

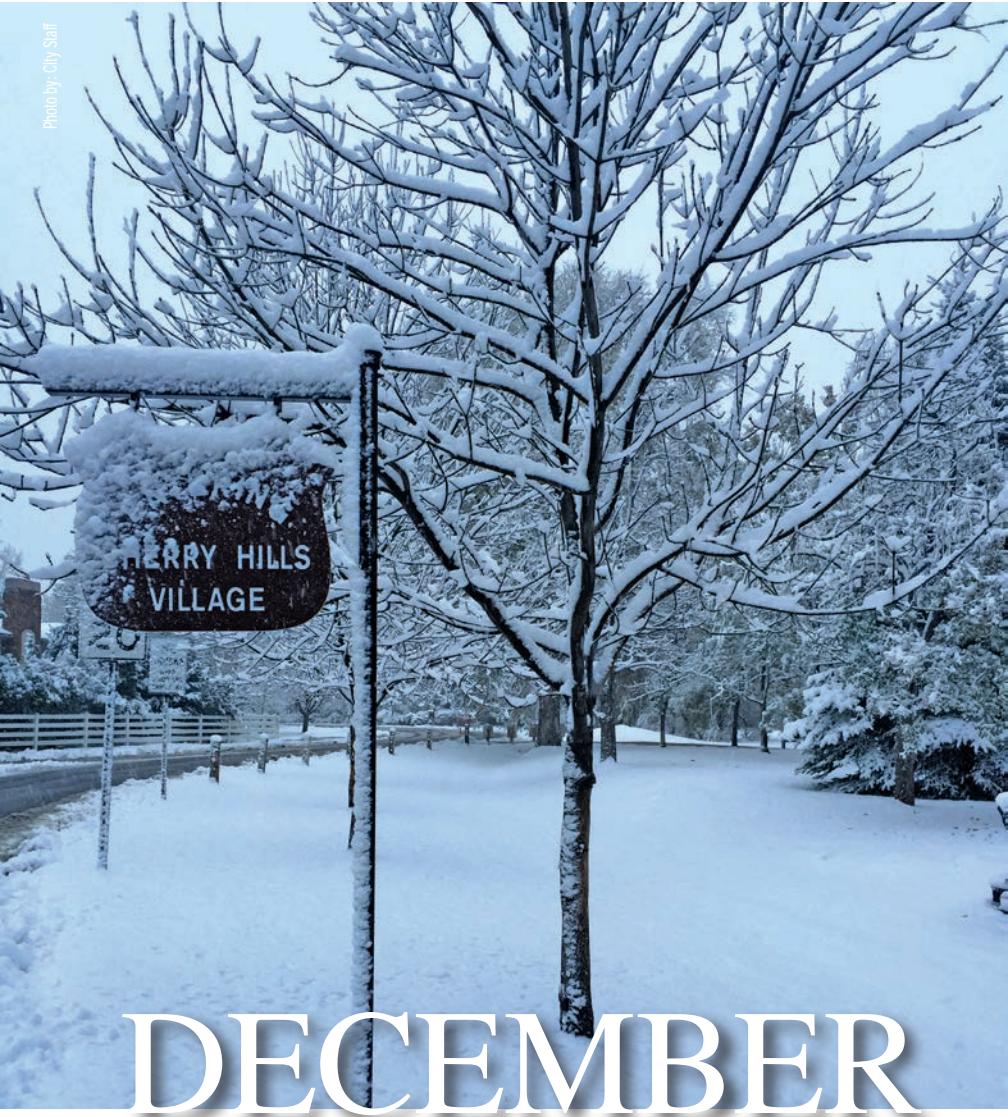
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December 2024 Newsletter



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DECEMBER

November 5, 2024 Regular Municipal Unofficial Election Results

Election results are final and available at ArapahoeVotes.gov. Results remain unofficial until the risk-limiting audit is complete and the canvass board certifies election results (canvass is scheduled for November 26th).

