



Town Council Packet
January 25, 2022 @ 7:00pm



1 – Agenda



GUIDELINES FOR PUBLIC INPUT

Public Input is a vital and important portion of every meeting and will be permitted throughout the meeting, but according to the following guidelines:

- a. Public input is allowed during the Agenda identified **Public Input** and **Public Hearing** portion of the meeting.
 - i. If you would like to address the meeting during the appropriate times, please raise your hand and when called upon you will be asked to come to the podium. ***Announce your name*** so that your statements can be adequately captured in the meeting minutes.
 - ii. ***Please keep your comments to 3-5 minutes*** as others may want to participate throughout the meeting and to insure that the subject does not drift.
- b. Throughout the meeting agenda calls for public input will be made, generally pertaining to specific action items. Please follow the same format as above.
- c. At the conclusion of the meeting, if the meeting chair believes additional public comment is necessary, the floor will be open.

We hope that this guideline will improve the effectiveness and order of the Town's Public Meetings. It is the intent of your publicly elected officials to stay open to your feelings on a variety of issues.

Thank you, Rangely Mayor

Town of Rangely

January 25, 2022 - 7:00pm

Agenda

Rangely Board of Trustees (Town Council)

ANDY SHAFFER, MAYOR

TREY ROBIE, MAYOR PROTEM

DON DAVIDSON, TRUSTEE

KODI RAE NELSON, TRUSTEE

TIM WEBBER, TRUSTEE

ALISA GRANGER, TRUSTEE

KEELY ELLIS, TRUSTEE

- 1. Call to Order**
- 2. Roll Call**
- 3. Invocation**
- 4. Pledge of Allegiance**
- 5. Minutes of Meeting**
 - a. Discussion and Action to approve the minutes of January 11, 2022, Town Council Meeting*
- 6. Petitions and Public Input**
- 7. Changes to the Agenda**
- 8. Public Hearings - 7:10pm**
- 9. Committee/Board Meetings**
- 10. RBC Commissioner Reports**
- 11. Council Reports**
- 12. Supervisor Reports – See Attached**
 - a. Jeff Lebleu*
 - b. Chief Hamblin*
- 13. Reports from Officers – Town Manager Update**
- 14. Old Business**
- 15. New Business**
 - a. Discussion and action to approve the December Financial Summary*
 - ~~*b. Discussion and action to approve the renewal of the Liquor License for Rangely Liquor*~~
 - c. Discussion and action to approve RESOLUTION 5240-01 2021 revising revenue and expense amounts budgeted for the Rangely Gas Fund of the Town of Rangely, Colorado for the fiscal year beginning January 1, 2021, and ending December 31, 2021.*
 - d. Discussion and action to approve RESOLUTION 7340-01-2021 revising revenue and expense amounts budgeted for the Rangely Development Agency, of the Town of Rangely, Colorado, for the fiscal year beginning January 1, 2021, and ending December 31, 2021*

- e. *Discussion and Action to accept Andy Key's resignation to the RDA/RDC Boards*
- f. *Discussion and Action to appoint Ron Granger to the RDA/RDC Boards*
- g. *Discussion and Action to accept Jeff Dubberts resignation to the Planning & Zoning Commission*
- h. *Discussion and Action to appoint Ron Granger to the Planning & Zoning Commission*
- i. *Discussion and Action to appoint a representative to the AGNC Board representing the Town's of Rangely and Meeker*

16. Informational Items

- a. *RBC Covid Update*
- b. *Rio Blanco Water Conservancy District Rural Water Progress*
- c. *SB16 Change the makeup of CDOT'S Transportation Commission*
- d. *Wolf Action Plan Daily Sentinel Article*
- e. *AGNC Legislative Update*

17. Board Vacancies

- a. *Planning and Zoning Board Vacancy*
- b. *Community Garden Board Vacancies*

18. Scheduled Announcements

- a. *Community Outreach meeting is cancelled for Jan 3, 2022, at 6:00 pm.*
- b. *Rangely District Library Board meeting is scheduled for Jan 10, 2022, at 5:00 pm*
- c. *Western Rio Blanco Park & Recreation District Board meeting is scheduled for Jan 10, 2022, at 7:00 pm*
- d. *Giant Step Preschool Board meeting is scheduled for Jan 13, 2022, at 6:00 pm*
- e. *Rural Fire Protection District Board meeting is scheduled for Jan 17, 2022, at 7:00 pm*
- f. *Rangely Junior College District Board meeting is scheduled for Jan 18, 2022, at 12:00 noon*
- g. *Rangely School District Board meeting has been scheduled for Jan 18, 2022, at 6:15 pm*
- h. *Rio Blanco County Commissioners Board meeting is scheduled for Jan 18, 2022, at 11:00 am*
- i. *Rangely Chamber of Commerce Board meeting is scheduled for Jan 20, 2022, at 12:00 noon*
- j. *Rio Blanco Water Conservancy District Board meeting is scheduled for Jan 26, 2022, at 6:30 pm*
- k. *RDA/RDC Board meeting is rescheduled for Jan 27, 2022, at 7:30 am*
- l. *Rangely District Hospital board meeting is scheduled for January 27, 2022, at 6:00 pm*
- m. *Planning and Zoning meeting is scheduled for the January 2022 at 9:30 am*

19. Adjournment

5 – Minutes



TC Work Session 5pm – BLM Travel Management Plan – Council Chambers

Town of Rangely

January 11, 2022 - 7:00pm

Minutes

Rangely Board of Trustees (Town Council)

ANDY SHAFFER, MAYOR

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ALISA GRANGER, TRUSTEE

KEELY ELLIS, TRUSTEE

1. **Call to Order** – 7:08pm
2. **Roll Call** – Andy Shaffer, Trey Robie, Don Davidson, Kodi Nelson, Tim Webber, and Alisa Granger present. Keely Ellis excused absences
3. **Invocation** – Led by Tim Webber
4. **Pledge of Allegiance** – Led by Lisa Piering
5. **Minutes of Meeting**
 - a. *Discussion and Action to approve the minutes of December 14, 2021, Town Council Meeting* – **Motion made by Tim Webber to approve the minutes of December 14, 2021, Town Council Meeting, second by Alisa Granger. Motion passed**
6. **Petitions and Public Input** - Christine Rambo, a certified economic developer, and President of Upsize Marketing. Christine has been engaged by the Northwest Colorado Development Council to be the regional project manager to promote economic development in a three-county region, which includes Routt, Moffat, and Rio Blanco. Looking at what regional issues that can be focused on. Also, Mary Ann Allred was present to discuss safe biking for children in the community. She would like to see a change in traffic from Stanolind Ave to River Rd. Long term goal would be to get a path thru the park to keep kids away from the street.
7. **Changes to the Agenda** - None
8. **Public Hearings** - 7:10pm
9. **Committee/Board Meetings** – Keely and Lisa went to Meeker and visited with their Town Manager. Also talked with Ty and Carly about the Ready Grant which Christine is a part of and what we want to push for our county.
10. **RBC Commissioner Reports** - None
11. **Council Reports** – Cogency update, going to have a meeting to discuss plan on implementing what should occur when grant is received.
12. **Supervisor Reports – See Attached**
 - a. *Marybel Cox* – Lisa stated that Marybel is working on the election and year end for payroll and closing out the year.

13. Reports from Officers – Town Manager Update – Lisa reported to the council that the Headworks project has mobilized and moving forward with it. DOLA announced that they will open grants on February 1st and be due by March 1st. Jocelyn got in contact with Dana to indicate that we would be applying for grants for the Pinyon Circle Project. Have had some conversations with the Town of Dinosaur to help them implement gas services. Jeff and public work's have been busy with snow removal due to the big storm and have had a few water line breaks. Working on year end and should know by the next council meeting about the revised budget. Looking like it would be for the Gas Department and RDA. The Gas Department had more expenditures due to the higher gas cost earlier in the year and RDA due to grant money received.

14. Old Business

15. New Business

- a. *Discussion and action to approve the December Check Register – Motion made by Trey Robie to approve the December Check Register, second by Alisa Granger. Motion passed*
- b. *Discussion and action to approve the November Financial Summary – Motion made by Alisa Granger to approve the November Financial Summary, second by Don Davidson. Motion passed*
- c. *Discussion and action to approve Rangely Chamber “The Old West” Dinner Special Event Permit for February 19, 2022 – This is the Crab Crack but due to the cost of crab it will change this year. Motion made by Alisa Granger to approve Rangely Chamber “The Old West” Dinner Special Event Permit for February 19, 2022, second by Trey Robie. Motion passed*
- d. *Discussion and action to approve the Kum and Go Liquor License renewal - Motion made by Don Davidson to approve the Kum and Go Liquor License renewal, second by Alisa Granger. Motion passed*
- e. *Discussion and action to endorse the application of Don Davidson to the CML Executive Board to fill the vacancy on the board for the Small/Medium Municipality Category – Motion made by Tim Webber to endorse the application of Don Davidson to the CML Executive Board to fill the vacancy on the board for the Small/Medium Municipality Category, second by Trey Robie. Motion passed*

16. Informational Items

- a. *RBC Covid Update*
- b. *Club 20 2022 Policy Meetings Rangely July 28-29, 2022*
- c. *Virtual Scoping Session for BLM Sage-Grouse Planning*
- d. *Rangely Chamber “The Old West” Steak and Shrimp Dinner*
- e. *CNCC Purchase Shooting Range from BLM*
- f. *The Western & Rural Local Governments Coalition update to GARCO County Commissioners on COGA Rulemaking*

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19. Adjournment – 7:38pm

ATTEST:

RANGELY TOWN COUNCIL

Marybel Cox, Clerk

Andy Shaffer, Mayor

- 8 – Public Hearings
- 9 - Committee Meeting
- 10 - Report from RBC Commissioners
- 11 - Report from Council
- 12 - Reports from Supervisors
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Income Statement

