shall be open to inspection by any police officer or authorized agent of any authority granting such permit, and no person shall violate any of the terms.

PROHIBITED OVERWEIGHT ROUTES: County Roads 141, 203, 220, 250, 302 and 516

Vehicles which exceed applicable weight limits are prohibited from travel on those Roadways listed except as provided herein. Special permits may be issued for travel on these prohibited overweight routes when no reasonable alternative route is available.

ATTACHMENT A
TO LA PLATA COUNTY ROAD DEPARTMENT
SPECIAL TRANSPORT PERMIT

The undersigned, does hereby represent and acknowledge that he, or the entity set forth below have applied for and received a Special Transport Permit (the "Permit") from La Plata County. In consideration of receipt of the Permit, the undersigned hereby acknowledges and agrees to be bound by the provisions of Colorado Revised Statute Title 42, Article IV, the "Uniform Safety Code of 1935,) as amended and La Plata County Code, Chapter 42, Article V (Weight and Load Limits) and specifically I acknowledge and agree that:

- A. I may not drive, operate or move upon or over any county road or county structure any vehicle, object or contrivance in such a manner so as to cause damage to the county road. (See C.R.S. § 42-4-512).
- B. If damage is sustained to the county road as a result of the operating, driving or moving of such vehicle, object or contrivance weighing in excess of the maximum weight authorized by C.R.S. §§ 42-4-501 to 42-4-512 and 42-4-1407, it shall be no defense to any action, either civil or criminal, brought against me that the weight of the vehicle was authorized by the Permit.
- C. If I violate the provisions of C. R. S. § 42-4-512 and cause damage to a county road, I shall be liable for all damages which the county road may sustain as a result thereof. (See C.R.S. § 42-4-512 (2).) Further, I acknowledge and agree that whenever the driver of such vehicle, object or contrivance with the express or implied consent of the owner thereof, then the owner or the driver shall be jointly and severally liable for any such damage. (See C.R.S. § 42-4-512 (2) and also La Plata County Code § 42-179.)
- D. I hereby acknowledge and agree that the County Road and Bridge Department may suspend or revoke the Permit. Grounds for suspension or revocation may include, but shall not be limited to, the following circumstances or occurrences:
 - 1. Failure to comply with the terms and conditions of the Permit, the La Plata County Code or state law;
 - 2. Discovery by the Road and Bridge Department, Sheriff or any other local issuing authority of previously undetected false statements made by me on an application for the Permit;
 - 3. Failure to pay applicable ad valorem taxes prior to movement of a used mobile home;
 - 4. Falsification or misrepresentation of an emergency situation in order to obtain oral authorization to move a permitted load.
- E. The Board of County Commissioners may by ordinance or resolution prohibit the operation of vehicles upon any county road or impose restrictions as to the weight of vehicles to be operated upon any county road for a total period of not to exceed ninety (90) days in any one calendar year, whenever any county road by reason of deterioration, rain, snow or other climatic conditions will be seriously damaged or destroyed unless the use of vehicles thereon is prohibited or the permissible weights thereof reduced. (See C.R.S. § 42-4-106.)
- F. The County may enforce and/or seek any other remedies as permitted by law or equity.

Dated this _____ day of _____, 20____

By: _____

Title: _____

Name of Company: _____