CANDIDATES

Congratulations to

- Katy Brown (**Mayor**)
- Doug Robinson (**District 1**)
- Dave Heller (**District 3**)
- Karen Fisher (**District 5**)

Our new Council members will be sworn in and take office on January 7th.



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BALLOT MEASURES

Ballot Measures 2A, 2B, and 300 all failed.

Ballot Measure 2A:

Yes/For: 1,791 votes (45.92%)
No/Against: 2,109 votes (54.08%)



Ballot Measure 2B:

Yes/For: 621 votes (16.11%)
No/Against: 3,235 (83.89%)



Ballot Measure 300:

Yes/For: 855 votes (21.09%)
No/Against: 3,199 votes (78.91%)



COMMUNITY CRIME PREVENTION:



Staying Safe in Cherry Hills Village

In recent weeks, the Cherry Hills Village Police Department (CHV PD) has taken swift action to prevent crime and keep the community safe. Through vigilance, advanced technology, and strong collaboration with neighboring law enforcement agencies, CHV PD has successfully disrupted criminal activities that had the potential to affect our residents and businesses.



CASE 1:

Vigilance Against Vehicle Break-Ins

On November 3, 2024, a suspicious individual was spotted checking car door handles at the Cherry Hills Country Club. Quick-acting officers were able to track down and detain the suspect based on his direction of travel captured on security cameras. A closer investigation revealed that the individual had a substantial criminal record, not just in Colorado but across multiple states, involving charges of burglary, identity theft, and other serious offenses. Thanks to the surveillance footage from the Country Club, CHV PD gathered clear evidence of the suspect gaining access to unlocked vehicles and taking items. He was subsequently arrested and charged with First Degree Criminal Trespass and Misdemeanor Theft.

This incident is a reminder of the importance of securing vehicles by locking doors, removing valuables, and reporting any unusual behavior. The case demonstrates how community members and local security measures, such as surveillance cameras, play a critical role in keeping Cherry Hills Village safe.



CASE 2:

Breaking Up a Vehicle Theft Ring

In another case **on November 5, 2024**, CHV PD responded to reports of vehicle thefts in the areas of S. Happy Canyon Dr and Nassau Circle East. Using Flock License Plate Readers, residential security cameras, and GPS tracking, officers traced one of the stolen vehicles to a residence in Aurora. Working alongside the Aurora Police Department, CHV PD established a perimeter and arrested several individuals connected to a wider organized retail theft ring, responsible for various crimes across the Denver Metro area.

This case highlights the power of interagency cooperation and technology in disrupting organized crime. By combining resources and utilizing innovative tools like license plate readers, Cherry Hills Village is able to prevent crime before it escalates, protecting both residents and local businesses.

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Both incidents serve as reminders of the importance of proactive crime prevention. Here are some steps everyone in Cherry Hills Village can take to help maintain a safe community:

- 1. Lock Your Vehicles and Doors:** Always lock car doors, roll up windows, and avoid leaving valuables in plain sight.
- 2. Report Suspicious Activity Promptly:** Don't hesitate to contact CHV PD if you see something unusual, such as people checking door handles or loitering in residential areas.
- 3. Use Home and Business Security Systems:** Cameras, alarms, and lighting can help deter criminals. Consider joining the neighborhood watch program to stay informed and connected.
- 4. Leverage Available Technology:** License plate readers and GPS tracking are key tools in combatting vehicle theft and

organized crime. Keeping your car's GPS on can also assist in case of theft.

- 5. Be Aware of Organized Crime Threats:** Organized crime rings may operate across multiple areas and target businesses and residents alike. Stay informed about local incidents, and don't hesitate to speak with law enforcement about preventive measures.

A COMMITMENT TO SAFETY

CHV PD remains committed to preserving the safety of Cherry Hills Village through vigilance, technology, and teamwork. By remaining aware and engaged, residents can play a crucial role in supporting these efforts, reinforcing the close-knit, secure environment that makes Cherry Hills Village a wonderful place to live.



