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Garnet Range Road Construction to Start July 6

MISSOULA – The Garnet Range Road that accesses Garnet Ghost Town from Highway 200 east of Missoula is slated for reconstruction starting Tuesday, July 6. The Bureau of Land Management (BLM) will be upgrading the road by paving the first four miles and improving and reconstructing the remaining eight miles. The road will be closed intermittently from July 6 until early September.

Garnet Ghost Town will remain open all summer, and can still be accessed from Highway 200 by following detour signs to the Sunset Hill Road and the Elk Creek Road. The detour routes are passable by motorhomes or vehicles pulling travel trailers.

Garnet is also accessible from I-90 using the Bearmouth or Drummond exits although that route is not recommended for travel trailers or motorhomes.

Weekly updates on road conditions are available by calling the BLM Missoula Field Office at 329-3914.