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2021

## COMMUNITY CALENDAR

### NOVEMBER

- 1 Board of Trustees Meeting
- 8 PCDC Meeting
- 15 Board of Trustees Meeting
- 22 PCDC Meeting
- 25/26 Thanksgiving Holiday - Town Hall Closure

### DECEMBER

- 6 Board of Trustees Meeting
- 13 PCDC Meeting
- 20 Board of Trustees Meeting
- 24 Christmas Holiday - Town Hall Closure
- 31 New Year's Holiday - Town Hall Closure

Register online for rec programs  
[www.townoflyons.com/rec](http://www.townoflyons.com/rec)



## BOT MEETINGS

The Board of Trustees meetings are held on the first and third Monday of each month at 7 pm, unless it is a holiday. The public is always welcome.



## LYONS THRIVE COMPREHENSIVE PLAN

Why do you like living in Lyons?  
How easy is it to get around Lyons?  
What would you like to see change in the future?

The Town of Lyons is updating the Comprehensive Plan with the help of Clarion Associates. Your input and opinions will help to guide LyonsThrive, which is the update to the Lyons Comprehensive Plan. Weigh-in and share your opinion by completing [the survey](#).

Visit [LyonsThrive.com](http://LyonsThrive.com) for information and to give your opinion. Thank you!

## SECURE AND CONVENIENT

GO GREEN LYONS! The Town of Lyons has an online payment system that is both secure and convenient.

Do your part to help reduce material costs and staff time by signing up for online billing and payment. It's secure, safe and convenient. Sign up today! [www.townoflyons.com/onlinebilling](http://www.townoflyons.com/onlinebilling)



## HAPPY THANKSGIVING

So much to be grateful for in Lyons!  
As a reminder, school will be off the week of November 22 - 26.

Town Hall will be closed on Thursday and Friday, November 25 and 26.



## CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS

### Longs Peak Drive Sewer and Waterline Replacement

This project will involve new water and sewer lines the entire length of Longs Peak Drive as well as replacement of the asphalt.

### Improvements to State Highway 7

A full closure of Highway 7 between miles 23 and 29.5 goes through May 2022. The road will be open daily from 6 - 8 am and 4 - 7 pm with pilot cars leading alternating one-way travel.

### Longmont Water Line

Did you know Lyons gets its drinking water from Longmont? The City of Longmont is making improvements to their water line in Lyons, which will involve night work along 5th Ave near Town Hall in Lyons. The timing of the night work is dependent on when material is delivered. We will update those residents nearby as the date firms up. This project has equipment staged in the public parking lot on Railroad Ave.

### Welch Ct Sewer Line Replacement

The sewer line from the end of Welch Ct to 2nd Ave & Cobblestone Ct will be replaced. This includes replacing a manhole in the middle of 2nd Ave at Cobblestone Ct.

### 1st Ave Water Line

A new water line is scheduled to be installed at the intersection of 2nd Ave., 1st Ave., and Mountain View. This will allow 1st Ave. to receive higher pressure water flows for fire prevention.

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## 2021 PARADE OF LIGHTS

**Mark your calendars Lyons!** The 2021 Holiday Artisan Market and Parade of Lights is scheduled for December 4th and December 5th.

The Holiday Artisan Market will be held at the Lyons Elementary School on both Saturday and Sunday, December 4 and 5 from 10 am - 4 pm.

The parade and fireworks show are planned to take place on Saturday evening, December 4th. If you are entering the parade this year, please visit [www.townoflyons.com/holidays](http://www.townoflyons.com/holidays) for a parade entry form.

If you would like to sponsor the event or make a donation, there is a link to the sponsorship form online.

[www.townoflyons.com/holidays](http://www.townoflyons.com/holidays)

If you know creative kids who would like to sell their wares, they may sign up for a 2 hour time slot at the Artisan Market to sell their handmade goods. Children under 12 years old must be accompanied by an adult.

If you have any questions, please call 303-823-8250 or email [iramsey@townoflyons.com](mailto:iramsey@townoflyons.com)



## RV PARKING ORDINANCE

Effective January 18, 2022, recreation vehicles, watercraft and trailers in excess of 20 feet in length excluding hitches and tongues, may not be parked on town streets or right-of-way for periods longer than 72 hours. This ordinance was passed by the Board of Trustees last January with an effective date of January 18, 2022.



## BE A GOOD NEIGHBOR

With winter upon us, remember commercial and residential sidewalks are required to be cleared within 24 hours after a snowstorm.



## LOW-INCOME ENERGY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

The Low-income Energy Assistance Program (LEAP) helps people pay their home heating bills in the winter months.

The LEAP program operates November 1 through April 30. Income limits have increased this year to open the program up to more Coloradans.

Learn more about the LEAP Program visit Colorado's Dept of Human Services. <https://cdhs.colorado.gov/leap>



## FALL CLEAN UP TIPS

As the leaves begin to fall, remember to be a courteous neighbor and remove leaves from your property. Please do not blow or rake leaves into the streets. This can clog street drains, which compromises the Town's stormwater system.

Mulch your leaves. Add a layer of leaves to your garden beds to add protection from the cold, wet weather and you'll have healthier plants in the springtime.



## FALL BACKWARDS

Don't forget to "fall backwards" and set your clock back an hour, Sunday, November 7 at 2:00 am. It may be best to set the clock back when you go to sleep on Saturday night, November 6.



## LOCAL SALES TAXES

Sales taxes for the first seven months of the year are up 31%, \$256,250 more than the same period for 2020.



## NOVEMBER RECREATION

The holidays are approaching along with some festive recreation programs. We have a bus trip to the Candlelight Dinner Theater for seniors, a Knit a Christmas Stocking class for adults, the Holiday Artisan Market, and Ice Skating Lessons for kids and adults all starting soon. Some programs have fast approaching registration deadlines so don't delay, sign up today.

More details on all programs and COVID-19 safety precautions at: [townoflyons.com/recreation](http://townoflyons.com/recreation)

## HOLIDAY GIVING DRIVE

You can help ensure every neighbor enjoys holiday meals and a comfortable season, by donating non-perishable food, toiletries, or funds to the Holiday Giving Drive. The Holiday Giving Drive is a collaboration between the Town of Lyons and the Lyons Emergency Assistance Fund (LEAF), to provide hope and a spirit of community this holiday season.

Donations of non-perishable food, toiletries and funds can be dropped off in the Cookie Monster Donation Bin, located in the front office of Town Hall, during normal office hours (Mon – Fri, 8AM to 4:30PM). The donations will be collected and distributed by LEAF.

If you'd like to learn more about supporting or seeking assistance from LEAF, visit [leaflyons.org](http://leaflyons.org).

