



City Seasonal Housing Cuts Commute & Welcomes Workers

September 30 Event Celebrates New Option for City Seasonal Employees

Steamboat Springs, Colorado-September 22, 2025-More than 75% of workers in the United States commute daily to their jobs and this winter Steamboat Springs Transit (SST) seasonal drivers' journey to the office will get easier and a whole lot closer with the construction of the new seasonal housing project for the city.

"Housing is a major advantage in attracting seasonal employees, especially in winter," said Transit Manager Jonathan Flint. "This project helps SST stand out from other transit systems and makes joining our team the preferred choice."

The city will celebrate the project with an afternoon ribbon cutting ceremony featuring Steamboat Springs City Councilors, city staff and the construction, design and architect teams.

The event will take place at the Steamboat Springs Transit facility (1463 13th St) starting at 1:30pm on Tuesday, September 30. Brief comments will precede the ceremonial moving of the bus and facility tours.



The nearly 9,000 square-foot dormitory style housing facility consists of two floors housing 32 people in 16 bedrooms (double occupancy). Each floor has a shared kitchen, lounge, quiet room, and storage.

"Housing is a key component in attracting qualified candidates to mountain communities like Steamboat Springs," said Deputy City Manager Kelly Romero-Heaney. "The city continues to explore opportunities to address the challenge that housing is causing in recruiting."

Before this project, SST rented private units for more than a decade to house seasonal staff. The new facility is anticipated to be utilized by SST seasonal staff in the winter and available spaces during the summer will be offered to Parks & Recreation seasonal employees.

Several local companies worked to make this project a reality. HLCC served as the general contractor with Eric Smith & Associates as the architect, and Landmark Consultants as the civil engineering firm. The project is slated to welcome the first occupants later this week ahead of the winter seasonal season.

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