

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
OF THE COUNTY OF GUNNISON, COLORADO  
RESOLUTION NO. 08- 06**

**A RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF THE COLORADO HEALTH SERVICES  
PROGRAM - SINGLE PAYER HEALTH CARE**

WHEREAS, it has come to the attention of the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Gunnison, Colorado (herein the "Board") that there is an affordable alternative to traditional health care programs being proposed in the State of Colorado called The Colorado Health Services Program – Single Payer Health Care; and

WHEREAS, the Board is informed that there are more than 47 million Americans without health insurance, 788,000 of whom reside in the State of Colorado; and

WHEREAS, it is the Board's understanding that Single Payer Health Care is a system that would assure universal coverage for all necessary medical services, contain costs, assure patients free choice of doctors, minimize administrative costs connected with health care and would be beneficial for physicians by eliminating restraints imposed by current health care administration practices; and

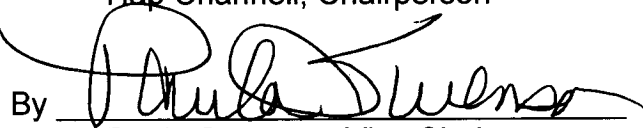
WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of the public health and welfare of the citizens of Gunnison County that such adequate and affordable health care be obtainable.


NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Gunnison, Colorado that it hereby is and shall be in support of The Colorado Health Services Program – Single Payer Health Care.

INTRODUCED by Commissioner Starr, seconded by Commissioner Swanson, and adopted this 19<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2008.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
OF THE COUNTY OF GUNNISON,  
COLORADO

By   
Hap Channell, Chairperson

By   
Paula Swenson, Vice Chairperson

By   
Jim Starr, Commissioner

ATTEST:

  
Deputy County Clerk

