

The Village Crier



MAY / JUNE 2014

2014 REGULAR MUNICIPAL ELECTION NOVEMBER 4, 2014

The City of Cherry Hills Village will be holding its regular municipal election as a coordinated election with Arapahoe County on **Tuesday November 4, 2014**. Every registered voter will receive a **mail ballot** for this election from the County. You can mail in your ballot to Arapahoe County or drop it off at any of the designated ballot drop-off sites, including the Village Center. Every voter also has the option of surrendering their mail ballot and vote in person at any one of the several Vote Centers in Arapahoe County. Arapahoe County will have a final list of Vote Centers and ballot drop-off sites as the election date gets closer. You can visit www.arapahoevotes.com for more information. The City will also provide updated information on its website, www.cherryhillsvillage.com.

There are four City Council seats up for election: Mayor (currently held by **Doug Tisdale**), District 2 Councilmember (currently held by **Russell Stewart**), District 4 Councilmember (currently held by **Scott Roswell**), and District 6 Councilmember (currently held by **Katy Brown**). Councilors Stewart and Roswell are term limited and may not run again.

Currently, there are no other issues on the ballot.

IMPORTANT ELECTION DATES

August 5, 2014 – First day candidate nomination petitions may be circulated; Candidate Information Session at the Village Center (see below for details)

August 25, 2014 – Candidate nomination petitions are due to the City Clerk by 4:30 p.m.

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TIMELINE & PROCEDURES*

GEORGE W. CALKINS TRUST SUBDIVISION RECEIVES PRELIMINARY APPROVAL FROM THE CITY COUNCIL

At the May 6th City Council meeting a proposal to subdivide the George W. Calkins Trust property received preliminary approval from the City Council. The 18-acre property, located southeast of the E. Quincy Avenue and S. Dahlia Street intersection, is proposed to be divided into seven home sites, ranging in size from 2.5 to 3.2 acres.

The proposal includes a series of design requirements limiting fence height, buildable areas on the lots and landscaping height in order to preserve mountain views from E. Quincy Avenue and internal to the subdivision. The proposal also includes dedicating trail and open space easements to the Village including an open space overlook easement at the northeast corner of the property and a trail connection from E. Quincy Avenue through the subdivision connecting the S. Dahlia Street.

The City Council approval followed months of extensive discussions and public hearings with the Parks, Trails and Recreation Commission and Planning & Zoning Commission on the subdivision proposal, with much of the discussion focusing on view preservation and trail connections. With the preliminary approval completed, the developer is now able to finalize the details of the subdivision and will submit the final documentation to the City Council at an upcoming meeting.



MESSAGE FROM THE MAYOR



Mayor Doug Tisdale

A VERBAL “INSTAGRAM” OF CHERRY HILLS VILLAGE

“Cherry Hills Village is Covered!”

One of those necessary things in life that we don't like to think about much is insurance. Car insurance. Homeowner's insurance. Medical insurance. The list goes on and on.

Cities need insurance, too. Workers' comp. Employers' liability. Property. General Liability. Public Officials Errors and Omissions. Law Enforcement and Police Professional Liability. And on and on.

The potential for claims against cities is very high because of the nature of things that we do. While there are usually no, or very few claims, the risk always high. So how do cities get that necessary insurance?

In Colorado we have the benefit of the Colorado Intergovernmental Risk-Sharing Association (CIRSA). CIRSA, directly and through excess coverage lines provided by three large, secure providers, insures Cherry Hills Village—along with 259 other municipalities in Colorado. There are only about 28 cities and towns in Colorado that are not covered by CIRSA, several of which are self-insured.

CIRSA was formed at 12:01 AM on January 1, 1982 by 18 pioneering municipalities, including Cherry Hills Village. Good thing for us! About 29 minutes after CIRSA was formed, it had its first claim filed—a Cherry Hills police car caught on fire and was burned to the ground. Thirty-two years later, we are still a part of this excellent organization, providing protection to the taxpayers of Cherry Hills

“Cherry Hills Police Department is Accredited!”

Recently Chief of Police Michelle Tovrea was presented with a plaque and certificate by Chief John Jackson of the Greenwood Village Police Department, President-Elect of the Colorado Association of Chiefs of Police. This was no ordinary award. After months of diligent work by Chief Tovrea and her hard working staff, our Police Department received formal accreditation as an exceptional police department by the Association of Chiefs of Police. This honor is held by only 44 of the 232 police departments in the State of Colorado. Congratulations to Chief Tovrea and our entire department, and to City Manager John Patterson, who was Chief Tovrea's predecessor in the PD. This accreditation is also likely to serve as a basis for a reduction in our insurance premiums.

“Cherry Hills is in a Special Relationship with CDOT.”

