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THE NOVEMBER 3, 2009 COORDINATED ELECTION WILL BE A MAIL BALLOT ELECTION!

IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

October 27, 2009: Last day to request a Mail Ballot to be mailed.

October 30, 2009: Last day to apply for a "Carried" Mail Ballot. Request for Ballot must be in person at the County Clerk's Office.

November 3, 2009 ELECTION DAY.

ALL BALLOTS MUST BE RECEIVED BY 7 P.M.

• If your mailing address is your residential address, this is where the ballot will be mailed.

• If you will be at an address other than your mailing or residential address during this election, you may request, in writing, a mail ballot sent to another address. If you have any questions, or would like information, please contact:

Election Division, Routt County Clerk & Recorder
522 Lincoln Ave, Box 773598, Steamboat Springs, CO. 80477
Election Office: (970) 870 - 5558 • Fax: (970) 870 - 5443
www.co.routt.co.us/clerk

Routt County Mail Ballot Drop Off Locations will be available until 3:00pm on October 30th, 2009, located at:

- Clark Store, 54175 County Rd 129 - Clark, CO
- Hayden Town Hall, 178 W. Jefferson Ave - Hayden, CO
- Oak Creek Town Hall, 129 Nancy Crawford Blvd - Oak Creek, CO
- Yampa Town Hall, 56 Lincoln St. - Yampa, CO

Ballots may be dropped off until 7:00pm on November 3, 2009 at: Routt County Clerk & Records Office, 522 Lincoln Avenue Steamboat Springs, CO.

ENTERPRISE ZONE PROGRAM EXPIRES JANUARY 1, 2010

At its meeting on August 18, 2009, City Council determined that the Enterprise Zone program succeeded in its intent to encourage new businesses and expansion of businesses in the designated industrial enterprise zone, and City Council unanimously voted to allow the program to expire on January 1, 2010, as originally intended.

As of January 1, 2010, the Enterprise Zone exemption from City Sales and Use Tax is discontinued.

The discontinuance of this exemption includes but is not limited to: Supplies, building materials, parts, equipment, machinery, machine tools, trucks, automobiles, construction machinery, construction equipment and utilities including electric, gas, and telephone services.

Please contact Rachelle Summers in the City of Steamboat Springs Finance Department at 871-8247 if you have any questions.

GET INVOLVED!

The citizens of Steamboat Springs are invited to apply to serve on the following Boards, Commissions and Committee's:

Planning Commission (2 positions)

Steamboat Springs Golf Committee (3 positions)

Application Deadline is November 5, 2009

Applications are available at City Hall located at 137 10th Street or on the City's website at www.steamboatsprings.net

For more information contact: Julie Franklin, City Clerk
(970)871-8248 or jfranklin@steamboatsprings.net.



Haymaker Golf Course will be closing for the 2009 season. Last day of operations will be Sunday, November 1st. Thanks for a great year!

City Meetings Calendar

October

28 Parks and Recreation Commission Meeting, Community Center, 5:30 pm

Early November

2 Steamboat Springs Rural Fire Protection District Meeting, Room 113/114, 5:00 pm

3 City Council Meeting, 5:00 pm

5 Historic Preservation Commission, 4:00 pm

11 Parks and Recreation Commission Meeting, Community Center, 5:30 pm

12 Planning Commission Meeting, 6:00 pm

All meetings are held in Centennial Hall, Citizens' Meeting Room, unless otherwise noted.

For more information, call the Office of the City Clerk, 879-2060.

You may listen to City Council and Planning Commission meetings on your phone by calling 871-7070. • This service is provided to the first 50 callers. You may also listen to City Council meetings on cable channel 6.

Looking for a City Council or Planning Commission agenda?

They are available on the City's website: www.steamboatsprings.net.

PLANNERS' PLAT

Department of Planning and Community Development

Did you know that in order to provide the best possible customer service, the Department of Planning and Community Development has a Planner of the Day to assist anyone calling or stopping in with questions about development and/or land use policy. Please feel free to stop by and chat with our Planner of the Day!

Info: http://steamboatsprings.net/departments/planning_department

Hours: Monday - Thursday, 7:30 AM - 5:30 PM • Contact: 970.871.8258

Attention All Contractors and Homebuilders: Schedule Your Inspections Now!

If you are anticipating needing permanent power, certificate of occupancy (CO) or water and/or sewer service during the winter months, schedule your project so that your grading/drainage improvements and utility installations are complete and inspected before November 1. Don't get caught by the snow - it's coming!

- To schedule a Right-of-Way Inspection call 871-8210. Please leave your name, site address and building permit number. We will also need to know where the approved building permit plans are kept on-site. Inspections are not conducted between November 1 and April 1 due to snow restricting visibility of site conditions.
- To schedule a Water and/or Sewer Inspection call 871-8207. No water and/or sewer work can be performed from November 1 - May 1.
- To apply for an Excavation Permit call 879-1807. In order to protect the City's infrastructure from damage over the winter months, excavation in the public right-of-way is prohibited from November 1 - May 1. You will need a variance approved by the Public Works Director if you need to excavate during snow season.
- Also don't forget that all construction dumpsters, port-o-johns, material piles, etc. must be out of the ROW prior to November 1!

CITY HOSTS DESIGN WORKSHOP FOR DOWNTOWN STEAMBOAT SPRINGS

The City invites you to attend a Design Workshop on Monday, November 2nd from 5:30 pm to 7:00 pm at Centennial Hall, 124 10th Street in Steamboat Springs. Learn about compatible design in the downtown commercial core. The team of Dennis Humphries of Humphries Poli Architects and Urban Designer Ron Straka both of Denver will lead the workshop. For more information call the Historic Preservation Division at 871-8258. All are welcome to attend. No RSVP necessary and snacks will be provided.

Winter PARKING RESTRICTIONS

Parking problems are compounded by winter snow, which accumulates fast with each storm. In order to expedite snow removal efforts, parking is prohibited on City streets and shoulders during the following hours from November 1 through April 30.

Location	Restricted Hours
Lincoln Avenue:	3 a.m. to 6 a.m.
Ski Time Square:	3 a.m. to 6 a.m.
Anglers Drive area And south to city limits:	Midnight to 8 a.m.
All Other Areas:	2 a.m. to 8 a.m.

Your vehicle may be ticketed if left on City streets within the restricted hours or towed during snowplow operations within the restricted hours.

The City welcomes your comments, requests and suggestions.

Call 871-7079, or email us at pal@steamboatsprings.net