Town of Rangely

Month Ending December 2021

GENERAL FUND Revenue	YTD ACTUAL		2021 BUDGET	
	YTD Amount	% of Revenue	Budget 2021	% of Budget Expended
Taxes	\$1,199,943	42%	\$1,397,400	85.87%
Licenses and Permits	\$12,662	0%	\$20,000	63.31%
Intergovernmental Revenue	\$990,224	35%	\$699,500	141.56%
Charges for Services	\$490,000	17%	\$490,000	100.00%
Miscellaneous Revenue	\$173,170	6%	\$149,475	115.85%
Total General Revenue	\$2,865,998	100%	\$2,756,375	103.98%
GENERAL FUND Operating Expenses	YTD ACTUAL		2021 BUDGET	
	YTD Amount	% of Expenses	Budget 2021	% of Budget Expended
Town Council	\$30,491	1%	\$37,872	80.51%
Court	\$21,215	1%	\$23,756	89.30%
Administration	\$226,645	8%	\$227,153	99.78%
Finance	\$199,112	7%	\$201,156	98.98%
Building & Grounds	\$207,349	7%	\$267,763	77.44%
Economic Development	\$211,858	7%	\$260,155	81.44%
Police Department	\$992,333	35%	\$960,215	103.34%
Animal Shelter	\$44,686	2%	\$41,916	106.61%
Public Works	\$373,747	13%	\$377,640	98.97%
Foundation Trans. & Non Depart. Transfer	\$177,859	6%	\$170,000	104.62%
Total Capital Improvements	\$367,226	13%	\$285,000	128.85%
Total General expenses	\$2,852,520	100%	\$2,852,626	100.00%
Net Revenue over Expenditures	\$13,478	100%	(\$96,251)	-14.00%
WATER FUND Revenue	YTD ACTUAL		2021 BUDGET	
	YTD Amount	% of Revenue	Budget 2021	% of Budget Expended
Water Revenue	\$1,116,940	100%	\$1,130,400	98.81%
WATER FUND Operating Expenses	YTD ACTUAL		2021 BUDGET	
	YTD Amount	% of Expense	Budget 2021	% of Budget Expended
Water Supply	\$432,925	34%	\$425,649	101.71%
Water Supply Capital Expense	\$31,219	2%	\$11,000	283.81%
Water Fund Dept. Transfers and Conting.	\$242,957	19%	\$282,956	85.86%
PW - Transportation & Distribution	\$97,089	8%	\$146,422	66.31%
PW - Transportation & Distrib. Capital Exp	\$446,140	35%	\$375,000	0.00%
Raw Water	\$38,774	3%	\$48,243	80.37%
Raw Water Capital Expense	\$0	0%	\$0	#DIV/0!
Total Water expenses	\$1,289,105	100%	\$1,289,270	99.99%
Net Revenue over Expenditures	(\$172,164)	100%	(\$158,870)	108.37%
GAS FUND Revenue	YTD ACTUAL		2021 BUDGET	
	YTD Amount	% of Revenue	Budget 2021	% of Budget Expended
Gas Revenue	\$1,355,287	100%	\$1,178,531	115.00%
GAS FUND Operating Expenses	YTD ACTUAL		2021 BUDGET	
	YTD Amount	% of Expense	Budget 2021	% of Budget Expended
Gas Expenses	\$1,019,763	84%	\$852,384	119.64%
Gas Capital Expense	\$12,944	1%	\$31,000	41.76%
Total Transfers	\$180,000	15%	\$180,000	100.00%
Total Selling Expenses	\$1,212,707	100%	\$1,063,384	114.04%
Net Revenue over Expenditures	\$142,579	100%	\$115,147	123.82%
Wastewater FUND Revenue	YTD ACTUAL		2021 BUDGET	
	YTD Amount	% of Revenue	Budget 2021	% of Budget Expended
Wastewater Revenue	\$863,071	100%	\$1,253,150	68.87%
Wastewater FUND Oper Expenses	YTD ACTUAL		2021 BUDGET	
	YTD Amount	% of Expense	Budget 2021	% of Budget Expended
Wastewater Expenses	\$239,433	29%	\$282,968	84.61%
Wastewater Capital Expense	\$441,375	53%	\$1,660,000	26.59%
Total Transfers	\$150,000	18%	\$150,000	100.00%
General Fund Loan	\$0	0%	\$0	0.00%
Total Selling Expenses	\$830,808	100%	\$2,092,968	39.70%
Net Revenue over Expenditures	\$32,264	100%	(\$839,818)	-3.84%

Town of Rangely			Month Ending December 2021	
Rangely Housing Auth Revenue	2021 BUDGET			
	YTD Amount	% of Revenue	Budget 2021	% of Budget Expended
Rangely Housing Auth Revenue	\$211,800	100%	\$260,000	81.46%
Rangely Housing Auth Oper Expenses	+		2021 BUDGET	
	YTD Amount	% of Expense	Budget 2021	% of Budget Expended
Rangely Housing Auth Expenses	\$164,039	71%	\$183,784	89.26%
Housing Authority Capital Expense	\$37,204	16%	\$15,000	248.02%
Debt Service and Transfers	\$28,688	12%	\$60,000	47.81%
Total Expense	\$229,930	100%	\$258,784	88.85%
Net Revenue over Expenditures	(\$18,130)	100%	\$1,216	-1490.97%
Fund for Public Giving Revenue	YTD ACTUAL		2021 BUDGET	
	YTD Amount	% of Revenue	Budget 2021	% of Budget Expended
Fund for Public Giving Revenue	\$237	100%	\$2,000	11.84%
Fund for Public Giving Oper Expenses	YTD ACTUAL		2021 BUDGET	
	YTD Amount	% of Expense	Budget 2021	% of Budget Expended
Fund for Public Giving Expenses	\$10	100%	\$2,000	0.50%
Net Revenue over Expenditures	\$227	100%	\$0	0.00%
Economic Development Revenue	YTD ACTUAL		2021 BUDGET	
	YTD Amount	% of Revenue	Budget 2021	% of Budget Expended
RDA Revenues	\$189,305	100%	\$125,200	151.20%
Economic Development Oper Expenses	YTD ACTUAL		2021 BUDGET	
	YTD Amount	% of Expense	Budget 2021	% of Budget Expended
RDA Expenses	\$47,373	100%	\$76,600	61.84%
RDA Capitol Expense	\$150,255	100%	\$62,500	0.00%
Total Expense	\$197,628	100%	\$139,100	142.08%
Net Revenue over Expenditures	(\$8,323)	100%	(\$13,900)	59.88%
Conservation Trust Revenue	YTD ACTUAL		2021 BUDGET	
	YTD Amount	% of Revenue	Budget 2021	% of Budget Expended
Conservation Trust Revenue (Grant \$136K)	\$13,730	100%	\$12,225	112.31%
Conservation Trust Oper Expenses	YTD ACTUAL		2021 BUDGET	
	YTD Amount	% of Expense	Budget 2021	% of Budget Expended
Conservation Trust Expenses	\$0	100%	\$11,000	0.00%
Net Revenue over Expenditures	\$13,730	100%	\$1,225	1120.78%
Housing Assistance Revenue	YTD ACTUAL		2021 BUDGET	
	YTD Amount	% of Revenue	Budget 2021	% of Budget Expended
Housing Assistance Revenue	\$6,143	100%	\$21,000	29.25%
Housing Assistance Oper Expenses	YTD ACTUAL		2021 BUDGET	
	YTD Amount	% of Expense	Budget 2021	% of Budget Expended
Housing Assistance Expenses	\$1,808	100%	\$2,000	90.40%
Net Revenue over Expenditures	\$4,335	100%	\$19,000	22.81%
Rangely Develop Corp Revenue	YTD ACTUAL		2021 BUDGET	
	YTD Amount	% of Revenue	Budget 2021	% of Budget Expended
Rangely Develop Corp Revenue	\$1,486	100%	\$500	297.23%
Rangely Develop Corp Expenses	YTD ACTUAL		2021 BUDGET	
	YTD Amount	% of Expense	Budget 2021	% of Budget Expended
Rangely Develop Corp Expenses	\$143	100%	\$18,500	0.77%
RDC Capitol Expense	\$0	100%	\$0	0.00%
Total Expense	\$143	100%	\$18,500	0.77%
Net Revenue over Expenditures	\$1,343	100%	(\$18,000)	0.00%
INCOME STATEMENT ROLL-UP		Actual YTD	Budget YTD	
Total Revenues		\$6,623,996	\$6,739,381	98.29%
Total Expenses		\$6,614,659	\$7,729,632	85.58%
Net Revenue over Expense		\$9,337	-\$990,251	-0.94%

TOWN OF RANGELY
RESOLUTION 5240-01 2021

RESOLUTION FOR SUPPLEMENTAL BUDGET AND APPROPRIATION TO THE RANGELY GAS
FUND

(Pursuant to Section 29-1-109, C.R.S.)

A RESOLUTION REVISING REVENUE AND EXPENSE AMOUNTS BUDGETED FOR RANGELY GAS
FUND, OF THE TOWN OF RANGELY, COLORADO FOR THE FICAL YEAR BEGINNING JANUARY 1,
2021, AND ENDING DECMEBER 31, 2021

WHEREAS the Rangely Gas Fund incurred additional expenses due to an unforeseen severe winter storm which caused Gas prices to increase over prepaid gas purchased, will create additional expenditure, the Town of Rangely bore some of the cost with customers which increased the budgeted revenues as well, and

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Rangely Town Council of the Town of Rangely, Colorado that a supplemental appropriation is made in the additional amount of \$176,756.00 to revenues as follows.

Section 1. That the 2021 appropriation for the revenues of Rangely Gas Fund be increased from \$1,178,531 to \$1,355,287 and.

That a supplemental appropriation is made in the additional amount of \$149,323.00 to expenses as follows.

Section 2. That the 2021 appropriation for the expenses of the Rangely Gas Fund be increased from \$1,063,384 to \$1,212,707 for the following purpose

The unexpected increase in Gas expenses during February 2021 winter storm nationwide

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 25th Day of January, 2022

Town of Rangely, Colorado

By _____
Andrew Shaffer, Mayor

Attest:

Marybel Cox, Town Clerk

TOWN OF RANGELY
RESOLUTION 7340-01 2021

RESOLUTION FOR SUPPLEMENTAL BUDGET AND APPROPRIATION TO THE RANGELY
DEVELOPMENT AGENCY

(Pursuant to Section 29-1-109, C.R.S.)

A RESOLUTION REVISING REVENUE AND EXPENSE AMOUNTS BUDGETED FOR THE RANGELY
DEVELOPMENT AGENCY, OF THE TOWN OF RANGELY, COLORADO FOR THE FICAL YEAR
BEGINNING JANUARY 1, 2021, AND ENDING DECMEBER 31, 2021

WHEREAS the Rangely Development Agency incurred additional revenues and expenses through four Grants secured through the Main Street Program will create additional revenues and expenditures and

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Rangely Town Council of the Town of Rangely, Colorado that a supplemental appropriation is made in the additional amount of \$64,105 to revenues as follows.

