



# LARKSPUR NEWS

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## FROM MAYOR GERRY BEEN

Thank you all for your support of Music in the Park! We hope to have another great year in 2019 and please join us at the Arts & Crafts Festival on Saturday and Sunday, September 15-16, 2018.

### COUNCIL MEETING DATES IN SEPTEMBER

Public Hearing to be followed by Regular Council Meeting, September 6, 2018, 6:00 pm @ Town Hall  
 Planning Commission Meeting, September 10, 2018, 6:00 pm @ Town Hall  
 Parks & Recreation Board Meeting, September 11, 2018, 4:30 pm at Town Hall  
 Regular Council Meeting, September 20, 2018, 6:00 pm @ Town Hall  
 Planning Commission Meeting, September 24, 2018, 6:00 pm @ Town Hall

We would like to introduce Karen Jackson, our new Accounting Manager. Karen comes to us from Gray's Lake, Illinois. She graduated from Metro State College in Denver, Colorado, and has 15+ years of accounting and managerial experience in the Parks and Recreation area. Karen and her husband live in the Castle Rock area and have two grown daughters. Karen comes to us well recommended and we are pleased to have her on our staff.

To help DC families that need back-to-school help.

[https://www.douglas.co.us/back-school-supplies-douglas-county-families-need/?utm\\_source=Douglas+County+Government+-+Colorado&utm\\_campaign=2cfce981e4-EMAIL\\_CAMPAIGN\\_2018\\_07\\_16\\_02\\_35&utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_term=0\\_4eb7e5e3bd-2cfce981e4-69726977](https://www.douglas.co.us/back-school-supplies-douglas-county-families-need/?utm_source=Douglas+County+Government+-+Colorado&utm_campaign=2cfce981e4-EMAIL_CAMPAIGN_2018_07_16_02_35&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_4eb7e5e3bd-2cfce981e4-69726977)

## Council Meeting Motions & Votes, August 2, 2018

Present: Mayor Pro-Tem Jeremiah Holmes, Heather Sanchez, Tabitha Parks, and Paul Bowers

- Motion to approve Regular Council Meeting minutes for July 19, 2018. Passed 4-0-0.
- Motion to appoint Gary Abel to the Town Planning Commission as an alternate member for a two (2) year term beginning August 2, 2018 subject to verification of address. Passed 4-0-0.
- Motion to appoint Marvin Cardenas as Chairperson/Secretary of the Town Planning Commission effective immediately and allowing transcription of minutes to be made by Shannon Buss from meeting recording. Passed 4-0-0.
- Motion to reinstate the Town's Water and Sewer Board and advertise for open positions. Passed 4-0-0.
- Motion to install two stop signs, one Northbound and one Southbound, on Spruce Mountain Road at the entrance to the Larkspur Station Mobile Home Park. Passed 4-0-0.
- Motion to approve Resolution 18-12, A RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING COLORADO CITIES & TOWNS WEEK, SEPTEMBER 10-16, 2018, AND ENCOURAGING ALL CITIZENS TO SUPPORT THE CELEBRATION AND CORRESPONDING ACTIVITIES. Passed 4-0-0.
- Motion to adjourn the Council Meeting. Passed 4-0-0.

## Council Meeting Motions & Votes, August 16, 2018

Present: Mayor Pro-Tem Jeremiah Holmes, Heather Sanchez, Paul Bowers, Jennell Waggle and Isaac Levy

- Motion to approve Regular Council Meeting minutes for August 2, 2018. Passed 5-0-0.
- Motion to approve payment of General Fund bills in the amount of \$57,239.38. Passed 5-0-0.
- Motion to approve payment of bills for Water and Sewer expenditures totaling \$23,770.10. Passed 5-0-0.
- Motion to set a Public Hearing for a proposed subdivision of property owned by Office Space Investors (OSI) for a parcel of land to be donated to the Town for use in completion of the Larkspur Front Range Trail. The Public Hearing is scheduled for September 6<sup>th</sup> at Town Hall beginning at 6 p.m. to be followed by the Regular Council Meeting. Passed 5-0-0.
- Motion to approve a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) regarding the Douglas County Sub-regional Transportation Forum by and among the Town of Larkspur, City of Aurora, City of Castle Pines, City of Littleton, City of Lone Tree, Town of Castle Rock, Town of Parker, and Douglas County. The MOU allows the Town of Larkspur to participate in sub-regional committees and to be eligible for Denver Regional Council of Governments (DRCOG) Transportation Improvement Projects (TIP) funding. Passed 5-0-0.
- Motion to adjourn the Council Meeting. Passed 5-0-0.

