



## CITY OF ENGLEWOOD WEEKLY REPORT

*Week of June 17, 2024*

### COUNCIL COMMUNICATIONS

- [Council Calendar](#)
- Council Request Responses
  - [CRT 0778](#) (Wright) - Native Landscaping and Water Retention
  - [CRT 0779](#) (Wright) - Is there a distance requirement from Movement 5280 from schools?
- [Outstanding Council Requests](#)

### DEPARTMENTAL REPORTS

- **City Manager's Office**
  - Met with Senator John Hickenlooper's staff to discuss FEMA reimbursements, express appreciation for Infrastructure Bill funding that has sped up the City's lead service line replacement and invited the Senator to participate in a groundbreaking event for the lead service line replacement project.
  - Worked with Communications to plan town hall meetings requested by Member Anderson regarding bike-ped safety and Member Ward regarding resident engagement.
- **Communications**
  - Englewood in the News:
    - [Englewood taking public art applications until July 1](#)
    - [From birds of prey to trucks, South Platte Renew's WaterFest promises fun](#)
  - City of Englewood Monthly Email Newsletter – 3,700 subscribers
  - COE Social Media Engagement Statistics
    - Facebook
      - Number of Posts: 21
      - 16 New Followers
      - Top Post: [Creative Crosswalks](#)
    - Instagram
      - Number of Posts: 20
      - 4 New Followers
      - Top Post: [Creative Crosswalks](#)
  - Parks & Recreation Social Media Engagement Statistics
    - Facebook

- Number of Posts: 7
- 1 New Followers
- Top Post: [Parks Bond](#)
- Instagram
  - Number of Posts: 8
  - 5 New Followers
  - Top Post: [Map in the Wild](#)
- EPD Social Media Engagement Statistics
  - Facebook
    - Number of Posts: 4
    - 8 New Followers
    - Top Post: [Drug Stop](#)
- **Community Development**
  - New Business Opening – On June 13<sup>th</sup>, the Greater Englewood Chamber of Commerce sponsored a ribbon cutting at Wok Spicy, located at 3021 S. Broadway. Wok Spicy is at the location of the former Twin Dragon restaurant.



- **Parks, Recreation, Library and Golf**

- Library reading is in full swing and increasing by the day! Total registered: 515, 26 Babies (0 to 1 years), 413 Children (1-11 years), 76 Teen (12-18 years), 33% are Englewood Students and 21 Children/Teens have already completed the first round of reading. So far 16 different programs have been offered with over 400 participants. The library also conducted outreach to Stepping Stones Preschool, Englewood Recreation Summer Camp and Jumpstart preschool!
- The Children's Library team had so much fun on their Safari Expedition with all the participants. Coconut oil scrub (to save the palm trees), tiger fruit cups, animals crafts to match their masks and don't forget the sand table! There are 3 programs being offered daily as part of the summer reading program.





- The World's Largest Swim Lesson was held June 20<sup>th</sup> at Pirates Cove with 39 youth participating in the lesson. Swim instructors from the Englewood Recreation Center were on hand to provide a 30-minute swim lesson to those in attendance. This a worldwide event sponsored by the World Waterpark Association to bring awareness to unintentional drownings and means of prevention such as learn to swim programs.



- The first of 4 Adult Nights at Pirates Cove was June 19<sup>th</sup> with The Delta Sonics as the performing band. 265 were in attendance for the first night. The next Adult Night will be Wednesday, June 10<sup>th</sup> featuring Ninety Percent 90's.



- The Recreation Center had 191 participants in group swim lessons the month of June, 64 in private lessons and 282 adult/seniors participate in Aqua Exercise classes. Pirates Cove had 25 participants in swim lessons and swim team followed by 14 participants in the deep-water aqua class.
- The Malley Tai Chi Class channels some Zen.



- Malley Fitness participants enjoyed gathering for a potluck lunch. All smiles and full bellies.





