

ON A FIRST NAME BASIS

TOWN OF ELIZABETH NEWS



The 2022 Town of Elizabeth annual **Christmas Lights Contest Winners** are:

Residential –

- 143 E. Logan Street – 1st place
- 355 Evans Blvd. - 2nd place
- 407 Liberty St. – 3rd place

Businesses -

- Catalina’s Dinner – 1st place
- Mountain Man – 2nd place
- El Pinito – 3rd place

Congratulations to all of our winners! **Thank you** to everyone for your beautiful decorations.

This year’s contest was judged by Karli, Student Liaison to the Town Board.



Meet your Mayor:

"Hello Elizabeth! As a quick introduction to those I haven't had the opportunity to meet yet, my name is Nick Snively. My family and I moved to Colorado in 2011. I have two daughters in high school, a son in elementary school, and have been married to my wife, Erinn, for the last 18 years. My family, job, and the work I do with the Town are usually enough to keep me decently busy most days.

I am very excited for what 2023 can bring within our Town and look forward to what we can do together as a community. I have a lot of ideas and plans to help enhance the communication between the Town, our Board of Trustees, and our residents. Keep an eye out in early 2023 for plans to create lots of opportunities to hear from you! In the meantime, please don't hesitate to reach out with any questions.

I am proud to be a part of this community and look forward to a great new year with you!"

A few words from Town Administrator Patrick Davidson:

As I come to the end of my first year as Elizabeth’s Town Administrator, I want to take a moment to thank everyone who has made me feel welcomed to my new home. It is a great pleasure and honor to serve in this role, and I am excited for this next year. In the upcoming months, we will be working on identifying new and inventive ways to convey more information to our residents and those in the surrounding community. Communication is key to Town operations, but all communities are struggling now to determine the best way to “get the word out”. We will continue to make use of this Newsletter, but we will also be working on ways to improve our website, make better use of social media, and foster public meetings. As we do a better job of getting information to you, I would ask that you also participate in the process and let us know what is, and what is not, working in providing you the information that you need in the future. In closing, I wish everyone a Happy New Year.



At the December 13th Regular Board meeting Mayor Megan Vasquez stepped down and Mayor Nick Snively was sworn into office. Tammy Payne and Loren Einspahr were sworn into their four-year terms as Trustees. Trustee Linda Secrist was voted in as Mayor Pro Tem.

During the week of December 19, 2022, Board members and volunteers had the joy of creating gift bags for seniors. Small gifts and wishes for Happy Holidays were delivered to seniors in the area. We want to give special thanks to the following for their kindness and generosity: Citizens of Elizabeth and our neighboring communities of Elbert and Kiowa, Town of Elizabeth, local knitting group, Running Creek Elementary students, Kappa Rho, and Bill Mock.

Keep your eyes open for an upcoming community input meeting on the design of a future Senior Community Center. These meetings are planned for the first part of 2023. The Town is working with DOLA and the University of Colorado Denver Architecture and Planning Interns.

January 1, 2023 is the start of a New Year and we want to put out a few reminders in the first newsletter for 2023.

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You can find meeting dates, times, upcoming events, What's New, and much more on the Town website.

www.townofelizabeth.org.

The Town has a Facebook page <https://www.facebook.com/townofelizabethcolorado/>.

Meeting Dates and Times: All meetings are posted on the Town website and on the outside information Board.

Board of Trustee meetings are the second and fourth Tuesday of the month. Meetings start at 7:00 pm.

Planning Commission meetings are the first and third Tuesday of the month. Meetings start at 6:30 pm.

Historic Advisory Board meetings are the first Monday of the month at 4:30 pm.

Main Street Board of Directors meetings are the second Monday of the month. Meetings start at 8:30 am.

These meetings are open to the public.

Free Christmas Tree Recycle Drop-Off
303 Washington St.
Elizabeth, CO. 80107
Drop off is open to Town residents only.
Please call to set up a time for access to the
lot for drop off.
303-646-0916



As a reminder, water bills can be paid online through the Town website; via text message; over the phone at 844-916-1494; or by dropping off payment at Town Hall. Please note: Credit Card/ACH fees are applied even when you pay over the phone with the Utility Billing Clerk.

If there are any Town related topics that you would like to hear more about in the newsletter, please give us a call or drop us an email (moeser@townofelizabeth.org) and let us know! Feel free to give us your observations and comments.