The Colorado Department of Transportation is very important to our Village. CDOT is responsible for the maintenance of State Highways 88 and 177 and US Highway 285. You probably know them by their more popular names: Belleview Avenue, University Boulevard and Hampden Boulevard. These critically important arterials receive a relentless pounding from vehicles passing over them 24 hours a day. And winters in Colorado present a particular problem: potholes that can severely damage your car's suspension. At the request of Your Mayor, CDOT Regional Director Tony DeVito appeared before our City Council recently and updated us on a number of projects affecting the Village, including the continuing repair of potholes. And you have this assurance from your Village: if you encounter a particularly nasty pothole on one of these highways, call Your Mayor! He has the direct lines to CDOT Executive Director Don Hunt and Regional Director Tony DeVito. Those potholes WILL be filled in! Remember, that is a CDOT repair item. It is not the responsibility of our Public Works Department. As much as we'd like to take care of those highways, state law requires that CDOT do the work. But rest assured that they will respond timely!

“Cherry Hills is the home of the #1 Best Staff of Any Colorado City!”

Your Mayor has often taken the time to thank all of the other elected and appointed officials who serve in the Village: the members of the City Council, the Planning and Zoning Commission, the Parks Trails and Recreation Commission, the Public Art Commission and the Board of Adjustment. These VOLUNTEERS devote countless uncompensated hours to keeping Cherry Hills Village as The #1 Best Suburb of America to Live In. We thank them all again. And now we want to take a separate moment to applaud and appreciate our incredible staff. They are competent, dedicated, diligent, hard-working, loyal and trustworthy. These All Stars include: City Manager John Patterson, Police Chief Michelle Tovrea, Public Works Director/Deputy City Manager Jay Goldie, Finance Director Karen Proctor, City Clerk Laura Smith, Community Development Director Rob Zuccaro, Municipal Court Clerk Jessica Sager, Human Relations Analyst Kathryn Barlow, Special Projects Coordinator Emily Kropf, Parks Trails and Rec Administrator Ryan Berninzoni, Police Clerk Sarah Henderson, Public Works Manager Ralph Mason, Public Works/Parks Clerk Pamela Broyles, and Community Development Clerk Cesarina Dancy. We, the recipients of your good service, give humble and hearty thanks for all that you do!

“Cherry Hills is Engaged!”

Always remember that our Village is an island of splendor in the heart of one of the most dynamic, vibrant metropolitan regions in the United States, populated by the most philanthropically minded citizens in the country. We are secluded but not isolated, exclusive but not exclusory, insulated but not insular. We may be viewed as out of reach, but we certainly are not out of touch. We're engaged!

And that, Dear Villagers, is a very brief word picture of what Cherry Hills Village is!

FROM CHV POLICE DEPARTMENT

House Watch Program

The Police Department's house watch program is a community program that allows residents to request additional police patrol of their unoccupied residential property due to vacation, relocation or other absence of the resident. To request a period of additional patrol of your unoccupied residence, please contact the Police Department with the following information:

- Name, address and telephone number
- Dates of departure and return
- Name and telephone number of an emergency contact
- Specific information regarding your residence, such as persons who have permission to go inside your residence, whether an alarm system will be activated, if lights will be on timers and if there will be any pets left at the residence.

To fill out the house watch form online you can visit: <http://cherryhillsvillage.com/housewatch.aspx> or you can call the Police Department during normal business hours (Monday-Friday 8:00-4:30) at the Police Department office number (303) 761-8711.

MUNICIPAL COURT CLERK ACCEPTS ACCOUNTING CLERK POSITION



Municipal Court Clerk, **Jessica Sager**, has accepted a new position with the City of Cherry Hills Village and will be the new Accounting Clerk/Administrative Staff Team Leader. Mrs. Sager has been with the City since 2005. In 2011, she became the first Municipal Court Clerk in Cherry Hills Village history to become a certified Court Clerk by Michigan State University. For the past five years, Mrs. Sager has been working with the Finance Department on an as needed basis and will move into the position full time once a new Municipal Court Clerk has been trained. Mrs. Sager is excited to take on the challenges this new position will offer and is looking forward to serving the Cherry Hills Village residents in a different capacity.

Ed note: Jessica is also an invaluable asset to the production of each Crier. She is the liaison between the editing of each issue and articles that come from City staff; through this connection, she helps make each issue that much more informative to CHV residents. Hats off to one of our own!

REMINDERS FROM CODE ENFORCEMENT

WEED CONTROL

The Code Enforcement Department sends out notices for weeds that are over ten inches in height. If the problem is not corrected, the owner can be given a citation.

TRASH & MOWING RIGHTS OF WAY

Other common complaints for Code Enforcement are: uncovered trash, piles of branches, left over construction material, broken fences, trees and bushes growing in the right-of-way and/or obstructing traffic views at intersections, and dead or diseased trees. Residents are responsible for mowing grass and weeds in rights of way that abut their property.

