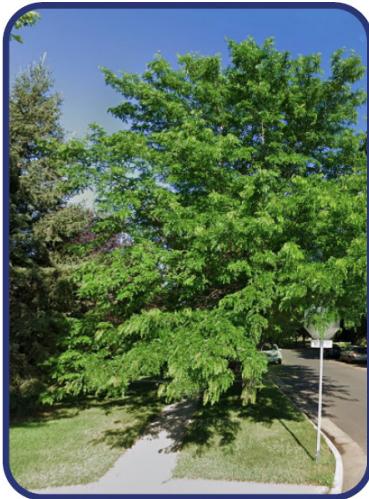




# BERTHOUD IN FOCUS

August 2023

Issue 105



**Berthoud Area Transportation Service**



## Community Calendar

As the monthly meetings approach, please check the Town of Berthoud website, where we will post updated information and changes. There is also information on how to participate in public meetings and how to view previously recorded meetings.

**NOTE: Town Offices will be CLOSED September 4th for Labor Day**

### August

- 8** Town Board Meeting 6:30 pm - 9:30 pm
- 10** Berthoud Municipal Court 8:30 am - 11:00 am
- 10** Planning Commission Meeting 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm
- 14** Historic Preservation Advisory Committee Meeting 5:30 pm - 8:30 pm
- 21** Tree Advisory Committee Meeting 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm
- 22** Town Board Meeting 6:30 pm - 9:30 pm
- 24** Planning Commission Meeting 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm

### September

- 6** PORT Advisory Committee Meeting 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm
- 7** Youth Advisory Commission Meeting 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm

[www.berthoud.org](http://www.berthoud.org)

## Berthoud Area Transit Service BATS

Berthoud has its own transit system. If you need a ride around Berthoud or to Loveland, call the **Berthoud Area Transit Service!** Available Monday through Friday from 8:00 am until 4:00 pm, the BATS buses can take you to doctor's appointments, to your work, or even to the Recreation Center. To schedule a ride, call **970-532-3049** before 4:00 pm the day before you would like transportation. For more information on routes and fees, please visit [www.Berthoud.org](http://www.Berthoud.org).

## *All of the spring and summer rain has led our trees to have prolific growth spurts.*

So, our Town Forester would like everyone to remember that Town Code states, "Tree limbs should hang no lower than 14' over streets and 8' over sidewalks." This allows pedestrians to walk safely and our street sweeper to pass by and clean your street. Please call Town Forester Paul Furnas with any tree-related questions at 970-532-4256.

## Commission Volunteer Opportunities

Are you interested in serving your community? The Town of Berthoud will have openings on several committees:

- **Historic Preservation Advisory Committee** – 3 seats
- **Tree Advisory Committee** – 4 seats
- **PORT (Parks, Open Space, Recreation, and Trails) Committee** – 3 seats

If you would like to serve, please obtain an application at [Berthoud.org](http://Berthoud.org), or pick one up at Town Hall. All applications must be submitted by Thursday, August 24, 2023, to Berthoud Town Clerk Christian Samora. For more information, please call 970-344-5800, email [clerk@berthoud.org](mailto:clerk@berthoud.org), or visit [www.Berthoud.org](http://www.Berthoud.org). For just a few hours a month, you can help make a difference in Berthoud — share your knowledge and ideas to enrich our community!

**Questions? Call the Town of Berthoud at 970.532.2643**



From Left to Right: Anne Best Johnson, Tawn Hillenbrand, Laura Scholl, Jonathan Mitchell

## Meet the Team – Community Development

The Community Development team is your go-to resource for all your development needs in Berthoud.

Our team includes Community Development Director Anne Best Johnson and Tawn Hillenbrand, the Town's Senior Planner, Laura Sholl, Lead Building Permit Technician, and Jonathan Mitchell, Building Permit Technician. Planning work starts with understanding the Town's vision and values expressed in the Comprehensive Plan, Land Development Code, Landscape Design Guidelines, Trails, Transportation Master Plan, and special corridor plans for Mountain Avenue and 1st Street, for example. Once your Land Use Permit has been approved, Laura and Jonathan help builders, contractors, and even some homeowners through the building permit process. Partnering with ProCode/SAFEBuilt, the Town's Building Team can answer all your building permit questions.

Baseline Engineering supports the Town's Community Development Department for planning review support as well as Engineering development review, project management, and inspection services. ProCode/SAFEBuilt also supports the department as the Town's building official, plans examiners, and inspectors.

It takes a team with great depth of knowledge and a strong commitment to the Town's heritage and future to keep Berthoud's vision in focus, and we are honored to be entrusted with that responsibility.

## Let's Connect

**Berthoud Town Hall**  
807 Mountain Avenue,  
P.O. Box 1229, Berthoud, CO 80513

**970.532.2643**  
**[www.Berthoud.org](http://www.Berthoud.org)**

All community meetings take place at Berthoud Town Hall unless otherwise noted.

**Find Us  
on Social  
Media**

 @BerthoudCO  
@BerthoudRec

 @TownOfBerthoud  
@BerthoudRecreation



### Coffee with the Chiefs

Join Berthoud's Chiefs for coffee and informal conversation at this monthly meet and greet.

#### WHO:

LCSO Berthoud Squad, Sgt. Justin Williamson  
Berthoud Fire Chief, Stephen Charles

#### WHERE:

Cornerstone  
Cafe

#### WHEN:

The 3rd Thursday of every  
month at 2pm

## Berthoud by the Numbers

June 2023

### Law Enforcement

Animal Calls .....	<b>8</b>
Citizen Assists.....	<b>30</b>
Code Violations .....	<b>86</b>
Traffic Stops .....	<b>169</b>
Vehicle Accidents .....	<b>19</b>



### Homes & Housing

**38** Permits Issued

**8** New Residential

**5** New Commercial

Total Property Valuation

**\$3,004,334.84**



### Sales Tax

2023, YTD

**\$5,816,342**

June, 2023

**\$877,060**

June, 2022

**\$1,223,153**



### Go Paperless

#### Utility Billing

Our online billing is easy and convenient!

- Pay your bill online
- Set up billing auto-pay
- Sign up to receive paperless billing

[www.berthoud.org](http://www.berthoud.org)

### Berthoud Recreation

Visit Berthoud.org and subscribe to Berthoud's Park and Recreation newsletter to have events and updates come right to your inbox.