

Town of Keenesburg

Newsletter



May 2021

Upcoming Meeting Schedule

Meetings are being held at 140 S Main Street, virtually & by telephone. The virtual and call-in information is available on the Town's Website.

- Monday, May 3, Board of Trustees, 6:00 PM
- Thursday, May 6, Planning Commission, 6:00 PM
- Monday, May 10, Finance Meeting, 3:30 PM
- Monday, May 17, Board of Trustees, 6:00 PM
- Thursday, June 3, Planning Commission, 6:00 PM
- Monday, June 7, Board Meeting, 6:00 PM

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Town Hall will be Closed May 31 in Observance of Memorial Day

Tornado Siren Testing Please be aware that the Southeast Weld Fire will be conducting a tornado siren test on Monday, May 10 at 12:00 PM for the Town of Keenesburg.

Employment Opportunity The Town of Keenesburg is seeking a full-time public works employee. Experience with water, wastewater, streets, parks, and equipment maintenance is desirable, one must be able to operate/learn to operate a variety of equipment. A valid driver's license and self-motivation are a must. Compensation \$18.00-\$25.00 per hour to be determined based upon experience and qualifications. Complete job description and employment applications may be obtained on our website www.townofkeenesburg.com and may be submitted via email to tokhr@rtebb.net, fax 303-732-0599, in person at 91 W Broadway Avenue, Keenesburg, CO 80643, or by mail at Town of Keenesburg, Attn: Human Resources, P.O. Box 312, Keenesburg, CO 80643. Applications must be received by 4:00 p.m., Friday, May 14, 2021. Please include a resume and cover letter with your application. The Town of Keenesburg is an equal opportunity employer.

Planning Commission Vacancy If you would like to have a great role in your community, the Town has an opening on the Planning Commission. The Planning Commission is an advisory board that hears all land use applications which contributes to the future vision of Keenesburg. Please submit your letter of interest at Town Hall, 91 W Broadway Avenue, or email to tokpz@rtebb.net.

Event Schedule

- **Shred-it:** June 2, 2021, Town Hall, 91 W Broadway Avenue. The Town extends this opportunity for its citizens to shred any unwanted personal documents. The fee will be \$7.00 per box (banker's size box). **All items must be dropped off at Town Hall by 4 PM, Tuesday, June 1, 2021.**
- **Town Clean Up:** Friday, June 4, 12 PM - 6 PM & Saturday, June 5, 8 AM - 5 PM, at the Town Shop, 400 Lambert Street; with unlimited trips! This service is offered to

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townofkeenesburg.com

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720-652-4222

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Records: 303-659-1395

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residents within town limits. **You must have your water/sewer bill for proof of residency.** The Town cannot accept TV's, tires, household garbage, or hazardous waste materials. All loads must be covered.

- Town-Wide Garage Sale, September 17-19, 2021
- Town Clean Up: October 8 & 9, 2021, Town Shop

Keenesburg Library Opening Soon Take a Sneak Peek inside your new Library! Thursday, May 8, 10 AM - 12 PM. There will be no check outs or computer usage available.

Dog License The Keenesburg Municipal Code 7-6-20 states all dogs within town limits must be licensed. All dog licenses will expire May 31, 2021, at which time *everyone* is required to renew. In order to license your dog, you must provide proof of rabies, distemper and parvo vaccinations, it is \$5 per dog, with a maximum of three dogs. Please contact Town Hall to license your dog(s).

Sewer Rate Calculation The Town will be calculating sewer rates in April which will go into effect on July 1st; which is based on your average water usage for the months of December, January and February. We will begin sending these notices out in May.

Code Enforcement BUILDING BETTER NEIGHBORHOODS THROUGH DEDICATED SERVICE

Code Enforcement promotes and maintains a safe and desirable community consistent with health and safety regulations, and provides residents with sustainable property values and a lower crime rate. This is done by assisting residents and property owners to be in compliance with the Town codes in a friendly, fair, and impartial manner. That being said, summer is just around the corner. We all know what that means, yard work! As unpleasant as it can be at times, Spring can be a good time to prepare our equipment for the task. Overgrown lawn/weeds are just one area that can lead to code violations. Being prepared now for the upcoming season may reduce the chances of violations. Other items that may lead to violations are inoperable/unlicensed vehicles, (on private property or street), trash/rubbish in yard, and RVs parked in the street. Code Enforcement is asking for your cooperation in addressing these typical code violations. We are here to help you become compliant with the Town Codes and welcome any questions you may have. If you are unsure about whether you may have a code violation or not, please feel free to contact us so we can assist you in the best way to mitigate the problem.

Hudson Public Library Brought to you by WOW! Words on Wheels. Meet us at Schey Park to pick up your holds. Upcoming schedule: May 6 & 27, 11:30-12:30. Visit our website: www.thehudsonpubliclibrary.org. If you are interested in this service, call 303-536-4550.

Keenesburg's Transportation Plan Begins

Keenesburg's first-ever Transportation Plan is starting this Spring! Town staff, in partnership with a transportation planning and engineering consulting firm, will take the first steps to create the Town's transportation plan, including analyzing data and gathering community input to understand the existing and future conditions of transportation and mobility in Keenesburg. The project team will consider existing land uses and planned developments, traffic operations, safety, access, mobility, and connectivity of all transportation modes such as walking, biking, and driving. The results of this multi-modal analysis, in addition to community and stakeholder input, will help to identify the transportation needs of our community and develop near- and long-term actions and recommendations to preserve and improve the Town's transportation system.

Community input at key points in the process will be important to ensure the plan addresses the transportation and mobility needs of Keenesburg's residents, employees, and visitors. As the plan progresses over the next year, please be on the lookout for opportunities to provide your input at upcoming events and through online engagement accessible on the Town's website. For more information, please see the Town's website www.townofkeenesburg.com. We look forward to hearing from you!

“Keep your face always toward the sunshine -and shadows will fall behind you” Walt Whitman