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## **NEWS RELEASE**

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### **Demolition of Old Wastewater Treatment Plant Causes Pedestrian Tunnel Closure**

GLENWOOD SPRINGS, CO – The pedestrian tunnel between the Rio Grande Trail and the 7<sup>th</sup> Street wastewater treatment plant will be closed starting today through late winter or early spring. Parking will also be impacted at the 101 W 7<sup>th</sup> Street lot during the demolition and once it is complete.

Gould Construction has begun the demolition of the old wastewater treatment plant at 101 W 7<sup>th</sup> Street and is approximately 20% complete. Razing the old concrete structures will open the area to revitalization, as detailed in the Confluence Redevelopment Plan and forthcoming Area-Wide Plan.

The old wastewater treatment plant was built in the late 1970s. The city opened a new sewer plant in 2012, just west of the Municipal Operations Center and the RFTA facility on Midland Avenue.

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