

# ROCC Alert!

## Public Lands Committee Agenda

**Committee:** Public Lands Committee

**Date:** Monday, January 23, 2023

**Time:** 4:00 PM

**Location:** Ridgway Public Library  
300 Charles Street  
Ridgway, CO 81432

**Discussions:** Gov Polis has designated \$5M for increasing safe wildlife migration across highways in Colorado.

Kelly Crane with CPW will present data on wildlife migration routes and the effects climate change on roadkill numbers.

Ouray County's major problem areas are:

1. Round Top (just north of Ridgway on Hwy 62) and
2. Just north of Ridgway's stoplight on Hwy 550

And we'll try to learn:

1. How we can help get more grant money for Ouray County for overpasses thus decrease all the roadkill
2. Making it safer in our problem areas by working with CDOT, Tony Gaby in Durango. Landowners along this area leave their gates open. When the canal water is shut off, wildlife have to cross the highway to get to water.

***Hope to see you there!***