



# LARKSPUR NEWS

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## FROM MAYOR GERRY BEEN

Consider running for one of the Town Council seats! While we will miss the members leaving, we know the town has many dedicated and knowledgeable individuals who would be an asset to the Council. We need your support!!

### COUNCIL MEETING DATES IN FEBRUARY

Regular Council Meeting, February 1, 2018, @ 6:00 pm @ Town Hall  
 Planning Commission Meeting, February 12, 2018, 2:00 pm @ Annex  
 Parks & Rec Board Meeting, February 13, 2018 @ Town Hall  
 Regular Council Meeting, February 15, 2018, @ 6:00 pm @ New Covenant Church  
 Planning Commission Meeting, February 26, 2018, 2:00 pm @ Annex

Deborah Moore and Jesse Trueblood will no longer be accepting any scrap metal or refuse of any kind to be stored on their property.

## Town of Larkspur Municipal Election April 3, 2018

The Election will consist of electing Three Council Members. Two Members are term limited (Mayor Pro-Tem Matias Cumsille and Sandy McKeown) and one incumbent (Jeremiah Holmes). Nominating Petitions are available at Town Hall, 8720 Spruce Mountain Road, Larkspur. CO 80118 and are to be returned not later than 4:30 p.m. on February 8<sup>th</sup>, 2018. This will be a Mail-In Ballot only. Get registered and VOTE! If you have any questions please call Town Hall at 303-681-2324.

## SAVE THE DATE:

The Colorado Department of Transportation (CDOT) will be presenting a briefing on the I-25 GAP Interstate Highway Expansion Project to the Town Council on Thursday, **FEBRUARY 15<sup>th</sup>, 6 P.M., at NEW COVENANT CHURCH**. Following questions from the Council there will be a limited public question and answer period with CDOT. The Council passed a Resolution (18-05) at its last meeting on January 18<sup>th</sup> opposing the use of toll lanes in expanding the interstate highway. **This is your opportunity to let your voice be heard regarding this Project and its impact on you and the Larkspur area.**

## Council Meeting Motions & Votes, January 18, 2018

Present: Mayor Gerry Been, Mayor Pro-Tem Matias Cumsille, Heather Sanchez, Isaac Levy, Jeremiah Holmes, Jennell Waggle and Sandy McKeown

### Council Meeting

- Motion to approve Regular Council Meeting minutes for December 21, 2017. Passed 6/0/1.
- Motion to approve payment of General Fund bills in the amount of \$22,037.40. Passed 7/0/0.
- Motion to approve payment of Water & Sewer Fund bills in the amount of \$16,452.06. Passed 7/0/0.
- Motion to approve Resolution 18-01, A RESOLUTION INCREASING THE FEE REIMBURSEMENT TO EMPLOYEES FOR HEALTH CARE FROM \$350 TO \$400 PER MONTH. Passed 7/0/0.
- Motion to approve Resolution 18-02, A RESOLUTION TRANSFERRING SUMS OF MONEY TO DEFRAY EXPENSES WITHIN THE 2018 AMOUNTS BUDGETED FOR THE TOWN OF LARKSPUR, COLORADO. Passed 7/0/0.
- Motion to approve Resolution 18-04, A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AND PROVIDING FOR THE INCURRENCE OF INDEBTEDNESS FOR THE PURPOSE OF PROVIDING A PORTION OF THE COST OF CONSTRUCTING A NEW WATER TREATMENT PLANT. Passed 7/0/0.
- Motion to approve Resolution 18-05, A RESOLUTION OF THE LARKSPUR TOWN COUNCIL OPPOSING THE USE OF TOLL LANES IN EXPANDING INTERSTATE HIGHWAY I-25. Passed 7/0/0.
- Motion to approve Ordinance 9.07, AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE SALE BY THE TOWN OF LARKSPUR TO OFF THE CHAIN 2, LLC OF PROPERTY IDENTIFIED AS PARCEL C-2 OF LOT 4 OF DOUGLAS VALLEY ESTATES. Passed 7/0/0.
- Motion to approve the Larkspur Travel Center site plan with conditions as recommended by the Planning Commission. Passed 7/0/0.
- Motion to recognize Danna Hamling by proclamation on her retirement from the Larkspur Historical Society with a plaque to be presented at the February 1, 2018 Town Council meeting. Passed 7/0/0.
- Motion to approve \$250 to be given to the Douglas County Fallen Officers Fund in memory of Deputy Zachari Parrish. Passed 7/0/0.
- Motion to adjourn the Council Meeting. Passed 7/0/0.

## VISION STATEMENT

*Larkspur, a small, friendly town. A town that works together by:*

Fostering a Government of Integrity that Responds to its People,

### **Directing**

Future Growth within

Larkspur's small Town Values,

### **Providing**

Community Facilities and Activities for all ages and,

### **Preserving the**

Natural Environment that is unique to the Larkspur area.