Let me open on a personal note. After eight years, I will be leaving the City Council (term limited) about the time you are reading this. For me, it has been an honor and a privilege to serve you in this role. I am wiser about how outstanding our City Staff and Police Department are – they care, work hard and work smart. My peers on Council, the Mayor, Commission and Committee members are equally amazing and all serve uncompensated, aside from fulfilling their desire to make CHV a better place. No politics, the focus is on the best decision for the community over the long term. Finally, there are you, the residents, always thoughtful in your comments, listening as well as making your points and putting place above self. I could not have asked for a better eight years. Thank you.

Changing topics. We, Council and Staff, have worked thoughtfully on the issue of cell coverage. No conclusions yet, but we have developed a much better understanding of the issues, options and sensitivities. We understand that this is a very controversial topic. While the next Council and staff continue the work, there may be some things that individuals can do to improve their own service in the interim. I respect that we have many residents who know a lot about this topic and for you this may be too basic. However, for residents who are not up-to-date, here are some opportunities to improve reception in your home:

- 1. WiFi** - Have a strong home WiFi network and connect your cell phone to it. From personal experience, there were dead spots in our house for internet and streaming connectivity.

MAYOR/COUNCIL REPORT

Boosting Cell Phone Performance at Home

We were also dropping calls on our cell phones. To improve signal coverage inside our house, we installed a wireless mesh network which boosted our internet service speed. The added benefit was that our cell phones could be connected to the improved home network. Instead of relying on the carrier's cell tower coverage, calls are automatically routed through the internet and to the carrier. Frequent dropped calls inside our home became a thing of the past. Mesh network technology continues to improve.

- 2. Booster** – Signal boosters amplify and repeat weak cell signals. Major carriers offer a booster designed for their signal – check your carrier's web site. Installation is easy.

3. Easy and Obvious:

- Reboot Phone** – Helps clear phone and fix corrupted files (if any)
- Toggle Airplane Mode On/Off** – Interrupting the signal will cause the phone to search and it may find a stronger signal when reconnecting.
- Full Battery Charge** – Strong charge maximizes signal strength.
- Relatively Current Model Phone and Updated Software**
 - Technology and performance have improved rapidly with each new generation. Older phones may have accumulated some damage along the way.
- Phone Case** – A thick phone case may be another form of signal obstruction to/from your phone's antenna – try without and see if that makes a difference.
- SIMM Chip** – Remove and inspect for dirt or damage.

- 4. Move Around to Find Location of Strongest Signal and Then Stay Put**

– If you are using the carrier's tower, there are locations that will show a stronger signal (more bars) in your home, depending upon obstructions and tower location. Higher is better and dense building materials or dense outdoor vegetation impede signals.

Once you find a good place, staying relatively stationary in that location reduces the phone cycling in an attempt to search for a better signal.

- 5. Be Sure You Have the Best Carrier for You** – Different carriers have their towers in different places to transmit/receive their cell customers' signals. In addition, each cell tower has a finite capacity and your carrier's nearby tower may be chronically congested. Another carrier may be closer and/or have a less obstructed signal path to your house or more capacity on their tower. Each carrier has a coverage map which you can compare to your current provider. Neighbors' carriers/experiences can be a great source of information.

- 6. Patience** – Over the 25 years I have lived in Colorado, my cell coverage has improved significantly. That improvement occurred when overall cell traffic was growing at an enormous rate. Carriers are constantly building out and improving their terrestrial networks and infrastructure, example 5G. They are also blazing new trails, such as non-terrestrial networks or cell phone to satellite to blanket dead spots. T-Mobile is working with SpaceX on the "Above and Beyond" program for ubiquitous text messaging via satellite (Source: T-Mobile website, May, 2022). AT&T has a commercial agreement with AST SpaceMobile for satellite service to everyday cell phones (Source: AT&T website, May, 2024). Verizon is partnering with AST SpaceMobile and Skylo on messaging services (Source: Verizon website, Aug, 2024). While that does not help me this afternoon, the future does look to be even better.

Let me end where I began, once again, thank you for the opportunity to serve.

