

# AGATE BEACH COUNTY PARK ROAD RELOCATION

## PROJECT FEATURES INCLUDE:

- ☑ Separated multi-modal trail
- ☑ Parking for County Park and National Monument
- ☑ ADA facilities
- ☑ Shoreline restoration



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## FUNDING SECURED TO RELOCATE THE ROAD AROUND AGATE BEACH COUNTY PARK AND RESTORE THE SHORELINE

San Juan County Public Works has successfully partnered with the Bureau of Land Management to obtain funds through the Federal Lands Access Program (FLAP) to relocate the failing portion of MackKaye Harbor Road in front of the County Park.

In 2017, the road in front of Agate Beach County Park was reduced to one lane because the continuing bank erosion was undermining the road. As a result of the *MackKaye Harbor Road Relocation Feasibility Study*, the County was able to apply for funding in 2018 to the FLAP. An agreement was signed in 2019 with the Western Federal Lands Highway Division of FHWA. The project will ensure continued access to both the County Park and the National Monument at Iceberg Point.

Road planning and design are anticipated to begin in 2020 with construction in 2022. The barriers and one lane road at the County Park will remain in effect until the project is complete.

In a concurrent effort, San Juan County Parks obtained funding through the state Salmon Recovery Fund to restore the shoreline along Agate Beach County Park to improve beach nourishment, thereby enhancing forage fish spawning habitat. Initial shoreline restoration planning activities have been initiated. The subsequent design and construction will be coordinated with the road project.

Additional newsletters will be provided beginning in 2020 once project activities commence.

