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**TRB Committee on Environmental Analysis and Ecology Virtual Seminar**

**Webinar 3: Colorado's Approach to Wildlife Initiatives, Mitigation, and Partnering**

August 20, 2020; 1:00pm – 2:30pm (EDT)

**Schedule at-a-glance**
***(Subject to change)***

*Registration is free but required. Only registered attendees will be provided with a link to access the webinar closer to the event.*

This webinar will present a broad overview and case studies related to Colorado's integrated approach to addressing highway-wildlife conflicts.

Speakers:

**Program Overview**
***Bryan Roeder, Research Manager, CDOT***
Bryan Roeder is the Environmental, Water Quality and Sustainability Research Manager for the CDOT Research Branch. Prior to that he worked in CDOT Environmental Programs, and as a wildlife biologist in Florida, New Mexico, Alaska, Kenya and Australia. He has a M.S. in Wildlife Sciences and a B.A. in Biology.

**West Slope Wildlife Prioritization Study**
***Julia Kintsch, Principal and Founder of ECO-resolutions***
Julia is an expert in wildlife-highway mitigation and creating collaborative processes for engaging local, state, federal, private and non-profit partners to develop solutions for minimizing and mitigating the impacts of infrastructure on wildlife and ecological systems. Her work includes identifying priority area for mitigation; coordinating with engineering teams on project-specific mitigation designs; developing guidelines and best management practices for minimizing and mitigating the impacts of roads on wildlife: and monitoring research to evaluate the effectiveness of mitigation investments.

**Interstate 25 Gap Project - Wildlife Planning and Mitigation**
***Chuck Attardo, CDOT Region 1 South I-25 Corridor Manager***
Chuck has 29 years of public and private sector experience developing statewide transportation plans and working with the general public and elected officials on transportation projects in Colorado, Florida, and Nevada. Chuck leads the development of Environmental Impact Statements (EIS), Environmental Assessments (EA), Categorical Exclusions (CE), and Planning and Environmental Linkage Studies (PEL).

## Colorado DOTs Pollinator Program and the Colorado Pollinator Highway

***Susan Suddjian, CDOT***

Susan Suddjian has spent more than 20 years developing ecological restoration plans for public agencies as a private consultant, an Environmental Planner and a licensed Landscape Architect throughout the central coast and San Francisco Bay area of California, and in Colorado since 2015. She holds a BS in Landscape Architecture from California Polytechnic State University, San Luis Obispo, School of Architecture and Environmental Design.