



RESOLUTION NO. **051-2017**

OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF EL DORADO

Resolution to Authorize the Community Development Agency Director to Temporarily Close a Section of Blair Road between Loyal Lane and Badger Hill Road for the Construction of the Blair Road at EID Canal - Bridge Replacement Project During the 2016/2017 Construction Seasons

WHEREAS, the County plans to replace the Blair Road Bridge with one (1) forty-three (43) inch by sixty-eight (68) inch elliptical reinforced concrete culvert and one (1) forty-two (42) inch diameter ductile iron pipe for future water supply and construct roadway improvements including but not limited to drainage systems, retaining walls, guard rails, fences, grading, paving, striping and signage work on Blair Road for Capital Improvement Project No. 77119 during the 2016/2017 construction seasons; and

WHEREAS, this Resolution supersedes Resolution 121-2016, passed and adopted by the Board of Supervisors on July 19, 2016 for any road closure after November 18, 2016; and

WHEREAS, in order to construct the bridge replacement and roadway improvements, two closure periods totaling one hundred five (105) calendar days are needed on Blair Road; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Resolution 121-2016 in order to construct the bridge replacement and roadway improvements, a portion of Blair Road between Loyal Lane and Badger Hill Road, was closed for an initial period of twenty-six (26) calendar days beginning October 24, 2016 and opened to traffic by November 18, 2016 for winter shutdown; and

WHEREAS, in order to complete the roadway improvements and final paving, a second closure on Blair Road, between Loyal Lane and Badger Hill Road, is needed after winter shutdown for a maximum duration of seventy-nine (79) calendar days beginning approximately April 2017; and

WHEREAS, an alternate access route/detour will be available during the temporary closure and traffic will be directed by signage to this route/detour; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to California Vehicle Code Section 21101 (e), the Board of Supervisors is authorized to temporarily close a portion of any street for the safety and protection of persons who are to use that portion of the street during the temporary closing; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to California Vehicle Code Section 21101 (e) and California Streets and Highways Code Section 942.6, the Board of Supervisors may delegate the powers associated with road closures to the County Road Commissioner; and

WHEREAS, the County of El Dorado Ordinance Title 12, titled Streets, Sidewalks and Public Places, Chapter 12.04 Administration, Section 12.04.030 Road Commissioner Defined, defines Road Commissioner as Director of the Department of Transportation; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 2.14 of the County of El Dorado Code of Ordinance states that any references in the code to the Community Development Director, Development Services Director, Environmental Management Director, the Director of Public Works, or the Director of Transportation shall be understood to refer to the Community Development Agency Director or his/her qualified designated representative;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Community Development Agency Director is authorized to order the second temporary closure of Blair Road, between Loyal Lane and Badger Hill Road, for up to seventy-nine (79) consecutive calendar days and to establish an alternate access route for traffic use during the time of temporary closure. The precise dates of the temporary road closures are to be determined by the Community Development Agency Director, with notification of the pending temporary road closure and alternate route to be provided to the County Supervisors, business owners, residents, the general public, the El Dorado County Transit Authority and to safety and law enforcement agencies in the Project area, through direct communications, signage, or flyers.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of El Dorado at a regular meeting of said Board, held the 21st day of March, 2017, by the following vote of said Board:

Ayes: Veerkamp, Hidahl, Frentzen, Ranalli, Novasel

Noes: None

Absent: None

Attest:

James S. Mitrison

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

By:


Deputy Clerk


Shiva Frentzen, Chair, Board of Supervisors