Section 1. That the 2021 appropriation for the expenses of Rangely Development Agency be increased from \$125,200 to \$189,305 and

The Rangely Town Council of the Town of Rangely, Colorado that a supplemental appropriation is made in the amount of \$58,528.00 to expenses as follows.

Section 2. That the 2021 appropriation for the expenses of the Rangely Development Agency be Increased from \$139,100 to \$197,628 for the purpose of

Main Street Grants awarded for the Rangely Parklet, Kennedy Path, Kennedy Solar Lighting and Main Street Business Façade Grant

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 25th day of January 2022.

Town of Rangely, Colorado

By _____
Andrew Shaffer, Mayor

Attest:

Marybel Cox, Town Clerk

1/24/22

LISA PIERING & RDA/RDC BOARD

TOWN OF RANGELY RDA/RDC BOARD

It's with regret that I must resign my position as chairman of the board board as well as my position on the board. I have had a significant change in my work life and am no longer able to provide the time that is needed for the success of this board and the Town of Rangely. I will continue to follow what you guys are working on and help where I can. I just feel it's in the best Interest of the community to let someone that has the time to properly serve the board be in the position. I appreciate everything the board has done for me and the commitment to the success of the community from all of you members. I will always be available for input or any questions! Best of luck!!

SINCERELY,


ANDY KEY

January 25, 2022

Lisa Piering, Town Manager
RDA and RDC Boards
Town Council

Dear All

This letter is a letter of interest to serve on the RDA and the RDC Boards for the Town of Rangely. I believe I could be an asset to both of these Boards with my experience.

I served on the RDA Board for five years as the President of Colorado Northwestern Community College and, during that time, gained a lot of knowledge on how important both the RDA and RDC are to the people and the businesses in Rangely. I believe this experience and my experience in economic development as a college president for five years and college vice president for ten years in finance and business would be an asset to both boards.

Thank you for considering me as a member of the RDA and the RDC Boards. I look forward to hearing from you in the near future.

Sincerely

Ron Granger

From: [jeff dubbert](#)
To: [Lisa Piering](#)
Subject: Re: Planning and Zoning Meeting
Date: Monday, January 24, 2022 7:25:38 PM

Lisa

I have retired and moved to Masonville, CO and actually sold my house. So I can not be on the planning commission anymore.

I always enjoyed my time in Rangely and it was a very special place for me. Helping where I can such as the Planning and Zoning committee was important to me.

I wish the town and you the best and if you ever need anything that I can help you with don't hesitate to contact me. I will be in Rangely periodically so hopefully we will cross paths.

So take care and be sure and enjoy the small things.

Jeff Dubbert

Sent from my iPad

On Jan 24, 2022, at 7:16 PM, Jeff Dubbert <jdubbert@deserado.com> wrote:

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: Brent Shroyer <jbrent@countrydj.us>
Date: January 19, 2022 at 9:25:12 AM MST
To: lpiering@rangelyco.gov
Cc: rbchuck100@yahoo.com, Jeff Dubbert <jdubbert@deserado.com>, mountain_man424@hotmail.com, mooseheadrangely@gmail.com, Mark Patterson <rdhman273@gmail.com>, Jocelyn Mullen <jmullen@rangelyco.gov>, Marybel Cox <marybelc@rangelyco.gov>
Subject: Re: Planning and Zoning Meeting

EXTERNAL

I plan to attend.

On Wed, Jan 19, 2022 at 6:52 AM Lisa Piering <lpiering@rangelyco.gov> wrote:

We have scheduled a P&Z meeting for February 2, 2022, at 10:30 am in the Conference Room at Town Hall. Please see the attached

notice. I will have a Board Packet out to you the first of next week. Thank you!

Lisa Piering | Town Manager | Town of Rangely

209 East Main Street, Rangely, Co 81648 | Email
lpiering@rangelyco.gov

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January 25, 2022

Lisa Piering, Town Manager
Planning and Zoning Board
Town Council

Dear All

This letter is a letter of interest to serve on the Planning and Zoning Board for the Town of Rangely. I believe that I can be an integral part of this Board as Rangely looks toward the future.

Over my career in education, I have served as a President at CNCC, a Vice President of Administration at Crowder College, and a Vice President of Finance at Central Wyoming College. In all of those positions I was involved with building, repurposing, and revitalizing the campuses which included over \$80 million in building projects. I have also worked with local communities in Missouri and Wyoming on several projects to help the communities with economic development and rezoning of areas to help bring in more business.

Thank you for considering me as a member of the Planning and Zoning Board. I look forward to hearing from you in the near future.

Sincerely

Ron Granger

16 – Informational Items

Subject: Rio Blanco County COVID-19 Weekly Update
Attachments: Weekly Report Card 1.19.22.pdf; RBCpublicHealth-vaxtestcomboad (2).jpg;
RBCpublicHealth-vaxtestcomboad (2).pdf

COVID-19 Weekly Update, Wednesday 1/19/22

Please visit <https://rbc.us/606/COVID-19-Updates> for the most current COVID data and trends available for RBC.

Total Cases to Date: 1,584
Meeker Active: 78
Rangely Active: 46
Hospitalizations in the last 14 days: 0
Total Hospitalized: 124
School District Meeker: 16
School District Rangely: 2
Deaths: 12

* Please note isolation and quarantine guidelines have been updated by the CDC. The following links direct you to the CDC and CDPHE websites that outline the new guidance. In summary, isolation and quarantine periods have been shortened with a mask component.

<https://www.cdc.gov/media/releases/2021/s1227-isolation-quarantine-guidance.html>

<https://covid19.colorado.gov/isolation-and-quarantine>

Testing:

*Please be advised that testing for COVID-19 is recommended for all symptomatic individuals (please see CDC website for list of symptoms), and all individuals who are exposed to a known case. It is advised to test 5 days after your last known exposure, or as soon as possible after you begin to develop symptoms. Testing is now available *without an appointment*, drive-up at the following times at public health in Meeker and Rangely:

***New schedule beginning January 3rd, 2022:**

Meeker: Monday, Wednesday and Friday 10am-11am, Thursdays ONLY 10am-2pm. Rapid tests not available on Thursdays.

Rangely: Monday 1pm-2pm, Wednesdays 10am-2pm, and Friday 9-10am. Rapid tests not available on Wednesdays.

***Please note Affinity testing available on Wednesdays in Rangely and Thursdays in Meeker yields PCR result with an average of <24 hour turn around.**

*Please see the following link for information about Colorado's at-home testing program:
<https://covid19.colorado.gov/covid-19-testing-at-home>

Or visit <https://www.covidtests.gov/> for federal at-home testing info

**Please note at-home testing supplies may not be available based on current federal and state allocation.*

Travel Testing is available at RBC Public Health. We offer same day rapid molecular testing for \$45. Please check travel requirements for your specific destination.

Vaccinations:

Vaccinations for COVID-19 (5 and up) and Flu available - All Insurance accepted. COVID-19 vaccines are FREE of charge. **Booster doses are now available for anyone in Colorado over the age of 12, as long as 5 months have passed since initial MRNA series or 2 months since initial J&J dose.**

Walk-In Clinics (no appointment necessary):

Meeker: Thursdays, 12:00 - 5:30 pm (Meeker Public Health Office)- 200 Main St (Fairfield Center)

Rangely: Wednesdays, 12:00 - 5:30 pm (Rangely Public Health Office)- 101 E Main St (across from the library)

***Please call to schedule an appointment for all other vaccines, including shingles, pneumonia, and childhood immunizations. Walk-ins for flu shots are welcomed on other days based on nurse availability.**

Other Clinic Locations and Times: Pioneers Medical Center Walk-In Clinic: Tuesdays and Thursdays, 9:00 - noon and 2:00 - 4:00 pm (Johnson & Johnson and Moderna available)



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Rio Blanco County Director of Public Health and Environment

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VACCINE CLINICS

Vaccinations for COVID-19 (ages 5 and up) and flu are available now. All insurance is accepted.

COVID-19 vaccines are free of charge.

No appointment is necessary at our walk-in vaccine clinics.

NEW WALK-IN VACCINE CLINIC SCHEDULE

VACCINES IN MEEKER

200 MAIN ST.

Thursdays
12-5:30pm

VACCINES IN RANGELY

101 E. MAIN ST.

Wednesdays
12-5:30pm

BOOSTER DOSES

Booster doses are available in Colorado for anyone over the age of 12, as long as 5 months have passed since initial MRNA series (Pfizer or Moderna), or 2 months since initial Johnson & Johnson dose

1st, 2nd and booster doses of Moderna and Pfizer COVID vaccinations are available at all of our clinics.

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Thursdays ONLY 10am-2pm

*Rapid tests not available on
Thursdays.*

TESTING IN RANGELY

DRIVE-UP, 101 E. MAIN ST.

Mondays 1pm-2pm
Wednesdays 10am-2pm
Friday 9-10am

*Rapid tests not available on
Wednesdays.*

AT-HOME TESTING

Visit <https://covid19.colorado.gov/covid-19-testing-at-home> for info.

TRAVEL TESTING

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RBC COVID-19 UPDATES



CURRENT CASE COUNTS AND STATISTICS CAN BE FOUND ON THE RIO BLANCO COUNTY DASHBOARD.

