



US 34 Permanent Repairs

PERMIT RULES AND PROCEDURES

US 34 Flood Repair Residential Permit Rules and Procedures

You have qualified for a residential permit based on the location of your property within the Big Thompson canyon. The color of your permit signifies which area you live in and what your specific access plan will entail. Please keep in mind, that the following rules and procedures are critical to the safety of both the motorists and the construction crews in the area. By not adhering to these regulations or follow this process, residents are jeopardizing their right to a permit.

- Permit holders must display their permit on the mirror of their vehicles at all times when entering the canyon
- Permit holders may pass through the closure- (while following pilot car) at the advertised time and under the direction of a pilot car -
 - Permitted access will be between 6 - 8:30 a.m. and 4 - 7 p.m. Monday - Thursday
 - 6- 8:30 a.m. and 4-8 p.m. Friday through Sunday
- Permits are intended to be used in their assigned vehicle only.
- Motorists driving through the closure must understand that this is a construction zone. Slower speed limits will be enforced and only one lane will be open.
- Permit holders should conduct themselves in a respectful manner with the Uniformed Traffic Officers and Flaggers. The project team has the power to revoke permits from anyone not following procedures, including driving in an unsafe manner through the work area.
- To avoid missing the pilot car and the opportunity to drive through the closure, permit holders should be in the queue before 8:30 a.m. or 7 p.m. Anyone entering the queue right at or after 8:30 a.m. or 7 p.m. will be directed to take the detour.
- Permits are only valid October 2017 - June 2018.

If you live within the construction limits (off of US 34 between Mall Road and the Narrows; not including CR 43) You will have two ways of scheduling Special Access Services 48 hours in advance:

1. Call in to the scheduling Service 970-667-1005
 - A representative will schedule your access online for you
 - You must know which color of permit you own and have your permit number ready
 2. Submit an online request via the webpage
 - Login to webpage linked to CDOT website
 - You must know which color of permit you own and have your permit number ready
 - Online form will also allow you to view your pending requests
- Construction team will verify your scheduled access at least 24 hours in advance as close as possible to the time requested
 - Travel may be limited to only one direction (east or west)
 - Please schedule all regulary occurring travel through one of these forms



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For same day Special Access Requests:

- Call in to the scheduling Service 970-667-1005. Please note, the longer you wait to schedule, the less likely it is that we can accommodate their needs immediately.
- The web form will not accept last minute requests

During Special Access Pilot Runs:

- Always be in your car ready to leave 10 minutes prior to scheduled time
- NEVER leave your property without an escort.
- The pilot car will need to pick up multiple vehicles in different areas. Understand that if you are picked up first, you may need to stop at other properties
- Always allow the pilot line to pass then join the end of the line

For Country Road 43 Residents:

- Due to the fact that your area is not surrounded by construction, you will have anytime access westbound to Estes Park via CR 43. This will be your travel option outside of the regular open hours, and you will not be eligible for special access requests.

In the case of an emergency, always call 911.

Extended Open Hours

- If extended open hours are available, you will be notified by email on Friday afternoon.
- If you do not have email, you can call 970-667-1005 and the hours will be on the recording no earlier than 4 p.m.
- Message boards in canyon will also display extended hours beginning on Friday afternoon.

Holidays

- At minimum, the canyon will be open to all motorists under the direction of pilot cars the Thursday of Thanksgiving. If schedule and weather allows, more accommodations may be made at this time.
- The canyon will be open to all motorists under the direction of pilot cars Dec 23 - Jan 2.

