



CITY OF ENGLEWOOD WEEKLY REPORT

Week of February 19, 2024

COUNCIL COMMUNICATIONS

- [Council Calendar](#)
- Council Request Responses
 - [CRT 0659](#) (Russell) - Traffic evaluation at Irving and Tufts
 - [CRT 0664](#) (Russell) - Security outside normal business hours
 - [CRT 0665](#) (Sierra) - Traffic modification request at Washington and Eastman
 - [CRT 0698](#) (Sierra) - Indoor/Outdoor Air Quality
 - [CRT 0704](#) (Anderson) - Migrant Sheltering
 - [CRT 0709](#) (Wright) - Motorcycle Accidents
 - [CRT 0711](#) (Russell) - Accidents related to driving while intoxicated or impaired.
 - [CRT 0705](#) (Sierra) – Hookah Bar Regulation
 - [CRT 0710](#) (Wright) – Tickets written for violations related to accidents
- [Outstanding Council Requests](#)

DEPARTMENTAL REPORTS

- **Administration (City Manager's Office and City Clerk's Office)**
 - There will be no Council study session/meeting on Monday, February 26th.
 - Greater Englewood Chamber of Commerce event emails were getting caught in staff spam folders due to a change to the Chamber's email address. As a result, Chamber events were not added to the Council Calendar during the first half of February. Upcoming Chamber events have since been added. Please check your city email account and allow emails from info@myenglewoodchamber.org, if you wish to receive them.
 - The City Manager's Office held the first session of the Elevate Englewood Leadership Academy on the evening of February 21st. The session covered The Public Sector. Speakers included Economic Development Manager Darren Hollingsworth, Englewood Chamber Executive Director Lindsey Runyan, and EDDA Executive Director Hilarie Portell.

- **Communications**

- Englewood in the News:
 - [Downtown Boulder RTD station reopens Monday after meth residue detected in restrooms, ductwork](#)
- City of Englewood Monthly Email Newsletter – 2,449 subscribers
- Input Now! (Polco) - 1,686 subscribers
- COE Social Media Engagement Statistics
 - Facebook
 - Number of Posts: 13
 - 10 New Followers
 - Top Post: [Citizen of the Year](#)
 - Instagram
 - Number of Posts: 13
 - 8 New Followers
 - Top Post: [Boards & Commissions](#)
- Parks & Recreation Social Media Engagement Statistics
 - Facebook
 - Number of Posts: 4
 - 0 New Followers
 - Top Post: [Malley at the Nuggets](#)
 - Instagram
 - Number of Posts: 5
 - 4 New Followers
 - Top Post: [ERC Weight Room Video](#)
- EPD Social Media Engagement Statistics
 - Facebook
 - Number of Posts: 3
 - 14 New Followers
 - Top Post: [School Resource Officers](#)

- **Community Development**

- Planned Unit Development (PUD) Training – On February 20th the planning and zoning commission held a training session on PUDs regarding the decision criteria and city reviews that take place during the process. Presenters included Planning Manager Bryan Isham, Public Works Director Victor Rachael, Utilities/SPR Director Pieter Van Ry and Deputy City Attorney Victoria McDermott. The [PUD Training](#) presentation materials and the [meeting video](#) are available.
- Citizens Planning School – After one week of recruitment, 20 people have registered for the Community Development Department’s annual Citizen Planning School. The [school](#) sessions begin on April 18th.
- Unified Development Code Town Hall – Community Development and Communications staff teamed to lend support to Mayor Pro Tem Anderson’s February 20th community town hall on the new unified

development code. Approximately 30 people attended the meeting at Sunroom Brewery.

- Neighboring Cities Inquiries – Department staff are going to meet with representatives of the City of Westminster regarding their interest in developing a program similar to the Energy Efficiency Englewood (E3) program, and with Centennial about transit and micro-transit options based on Englewood’s experience with the Englewood Trolley.
- **Parks, Recreation, Library and Golf**
 - Last Friday, the library hosted a murder mystery night with the groovy teen participants. Twenty-six teens came dressed in their fab 70’s threads to eat pizza and solve a murder on the disco dance floor!



- When you check out items from the library, you may notice a new feature on your receipt: the total value of your checked-out items! This will help patrons see how much money they have saved by not actually purchasing the items from a store! This new feature will help demonstrate the value that the public library provides for our patrons.



- Broken Tee Valentine's gift certificate sales totaled \$24,900!
- Both golf courses opened on February 20th. Due to wet conditions, we are allowing riding carts on paths only. Currently, no handicap placards are allowed. The course conditions are assessed every morning.

