COMMUNITY CALENDAR

As dates approach for the monthly meetings, please check the Town of Berthoud website at www.berthoud.org where we will post updated information and changes. There will also be information about how to “digitally attend” and provide public comments, until health officials clear us to hold meetings in person. Thank you for your understanding.

JUNE
8 Historical Preservation Advisory Committee 6:30 p.m.
9 Board of Trustees Meeting 6:30 p.m.
11 Planning Commission Meeting 7:00 p.m.
15 Tree Committee Meeting 6:00 p.m.
23 Board of Trustees Meeting 6:30 p.m.
25 Planning Commission Meeting 7:00 p.m.

JULY
1 PORT Committee Meeting 6:00 p.m.
2 Youth Advisory Meeting 6:00 p.m.

JULY 3RD FIREWORKS CELEBRATION

Celebrate the strength and resiliency of our community and our country. While this 4th of July will be different from past celebrations, we are planning a fireworks show to celebrate all that we have been through — from our nation’s independence, to where we are today.

For the show this year, we’ll launch the fireworks higher into the sky so they can be seen from a greater distance – perfect for home viewing! Grab your lawn chair as we light up the night with the best show on the Front Range. And please, be safe and maintain appropriate social distancing.

July 3rd, 2020 • Starting at dusk (at approximately 9:15 p.m.)

Fireworks staging will take place at Waggener Farm. No groups will be allowed to gather on or near the property.

HELP US PLAN THE FUTURE OF BERTHOUD

The Town of Berthoud is in the process of updating our Comprehensive Plan that will help guide the future policies and programs of the Town. With your help, we can develop a community driven Plan that will guide us in trying to create the best possible place to live, work and play.

While we limited initial responses to a random sample of people for statistical purposes, everyone can now participate in taking our online survey and we hope you provide us with your feedback and opinions. We want to hear what EVERYONE has to say about what they want for the future of your community! Visit BerthoudSurvey.org/open or request a paper version by calling (303) 396-1600.

Keep up social distancing and COVID protection folks! As of 5/22, 26 Berthoud residents have tested positive, and the virus is still here. Go to www.Larimer.org to keep up with the stats.
PUBLIC WORKS CONSTRUCTION UPDATE

“A BETTER BUILDING ENVELOPE”

The Town of Berthoud has outgrown our existing Public Works building. This is where we store and maintain our road maintenance, building, snow removal equipment, and more. In the past, our equipment has been stored outside, shortening the lifespan of use. Plus, crews have been making repairs outside in the elements (have you ever tried to fix a snowplow in the middle of a snowstorm?).

The new structure has been designed with great care to meet and exceed the town’s energy code and to serve community needs for many years to come. The “better building envelope” references a highly efficient building that saves both energy and money. It features a double-layered insulated building shell, and nearly airtight exterior wall and roof systems. These factors result in the structure needing much smaller, less expensive heating and cooling systems, and will ultimately save us money in reduced utility bills over its lifetime. The design also works well for future growth, as the building features easy and efficient expansion options.

The Town is especially proud to be constructing the first metal structure of its kind in Colorado to attain an extreme level of energy efficiency using commonly available materials. We look forward to offering tours and more after construction completion this summer.

LOOKING FOR YOUTH FUN AND ENRICHMENT?

Our outstanding Youth Advisory Committee is developing a resource tip-sheet to highlight activities, ideas and programming for youth to do right here in Berthoud. Great hangout spots, events, places to get food, volunteer opportunities, and other resources for youth-related happenings around town will be featured.

Look for the flyers in mid-June at Hays Market, Brick Oven, Town Hall, Berthoud Area Chamber of Commerce and more.

MAKE EVERY DROP COUNT — WATER RESPONSIBLY WHEN WE WATER WISELY, EVERYONE WINS.

Town code states that no irrigation is permitted between the hours of 10:00 am – 6:00 pm. However, if you use micro-irrigation hand watering, soaker hoses or drip irrigation of newly laid sod or newly seeded lawns, you may water at any time. Not only is it your responsibility as a resident of Berthoud, there are other great reasons to follow this code:

• It’s better on your wallet – watering during cooler times of the day reduces evaporation and saves money on your water bill;
• Smart-watering practices reduce runoff and may decrease the need for pesticides and fertilizers;
• You’re helping to conserve water, which is better for our community and for the planet!

If you would like more information about how to water wisely, please visit www.epa.gov/watersense/outdoors.

COMMUNITY STATS

APRIL 2020

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89 PERMITS ISSUED

57 NEW SINGLE-FAMILY HOMES

VALUATION: $10,384,769

SALES TAX COLLECTED

APRIL 2020: $716,103
APRIL 2019: $453,946
YTD 2020: $2,772,218

STAY IN THE KNOW!

Keep current on important community information by visiting our Town website regularly: Berthoud.org

Town E-Newsletter Signup:
Get monthly updates on what is happening here in Berthoud direct to your inbox by signing up at www.Berthoud.org/newsletter

Business Support:
We’re committed to the success of our business community. For more information please visit BerthoudEconomicDevelopment.com

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All community meetings take place in Berthoud Town Hall unless otherwise noted.

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