

**Baca County Division of Emergency Management**

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(SPRINGFIELD, COLORADO) **For Immediate Radio Broadcast.** US HWY 287, HWY 160 and HWY 116 is CLOSED and is not open to traffic, those vehicles that try to pass a road block or travel on a closed road will be written a ticket for passing a road block and may result in being put in jail. DO NOT TRAVEL ON CLOSED ROADS we do not have enough resources to send to rescue everyone when they become stuck there is a reason the roads are closed. We are having problems with people passing road blocks especially on Hwy 287 and then becoming stuck.

Further details and instructions will be announced as they become available.

General information about emergency services is available from the Baca County Division of Emergency Management, 719-523-6532, or the Baca County Sheriff's Office, 719-523-4511. For immediate emergencies, dial 911.

For more information, contact Riley Frazee, Director of the Baca County Division of Emergency Management at 719-523-6796.

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