



# Laramie County Public Works

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TO: Laramie County Board of County Commissioners

FROM: Molly Bennett, Director of Laramie County Public Works

DATE: September 14, 2022

TITLE: PUBLIC HEARING regarding the vacation of a note on the Bison Crossing, 8th Filing plat (postponed from February 1, 2022).

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Commissioners,

It is the recommendation of Laramie County Public Works that this note not be vacated from the plat and the maintenance of this section of road not be taken over by the county.

Public Works did review this from the perspectives of safety, current personnel, budget and similar situations within other subdivisions. The policy of Laramie County Public Works, in association with WARM, is to not back up unless absolutely necessary, as this can put our employees in a hazardous situation. This is relevant in terms of snow control, in that the termination points along this road do not align with a location that would allow for easy maneuverability. In order to avoid backing, there could be instances where Laramie County Public Works is involved in snow control of this section of road. From a personnel perspective, this could add strain to the current workload of our motor grader operators. From a budgetary perspective, even though this section of road is small, the potential strain and implications of taking on additional maintenance could be large for Laramie County Public Works.

In review of the above, this is not a section of right-of-way that should be taken on by the county for maintenance in the short or long term.

Sincerely,

Molly Bennett, Director  
Laramie County Public Works