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New Public Works Building Dedication

The Town of Winter Park announced the completion of the Public Works building on January 26. The building is named the Jim Myers Public Works Building. The need for a new building was determined back in 2016 when the Town conducted a facilities master plan and realized that the Public Works building needed to be a number one priority. The structure was dilapidated, too small, inefficient, and didn't fit the Town's growth needs. A new Public Works building will benefit the Public Works staff and the Town as a whole. The new building is roughly 25,000 square feet, tripling the size of the old facility.

[Learn more](#)



New Council Member Appointment

Winter Park Town Council appointed our newest council member, Rebecca Kaufman, as the seventh seat last Tuesday. Kaufman will be fulfilling Chris Seemann's term that will end in April 2022. Kaufman brings the experience as a small business owner, resident of 12 years, and committed community service advocate to Council. "I am honored and so thankful for the opportunity to serve on The Winter Park Town Council. I'm inspired by the work the Town Council and Town Staff have completed to this date. I am humbled at the opportunity to serve a community that has given me so much and excited and ready to get to work and help in any way possible," Rebecca said.

Learn more about Rebecca Kaufman here!



Police Certificate

The Fraser Winter Park Police Department announced last week that their agency has been certified by the Colorado Attorney General as meeting the requirements of Presidential Order #13929 – "Safe Policing for Safe Communities." Under the Order, Colorado Peace Officer Standards and Training (POST) was selected as the organization responsible for certifying law enforcement agencies in the State of Colorado, and the Police Department applies for the certification in December. **Read more about the Police Certificate program here!**



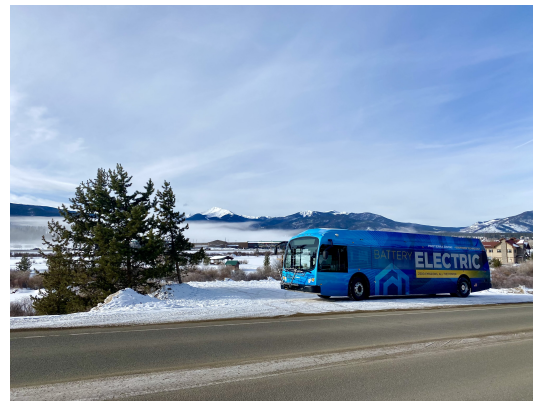


STR Open House Follow Up

The open house on January 26th was a success! Many residents provided comments during the first open house presentation. Comments can still be submitted through February 9th for the short term rental advisory committee when they meet to finalize the short-term rental policy. **Read more about the STR Open House here!**

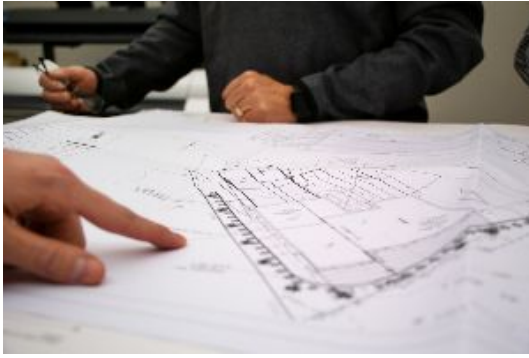
Electric Bus Demos

The Lift and Proterra have been testing performance of the ZX5 MAX +DuoPower Technology on the year-round Black Line route from Winter Park Resort to Fraser. With the goal of completely electrifying The Lifts fleet by 2035, part of The Town of Winter Park's Sustainability Initiative, it is pertinent to complete route testing of this new technology. To date, Proterra has helped more than 100 public transit customers throughout the continent implement battery-electric buses and charging infrastructure. In Colorado, several transit agencies like Summit Stage in Frisco, ECO Transit in Gypsum, and Breckenridge Free Ride have already begun the transition to battery electric. **Read more about the Electric Bus Demos here!**



Updated Design Guidelines

The Town of Winter Park is excited to announce that the 2021 Design Guidelines are nearing adoption! This update ensures our built environment is



high-quality and visually appealing, matching the vision in the Imagine Winter Park master plan. The Council will hold their second reading for the approving ordinance on Tuesday, February 16th at 5:30 p.m. **View the draft here!**

Upcoming Events

All events take place in Winter Park Town Hall, 50 Vasquez Road, unless otherwise noted. Due to COVID-19, many of our meetings will be held virtually. **Please look at the meeting agenda documents for participation information in Town Council meetings.**

Planning Commission Meeting

Tuesday, Feb. 9 at 8:00 a.m.

Town Council Workshop

Tuesday, Feb. 16 at 3:00 p.m.

Short Term Rental Meeting

Tuesday, Feb. 9 at 3:00 p.m.

Town Council Meeting

Tuesday, Feb. 16 at 5:30 p.m.

Transit Advisory Meeting

Monday, Feb. 15 at 4:00 p.m.

Planning Commission Meeting

Tuesday, Feb. 23 at 8:00 a.m.

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