**SCAN THE QR CODE OR VISIT
[RBC.US/606/COVID-19-UPDATES](https://rbc.us/606/COVID-19-UPDATES)**

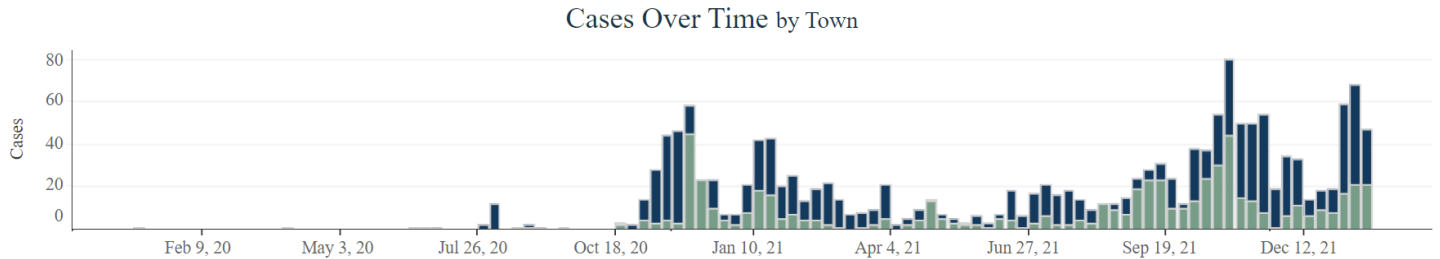


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Rio Blanco County COVID-19 Metrics, 1/19/2022:

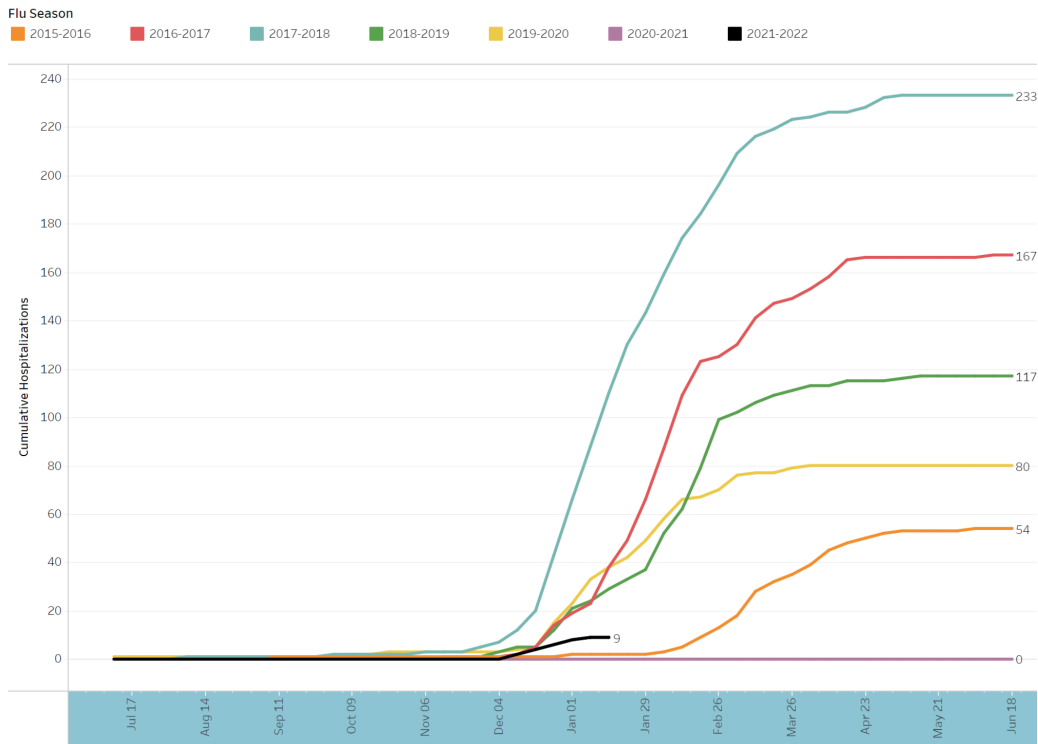
Cases reported in the past 14 days: 144
Hospitalizations reported in the past 14 days: 0

Weekly Snapshot as of January 19th, 2022:



***EPI summary: Increase in community transmission with no new hospitalizations. Lab-confirmed presence of Omicron in-county with anticipated dominance. Influenza present in Rio Blanco County with no reported hospitalizations.**

Cumulative Flu Hospitalization by Season



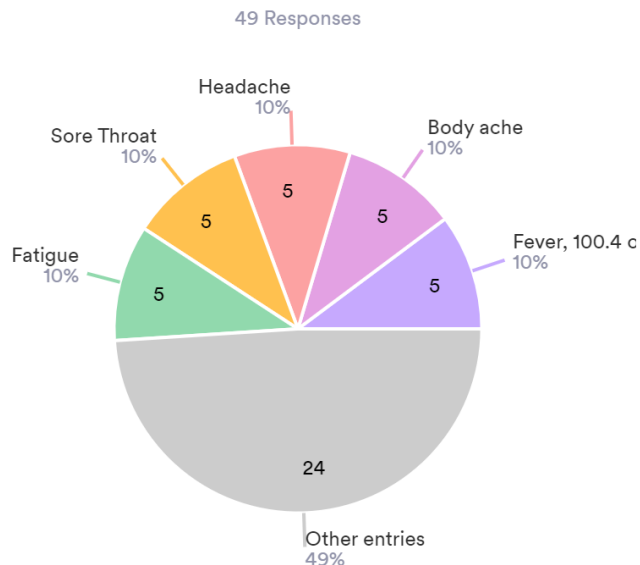
***Western Slope Influenza data provided by Mesa County Public Health**

Reported symptoms for the week of 1/13/22-1/19/22

Other Symptoms

2 Responses

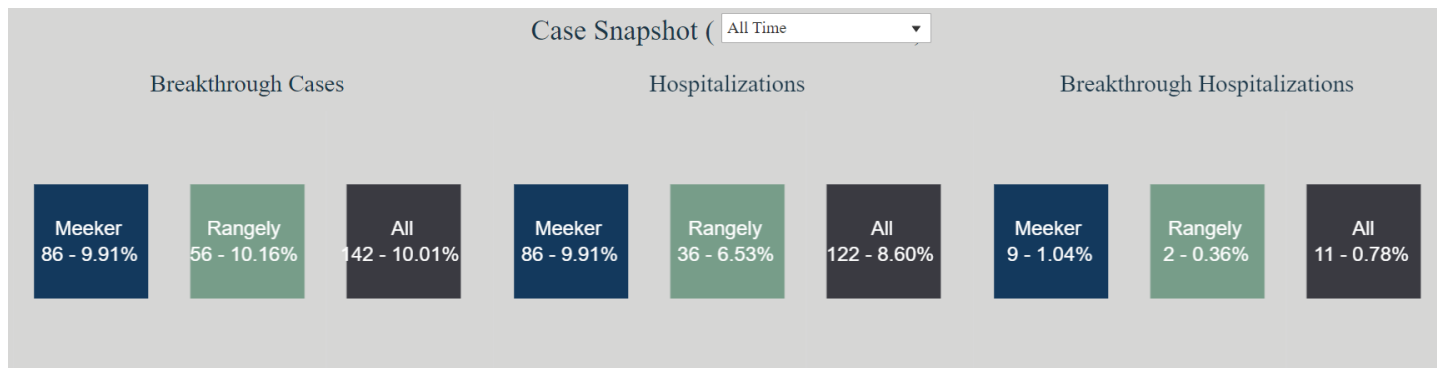
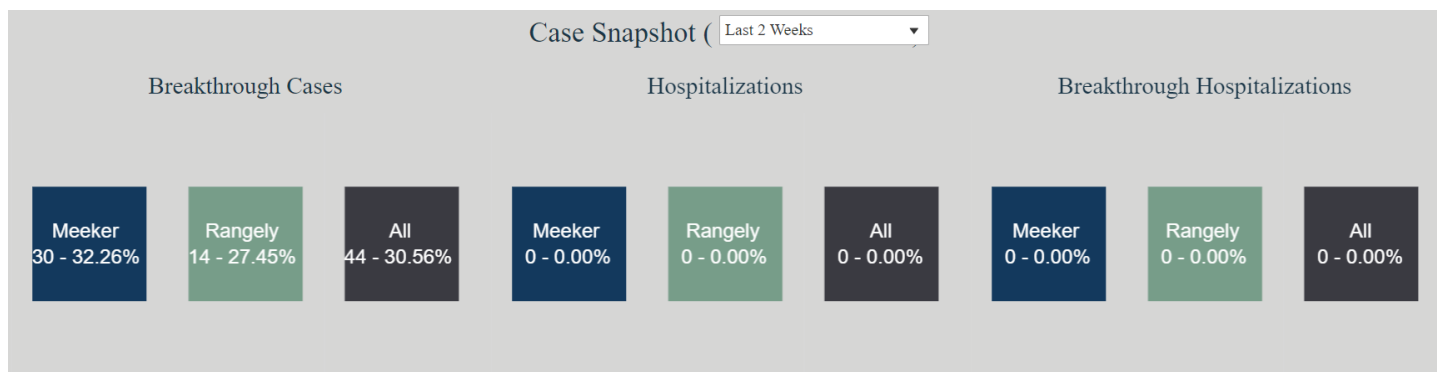
Which of the following symptoms did you experience?



Data	Responses
ringing in the ears	1
hot flashes, ear pressure, eye discomfort	1

Hospitalization and Breakthrough Data:

Total Population Vaccinated (5 and up): 40.9%



Please visit <https://rbc.us/606/COVID-19-Updates> for the most recent COVID statistics for Rio Blanco County.



Rio Blanco Water Conservancy District Rural Water Progresses

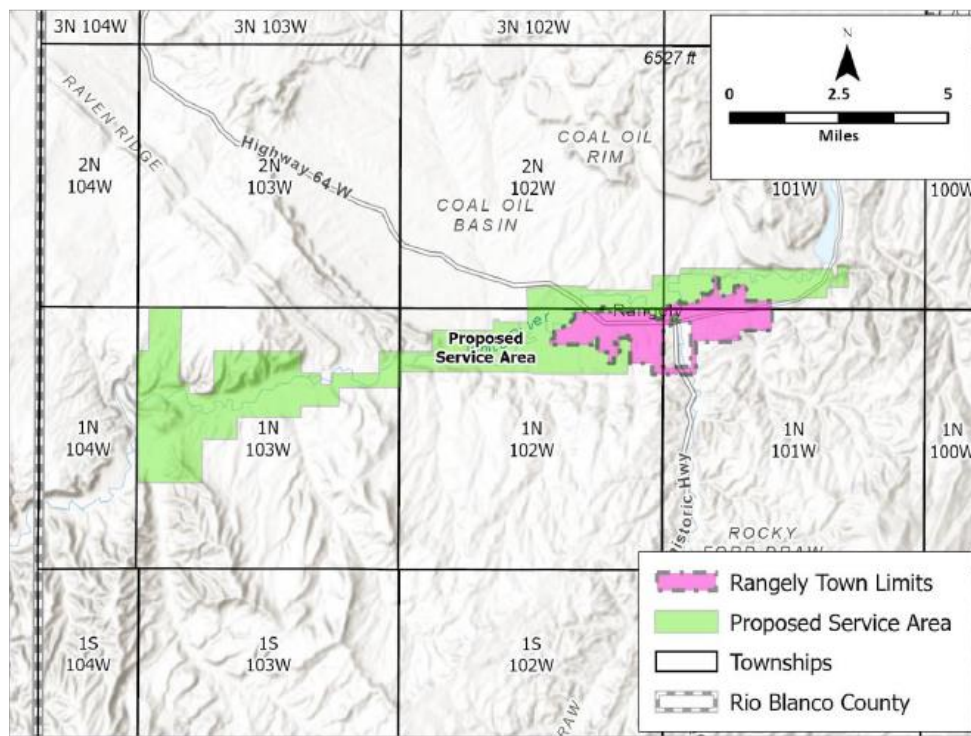
(December 28, 2021) As you may recall, the Rio Blanco Water Conservancy District (RBWCD) Board of Directors completed a beneficial initial step forward by finalizing a Rural Water Feasibility Study. This report found the project to be feasible with considerable benefits to our community. The project will provide a reliable, high-quality supply of drinking water to properties outside the Town of Rangely, that are not currently served by the Town's water system.

