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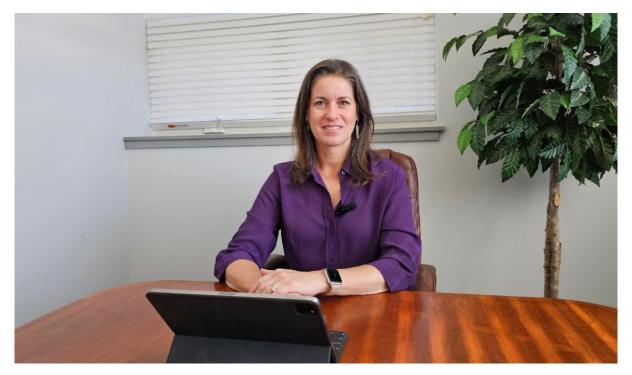
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Mondays with the Mayor

On this week's "Mondays with the Mayor", Mayor Laura Weinberg discussed the following topics:

- The retirement of the <u>citycouncil@cityofgolden.net</u> email. Moving forward please continue to use <u>publiccomments@cityofgolden.net</u> and <u>councilcomments@cityofgold</u> <u>en.net</u>.
- The <u>"Fix it" tool</u> as an option to report problems around the city.
- A reminder that the 2024 election is right around the corner. There are many ballot drop-off locations around the city. Today is the last day you are recommended to submit your ballot via mail.
- The Budget Open House that occurred yesterday evening.
- Trick-or-Treat Street is this Thursday on Washington Avenue from 3 to 5 p.m. Please remember that the road will be closed from 2:45 to 5:30 p.m.
- Coffee with Councilors at 10 a.m. this Saturday in the Golden Community Center.
- A reminder that next week is the biannual yard waste collection week for members of the Pay-as-You-Throw Program

As always you can watch a recording of the live stream on the **City's Facebook Page**.



Trick or Treat Street on Washington Avenue Thursday, October 31, 3:00-5:00 p.m.

Bring your young ghosts and ghouls to walk the avenue in costume, collecting candy from the downtown merchants. Washington Avenue will be closed from 11th Street to 14th Street from 2:45 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.

The event is made possible by the generosity of the downtown Golden merchants.



LAST CHANCE Heart of Golden Community Meeting #2 Feedback

Were you unable to join for the second Heart of Golden Community Meeting? No problem! You can <u>watch the presentation</u> and share your feedback online at <u>Guiding Golden</u> through October 31.

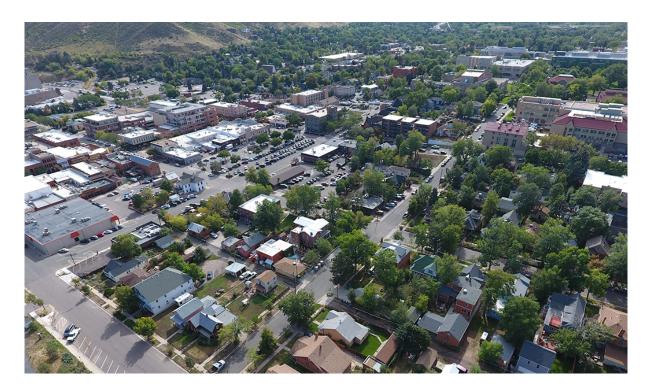
The Heart of Golden project aims to make the Clear Creek Corridor more useable and desirable for residents while providing needed space for Police and City services.



REDI Block Party and City Comprehensive Public Engagement Opportunity CANCELLED

Unfortunately, due to the forecasted weather, the REDI Block Party and the associated City Comprehensive Plan engagement event scheduled for tomorrow have been canceled.

Please stay tuned to our channels for updates on rescheduling these events.



Biennial Budget Meeting Online Feedback Opportunity

The City of Golden is working on the 2025-2026 biennial budget process and would like your input to ensure that our priorities match up with community expectations.

If you could not attend last night's meeting, you can still provide feedback online through the <u>Guiding Golden page</u>.



LAST CHANCE What Made You Fall in Love with Golden?

Capture the beauty of autumn in Golden and share your favorite Fall photos for a chance to be featured on the City of Golden website, social media, and publications! Submit your best snapshots for a chance to win a \$25 gift card to a local establishment. The deadline is **October 31**, and the leaves are falling, so hurry and grab those photos.

Submit your photos today to <u>communications@cityofgolden.net</u>.



Coffee with Councilors Saturday, November 2, 10:00 a.m. at the Golden Community Center

Come connect with your neighbors and Council members at Coffee with Councilors, held on the first Saturday of each month at 10 a.m. in the Bear Creek South room at the Golden Community Center (1470 10th St.).

Upcoming Highlight:

• Get the latest on the Heart of Golden project, including updates on the new Police and City Services building.

