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INFORMATION FOR MOTORISTS

SNOW TIRES OR CHAINS may be required by the Colorado Department of Highways during winter storms or when roads are icy or snow-covered. Colorado State Patrol troopers, highway maintenance persons or regulatory signs may inform motorists.

When snow tires are required, the following list of equipment is acceptable:

1. Conventional mud and snow tires (M/S) with or without studs, with a minimum tread depth of 3/32 inch.
2. Tires of the all weather type bearing the mark (M/S) with a minimum tread depth of 3/32 inch.
3. Four wheel drive vehicles (all four wheels engaged) with adequate tread. (Adequate tread includes those with "summer" conventional tires with a minimum tread depth of 3/32 inch or the type mentioned above with a tread depth of 1/8 inch or the type mentioned above with more than forty sipes and winter sports areas.
4. Any type tire with plastic chains.

On rare occasion when "chains only" are required, the following list of equipment is acceptable:

1. Any type tire with conventional steel link chains.
2. Any type tire with cable chains.
3. Four wheel drive vehicles (all four wheels engaged) with:
 - A. Conventional mud and snow tires (M/S) with or without studs, with a minimum tread depth of 3/32 inch.
 - B. Tires of the all weather type bearing the mark (M/S), with a minimum tread depth of 3/32 inch.

SPECTACULAR SCENERY provides backdrops for National and state parks and their four-season playgrounds offering boating, camping, fishing, hunting, or outdoor relaxation. Colorado is a "summer" conventional tires with a minimum tread depth of 1/8 inch or the type mentioned above with a tread depth of 1/8 inch or the type mentioned above with more than forty sipes and winter sports areas.

SPEED LIMITS are posted on practically all state highways. 55-mile-per-hour, the maximum speed limit on national or state highways as well as U.S.-designated and state routes. In the absence of black-and-white signs, the maximum speed limit is 20 mph on narrow, winding mountain highways and blind curves. 25 mph in any business district, 30 mph in any residential district. 35 mph in any business district, 40 mph in any residential district. 45 mph in any business district, 50 mph in any residential district. 55 mph in any business district, 60 mph in any residential district. 65 mph in any business district, 70 mph in any residential district. 75 mph in any business district, 80 mph in any residential district. 85 mph in any business district, 90 mph in any residential district. 95 mph in any business district, 100 mph in any residential district.

TINTED WINDOWS are prohibited on Colorado-registered vehicles. A 1984 law bans the "windshield" or any other windows to the left or right of the driver, covered with, composed of, or treated with any substance which presents an opaque, non-transparent, metallic or mirrored finish. The only exception to the law involves vehicles with windows that were a component part at the time of manufacture or windows replacing original equipment. Non-transparent material may cover the top four inches of a windshield if it does not present a glaring effect.

CHILD SAFETY SEATS are required of resident drivers who transport children who are under four years old or weigh less than 40 pounds. A 1984 law requires approved child safety seats in private, non-commercial vehicles.

- LEGEND**
- PRINCIPAL THROUGH HIGHWAYS**
 MULTILANE DIVIDED, ACCESS FULL-CONTROLLED MULTILANE DIVIDED
 MULTILANE UNDIVIDED
 2 LANE PAVED
 SURFACE TREATED
 GRAVEL
 UNIMPROVED
- CONNECTING COUNTY ROADS**
 MULTILANE DIVIDED
 MULTILANE UNDIVIDED
 2 LANE PAVED
 SURFACE TREATED
 GRAVEL
 UNIMPROVED
- ACCESS POINTS**
 FULL INTERCHANGE
 PARTIAL INTERCHANGE
 GRADE SEPARATION
 ACCESS DENIED
- INTERCHANGE NUMBER**
 (Shown on main route)
- BUSINESS LOOP**
 (Shown on main route)
- UNITED STATES AND STATE**
 HOSPITAL, Emergency Dept.
 POINTS OF INTEREST
 MOUNTAIN PASSES
 CONTINENTAL DIVIDE
 FOREST RANGER HEADQUARTERS
 REST AREAS
 HANDICAPPED
 ROADSIDE PARKS
 CAMPGROUNDS
 PASSENGER TRAIN ROUTES
- MILEAGE**
 ACCUMULATED MILEAGE BETWEEN STATIONS
 U.S. BUSINESS ROUTES
 STATE
 EMERGENCY CLINIC (after hours, inquire locally)
 NATIONAL OR STATE FORESTS
 NATIONAL PARKS OR MONUMENTS
 INDIAN RESERVATIONS
 GOVERNMENT RESERVATIONS
 COMMERCIAL AIRPORTS
 MILITARY AIRPORTS
 OTHER AIRPORTS
 OUTDOOR RECREATION AREAS
- POPULATION OF CITIES AND MINOR NAMED PLACES**
 STATE CAPITAL
 50,000 AND OVER
 25,000 - 50,000
 10,000 - 25,000
 5,000 - 10,000
 1,000 - 5,000
 0 - 1,000
- SCALE**
 KILOMETERS
 MILES
- STATE ANIMAL**
 (Big Horn Sheep)
- STATE BIRD**
 (Lark Bunting)
- STATE FLAG**
- STATE FOSSIL**
 (Stegosaurus)
- STATE GEM**
 (Aquamarine)