Seeing the value of providing an alternate drinking water supply to our rural community, the Colorado Housing and Finance Authority (CHFA) recently awarded the RBWCD a gracious grant awarded a \$50,000 from for continuation of the rural water project. The CHFA grant has since been put to work developing the Pre-liminary Engineering Report and a Pipeline Pathway Environmental Assessment both of which are essential components for completing a USDA Rural Development and Colorado Department of Local Affairs (DOLA) financing application.

Over the next few months, RBWCD staff will be actively pursuing the completion of our USDA and DOLA applications for submission in the summer of 2022. During this time individuals within the proposed service area will be contacted by an independent contractor who will be completing an anonymous income survey. Your completely anonymous response to the income survey is necessary to establish USDA funding. The higher the household income the less grant funding available and likewise, the lower the income the higher the potential grant award amount.

Upon completion of the pipeline design, environmental assessment, and income reports the district will initiate a rate study. This study will be used to determine connection cost, monthly base rates, and user fees.

To learn more about the emerging rural water district please contact the Rio Blanco Water Conservancy District at 2252 East Main in Rangely, call 970-675-5055, or email rbwcd@yahoo.com.



Initial Proposed Service Area



COLORADO

Department of Transportation

SB 16

Modifying CDOT Governance

(Sen Scott)

Oppose

SB16 would change the makeup of [CDOT's Transportation Commission](#) and make the Commission an elected body, like RTD and the CU Board of Regents.

The Transportation Commission has governed and managed fiscal policy for the DOT for the past 100+ years.

Electing Transportation Commissioners will harm rural Colorado and result in a Commission filled with competing political agendas for transportation funding and projects, instead of focusing on creating parity statewide. Perhaps most notably, the Western Slope would lose two of its three seats, the Pueblo area would lose its dedicated seat, and the Eastern Plains would be folded into a largely urban district instead of retaining the singular seat it currently has.

Given CDOT's significant responsibility for managing the state's vast network of rural roads, shifting financial resource decision to a board responsive to the sole interests of front range districts would make it virtually impossible for the commission to remain focused on stewardship of a statewide system, including those areas between high-population areas whose roles in the movement of the state's economy, agriculture, and supply chain are so essential.

Currently CDOT has 11 Commissioners representing the diverse and nonpartisan needs of Coloradans transportation needs. All are appointed by the Governor and serve four-year terms. CDOT's Commission is a bi-partisan, diverse group of individuals dedicated to serving the good of the state, many of whom have had long careers in public service at all levels of Government. By statute, they are supported by an advisory group of local government partners.

If SB16 passes, elected Commissioners will determine such things as hiring an Executive Director, prioritizing projects for the 10-year plan, and dedicating highway funding for their districts.

Commissioners will be accountable to those who elected them instead of all the citizens of Colorado. Elections will infuse a political process into the Commission, and infuse significant influence of political contributions from special interests influencing who runs and serves.

Elected Commissioners choosing the Executive Director of CDOT would not only set the department apart from every other state department, it could lead to competing interests between CDOT and other state departments within the Governor's cabinet. Moreover, years of experience at RTD have demonstrated that when Administrative staff report to an elected board, it can become difficult to take

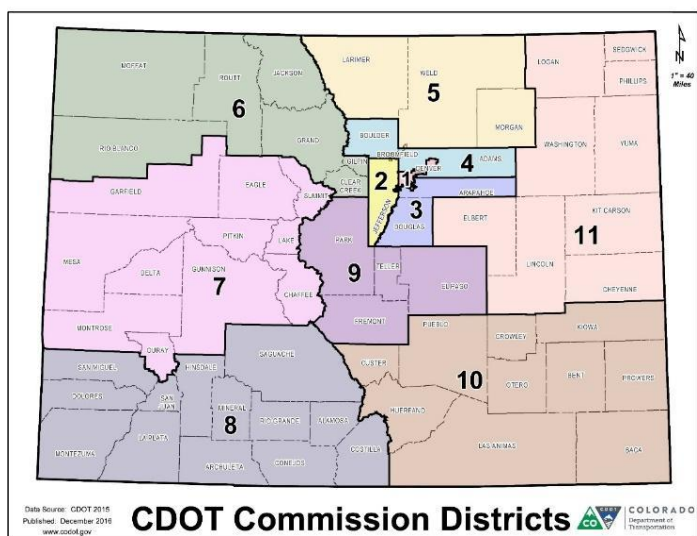
on challenging conversations such as being candid about trade-offs about allocating limited resources in an accountable manner.

One of the worst outcomes of SB 16 is that it alters state representation for the Commission by *increasing urban representation on the Commission by sacrificing rural representation*. For example, on the West Slope, SB16 consolidates three existing districts into one district for northwest, southwest, south central, and southeast counties.

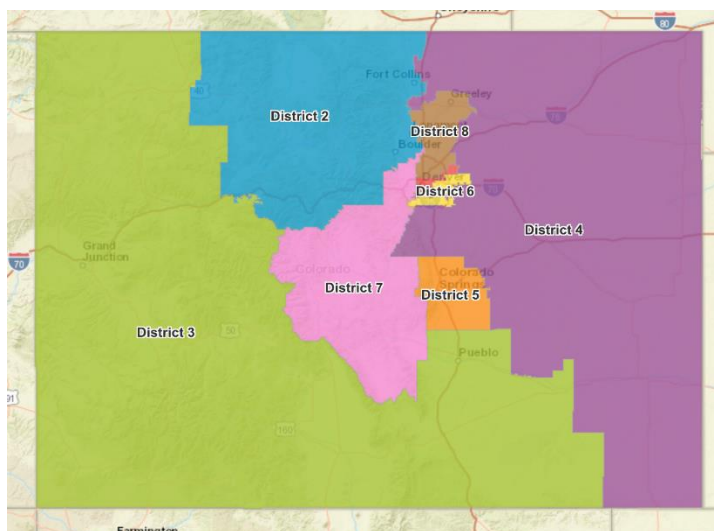
SB16 is a dangerous policy idea for Colorado and will lead to the politicization of the state's transportation system by having Transportation Commissioners elected instead of appointed.

Transportation Representation under SB16

Current Transportation Districts



New Transportation Districts under SB16



Impacts to Coloradans

- TC districts 6, 7, 8, and 10 would all lose individual representation and instead become a large district encompassing multiple TPOs, MPOs, and many competing priorities.
- Glenwood Canyon would be in the same district as I25 south of CO Springs.
- Boulder County would be in the same district as Summit and Eagle Counties.
- El Paso County would become one TC district and Custer, Teller, Park, and Fremont would now have to share resources with Jefferson, Lake, and Chaffee Counties.
- Front Range, Larimer and Boulder counties would be helping set priorities for Eagle, Summit, and Rout counties.
- The eastern plains would lose six counties from existing TC districts.
- The Front Range metro counties would become a confusing mix of cities and counties in districts drawn for political considerations and not transportation-related policy.

Please oppose and vote NO on SB 16.
Contact Andy Karsian, 303-883-9381, andy.karsian@state.co.us

Wolf action plan

By DENNIS WEBB

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Colorado Parks and Wildlife staff hope to have a wolf restoration and management plan ready to present to the agency's commission in December.

The presentation would kick off a public review process of the plan involving several commission/public meetings in January and February of 2023, both on the Western Slope and the Front Range, Reid DeWalt told the commission at its meeting last week. He is assistant director of aquatic, terrestrial and natural resources for Parks and Wildlife. The goal is to have the commission go through a two-step final approval of the plan at meetings in April and May of next year. "We're going to need time to actually implement the plan before the fall of '23 and winter of '23 and there's a lot of work to be done once the plan is finalized, so we're building in some buffer for the actual implementation and work on the ground," DeWalt said. That work will include arranging with other agencies to obtain wolves for reintroduction, possibly from populations in Wyoming, Idaho and Montana.

Colorado voters in 2020 narrowly approved Proposition 114, which requires that Parks and Wildlife begin reintroducing wolves to western Colorado starting no later than the end of 2023.

The agency already is a year into the planning process. A stakeholder advisory group and technical working group have been developing recommendations for restoration logistics; compensation and prevention strategies pertaining to wolf depredation on livestock; wolf management; and public information/ education. Work with those groups will continue this year, with the goal of the agency having an internal draft plan ready this fall for review by its staff leadership before its release for commission/ public review starting in December. Parks and Wildlife is planning for wolf restoration and management even as it is having to engage in some level of wolf management on the fly. Some wolves have been entering Colorado from the north, and even reproducing. In December, wolves killed a domestic calf in Jackson County, and the agency is looking to reimburse the calf's owner as it currently does in cases of depredation by animals such as mountain lions and bears. Last week, commissioners approved the use of nonlethal hazing measures to try to deter wolf attacks on livestock, making the authorization immediate under an emergency provision after the December calf kill.

The commission also approved a ban on the use of odorants to try to lure wolves, unless permitted by the agency. The action follows at least one or two instances where Parks and Wildlife Director Dan Prenzlowsaid people used olfactory lures. The practice raises concerns about people trying to draw in wolves to kill them, which is illegal in Colorado, or for other purposes such as photography, which still modifies wolf behavior and can make the animals more comfortable around people, possibly leading to more conflicts in the future.