KEEPING CITY RIGHTS OF WAY CLEAR

Residents who have landscaping crews at their property must let them know that the City does not allow dumping or storage of any landscaping materials (i.e. mulch, dirt, rocks, etc) on City streets or in rights-of-way. Residents should also make sure that roll-off dumpsters or port-a-lets are not placed on any City streets or in the rights-of-way.

CONSTRUCTION HOURS

In the City of Cherry Hills Village, construction hours are Monday-Friday from 7:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. and Saturday from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. **Interior construction ONLY is allowed on Sunday within an entirely enclosed structure from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.**

For questions or complaints, call the Code Enforcement hotline at **303-783-2752**. You can also contact Code Enforcement Officer, **Chuck Friend**, at **303-783-2724**.

SPRING CLEAN-UP BIG SUCCESS

Fast becoming the most popular event sponsored by Cherry Hills Village, the annual "Spring Clean Up" was a huge success this year. New to 2014, the City teamed up with Goodwill for electronics recycle program and over 9,200 lbs. of electronics were collected. These electronic will be reused and recycled through Goodwill. All data was removed from any computers prior to destruction or reuse. Additionally 1000 lbs. of old TV's that could not be recycled by Goodwill were recycled through Waste Management.

Over 10,000 lbs. of paper were shredded and an additional truck was required due to the sheer volume. Next year, two trucks will be on hand to help speed up the process. An estimated 20,000 lbs. or around 2500 gallons of paint were collected for recycling, and 36 tons of yard waste and rubbish were collected over a 10 day period.

Next year look for the addition of metal recycling and the possibility of a similar event in the fall.

CITY COUNCIL & STAFF HOLD 2014 RETREAT

REPORT FROM CITY MANAGER JOHN PATTERSON



The City Council and Staff held their annual retreat on May 31st. At this year's retreat, items on the agenda included updates on the goals and objectives given to Staff at the Council Mini-Retreat in June of 2013.

This 2013 list includes on-going (from one year to the next) items: Training for Employees, Open Space & Trails Acquisition, Master Plan Implementation, Long Term Budget Planning/Analysis, CDOT, and Wildlife Management. Shorter term goals are: Village Center Phase II – Public Works Facility Study, Green Building Codes, Cable Television Channel 22, Department Accreditations, and the BMW Golf Tournament.

In order to achieve many of the 2013 goals and objectives, City Manager, John Patterson, notes that the City has established some valuable partnership arrangements with groups outside City Hall such as with Denver Water, the individual schools within the Village, Cherry Hills Country Club, CDOT, the various City Commissions, CIRSA, Mountain States Employment Council, adjacent municipalities, and Arapahoe County.

Patterson notes that "It is always challenging for Staff to deal with the immediate operational demands while staying focused on long term goals."

Many of the 2013 goals are being carried over to 2014, but some more immediate goals were added for Council to consider and comment on at the 2014 Retreat. These include:

Staffing: adding additional Staff to meet increasing demands for additional services

Financial transparency: on-line posting of routine financial information

Solar energy update: cost and implementation

Gravel roads: update on maintenance costs and frequency of repairs

Storm Water: possible formation of a Storm Water Utility

Sewer consolidation: discussion of rate increases

Municipal Code update

BMW (golf tournament) Update

Open Space Discussion – discussion of open space acquisitions, funding sources, creation of working group, and developing master plans for our parks, trails, and open space areas.

2013 ANNUAL REPORT

The City Department Heads are currently working on the annual report for 2013. This report will be posted on the City's website at www.cherryhillsvillage.com or, once it has been completed, a few printed copies will be available to pick up at the Village Center (2450 East Quincy Avenue, office hours: Monday-Friday from 8:00-4:30pm). Please watch the City's website for more information or call 303-783-2720 for more information.

COMMISSION APPOINTMENTS AND RE-APPOINTMENTS

BOAA APPOINTMENTS & THANK YOUS TO OUTGOING MEMBERS

Jennifer Allen and **Bill Rapson** have been appointed to the Village's Board and Adjustment and Appeals (BOAA). The BOAA is a five-member board appointed by the City Council and is responsible for reviewing requests for variances to the Village's zoning codes and appeals to administrative determinations of the Villages zoning and building codes. Board members serve three year terms and must have resided in the Village for a minimum of three years to be eligible for appointment.

The Village wishes to thank **Jamie Seitz** and **Suzy Love** for their service on the Village's Board of Adjustment and Appeal. Ms. Love has served on the Board since 2005 and was the Chairperson over the last year. Mr. Seitz has served on the Board since 2008 and was the Vice Chairperson over the last year. Their service to the Village is truly appreciated.

P T & R APPOINTMENTS AND FAREWELLS

In May, Council re-appointed **Bill Lucas** and **Mike Gallagher** to PT & R, and appointed **Rob Ganger** and **Nina Itin** as new members of the Parks, Trails and Recreation Commission. Mr. Ganger will replace **Jeff Ferrell** and Mrs. Itin will replace **Karen Barsch**. The Village appreciates the community involvement of all the P T & R Commissioners with many thanks to outgoing members Karen Barsch & Jeff Ferrell for their terms of service.