- The Recreation Center is keeping busy with 4500 visitors through the last week for classes or drop-in use.
- A new season of Adult Basketball Leagues starts this upcoming weekend with 8 teams.
- Movie in the Park & KidStage on Saturday June 15<sup>th</sup> we had over 100 people show up from around the City and neighboring houses and apartments for Kids Stage and Movies in the Park at Centennial Park. Families enjoyed playing with all the bubbles provided by Thrive Preschool and the yard games that were available for everyone's use. Once the day got darker patrons got ready for the movie by practicing some dance moves with "Just Dance" followed by the viewing of Trolls: Band Together.



- Two compressors need to be replaced for two HVAC units at Broken Tee clubhouse in the dining/kitchen area. The parts should arrive this Friday and will be replaced ASAP. Portable coolers have been brought in to cool the dining room. Multiple large events are scheduled for Friday – Sunday.
- Juneteenth Day was busy for both courses at Broken Tee. Weekend rates were in place and the day was a profitable one.
- The Bald Eagle, a Beaver and a Turtle have been spotted on the course at Broken Tee.





- The pump at Cushing shifted after its first couple turning on, which in turn shifted the pipe to the filter. Causing the mainline to break. Parks removed the old pipe and replaced it. Cushing is back up and running.
- Parks crews treated 24 ash trees for Emerald Ash Borer (EAB); Broadway, Parkway, S. Platte Dr and Treated 21 oak (scale); Broadway, Parkway, S. Platte Dr

- **Public Works**

- South Englewood Flood Reduction Project Update:
  - The underground tunneling operation to install the new storm sewer pipe in Stanford Ave kicked off this week. This pipe will connect the existing Rotolo Park detention pond to the new regional detention pond. Work will proceed on a 24-hour basis to ensure stability of the tunnel and promote the safest work environment possible while tunneling is underway. The tunneling work is expected to last three months. Work continues on the pond excavation and is roughly 25% complete.
- Dartmouth Ave at Zuni St. Storm sewer repair update:
  - The damaged section of the storm sewer pipe has been replaced and backfill operations are complete. Restoration of the damaged asphalt area is underway. The intersection is expected to be reopened to traffic by Monday morning.

- **South Platte Renew**

- On Thursday, June 20<sup>th</sup>, South Platte Renew (SPR) held its annual WaterFest. The event featured educational booths, demonstrations, and facility tours organized by SPR, along with the participation of 12 community partners to celebrate the importance of water. In addition to booths from the City of Englewood and the City of Littleton, participants included HawkQuest, the Environmental Protection Agency, the Highline Canal Conservancy, Barr Milton Watershed, Xcel Energy, Emily Griffith Technical College, and The Greenway Foundation. These partners helped to elevate the event and amplify the message of water education and environmental stewardship. This year's WaterFest was the most successful, with 213 attendees.





- **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, June 22<sup>nd</sup>- Englewood Day of Service – register to volunteer [here](#).
- Thursday, June 27<sup>th</sup>, 4-8pm Neighborhood Nights at Cushing Park.
- Save the date: July 4<sup>th</sup> 5-10pm at Belleview and Cornerstone Parks.

**JULY**  
**4**  
**5-10 P.M.**

**INDEPENDENCE DAY**  
*celebration*

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**CORNERSTONE & BELLEVIEW PARKS**  
**FIREWORKS \* FOOD TRUCKS**  
**FACE PAINTING \* MUSIC**  
**LOCAL VENDORS AND MORE**

- Wednesday, July 10<sup>th</sup>, 4-8pm Neighborhood Nights at Duncan Park
- Wednesday, July 10<sup>th</sup>, 6-8pm Adult Night at Pirates Cove [tickets](#) are \$10 per person.
- Thursday, July 11<sup>th</sup>, 5-8pm SunSET Concert Series featuring Guerilla Fanfare at Civic Center Amphitheater.