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Town of Berthoud to celebrate Colorado Cities & Towns Week September 14-20

The Town of Berthoud will be participating in Colorado Cities & Towns Week, September 14-20, 2015. Sponsored by the Colorado Municipal League, Cities & Towns Week is an opportunity to bring residents, staff and elected officials together to learn more about the importance of local government and show appreciation for municipal employees and volunteers. Through Colorado Cities & Towns Week, municipalities from across the state will participate in activities to showcase and celebrate cities and towns and the many services they provide.

To commemorate Cities & Towns Week, the Town of Berthoud will be hosting several special events and contests:

Student Essay Contest – All Berthoud-area students are invited to participate in an essay contest around the theme “If I were Mayor of a day...”. Essays are due by Friday, September 18 and a total of three winners will be chosen (one from grades 1-4, one from grades 5-8 and one from grades 9-12). Entries can be emailed to tbrewster@berthoud.org, dropped off at Berthoud Town Hall, 328 Massachusetts Avenue, or mailed to the following address:

Town of Berthoud
PO Box 1229
Berthoud, CO 80513

Photo Contest – Berthoud residents are welcome to participate in a Cities & Towns Week-themed photo contest by submitting a photo that showcases what makes Berthoud a great place to live. Photos are due by Friday, September 18 and a total of three winners will be chosen. Entries can be emailed to tbrewster@berthoud.org or sent to the Town of Berthoud through a private Facebook message.

Display at the Berthoud Community Library – The Berthoud Community Library, 236 Welch Avenue, will have a special display and collection of books available for viewing to celebrate Berthoud’s history and local government. Residents are invited to visit the display anytime during normal library hours September 14-20.

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“A Day in the life of a Town Clerk” Article – The Berthoud Surveyor will publish a special feature about what it’s like to be a Town Clerk. A reporter will interview the Berthoud Town Clerk, Mary Cowdin, to learn more about her responsibilities.



Colorado Cities & Towns Week is sponsored by the Colorado Municipal League (CML), a non-profit, nonpartisan organization established in 1923 and represents the interest of 268 cities and towns. <http://www.coloradocitiesandtowns.org/>