ART COMMISSION APPOINTMENT

Also in May, **Ann Polumbus** was re-appointed to the Public Art Commission. To date, she has served one three-year term. Ann was instrumental in creating the Art Commission which consists of 5 voting members; currently she serves as the Chair of the Commission.

CONGRATULATIONS 2014 GRADUATES!!



HIGH SCHOOL & GRADUATE

Cherry Creek High School

*Peter Nielsen
Jesse Rusch
Dana Sapiro
Sinclair Toffa
Mitchell Valis*



PROUD PARENTS

*Andrew & Nancy Nielsen
Nondo & Carol Capuano
Tom & Teri Sapiro
Antoine & Jill Toffa
Kevin & Regina Valis*



PLANS

*Northeastern University
San Diego State
University of Denver
Duke University
Texas Christian University*

Regis Jesuit High School

Mikaela Myers

Sean & Jennifer Myers

University of Kansas



COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY & GRADUATE

Bucknell University

Kasha Scott, BS Bus. Admnstrtn

PROUD PARENTS

Mark & Jacki Scott

PLANS

Work for GE Capital Corp.

CSU School of Veterinary Medicine

Sarah Anger, DVM

*Michael & Rachel Anger
(in-laws)*

Work for Homestead Animal Hospit.

University of Kansas

William Sherman, BS Civil Engrng

Daniel & Debra Sherman

Field Engineer for A.G. Wassenaar

Miami University (Ohio)

Kelly Scott, BA Communications

Mark & Jacki Scott

Work for NetSuite

Purdue University

Max Anger, BS

Michael & Rachel Anger

Work

School of Mines

*Aidan Seawalt, BS Economics
& Chemical Engineering*

Phillip Seawalt

Chemical Engineer for Chevron

University of Michigan Medical School

Marci B. Pepper, MD

Neil & Cindy Pepper

Medical Residency in Anesthesia

Tulane University

Rebecca Surrey, MS Genetics

Eric & Lisa Surrey

George Washington Medical School

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August 29, 2014 – Last day nomination petitions may be amended; last day for a candidate to withdraw; last day an Affidavit of Intent for Write-In Candidate may be filed with the City Clerk

October 14, 2014 – Ballots will be mailed to each registered voter

October 27, 2014 –Deadline to register to vote by mail or on-line

November 4, 2014 – ELECTION DAY

January 6, 2014 –Newly elected officials are sworn in and take office

CANDIDATE INFORMATION

Qualifications for Office of Mayor and City Council (City Charter Sections 2.5 and 3.2):

- Be a qualified elector of the City of Cherry Hills Village
- Have resided in the City of Cherry Hills Village for not less than one year at time of election
- As a Councilmember be a resident of the district from which you are elected at the time of nomination and during the tenure of your office (Mayor is elected at large)
- Not be a salaried employee of the City during your tenure of office

If you are interested in attending a **Candidate Information Session** on **Tuesday, August 5, 2014**, please contact City Clerk Laura Smith. At the Information Session, City staff and Council Members will discuss the roles and responsibilities of serving on City Council. The Information Session will **only be held if enough interest from potential candidates is expressed**. Contact City Clerk, Laura Smith, at 303-783-2732 or lsmith@cherryhillsvillage.com if you are interested.

Candidate information packets will be available at the Village Center beginning Tuesday, August 5, 2014 and can be picked up between 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday. Information for candidates can also be found on the City's webpage at www.cherryhillsvillage.com. When picking up a candidate packet, residents will be asked to provide their name, address, and the office which they are interested in. This information is necessary for the City to provide updated election information during the campaign.

To be nominated for the election ballot, candidates must obtain signatures of registered electors through a petition process. The petition form, which is included in the candidate packet, can be circulated beginning **Tuesday, August 5, 2014** and must be turned in to the City Clerk's office no later than **4:30 p.m. on Monday, August 25, 2014**. Candidates for Mayor will need to obtain **25 signatures** of registered electors; which can be obtained citywide. Candidates for Councilmember will need to obtain **10 signatures** of registered electors from their respective districts only. Also, the Village Crier is requesting that all candidates fill out a brief candidate profile and submit a digital picture to be included in the September/October Crier. The form is included in the candidate information packet and is due by **August 25, 2014**.

VOTER INFORMATION

You **MUST** be a registered voter in order to vote in this election! To check your registration status, visit the Arapahoe County Voter and Election Information website at www.arapahoevotes.com. To register to vote, pick up a registration form at the Village Center or download the form at www.arapahoevotes.com. October 27, 2014 is the deadline to register to vote by mail or on-line. Same day registration is available in person only at Arapahoe County Vote Centers on Election Day.

