

RESOLUTION NO. 24-31

**THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
OF HUERFANO COUNTY, COLORADO**

**A RESOLUTION PERMITTING THE LAWFUL POSSESSION OF FIREARMS
IN GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS OWNED AND OPERATED BY HUERFANO
COUNTY**

WHEREAS, pursuant to C.R.S. §30-11-103 and 30-11-107(1)(a), (c), and (e) the Huerfano County Board of County Commissioners has the legislative authority to manage the business and concerns of the County to ensure the welfare and interests of the County and its inhabitants, including the authority to make such orders pertaining to property belonging to and in the care of the County; and,

WHEREAS, in conjunction with the Board's ability to care for and manage County property, C.R.S. §18-9-117(1) permits the imposition of orders, rules or regulations reasonably necessary for the administration, protection, and maintenance of public buildings and property; and

WHEREAS, the Huerfano County Board of County Commissioners are fully committed to upholding the Second Amendment of the United States Constitution and right to bear arms that the Second Amendment conveys; and

WHEREAS, Senate Bill 24-131 created C.R.S. §18-12-105.3, which prohibits the carrying of firearms in government buildings, and C.R.S. §18-12-105.3(4)(b) permits the County to adopt a resolution to permit the lawful carrying of firearms in County buildings; and

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners believes that it is of vital importance to allow individuals who hold a valid permit to carry a concealed handgun in Huerfano County facilities unless otherwise prohibited by a law or lawful order of a law enforcement officer or any individual holding authority to issue such an order.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Huerfano County Board of County Commissioners that the lawful possession of concealed firearms is permitted in all County owned buildings, except:

1. Designated secure facilities such as,
 - a. The Huerfano County Law Enforcement Center;
 - b. The Huerfano County Judicial Center; or
 - c. The Office of the 3rd Judicial District Attorney.
2. Any posted location during an election cycle where ballots are issued, cast, or counted.
3. Any posted location that is designated as a temporarily secure facility such as a shelter location.

INTRODUCED, READ, APPROVED AND ADOPTED ON THIS 9th day of
JULY 2024.



ATTEST:

County Clerk and Recorder and
Ex-Officio Clerk to said Board

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
OF HUERFANO COUNTY, COLORADO

BY _____

Arica Andreatta, Commissioner

Karl Sporleder, Commissioner

Mitchell Wardell, Commissioner