A majority of the commission rejected a motion by Commissioner Jay Tutchton to ban the use of auditory attractants as well, but DeWalt said that's something that will be visited again in the final wolf planning. Another issue that could see more consideration is whether hazing could be used to protect pets from wolf attacks, an issue Parks and Wildlife Commissioner Charles Garcia raised in last week's meeting. The hazing measures approved can be used to protect animals that guard livestock, but aren't allowed to protect mere pets. Just this month, a border collie was killed in a

wolf attack on a Jackson County ranch. Parks and Wildlife plans to provide monetary compensation for the loss, according to reports in the Colorado Sun and Denver Post. A second dog also was wounded in the attack.

Associated Governments of Northwest Colorado

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Agenda for tomorrows call

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Bill #	Short Title	Sponsors	Bill Summary	Comments	Calendar	Most Recent Status
HB22-1006	Child Care Center Property Tax Exemption	D. Roberts (D) K. Van Winkle (R) / K. Donovan (D) J. Smallwood (R)	Under the state constitution, property that is used solely and exclusively for charitable purposes is exempt from property tax, unless otherwise provided by general law. Under this constitutional authority, there is currently an exemption for property used as an integral part of a child care center. Section 2 of the bill modifies this exemption by repealing the requirement that the property must be owned for strictly charitable purposes and not for private gain or corporate profit, and that the property must be irrevocably dedicated to a charitable purpose. These changes allow property that is used by a tenant or subtenant to operate a child care center to be eligible for the exemption, and the bill specifies that in such case, only the operator's use is to be considered for purposes of determining whether the property is eligible for the exemption. Section 3 requires such an operator, or the operator's authorized agent, to sign the exemption application form and to provide the property tax administrator with any requested information related to the exemption. Sections 4 and 5 make conforming amendments. (Note: This summary applies to this bill as introduced.)	FN: Cuts local governemnt revenue by approximately \$3 millionper year	Tuesday, February 1 2022 Public & Behavioral Health & Human Services 1:30 p.m. Room 0112 (2) in house calendar.	1/12/2022 Introduced In House - Assigned to Public & Behavioral Health & Human Services

HB22-1007	Assistance Landowner Wildfire Mitigation	D. Valdez (D) M. Lynch (R) / C. Simpson (R) P. Lee (D)	Wildfire Matters Review Committee. Section 1 of the bill establishes the wildfire mitigation resources and best practices grant program (grant program) within the Colorado state forest service (forest service). To be eligible to receive a grant, a recipient must be an agency of local government, a county, municipality, special district, a tribal agency or program, or a nonprofit organization. The forest service is tasked with reviewing grant applications. Grants must be awarded to applicants proposing to conduct outreach among landowners in high wildfire hazard areas and the forest service must consider the potential impact of the applicants' proposed outreach when awarding grants. The forest service must report to the wildfire matters review committee on the grant program. Section 2 repeals the existing income tax deduction created to offset the landowner's costs incurred in performing wildfire mitigation measures for the 2023 and subsequent income tax years. Section 3 creates a state income tax credit to reimburse a landowner for the costs incurred in performing wildfire mitigation measures on the landowner's property. Specifically, a landowner with a federal taxable income at or below \$120,000 for the income tax year commencing on or after January 1, 2023, as adjusted for inflation and rounded to the nearest hundred dollar amount for each income tax year thereafter, is allowed a state income tax credit in an amount equal to 25% of up to \$2,500 in costs for wildfire mitigation measures. The maximum total credit in a taxable year is \$625. (Note: This summary applies to this bill as introduced.)		NOT ON CALENDAR	1/12/2022 Introduced In House - Assigned to Energy & Environment
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HB22-1011	Wildfire Mitigation Incentives For Local Governments	L. Cutter (D) M. Snyder (D) / T. Story (D) P. Lee (D)	Wildfire Matters Review Committee. The bill establishes the wildfire mitigation incentives for local government grant program (grant program) in the Colorado state forest service (forest service). The grant program is established to provide state funding assistance in the form of grant awards to local governments to match revenue raised by such governments from a dedicated revenue source that is intended to be used for forest management or wildfire mitigation efforts at the local level. Such wildfire mitigation efforts include, without limitation, projects that promote fuel breaks, forest thinning, a reduction in the amount or extent of fuels contributing to wildfires, outreach and education efforts directed at property owners and other members of the public, and any other means of forest management or wildfire mitigation as determined appropriate for funding by the forest service. The grant program is administered by the forest service. On or before March 1, 2023, the forest service is required to adopt policies, procedures, and guidelines for the grant program that include, without limitation: Procedures and timelines by which an eligible recipient may apply for a grant; Criteria for determining grant eligibility and grant amounts; and Reporting requirements for grant recipients. Any funding awarded under the grant program must match revenues raised by the local government from a dedicated revenue source that is intended to be used for forest management or wildfire mitigation efforts at the local level in accordance with policies, procedures, and guidelines developed by the forest service. In allocating funding under the grant program, preference will be given to certain eligible recipients based on		NOT ON CALENDAR	1/12/2022 Introduced In House - Assigned to Energy & Environment
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HB22-1012	Wildfire Mitigation And Recovery	L. Cutter (D) D. Valdez (D) / J. Ginal (D) P. Lee (D)	Wildfire Matters Review Committee. Section 1 of the bill creates the wildfire mitigation and recovery grant program (grant program) in the Colorado state forest service (forest service) to provide grants to help counties with forested areas prevent and recover from wildfire incidents and ensure that such efforts are undertaken in a manner that reduces the amount of carbon that enters the atmosphere. In expending grant money, a county, to the extent practicable, shall ensure that biomass that is removed from forests is recycled or disposed of in a manner that reduces the amount of carbon that enters the atmosphere. The forest service shall administer the grant program and, subject to available appropriations, award grants out of money annually appropriated to the forest service for the grant program. The forest service shall review grant applications in consultation with the division of fire prevention and control in the department of public safety and with the Colorado forest health council in the department of natural resources. The grant program is repealed, effective September 1, 2028. Before the repeal, the grant program is scheduled for a sunset review by the department of regulatory agencies. Section 2 schedules this review.(Note: This summary applies to this bill as introduced.)	FN: NO Fiscal impact	NOT ON CALENDAR	1/12/2022 Introduced In House - Assigned to Energy & Environment
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HB22-1013	Microgrids For Community Resilience Grant Program	R. Pelton (R) M. Snyder (D) / D. Hisey (R) F. Winter (D)	The bill creates the microgrids for community resilience grant program (grant program) to be administered by the division of local government (division) in the department of local affairs (department), in collaboration with the Colorado resiliency office (office) in the division. A cooperative electric association or a municipally owned utility (utility) may apply to the division for a grant award to finance the purchase of microgrid resources in eligible rural communities within the utility's service territory that are at significant risk of severe weather or natural disaster events and in which there are one or more community anchor institutions. The microgrids, which can be connected to or be disconnected from, and work independent of, the utility's electric grid, can increase an eligible rural community's resilience regarding any interruptions to the electric grid, such as those caused by severe weather or natural disaster events. On an annual basis, the division is required to report on the progress of the grant program, submit copies of the report to the house of representatives energy and environment committee and the senate transportation and energy committee, or their successor committees, and publish the report on the department's website.(Note: This summary applies to this bill as introduced.)		NOT ON CALENDAR	1/12/2022 Introduced In House - Assigned to Energy & Environment
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HB22-1024	Sales And Use Tax Exemption Municipal Public School Construction	S. Bird (D) D. Woog (R) / C. Hansen (D) C. Kolker (D)	Legislative Oversight Committee Concerning Tax Policy. Under current law, all sales of construction and building materials to contractors and subcontractors for use in the building, erection, alteration, or repair of structures, highways, roads, streets, and other public works are exempt from the sales and use tax levied by the state and certain local governments. Home rule cities continue to levy the tax on sales of construction and building materials within their jurisdiction. The bill extends the exemption to the sales and use tax levied by home rule cities on such materials for use in connection with the building, erection, alteration, or repair of a public school.(Note: This summary applies to this bill as introduced.)	May affect home rule municipalities	NOT ON CALENDAR	1/12/2022 Introduced In House - Assigned to Transportation & Local Government
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HB22-1028	Statewide Regulation Of Controlled Intersections	M. Gray (D) E. Hooton (D) / F. Winter (D)	<p>Transportation Legislation Review Committee. An existing statute allows a municipality or county to adopt an ordinance or resolution specifying that a person riding a bicycle, electrical assisted bicycle, or electric scooter may make a safety stop, rather than a full stop, under certain circumstances when approaching an intersection that is controlled by a stop sign or a traffic control signal as follows: When approaching a stop sign, if it is safe to proceed, the person may, after slowing to a reasonable speed of 15 miles per hour or less, or 10 or 20 miles per hour or less if so specified by municipality or county for a particular intersection and marked with appropriate signage, and yielding the right-of-way to any traffic or pedestrian in or approaching the intersection, continue through the intersection without stopping; and When approaching an illuminated red traffic control signal, the person must first stop at the intersection and yield to all other traffic and pedestrians and then, when safe to do so, may proceed straight or make a right turn through the intersection or, subject to specified conditions, make a left turn onto a one-way street only. The bill amends the statute to make the substantive requirements described above uniform statewide for most persons approaching a controlled intersection who are not operating a motor vehicle. Such persons include pedestrians (approaching a controlled intersection with a stop sign) and operators of low-speed conveyances, as defined in the bill (approaching a controlled intersection with a stop sign or a traffic control signal). The regulation of persons approaching controlled intersections is declared to be a matter of mixed state and local concern, and the amended statute is thus</p>		NOT ON CALENDAR	1/12/2022 Introduced In House - Assigned to Transportation & Local Government
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HB22-1035	Modernization Of The Older Coloradans' Act	M. Young (D) M. Bradfield (R) / J. Ginal (D) B. Rankin (R)	The bill updates the "Older Coloradans' Act" (act). The purpose of the act is to support older Coloradans through community planning, social services, health and well-being services, and strategies to prepare the state's infrastructure for an increasing older population of Coloradans. The bill updates include: Reorganizing the commission on the aging (commission) and increasing membership from 17 to 19 in order to coordinate and implement the strategic action plan on aging (plan) and to make recommendations; Appointing a state department of human services (state department) liaison to act as the primary contact for the commission in order to coordinate commission-related duties with the state department and other state agencies; Convening a technical advisory committee (committee) comprised of key state agency representatives to direct the implementations of the plan and the commission's recommendations; and Creating the lifelong Colorado initiative within the state department's state office on aging to coordinate strategies and implementation of the plan with the commission, committee, and key state agencies.(Note: This summary applies to this bill as introduced.)	any comments from triple A?	NOT ON CALENDAR	1/12/2022 Introduced In House - Assigned to Public & Behavioral Health & Human Services
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HB22-1046	Local Designation Of Over-snow Use Only Highways	B. McLachlan (D) M. Catlin (R) / F. Winter (D)	The bill authorizes a local government to designate all or a portion of a highway under its jurisdiction for over-snow use only when snow-packed conditions exist on the highway or for a designated continuous seasonal period for which the local government determines that snow-packed conditions are likely to exist on the highway. "Over-snow use" is defined as travel on top of snow by human-powered or animal-powered means or by an off-highway vehicle that is primarily designed or altered for use over snow and runs without tires on a continuous belt track, with or without cleats, or on one or more skis while in use over snow. A local government may limit an over-snow use designation to human-powered or animal-powered travel, or both, only when necessary for the protection and safety of the public.(Note: This summary applies to this bill as introduced.)		NOT ON CALENDAR	1/12/2022 Introduced In House - Assigned to Transportation & Local Government
HB22-1062	Expand Sales And Use Tax Exemption For Food	H. McKean (R) / D. Hisey (R)	The bill expands the state sales and use tax exemption for food, which currently exempts most food for domestic home consumption, by also exempting from state sales and use tax most food that is not for domestic home consumption and is instead prepared for on-site consumption at a restaurant, grocery store, or other establishment or to be carried out and consumed without additional cooking or preparation.(Note: This summary applies to this bill as introduced.)		NOT ON CALENDAR	1/14/2022 Introduced In House - Assigned to Finance