THE VILLAGE CRIER IS GOING GREEN

If you would like to sign up to have your Village Crier e-mailed to you, visit: <http://cherryhillsvillage.com/newsletter.aspx> to add yourself to our e-mail mailing list. This is a two step process; please make sure you complete both steps.

Step 1: Email jsager@cherryhillsvillage.com and let her know which address you would like removed from the Crier mailing list.

Step 2: Visit <http://cherryhillsvillage.com/newsletter.aspx> and click where it says register in blue. You will need to set up a user name and password. Once you have entered the information, make sure there is a check mark in the box next to Village Crier (if you would like to sign up for city meeting, city services, police or special event e-mails, you can also do that at this time) and click on create my account.

If you would like to remove yourself from the e-mail list or if you are moving and need to add your address back onto the paper mailing list, please contact Jessica Sager at **303-783-2720** or jsager@cherryhillsvillage.com.



FREE OUTDOOR MOVIE NIGHT



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- POPCORN
- ICE-CREAM
- GIANT SCREEN
- LEMONADE

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PICNIC GEAR

**MOVIE
AT DUSK**

**SATURDAY
AUGUST 23, 2014
6:30 PM
JOHN MEADE PARK**



Featuring
“Despicable Me 2”

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Or call 303-783-2744



Cherry Hills Village

EXOTIC CAR SHOW

Sunday, September 14th, 2014
10:00 AM – 1:00 PM
Cherry Hills Village Elementary School
(NE corner of University and Quincy)

Join us for the annual Cherry Hills Village Exotic Car Show! Check out some truly unique cars in our community and stay for a free BBQ.

Event proceeds from the registration donation are tax deductible and 100% of proceeds will benefit the Cat Anderson Fund for the preservation and acquisition of open space in our community. There is no fee for spectators.

Please submit one registration form for each car. Please attach a photo.

Name: _____ Club (if applicable): _____

Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Description of Vehicle: Year _____ Make _____ Model _____

I would like rope and stanchions around my car (\$25 fee)

REGISTRATION FEE: \$35 donation per car, checks payable to Cherry Hills Village
Registrations will not be considered until payment has been received. You will receive confirmation if your registration is accepted. If your registration is not accepted your payment will be returned.

Return completed forms *with donation* by September 1st to: City of Cherry Hills Village, Exotic Car Show
2450 E. Quincy Avenue
Cherry Hills Village, CO 80113

LIABILITY RELEASE: In consideration of the right to participate in the Cherry Hills Village Exotic Cart Show (the Event), I agree to indemnify and hold harmless Cherry Hills Village, Cherry Hills Village Elementary School, the Cherry Creek School District, their employees, agents, volunteers and anyone else connected with the management or presentation of the Event from and against all liability, claims and demands brought by myself or any other participants, or visitors to the Event arising from, or in any manner connected with my involvement in the Event. I further certify that my vehicle is properly licensed and insured to meet all legal requirements of liability.

Please Note: Unless there is a specific request not to, images and video taken at this event may be used by Cherry Hills Village for future promotional purposes.

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

For more information or questions, please contact: Pamela Broyles * 303-783-2744 * pbroyles@cherryhillsvillage.com

ARAPAHOE COUNTY FAIR

“STIRRUP” SOME FUN AT THE ARAPAHOE COUNTY FAIR!

Don't miss the best bargain of the summer at the **2014 Arapahoe County Fair, July 24-27 in Aurora**. New this year, daily admission includes *unlimited* carnival rides, plus all rodeos, concerts, a demolition derby, family entertainment and fireworks for one amazing low price.

Daily admission with unlimited carnival rides is just \$10 per person if tickets are purchased online by July 23, or \$15 per person (cash only) at the gate. Children under 36 inches tall get in free. Parking is \$5 per vehicle daily.

New this year, grab a seat for the action-packed DockDogs canine aquatic competition. Enjoy live music on the main stage by 11 unique bands. Bring the little ones for free fun in the open Mutton Bustin' contest, Petting Farm, Family Fun Stage and Lil' Arena. Check out 4-H and Open Class exhibits, livestock shows, truck and tractor pulls, and new European and muscle car shows.

Celebrate the first night of the Fair at the Kick-Off Dinner on Thursday, July 24, which include general admission, dinner and drinks for just \$20 per person, pre-sale only. Adults ages 21 and older can sample local craft beers for just \$5 per person at our first-ever Craft Brew Fest on Friday, July 25.

Volunteers are needed to make the Fair a success, and will receive a t-shirt and free admission on the day(s) worked. Citizens also are invited to enter handmade and homegrown treasures in the Fair Open Class Contest, or beer, cider and mead in the 4th Annual Battle of the Homebrew.

Find a schedule of events and buy discounted Fair tickets at www.arapahoecountyfair.com.



Barrel racer photo courtesy of Tom Frerichs



ART COMMISSION FUNDRAISER A FUN SUCCESSFUL EVENT

On June 1st, beautiful art and cultured conversation took the spotlight at the 2nd annual Cherry Hills Village Public Art Fundraising dinner, hosted by Village residents Ken and Trish Green. Ninety arts supporters joined in the festivities and delighted in the Green's collection of Western, Chinese and Italian art.

