Recreational and outdoor opportunities are often what attracts and keep people in a community—especially in a state as active as Colorado. With that in mind, we’re excited to announce that the Town of Berthoud has been actively involved in the process of developing The Recreation Center and Parks Master Plans, the crucial next step in developing a connected and cohesive park system for our community.

The five future spaces—Berthoud Town Park, Waggener Farm Park, Richardson Park, Knievel Park and Bein Park—along with the recreation center and outdoor aquatics facility will together provide a huge variety of amenities for all residents and visitors to Berthoud, including children, families, singles and seniors. Spaces to play, recreate and celebrate will all be incorporated. There really will be something for everyone.

After a competitive selection process, Wenk Associates will draft the plans and conduct an extensive community engagement process in order to better understand the needs, values and vision of Berthoud residents. The ultimate plans will be a collaboration of Wenk, the Berthoud community, and Town partners. With the plans that were just announced for the unified trails system and Berthoud Reservoir, Berthoud will continue to live up to its name as an innovative, active and thriving Colorado community, invested in the health and future of its residents.

For more information on The Recreation Center and Parks Master Plans, visit www.berthoud.org/ParksMasterPlan.

SHARE YOUR FEEDBACK ON THE PARKS AND RECREATION MASTER PLANS

There are multiple events in August when you can view the plans and share your feedback.

8/4: Farmer’s Market at Fickel Park  9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
8/15: PORT Committee Meeting  6:15 p.m.
8/22: Board of Trustees meeting  6:30 p.m.
TOP TIPS AND TRICKS FOR SAVING WATER

The increased water demand during the summer months takes a toll on the Town, its residents and the environment.

Conserve water (and money) with these top water-saving tips:

• Don’t water or run irrigation systems between the hours of 10 a.m. and 6 p.m. Instead, aim for watering at dawn or dusk.
• Don’t overwater. Giving your lawn or garden too much water can be just as bad for it as not giving it enough.
• Minimize runoff by allowing for soak-time between short water cycles. For instance, water for 5 minutes, wait an hour, then water for 5 more minutes.
• Only run irrigation systems once a day.
• Avoid watering on windy days when the sprinkler is less effective.
• Set your lawnmower to the highest setting. Longer grass will keep the ground cooler and retain more water.

PEDESTRIAN SAFETY & NEW CROSSWALK

Starting this month our kids are back in school and this means an increase in the pedestrian traffic, especially during school hours. We know Berthoud residents value pedestrian safety, and that’s why we’re installing our new rapid flashing crosswalk beacon on Mountain Ave, just in time for the new school year.

Help keep Berthoud safe by following these tips:

• Follow the posted speed limits
• Stop for Crossing Guards
• Always yield to pedestrians in the new rapid flashing crosswalk

WASTEWATER LINE MAINTENANCE

The Town has contracted with Ramey Environmental to clean our wastewater lines. Expect to see crews in alleys, roads, behind your homes, and around Town as they complete their work.

COMMUNITY STATS – JUNE 2018

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VALUATION: $5,598,629

SALES TAX COLLECTED

| JUNE 2018 | $270,938 |
| JUNE 2017 | $225,716 |

SALES TAX YTD 2018

$1,918,079

750 SAFETY CALLS

| ANIMAL CALLS | 26 |
| CITIZEN ASSISTS | 30 |
| CODE VIOLATION | 6 |
| TRAFFIC STOPS | 99 |
| VEHICLE CRASHES | 6 |

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The Town Board meets on the second and fourth Tuesday of the month at 6:30 p.m. in Berthoud Town Hall at 807 Mountain Ave. The public is welcome to attend. Meeting agendas and minutes are available online: berthoud.org/government/trustee-docs.