# Consumer Advisory

## Do Your Homework before Buying a Salvage Vehicle

Given the extent of damage to cars and trucks following the 2017 hurricane season, there will likely be a high volume of salvage vehicles on the market for the foreseeable future. A salvage vehicle is a car or truck that has been deemed a total loss, or as defined by the Colorado Department of Motor Vehicles, *a car with a cost of repair that exceeds fair retail value after it has been damaged due to collision, fire, flood, accident, trespass; and other occurrences, excluding hail storms.* The insurance company determines the degree of damage when a claim is made.

It is important to know the laws in Colorado before such vehicles can be put up for sale "as is"; and/or restored and safely put back on the road. Establishing the worth of a salvage vehicle also requires some research, since Blue book values don't apply. If you are considering buying a salvage vehicle, understand what is required by law, and how to protect yourself against buyer's remorse, or fraud. Laws vary by state.

### Before buying a salvage vehicle:

Get a vehicle history report. These reports can be obtained by entering the car's VIN on sites such as: [www.carfax.com](http://www.carfax.com) or [www.DMV.org](http://www.DMV.org). The history report will indicate prior accident and flood damage, vehicle liens, possible odometer tampering etc., as well as if a salvage vehicle title has been issued to the owner, as is required by law.

Bring a mechanic along to inspect the vehicle. An inspection will help determine its overall worth and dependability, especially if there is evidence of flood damage such as rust, mold and sand.

Get insurance quotes and research financing options in advance, since both can be difficult, or costly to obtain on a salvage vehicle.

Take note that buying a salvage vehicle sight unseen, such as online, poses undue risks.

### After purchase:

New owners have 60 days from the date of purchase to transfer or to obtain a salvage certificate of title in their name.

Regardless if the restoration occurred before or after the sale, new owners must also obtain a "Rebuilt from Salvage" title and place a ¼" stamp that states REBUILT FROM SALVAGE in the upper left-hand corner of the driver side door jamb. Application forms are available at any Colorado Division of Motor Vehicle (DMV) office. Prior to applying, the vehicle requires an inspection by a state certified mechanic, the Bill of Sale, and other documents before final steps can

be taken to register the car. For more information, go to [www.Rebuilttitle.org](http://www.Rebuilttitle.org) or [www.DMW.org](http://www.DMW.org)

## DA – 18<sup>th</sup> Consumer Protection Line: 720-874-8547

To Our Larkspur Community:

Please extend a rousing thanks to our Christmas Tree Lighting Festival sponsors who were the catalyst to the success of our festival this past December. You all are a blessing to our community.

We would encourage all-of-us, as a community, to support these businesses and non-profits going forward. Each sponsor is listed below here.

Pet/Home Sitting	Grass Roots Outdoor Svcs	Home Smart Cherry Creek
In Memory of Gary Montgomery	3Design Renovations, LLC	Larkspur Pizzeria
Abbe Hills Animal Hospital	Corner Market	Furniture Ranch
Larkspur Studio 101	Stacey James Photography	Legal Shield
Snow Auto Glass	Pineland Dental	Nordstrom Builders
Mystic Mountain Distillery	In Memory of Preston Mobley	In Memory of Apollo
Hops & Vines	Larkspur Volunteer Fire Aux.	Girl Scouts Troops 16302, 3258, 661
Fischer Enterprises	Edward Jones	In Memory of Michael C. Roman
Keller Williams	Larkspur Cadette Girl Scouts	Lankiewicz, Taub
1 Stop Tire & Auto	Troop 370	The Blended Generations-Mross,
LES Bobcat Kids	Perry Park East HOA	Craig, Kerry,
Hart Concrete	STANMARK Electric	
Larkspur Elementary School (LES)	Shannon Harp Photography	
John & Dianna Lechner	New Covenant Church	
Larkspur Fire Protection District	Larkspur Volunteer Fire Aux.	
Larkspur Historical Society	Team Lacey	
Jellystone Campground	Larkspur Pet Hospital	
MR Hauling	Larkspur Outdoor Maintenance	
Douglas County Veterans	Spruce Mountain Steel	

As we now wish our community a very happy and safe 2018, we begin our preparations for our next event, the "Music in the Park" concert series, beginning Friday June 8.

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## 2018 Fire Season is Coming

### Save the Date

#### Community Wildfire Preparedness Workshop

Free and open to the public

**When: Saturday, April 14, 2018 - 9:00 am - 1:00 pm**

Weather reschedule date: Saturday, April 21, 2018

**Where: Station 161 @ 9414 S. Spruce Mtn. Rd., Larkspur**