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## September 8, 2018 FLAG RETIREMENT CEREMONY

Please use our Flag drop-off box to assure your flag will be retired honorably.

The ceremony will be held in the Town Park at approximately 12:00 noon.

## 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.

LOCAL **80118** VETERANS APPRECIATION EVENT

SEPTEMBER 8, 2018  
LARKSPUR TOWN PARK  
11:00 AM TO 4:00 PM  
RSVP: [TONYPERCONTI@MSN.COM](mailto:TONYPERCONTI@MSN.COM)

IMPORTANT EMERGENCY MESSAGES

The Douglas County Sheriff's office uses Twitter to send out emergency messages. If you want to receive this information from the sheriff's office, you will need to set up a Twitter account.

If you want to listen to the scanner for Douglas County fire calls, you can set up this link as a favorite. It times out, so you have to keep hitting play.

<https://www.broadcastify.com/listen/feed/7356/web>

Since a fire has already hit close to the Town limits, this website might be of use for planning in the event of evacuation.

<https://www.douglas.co.us/documents/disaster-preparedness-guide.pdf>

Here is information to sign up for Douglas County Sherriff emergency notification via reverse calls by CodeRed: <https://public.coderedweb.com/cne/en-US/84B13CCD6B41>

SAVE THE DATE: OCTOBER 3, 2018, 9:30 A.M. AT THE PACE  
CENTER IN PARKER, COLORADO

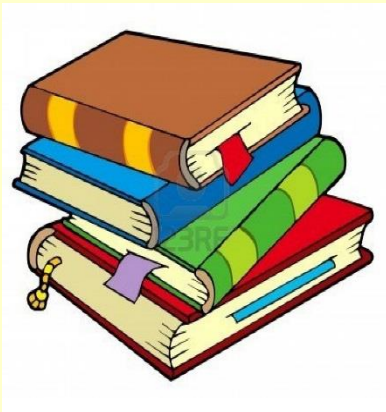
The Douglas County Senior Council will be sponsoring a Senior Housing Forum to advise and discuss the options that are available to seniors who want to stay in their present homes or move to a different place. The Forum will be open-table discussions addressing individual circumstances, with a panel of experts experienced in all facets of senior living. The Forum is free and informational handouts will be available for all attendees to assist in research and planning.

September 10<sup>th</sup> to 16<sup>th</sup>, is the annual Colorado Municipal League's "Cities & Towns Week". This week-long celebration is to recognize all the things your municipal government, employees and volunteers do for you every day.

On September 12<sup>th</sup>, from 2 to 4 PM at the large shelter in the Town Park, we are hosting an ice cream social for all Town residents, business owners and their employees. Please join us to meet your Town staff and to learn of the services we provide to you.

This year we want to recognize Sharon Roman, Deputy Town Clerk. Sharon is your longest tenured Town employee. She has worked for the Town since January 21, 2006. Many thanks to Sharon for her many years of dedicated service to the Town.

We also want to spotlight our wonderful volunteers who started, run, and manage the Larkspur Free Library, aka the Larkspur Book Exchange. Annually, Cindy Cramer and Krystine Cramer provide over 700 hours of service to the Town, staffing the Larkspur Free Library, which in turn saves the Town over \$17,000.00 per year.



The Warrior Dash will be held at the Renaissance Property September 15, 2018, at 8:00 am to 5:00 pm.

The Tour de Cure will have about 100 bicyclists passing through Larkspur on September 8, 2018. It is a fund raiser for American Diabetes. There will be no stations for resting scheduled, they will just be passing through Town.