Bring your thoughts, ideas, and questions—let's engage in a meaningful conversation about our community!



Election Season in Golden

Election Day is set for November 5, 2024! Make sure to plan ahead and consider voting early if possible. The City of Golden has a 24 hour drop off ballot box in front of City Hall and will serve as a voting center on Monday, November 4th, from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., and on Election Day, November 5th, from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Need help finding a ballot drop-off location or in-person voting center near you? Please visit the **Elections Division web page.**



Your Child Could Light the Lights at the Annual Golden Candlelight Walk!

Golden Paws Spa and Animal Hospital is proud to sponsor the Official Light the Lights Contest, kicking off on November 1. This fun opportunity invites Golden kids ages 12 and under to enter a drawing for the chance to flip the switch and light up Golden during the iconic Candlelight Walk!

Here's how to enter: Starting November 1, children aged 12 and under can drop one entry per person into a drawing box at one of two locations:

- Golden Paws Animal Hospital at 701 Pine Ridge Road
- Golden Paws Grooming at 109 N. Rubey Drive, Unit C

Entries will be collected through December 1, and on Monday, December 2, one lucky child's name will be drawn.



Fall Yard Waste Collection Week

It's that time of year again! As you tidy up fallen leaves in your yard, please remember that blowing or placing them into the street is prohibited by law. Thank you for helping keep our community clean and safe!

For City's Pay-As-You-Throw Program members, the fall yard waste collection days are November 4-8. Learn more and read the collection guidelines <u>online.</u>



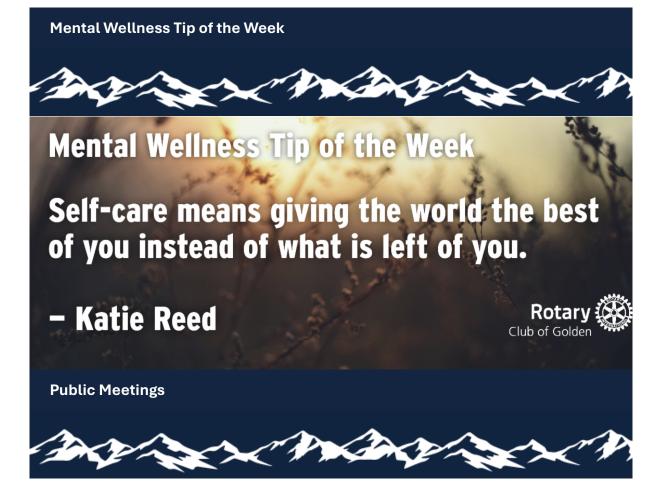
Snow Plow Ops

Winter weather is upon us with snow anticipated to fall for the first time this season today! You can view the City's progress on streets and sidewalks on the <u>Plow Ops webpage</u>.



Upcoming Home Games

Wrestling Mines Rookie Open -- Sunday, Nov. 3 @ 10 a.m. Women's Soccer vs. Westminster -- Sunday, Nov. 3 @ 1 p.m. Men's Soccer vs. MSU Denver -- Wednesday, Nov. 6 @ 6 p.m.



All public meetings in Council Chambers are available to watch on the <u>Agendas</u> <u>and Meetings page</u>; most are both recorded and livestreamed. Meetings in Council Chambers that are not available via livestream will be denoted by an asterisk (*). Off-site meetings are audio recorded and uploaded as soon as possible.

Planning Commission Regular Meeting Wednesday, November 6, 6:30 p.m. | Council Chambers at 911 10th St.



Right of Way Closures

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- October 21 through November 8
- Monday Friday 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

W 4th Avenue

- Full closure of W 4th Avenue from Poppy Street to the development site
- Through November 1
- Monday Friday 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.
- Access to Golden Heights Park from W 4th Avenue will be open on weekends
- Access and parking to Golden Heights Park still open from W 2nd Place

Washington Ave – Holiday decor installation

- One lane road with flaggers from 10th St to 11th Street
- Sidewalk closure with a detour to the opposite side of the street
- November 1, 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Colorado School of Mines: The CSM campus has various closures. Check ROW permitting map below for details.

2024 Street Improvement Program

Work is underway on the street paving program. The contractor will distribute door hanger notifications 24 hours in advance to residents on streets that will be paved, along with street sign notifications at least 24 hours in advance for no parking areas or other impacts. Schedules can change on very short notice due to weather, equipment breakdowns, etc., so please pay close attention to the signage provided by the contractor. Please contact jhardy@cityofgolden.net if you have any questions. Streets under construction:

- W 10th Avenue from Johnson Road to Jeffco Parkway
- Jeffco Parkway from W 10th Avenue to Illinois Street

Public Road Closures

Wondering about road closures that might impact your drive? Check out the **Public Road Closures map** for an update on all current permitted street closures in Golden.



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