HB22-1063	Jail Standards Commission	J. Amabile (D) A. Benavidez (D)	The bill creates the Colorado jail standards commission (commission) in the department of public safety. The commission creates standards for the operation of Colorado's county jails (jails) and updates the standards as necessary. The commission consists of the following 20 members: 5 sheriffs or senior jail administrators; 2 county commissioners; 3 people with lived experience of being incarcerated or having a family member who is or was incarcerated in a jail; One mental health professional with experience working in a jail; One health professional with experience working in a jail; One person representing a lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, or queer advocacy organization; One person representing an organization advocating for the rights of people with disabilities; One person representing an organization advocating for the rights of communities of color; One person representing an organization advocating for the rights of persons with mental or physical disabilities; One non-law-enforcement person with experience working in a jail, appointed by the executive director of the department of public safety; The state public defender or the state public defender's designee; One district attorney, appointed by the Colorado district attorneys' council; and One person representing the department of public safety with expertise in jail operations. The commission shall develop standards for all aspects of jail operations as follows: Reception and release; Classification of inmates; Security; Housing; Sanitation and environmental conditions; Communication; Visitation; Health care, mental and behavioral health care, and dental care; Food service; Recreation and programming; Inmate disciplinary processes;		NOT ON CALENDAR	1/14/2022 Introduced In House - Assigned to Judiciary
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HB22-1067	Clarifying Changes To Ensure Prompt Bond Hearings	S. Woodrow (D) S. Gonzales-Gutierrez (D) / P. Lee (D)	Under current law, when a defendant is detained in jail on a municipal hold, the defendant must receive a hearing before the municipal court within 2 calendar days, excluding Sundays and federal holidays. The bill requires the hearing to be held within 48 hours after the defendant arrives at the jail. The bill makes clarifying changes to the district attorney assistance for bond hearings grant program and repeals the district attorney assistance for bond hearings cash fund.(Note: This summary applies to this bill as introduced.)		NOT ON CALENDAR	1/14/2022 Introduced In House - Assigned to Judiciary
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HB22-1072	Habitat Partnership Program	P. Will (R) D. Roberts (D) / K. Donovan (D) C. Simpson (R)	The habitat partnership program (program) assists the division of parks and wildlife (division) with reducing wildlife conflicts and meeting game management objectives. Section 1 of the bill: Authorizes the director of the division (director) to independently appoint members of the habitat partnership council (council) that, in part, advises local habitat partnership committees (committees) that help implement program objectives; Expands the scope of the program to assist the division with private land conservation and wildlife migration corridor efforts; With respect to reducing wildlife conflicts, prioritizes conflicts that arise from forage and fence issues related to big game ungulate species, which are big game species that are hooved mammals; Authorizes the council to allocate an annual budget to each committee, subject to final approval by the director, and expend funds in areas of the state that are not covered by a committee; Requires the director to set terms for committee members; and Identifies the council and each committee as an independent organizational unit for purposes of purchasing, accounting, and procurement-related issues. Section 2 clarifies that any balance of unexpended and unencumbered money in the habitat partnership cash fund (fund) at the end of a fiscal year that exceeds the amount transferred to the fund at the beginning of the fiscal year from the wildlife cash fund reverts to the wildlife cash fund. Section 2 also continues the fund indefinitely. Section 3 exempts the program from the "Procurement Code".(Note: This summary applies to this bill as introduced.)		NOT ON CALENDAR	1/18/2022 Introduced In House - Assigned to Agriculture, Livestock, & Water
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SB22-001	Crime Prevention Through Safer Streets	J. Buckner (D) L. Garcia (D) / N. Ricks (D) K. Tipper (D)	The bill creates the crime prevention through safer streets grant program (grant program) in the department of public safety (DPS). The bill requires DPS to issue requests for proposals to local governmental agencies for the agencies to identify areas where crime is prevalent. After identifying such areas, local governmental agencies can apply to DPS for grants for improvements designed to create safer streets. The bill directs DPS to establish policies and procedures for the grant program. It also creates an advisory committee to review grant requests and make recommendations to the executive director of DPS. The executive director reviews responses to the requests for proposals and grants and determines which local governmental agencies will receive money and the amount of each grant. The bill appropriates \$10.3 million to DPS for the grant program. (Note: This summary applies to this bill as introduced.)		NOT ON CALENDAR	1/12/2022 Introduced In Senate - Assigned to Local Government
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SB22-005	Law Enforcement Agency Peace Officer Services	J. Bridges (D) J. Cooke (R)	<p>The bill requires the department of law (department) to implement a pilot grant program (grant program) to support a law enforcement agency to retain and recruit qualified and trained P.O.S.T.-certified peace officers. The department may award grants to help fund retention programs, recruitment purposes, and to provide financial resources for law enforcement academy training, academy trainees, and continuing education opportunities. For the 2022-23 state fiscal year, \$5 million is appropriated from the general fund to the P.O.S.T. board cash fund to be spent in accordance with the purpose of the grant program and requires that no more than 2% of the appropriated funds be used for administrative purposes. The bill establishes a P.O.S.T. board committee to review grant applications and advise the department on the grant program. The bill grants the attorney general the power to administer the requirements of the grant program. The grant program is repealed effective July 1, 2024. Under current law, there is a peace officer behavioral health support and community partnership grant program (program). The program specifies the purposes that grants can be used for. The bill adds to the program purposes services that support peace officers involved in job-related traumatic situations. Additionally, for state fiscal year 2022-23, the bill appropriates \$5 million from the general fund to the peace officers behavioral health support and community partnership fund. (Note: This summary applies to this bill as introduced.)</p>		NOT ON CALENDAR	1/12/2022 Introduced In Senate - Assigned to Judiciary
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SB22-006	Sales Tax Assistance For Small Bus	C. Kolker (D) R. Rodriguez (D) / B. McLachlan (D) M. Snyder (D)	The bill permits a retailer with total taxable sales in the amount of \$100,000 or less to retain 5.3% of the sales tax reported as compensation for the retailer's expenses incurred in collecting and remitting the tax (vendor fee) for sales made in 2023, rather than retaining a 4% vendor fee, which is what current law allows. The bill also clarifies that the calculation of the amount that is credited to the housing development grant fund is only based on the changes to the vendor fee from House Bill 19-1245, and not on any subsequent modifications, including those changes made in this bill.(Note: This summary applies to this bill as introduced.)		NOT ON CALENDAR	1/12/2022 Introduced In Senate - Assigned to Finance
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SB22-007	Increase Wildfire Risk Mitigation Outreach Efforts	P. Lee (D) T. Story (D) / L. Cutter (D) M. Snyder (D)	Wildfire Matters Review Committee. The bill requires the Colorado state forest service (forest service) to convene a working group (working group) that includes the division of fire prevention and control in the department of public safety (DFPC) and the United States forest service (USFS), and that may include other local, state, or federal partners and entities engaged in wildfire risk mitigation in the wildland-urban interface (WUI). The working group shall consider how best to conduct enhanced wildfire awareness month outreach campaigns in 2023 and 2024, as well as other outreach efforts that inform and motivate residents in the WUI to engage in more wildfire risk mitigation. The working group's considerations also include how best to distribute educational resources and information and which methods of outreach are most effective in reaching the targeted audience. After considering feedback from the working group, and subject to available appropriations, the forest service shall implement an enhanced wildfire awareness month outreach campaign in conjunction with the DFPC and the USFS in 2023 and 2024, as well as other outreach efforts in the 2022-23 and 2023-24 state fiscal years. In implementing an enhanced wildfire awareness month outreach campaign and other outreach efforts, the forest service may, subject to available appropriations: Develop or contract for the development or placement of marketing and educational materials, including videos, direct mail, social media, print media, television and radio spots, and billboards; Conduct or contract for educational events targeted to residents in the WUI; Retain consultants, as necessary, to implement all or part of an outreach campaign, as well as other		NOT ON CALENDAR	1/12/2022 Introduced In Senate - Assigned to Local Government
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SB22-010	Pretrial Diversion For Person With Behavioral Health	C. Simpson (R) P. Lee (D) / A. Benavidez (D) J. Amabile (D)	Legislative Oversight Committee Concerning the Treatment of Persons with Mental Health Disorders in the Criminal and Juvenile Justice Systems. The bill expands the existing pretrial diversion program to include diversion programs that are intended to identify eligible individuals with behavioral health disorders and divert such individuals out of the criminal justice system and into community treatment programs. This expansion replaces the alternative pilot programs to divert individuals with mental health conditions that are currently set to repeal July 1, 2022.(Note: This summary applies to this bill as introduced.)		NOT ON CALENDAR	1/12/2022 Introduced In Senate - Assigned to Judiciary
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SB22-016	Modifying Department Of Transportation Governance	R. Scott (R)	The membership of the transportation commission (commission) currently consists of 11 members appointed by the governor with the consent of the senate from statutorily designated districts. If the bill is approved by the voters of the state at the November 2022 general election, on February 1, 2025, section 2 of the bill will replace the current membership of the commission with 9 members elected at the November 2024 general election, one from each congressional district of the state and one from the state at large. Thereafter, whenever the number of congressional districts in the state is odd, the membership of the commission consists of one member elected from each congressional district of the state, and whenever the number of congressional districts in the state is even, the membership of the commission consists of one member elected from each congressional district of the state and one member elected from the state at large. Commission members' terms are 4 years; except that: The initial terms of the members elected at the 2024 general election from the first, third, fifth, and seventh congressional districts and the initial term of the member elected from the state at large are 2 years; and Whenever congressional redistricting changes the number of congressional districts from even to odd, the term of the member of the commission elected from the state at large who is serving on the effective date of the redistricting ends upon the commencement of the terms of the members of the commission elected at the first general election held after the redistricting occurs. The governor is required to fill any vacancy that may occur in the commission. An individual appointed to fill a vacancy remains a member of the commission	cuts west slope representation	NOT ON CALENDAR	1/12/2022 Introduced In Senate - Assigned to Transportation & Energy
