Resolution 2023-\_\_\_\_\_\_

RESOLUTION FOR THE TEMPORARY LIMITATION OF TRAFFIC ON THE COUNTY ROADS IN

BROADWATER COUNTY

WHEREAS, the Broadwater County Board of Commissioners is responsible for the maintenance of the county roads under its jurisdiction;

WHEREAS, the county roads can be seriously damaged or destroyed by deterioration, rain, snow, thawing, or other climatic conditions unless the permissible vehicle weights are reduced;

WHEREAS, Montana Code Annotated § 7-14-2127 states, “A board of county commissioners may in its discretion limit or forbid, temporarily, any traffic or class of traffic on the county roads or any part of a county road when it is necessary in order to preserve or repair the roads.”;

BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED THAT:

In order to preserve the county roads during the spring weather and pursuant to § 7-14-2127, Mont. Code Ann., the Broadwater Board of County Commissioners hereby limits traffic on all county roads to 8 tons for a single axle, 16 tons for a tandem axle, and 400 pounds per inch width of tire. At no time will the weight exceed 16000 pounds per single axle and 32000 pounds per tandem axle.

This resolution is in place until it is lifted by the Broadwater County Commission or May 31, 2023 whichever is later.

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, 2023

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Chairperson, Debi Randolph

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Member, Darrel Folkvord

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Member, Lindsey Richtmyer Angie Paulsen, Clerk and Recorder