

RESOLUTION 16-__

RESCIND WEIGHT RESTRICTION AND AUTHORIZE THE REMOVAL OF REGULATORY WEIGHT LIMIT SIGNS ON CERTAIN RECONSTRUCTED BRIDGES

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors, Cochise County, Arizona, has the authority to lay out, maintain, control, and manage public roads within Cochise County pursuant to A.R.S. § 11-251 (4); and

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors, has the authority to impose limitations on the weight of vehicles on designated highways pursuant to A.R.S. §§ 28-1106.C and 28-627.A.7; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors, has the authority to place and maintain such traffic control devices upon highways under their jurisdiction to regulate traffic pursuant to A.R.S. § 28-643; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to a technical review by a licensed structural engineer, the Board of Supervisors previously placed weight restrictions and authorized the placement of appropriate regulatory signs on the following bridges:

- Benson Airport Road, bridge at Desert Wash
 - 3 ton weight limit established by Resolution 88-29
 - Reconstructed 1997
- Charleston Road, bridge at San Pedro River
 - 15 ton weight limit established by Resolution 88-29
 - Reconstructed 1990
- Hereford Road, bridge at San Pedro River
 - 15 ton weight limit established by Resolution 88-29
 - Reconstructed 2006
- Leslie Canyon Road, bridge at milepost 7.8
 - 5 ton weight limit established by Resolution 08-19
 - Reconstructed 2009

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- Leslie Canyon Road, bridge at milepost 10.85
 - 10 ton weight limit by historical establishment, no accompanying resolution
 - Reconstructed 2010
- Ramsey Canyon Road, bridge at Ramsey Canyon Creek
 - 5 ton weight limit established by Resolution 87-66
 - Reconstructed 1988

WHEREAS, said bridges have been reconstructed, subsequently received a technical review by a licensed structural engineer and no longer require the previously placed weight restriction or require the regulatory sign,

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED that we the Board of Supervisors, Cochise County, Arizona rescind the weight restriction on said bridges.

IT IS FURTHER RESOLVED that the County Engineer, or her designee, is authorized to remove any regulatory sign in conflict with this resolution.

IT IS FINALLY RESOLVED that any resolution in conflict herewith is rescinded to the extent of said conflict.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of Cochise County, Arizona, this ____ day of _____, 2016.

Richard Searle, Chairman
Cochise County Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:

Arlethe Rios,
Clerk of the Board

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Britt Hanson,
Chief Civil Deputy County Attorney