World-renowned glass artist Lino Tagliapietra was the featured guest of the evening. The Greens collect Lino's works, which have also found their way into numerous art institutions, including the Metropolitan Museum of Art, the Smithsonian American Art Museum, and the Victoria and Albert Museum.

Lino shared his story of success. He began working with glass at the age of 11. He earned the coveted title of Maestro at the age of 21, and he continued to work in Italian glass factories for 40 years before finally going out on his own in 1979. Today, Lino is considered one of the leaders of the modern Studio Glass Movement, alongside other greats such as Dale Chihuly.

The dinner was organized to provide continuing support to the Cherry Hills Village Art Commission. The Commission is devoted to developing a public art collection for the Village, and hopes that, through continued financial support, it will soon begin acquiring significant and important works of art to display throughout the city.

Alongside the immense generosity of the Greens, there was tremendous support from the Cherry Hills Village community:

*The Cherry Hills Art Commission is extremely grateful to Village residents, **Ken and Trish Green**, right, for hosting the second annual Art Commission fundraising dinner. It was a magical evening highlighted by the presence of featured speaker, **Lino Tagliapietra**, center, the Maestro of glass artists!*

The Art Commisison is also grateful to everyone listed below who supported the event which raised over \$19,000. The fund is now just over \$50,000. One of the Commission's goals is to raise enough money to purchase a piece of sculpture by a nationally recognized sculptor.



ANGELS

Sally & Ray Duncan
Trish & Ken Green
Susie & Greg Stevinson

GOLD STARS

Sally & Jeff Biegert
Sharon Magness-Blake
& Ernie Blake
Joy & Chris Dinsdale
Nancy Gary
Natasha & Matt Harris
Suzan & Scott Whitefoot

SILVER STARS

Anne & Nick Hackstock
Teresa & Paul Harbaugh
Kaye & Bud Isaacs
Linda & Richard Kelley
Gene Koelbel
Ann & Gary Polumbus
Suzanne & Jack Robinson
Holly & Brian Robinson

Jean & Douglas Smooke
Katharine Stapleton
& Patrick Coulson
Klasina Vanderwerf
& Tom Thomas
Gay & Bob Warren
Joanie Wattles
Martha & Jeff Welborn

LONE STARS

Alice & Fred Abrams
Sarah & Gary Anderson
Charlie Bogusz
Katy & Brian Brown
Diana Carter
Frank Cohen
Vicki Cunningham
& Andrew Simcock
Stephanie Degraff Bender &
Mayor Doug Tisdale
Beth & Harry Ells
Courtney & Pete Fucarino
Sara & Larry Grace

Buck Hutchinson
Joan & Mike Iseman
Cherine & Howard Janzen
Hyla Jerez
Roberta & Mel Klein
Sally Kneser
Barbara Knight
Dejon Malley
Edie Marks
Kelly McAlesse
& Scott Valent

Tracy & Jim McInnes
Judi & Bob Newman
Janie & Jack North
Nancy Petry
Sharon & Jim Rey
Maggie & Bill Rey
Carol & Jim Schmidt
Bryon Smith
Chris & Norm Smith
Karen Swestka & Les Gerber
Sue & Craig Wildrick
Sharon Wilkinson
Vill Wiltse & Kirt Brown
Suzie Woodard
& Sam Kauffman

DONORS

Pam & Dutch Bansbach
Kathie & Keith Finger
Scott Roswell



GOVERNOR SIGNS TWO BILLS AT THE JOINT PUBLIC SAFETY FACILITY

FROM PUBLIC WORKS

MAINTENANCE CONTRACT WITH ENGLEWOOD

Each year the CHV contracts with the City of Englewood to perform the necessary maintenance and repairs of the City's fleet including Police and Public Works vehicles and equipment. This year there has been an increase for the cost of these services. In the past, Englewood has charged \$68.00 per hour for its services and the City has been paying the same rate since 2008. The new rate will be \$72.00 per hour for all work performed by Englewood which is a 6% increase.

The budgeted amount for repairs and maintenance to the City's fleet through this contract is \$107,000. This includes \$48,000 for Street Division vehicles, \$16,500 for Parks Division vehicles, and \$42,500 for the Police Department vehicles.