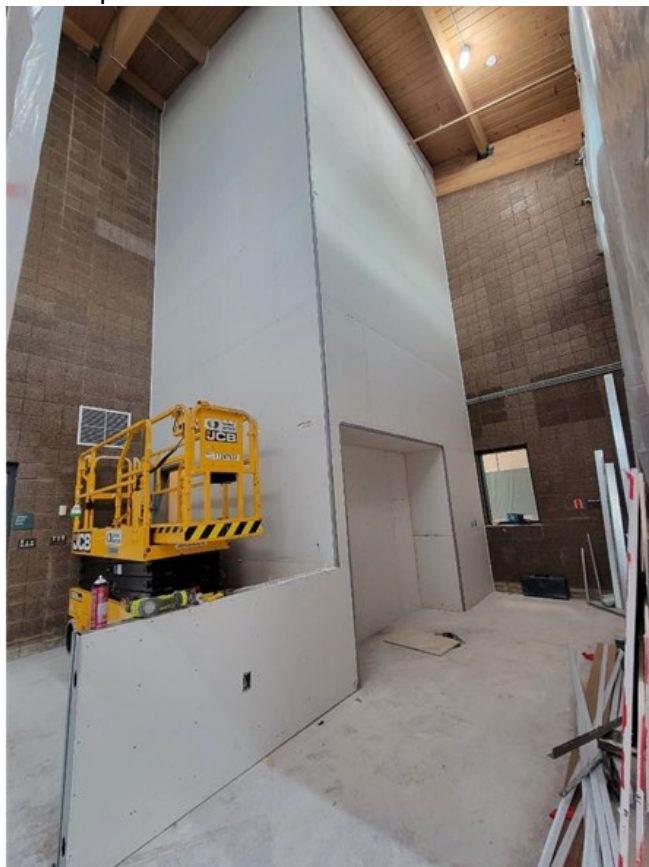
- A pair of bald eagles are building a nest off one of the holes. If they successfully lay eggs, the course may need to protect the nest and shorten the hole distance. The local wildlife officer will return on February 22nd to continue monitoring the nest.



- Broken Tee continues to prep for Spring. Cart paths are being repaired this week.



- Recreation Supervisor Nancy Baum was accepted as a speaker to present at the 2024 NRPA (National Recreation and Park Association) Annual Conference on October 8th-10th, 2024 in Atlanta, GA along with a colleague from the City of Erie. The presentation is named "*Ageism Unveiled.*"
- Malley Annual Closure Feb 26th-March 3rd. Malley patrons are able to use the Recreation Center during the closure. General maintenance projects include refinishing wood floors, scrubbing floors, cleaning all classrooms, kitchen and main areas, preventative maintenance items, duct cleaning, fitness equipment maintenance.
- Recreation Center Renovation update. Drywall going in this week in the offices and the frames. Alarm system panels moved. Front desk framing and inspections.



- Parks cleaned up the Belleview parking lot, removing junipers which made a big difference in the appearance of the parking lot.



- The charging plates for the new Belleview Train have been installed on the Tracks. The train is on schedule and staff are anticipating an April arrival.



- **South Platte Renew**



- On Tuesday, February 20th, South Platte Renew (SPR) staff warmly received students from Littleton’s Explorative Pathways for Innovative Careers (EPIC) Campus, offering insights into the SPR facility and the processes involved in natural resource renewal. John Wright, SPR's Training and Development Administrator, consistently provides support to EPIC, enriching the educational experience with hands-on learning opportunities and demonstrations. SPR's collaboration with EPIC not only raises awareness about career opportunities in the water sector but also contributes to building a pipeline of skilled staff for the industry.





- **Utilities**

- As a part of the Lead Reduction Program, the program manager continuously updates the Service Line Inventory Map as the material of service lines in the water service area is physically verified. This map is publicly available [here](#).

UPCOMING EVENTS & COMMUNITY MEETINGS

Saturday, March 23rd from 10 am-2 pm: Hop & Shop Egg Hunt

COMMUNITY KUDOS

Good morning Adrian,

I wanted to pass these photos I took regarding the spread of the first solar streetlamp in Belleview Park. From what I can see, this and the subsequent ones will add dramatically to the visibility and safety of the main walkway through the park. As best I could determine, it appears that the full broadcast diameter is roughly 30 - 40 feet.

I know this has been a long slow process and you've been frustrated by the delays, but this was well worth the wait. I'll be passing these on to my neighbors in the area with much kudos for the efforts of you and your staff. Thank you for making Englewood that much safer!

Best regards,
Rick Emmelhainz

