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Let Q be a local ring with maximal ideal \mathfrak{n} and let $f, g \in \mathfrak{n} \setminus \mathfrak{n}^2$ with $fg = 0$. When M is a finite Q -module with $fM = 0$, we show that a minimal free resolution of M over Q has a differential graded module structure over the differential graded algebra $Q\langle y, z \mid \partial(y) = f, \partial(z) = gy \rangle$. In particular, when (f, g) is an exact pair of zero-divisors, this allows to give an explicit description of a minimal free resolution of M over $Q/(f)$ in terms of the one over Q , and we discuss some applications. (Received August 10, 2021)