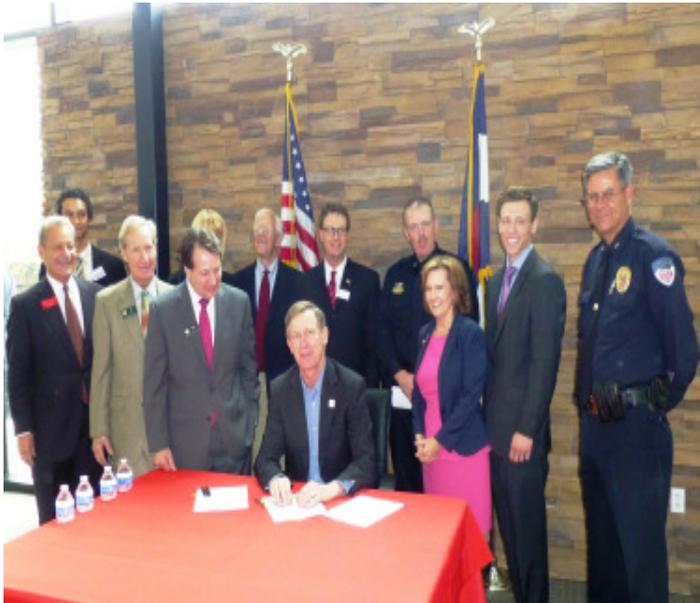
CITY FLOODPLAIN DEVELOPMENT REGULATIONS

Did you know that there are approximately 200 properties in Cherry Hills Village impacted by FEMA designated floodplains and mandatory flood insurance is required for many of these properties? Cherry Hills Village has participated in the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP) since 1978, making residents eligible for federal backed flood insurance. The City has also qualified through FEMA for a discount on flood insurance by adopting minimum standards and regulations for development within a floodplain. If you want to know if your property is in the designated floodplain or for more information on development requirements within the floodplain, please contact the Cherry Hills Village Community Development Department at (303) 783-2721 or visit the City's website at www.cherryhillsvillage.com/floodplain.aspx. The City also keeps records of all current flood and past Flood Insurance Rate Maps (FIRMs) and FEMA issued elevation certificated at the Village Center.

HELPFUL TIPS...

The following are helpful tips for residents who live in flood prone areas:

- Know the extent and nature of the flood hazard in your area.
- Plan escape routes to high ground.
- Buy flood insurance for your property.
- During times of heavy rainfall watch the level of water in the drainage way and stay tuned to radio or television for possible flood warnings.
- Evacuate the flood hazard area in times of an impending flood.



Governor John Hickenlooper, center, is flanked by state District 3 Representative and Cherry Hills Village resident Daniel Kagan on his right, and state Senator Linda Newall on his left. On far left is CHV Mayor Doug Tisdale and on far right is Avon Police Chief Robert Ticer; Greenwood Police Chief, John Jackson is in the center of the back row.

On May 21st, Cherry Hills Village hosted Governor Hickenlooper at the joint public safety facility for two state bill signings. The first bill, HB 1032, guarantees that a lawyer be present every time a juvenile stands before a judge. The bill was sponsored by state District 3 Representative Daniel Kagan, a Cherry Hills Village resident. Kagan passionately said of the bill, "This is a crucial change, and a great victory for justice. When kids stumble, this can help assure that they won't be kicked further to the ground."

Kagan complimented the governor on his leadership in helping pull together a coalition of supporters across party lines from throughout the state. Kagan noted that the final version of the bill "came out of the Colorado Judiciary Committee with unanimous approval."

The second bill signed on May 21st by Governor Hickenlooper mandates that all Colorado police departments require professional training for police officers. Colorado has been one of only 6 states in the country that did not require this type of professional training for its officers. Cherry Hills Police Chief Michelle Tovrea was one of three police chiefs from the area at the signing. Greenwood Police Chief, John Jackson, also present, helped spearhead the effort to pass this bill which was supported by the Colorado Police Chief's Association. Avon Police Chief, Robert Ticer, head of the Colorado Police Chiefs Association, was also present.

Mayor Tisdale provided enthusiastic welcoming remarks to all present.

NEXT CRIER DEADLINE: JULY 25TH



PAUL COLBURN PHOTOGRAPHY EXHIBIT NOW AT THE JOINT PUBLIC SAFETY FACILITY

The Art Commission has selected resident **Paul Colburn** to display his photography at the JPSF. Mr. Colburn's photographs will be displayed until August 11th, and can be viewed from 8am - 4pm during business hours.

Mr. Colburn's work has been displayed at various Colorado galleries and he has won many Colorado and national awards. Several of his prints have been selected for annual showings of the Professional Photographers of America. In 1992, a picture was chosen for the permanent collection of the Professional Photographers of America.

During the past several years, Colburn's subjects have varied. He has chosen natural landscapes as well as urban geometrics, and he also is intrigued by environmental and occupational themes.

Mr Colburn studied art at the Art Center School, Los Angeles, and is a graduate of the University of Colorado. He says of photography, "Whatever the subject, the photographic technique should be faultless to the extent that it is unnoticed. It is then that the content becomes everything."

ANIMAL CONTROL

DON'T BE BUMMED - OR SCARED - BY BULLSNAKES

Now that the weather has finally warmed up, it is not unusual to be surprised by a long slithering shadowy yellowish creature who may or may not hiss at you as it takes a stand or quietly melts away. Cherry Hills is the home of all kinds of wild life who live in our open fields, along the High Line and who may even spend winters around the foundations of our houses.