Feature	Name of Area	Map Key
1	Antero	L-13
2	Barbour (USFS)	D-13
3	Barbour Olds	L-13
4	Barbour Olds	L-13
5	Barbour Olds	L-13
6	Black Canyon of the Gunnison	J-6
7	Bolton	F-28
8	Castleton	C-17
9	Castleton Canyon	G-18
10	Castleton	F-18
11	Cherry Creek	F-17
12	Colorado	H-2
13	Crawford	J-4
14	Crawford	J-4
15	Dinosaur	F-15
16	Eldorado Canyon	E-15
17	Florissant Fossil Beds	G-25
18	Florissant Fossil Beds	H-16
19	Golden Gate Canyon	F-15
20	Golden Gate Canyon	F-15
21	Great Sand Dunes	N-14
22	Greenwood	H-1
23	Hooverweep	C-11
24	Island Acres	H-3
25	Jackson	C-20
26	Lake Hasty (Corps of Engineers)	L-25
27	Lathrop (Martin Lake)	N-17
28	Lathrop (Martin Lake)	B-12
29	Mesa Verde	M-3
30	Miramonte	M-3
31	Narajo	P-1
32	Narajo	P-1
33	Palmer	K-17
34	Palmer	K-17
35	Palmer	K-17
36	Rocky Mountain	C-14
37	Rocky Mountain	C-14
38	State Forest	B-12
39	State Forest	B-12
40	Sweet Lake	A-9
41	Tarryall	H-4
42	Tarryall	H-4
43	Vega	H-6
44	Vega	H-6
45	Vega	H-6
46	Monte Vista	O-12
47	Monte Vista	O-12

COLORADO INDEX

Population Shown for Incorporated Places
 Elevations are shown in feet
 Colorado's Population 2,888,834 - Denver's Urbanized Area 1,351,077
 Population Information from 1980 Census Advance Report, March 1981
 COUNTY SEAT IN BOLD LETTERS

A	4,890	4,890	O-2	Berthoud	6,070	D-16
Agate	6,410	6,410	B-1	Boulder	148,427	D-27
Alamosa	2,650	2,650	B-18	Canon City	1,810	D-12
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FEES: Visitors to designated recreation sites may be charged entrance fees. The Golden Eagle Passport is required for all visitors to designated recreation areas, and the Parks Pass is accepted at all State Areas. Special Permits are available for Senior Citizens.

NOTES: 1. Non-motorized boating only.
 2. Interpretive Tours (includes self-guided tours).
 *Toll Free Number for complete reservations 1-800-421-2435. May 20 - Sept 20 (33 Reservation Fee required at least 15 days in advance).

COLORADO STATE PATROL HEADQUARTERS

• Road Conditions Information:	639-1234
• Denver & West:	639-1111
• State Headquarters (Denver):	757-8422
• Emergency:	757-8422
• District No. 1 (Aurora):	344-2536
• Broomfield:	569-1966
• Burlington:	346-8703
• Castle Rock:	688-3115
• "Limon":	775-2354
• Littleton:	754-5469
• District No. 2 (Pueblo):	544-2424
• "Colorado Springs":	630-2681
• "Fort Collins":	824-6501
• "Lamar":	338-7403
• "Windsor":	848-2227
• "Yuma":	757-1558
• "Canon City":	353-1151
• District No. 3 (Greeley):	353-1151
• "Sterling":	522-6693
• District No. 4 (Grand Junction):	242-7447
• "Eagle":	328-5434
• "Steamboat Springs":	328-5434
• District No. 5 (Durango):	394-5100
• "Alamosa":	569-2503
• "Monte Vista":	448-4000
• District No. 6 (Golden):	273-8101
• "Idaho Springs":	567-4031
• "Nederland":	567-4031
• "Steamboat Springs":	354-2227
• "Hooper":	660-1110
• "Fruitvale":	660-1110
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• "Hooper":	660-1110
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