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SB22-018	Expand Court Reminder Program	P. Lee (D) J. Cooke (R) / A. Benavidez (D) M. Soper (R)	Under existing law, the court reminder program (program) provides 2 text message reminders to criminal defendants and juveniles who have been alleged to have committed a delinquent act (collectively, "defendants") to appear at each of their scheduled court appearances. The defendants must enroll in the program and provide a telephone number specifically for the purposes of the program. The bill requires every defendant to be automatically enrolled in the program and allows a defendant to opt out of the program. The bill clarifies that defendants alleged to have committed traffic offenses are enrolled in the program. The bill requires the program to use the best contact information available to the courts. The bill requires the program to provide at least 3 reminders, including one reminder the day before the court appearance, and, for court appearances that can be attended virtually, the final reminder must include a link to the virtual court appearance. The program must send reminders by text message, but may use another method if a defendant is unable to receive text messages. The program is required to track the number of defendants that opt out of the program and to implement or recommend changes to improve participation. The judicial department is required to report information regarding reminders sent by methods other than text message. Because defendants are automatically enrolled in the program, the bill repeals provisions related to notifying defendants of the opportunity to enroll in the program. (Note: This summary applies to this bill as introduced.)		NOT ON CALENDAR	1/12/2022 Introduced In Senate - Assigned to Judiciary
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SB22-031	Prohibit Hunting Bobcat Lynx And Mountain Lion	S. Jaquez Lewis (D) J. Ginal (D) / J. Amabile (D) M. Duran (D)	Current law allows, when authorized by the parks and wildlife commission (commission), a person to hunt and take a bobcat or mountain lion. The bill generally prohibits shooting, wounding, killing, or trapping a bobcat, Canada lynx, or mountain lion. The bill allows for the shooting, wounding, killing, or trapping or the attempted shooting, wounding, killing, or trapping if it is: Immediately necessary to protect an individual from bodily harm; By a peace officer or licensed veterinarian acting in the course and scope of their duties; By a federal, state, or local department of health to protect human health or safety; Authorized by a scientific collecting license; Authorized by a wildlife sanctuary license; Authorized by a commercial wildlife park license, unless the license authorizes the licensee to shoot, wound, kill, or engage in trapping bobcats, Canada lynx, or mountain lions; By a zoological park accredited by the Association of Zoos and Aquariums or is authorized by a zoological park license; Expressly authorized by federal law; By the division of parks and wildlife (division) for the protection of a threatened species or an endangered species; or By the division for the purpose of relocating the animal and is done using nonlethal methods and devices. A person that shoots, wounds, or kills a bobcat, Canada lynx, or mountain lion to prevent bodily harm to an individual must notify the division within 24 hours after the incident and may not, without authorization from the division, remove from the site, retain, or transfer all or a portion of the bobcat, Canada lynx, or mountain lion. The bill also establishes an exception for a livestock owner if the shooting, wounding, killing, or trapping of a bobcat or mountain lion occurs on land owned or leased by the	Per Jeff Comstock: 1. lion kills a deer a week. Won't help deciling deer population. 2. Linx already have protections from the reintroduction process established in a CPW Plan, this overrides the plan 3. Conservation- every wildlife needs to be managed, we are not in Yellowstone. Hunting is the most controlled management 4. ranchers don't need lion predation added to wolf predation. 5. mountain lions are maintained by quota by lion unit, meaning they are population managed- its not a free-for-all like varmint kills. If there was no quota's it would be different. 6. Field and Stream magazine just reported that Washington State Counties just called for extended lion hunting season because lions were the major killer (54) elk calves out of 125 calve deaths this year	NOT ON CALENDAR	1/12/2022 Introduced In Senate - Assigned to Agriculture & Natural Resources
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SB22-032	Simplify Local Sales & Use Tax Administration	J. Bridges (D) R. Woodward (R) / C. Kipp (D) K. Van Winkle (R)	Sales and Use Tax Simplification Task Force. In order to enable the streamlining of the imposition, collection, and administration of sales and use taxes imposed by local taxing jurisdictions on retail sales made by retailers that have a state standard retail license and either do not have physical presence in a local taxing jurisdiction or have only incidental physical presence in a local taxing jurisdiction through the streamlining of application requirements for and elimination of fees for local general business licenses, the bill requires the department of revenue (department) to require sufficient information to be collected from such a retailer, when the retailer applies for or renews a state standard retail business license through the state's electronic sales and use tax simplification system (SUTS) or by other means or at any other time to the extent necessary, and made available to local taxing jurisdictions to ensure that concerns of local taxing jurisdictions, including but not limited to concerns relating to administrative efficiency, retailer compliance, and collection of sales and use tax revenue are addressed. The department is required to consult with local taxing jurisdictions when determining what information to collect and how to make the information collected available to local taxing jurisdictions and making and testing modifications. The department is also required to consult with retailers and to address any reasonable concerns they may have. The department is required to accomplish these tasks expeditiously so that no later than July 1, 2023, and sooner if feasible, a retailer that has a state standard retail license and either does not have physical presence within a local taxing jurisdiction or	the bill reduces fee revenue to local taxing jurisdictions that use SUTS, as they are prohibited from charging a fee to relevant retailers	NOT ON CALENDAR	1/12/2022 Introduced In Senate - Assigned to Business, Labor, & Technology
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SB22-041	Pretrial Release For Repeat And Violent Offenders	R. Woodward (R) / M. Bradfield (R) M. Soper (R)	Current law prohibits a court from releasing a person on an unsecured personal recognizance bond without consent of the district attorney or unless the court imposes certain additional individualized conditions of release if the person is presently free on another bond of any kind in another criminal action involving a felony or a class 1 misdemeanor, has a record of conviction of a class 1 misdemeanor within 2 years or a felony within 5 years, has willfully failed to appear on bond in any case involving a felony or a class 1 misdemeanor charge in the preceding 5 years (collectively, persons accused of repeat or violent offenses). The bill removes the provisions regarding district attorney consent and additional conditions of release and prohibits a court from releasing a person accused of repeat or violent offenses on any unsecured personal recognizance bond. The bill adds to persons accused of repeat or violent offenses a person who is accused of committing a crime of violence and the court finds probable cause to believe that the person has committed the offense. Existing law requires any monetary condition of pre-trial release to be reasonable. The bill clarifies that for a person accused of repeat or violent offenses, a reasonable monetary condition is at least \$7,500. (Note: This summary applies to this bill as introduced.)		NOT ON CALENDAR	1/14/2022 Introduced In Senate - Assigned to Judiciary
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SB22-051	Policies To Reduce Emissions From Built Environment	C. Hansen (D)	The bill specifies that air-source and ground-source heat pump systems are household furnishings exempt from the levy and collection of property tax. The bill exempts air-source and ground-source heat pump systems from the definition of "fixtures" for property tax purposes. Beginning July 1, 2024, the bill exempts from state sales and use tax all sales, storage, and use of eligible decarbonizing building materials. "Eligible decarbonizing building materials" are defined as building materials that have a maximum acceptable global warming potential as determined by the office of the state architect. In addition, beginning January 1, 2023, the bill exempts from state sales and use tax all sales, storage, and use of air-source and ground-source heat pump systems that are used in commercial or residential buildings. The bill specifies that a statutory town, city, or county may exempt the same items only by express inclusion of the exemption in its initial sales tax ordinance or resolution or by amendment thereto. (Note: This summary applies to this bill as introduced.)		NOT ON CALENDAR	1/18/2022 Introduced In Senate - Assigned to Transportation & Energy
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SB22-063	Property Ownership Fairness Act	L. Liston (R) / A. Pico (R)	The bill enacts the "Property Ownership Fairness Act" (act). The bill entitles a property owner to seek just compensation from a governmental entity that enacts a land use law reducing the right of a property owner to use, divide, sell, or possess their property and reducing the fair market value of the property. The bill sets forth the procedure by which a property owner can demand just compensation and sets forth exceptions where a property owner is not entitled to seek just compensation for a land use law. Additionally, the bill prohibits a governmental entity from enacting a land use law that caps residential building permits issued in a single or multi-year period with the intent of limiting growth or development.(Note: This summary applies to this bill as introduced.)		NOT ON CALENDAR	1/18/2022 Introduced In Senate - Assigned to State, Veterans, & Military Affairs
SB22-065	Modification To County Coroners' Salaries	D. Hisey (R) T. Story (D)	Beginning January 1, 2023, the bill increases the salary of newly elected or reelected category II county coroners to match the salary of category II county treasurers. The bill also allows a category II county coroner position to be a part-time position, if desired by a coroner. The bill allows category III and category IV county coroners to work full-time if full-time work is agreed upon in consultation with the county commissioners. For a category III or category IV county that has a full-time county coroner only, the bill increases the salary of a newly elected or reelected county coroner to match the salary of the county treasurer.(Note: This summary applies to this bill as introduced.)		NOT ON CALENDAR	1/18/2022 Introduced In Senate - Assigned to Local Government