Bullsnakes are often mistaken for rattlesnakes. Their upper body is yellowish to cream-colored with numerous dark blotches. They often try to fool you into thinking they are rattlesnakes by coiling and striking repeatedly, hissing loudly and vibrating their tails. If the vibrating tail hits dry vegetation it may sound like the rattles of a rattlesnake. They will sometimes spread their jaws to make their heads look triangular. Many of these harmless and beneficial snakes lose their lives by putting on this rattlesnake mimic act.

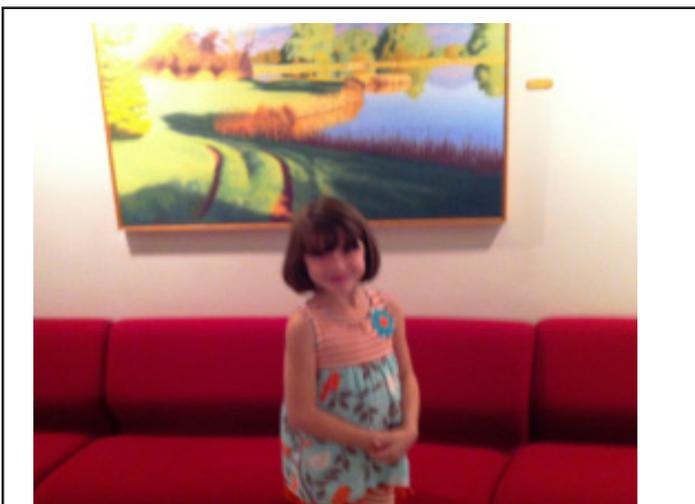
Bullsnakes are great rodent eaters, but also eat birds, bird eggs, and lizards. They are constrictors and kill their prey by suffocation. They lay eggs which usually hatch in late August or September, and they can grow up to eight feet long. A Bullsnake bite is not venomous, but if bitten one should probably consult a medical professional.

BMW GOLF TOURNAMENT TO BE HELD SEPTEMBER 1 - 7

In the first week in September, Cherry Hills Village Country Club has been granted a Major Event Permit to host the top 70 (male) golfers in the world for the 2014 BMW Championship to be held **September 1 - 7**. The BMW Championship is the third in a series of four FedEx Cup playoff events, culminating with the Tour Championship. It is the second oldest championship in golf next to the U.S. Open. It is also a charitable event; all net proceeds will benefit the Evans Scholar Foundation which awards full housing and tuition college scholarships to deserving caddies. Currently 840 students are attending college on these scholarships.

The expected attendance is up to 27,000 people per day on the busiest days. Staging for the event is expected to start June 1st and continue through August 31st. This staging includes construction and placement of multi-story temporary structures, grandstands, fencing, and installation of various support equipment.

To learn more about the BMW Championship, visit www.bmwchampionshipusa.com



Bridget Brown, daughter of Councilor Katy Brown, led the Council in the Pledge of Allegiance at a recent Council meeting.

CHERRY HILLS LAND PRESERVE TO HOST 4TH ANNUAL BARN TOUR & PARTY SEPTEMBER 27TH AND 28TH

As a celebration of the rural history of Cherry Hills Village, the 4th Annual Cherry Hills Village Barn Tour and Party, a benefit for the Cherry Hills Land Preserve, returns this Fall on Saturday and Sunday, September 27 and 28, 2014. This year's barn tour, held on Sunday, will feature self-guided tours of some of the Village's most cherished barns as well as the *new addition* of unique residential gardens set amid the open landscape and along the treasured trails of Cherry Hills Village (including the Considine garden in Charlou). The popular Farmers' Market, located next to the Fire Station, will also return with its festive offerings of handmade wares, art, jewelry, homegrown herbs and produce, jellies, and local goods.

As in previous years, the Barn Tour will kick off on the evening beforehand with a **Community Social & Cocktail party** on Saturday, September 27th at the beautiful timbered barn and perennial garden of Katy and Paul Rady on Quincy Ave. The party, open to all Village residents, features music, food and lively conversation in addition to a silent art auction showcasing the talents of local landscape artists and artisans. Proceeds from the party and auction benefit the Cherry Hills Land Preserve.

Since its inception in 2010, The Barn Tour weekend has quickly become a staple in the Cherry Hills Village community. It is one of the most anticipated weekends of the year bringing together family, friends, neighbors and nature lovers to celebrate the Village's rural roots and to show support for CHLP's preservation efforts.



PASSINGS

Richard Gooding, age 67, passed away on June 1st after a long illness. He is survived by his wife of 44 years, Nancy, and 2 sons, Sean and Alex, their wives, and a grandson, Wyatt.

The Village sends its deepest sympathies to the Gooding family.

CHERRY HILLS VILLAGE BABYSITTERS

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