Randy Weil

Mayor Pro Tem
City Councilmember, District 1
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303-725-1706

PUBLIC WORKS RESIDENT SATISFACTION SURVEY

As part of the Public Works and Finance accreditation process, the City has put together a resident satisfaction survey in an effort to measure areas of improvement. The City is asking all residents to take a few minutes to complete the survey. Residents can complete the survey online by going to the City's website at www.cherryhillsvillage.com and clicking on the Public Works & Parks Department Resident Satisfaction Survey link.

Residents that would prefer a paper copy can complete the survey below and mail it to:

Cherry Hills Village
Attn: Jay Goldie
2450 East Quincy Avenue
Cherry Hills Village, CO 80113



Residents can also drop off their completed survey to City Hall (2450 E. Quincy Avenue) during normal business hours (Monday-Friday from 8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.), take a scan or clear photo of the completed survey and email the image to gjoseph@cherryhillsvillage.com or scan the QR code (to the right) with your smartphone to take the survey electronically:

Thank you for participating in the study.

Public Works

The mission of the Cherry Hills Village Public Works Department is to provide high quality streets, infrastructure, parks, and open space for all residents. The Department strives to be stewards of the environment and be fiscally responsible in all aspects of its operations. The Cherry Hills Village Department of Public Works is comprised of 2 main divisions (Parks and Streets) with 18 full-time employees who possess special skills and knowledge acquired through education, training, and experience to meet the public's needs. The Department also employs 6 seasonal employees in the summer. Some of the many responsibilities of the Department include:

- Maintain 50 miles of streets (100 lane miles)
- Maintain 26 miles of bridle trails, 55 acres of open space and park land
- Stormwater management
- Operate 6.8 miles of sanitary sewer lines
- Oversee all City facility maintenance and repairs
- Plan and manage recreation special events
- Administer the Recreation Reimbursement Program
- Manage the household hazardous waste program and Spring Clean-Up
- Right-of-way construction permitting
- Capital construction management
- Snow removal

Overall, how satisfied are you with the Public Works Department's street operations (i.e. road conditions, repair and maintenance of road damage, signs, paint, etc.)?

<input type="checkbox"/> Very satisfied	<input type="checkbox"/> Somewhat dissatisfied
<input type="checkbox"/> Satisfied	<input type="checkbox"/> Dissatisfied
<input type="checkbox"/> Somewhat satisfied	<input type="checkbox"/> Very dissatisfied
<input type="checkbox"/> Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied	If dissatisfied, please tell us why: _____

Overall, how satisfied are you with the City's parks and trails system?

<input type="checkbox"/> Very satisfied	<input type="checkbox"/> Somewhat dissatisfied
<input type="checkbox"/> Satisfied	<input type="checkbox"/> Dissatisfied
<input type="checkbox"/> Somewhat satisfied	<input type="checkbox"/> Very dissatisfied
<input type="checkbox"/> Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied	If dissatisfied, please tell us why: _____

Overall, how satisfied are you with the Public Works Department's snow removal operations?

<input type="checkbox"/> Very satisfied	<input type="checkbox"/> Somewhat dissatisfied
<input type="checkbox"/> Satisfied	<input type="checkbox"/> Dissatisfied
<input type="checkbox"/> Somewhat satisfied	<input type="checkbox"/> Very dissatisfied
<input type="checkbox"/> Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied	If dissatisfied, please tell us why: _____

Compared to other streets outside of the City, would you say that Cherry Hills Village's roads are

Better About the same Worse

Have you participated in the City's recreation reimbursement program? Yes / No

If not, more information can be found at www.cherryhillsvillage.com/reimbursement

Have you participated in the City's hazardous waste program? Yes / No

If not, more information can be found at www.cherryhillsvillage.com/HazardousPickUp. Do you have any changes or suggestions for improving this program?

Have you participated in the City's tree planting program? Yes / No

If not, more information can be found at www.cherryhillsvillage.com/TreePlantingProgram

What City special events have you attended (Movie Night, Winter Celebration, Spring Clean-up/Shred Day)?

Please tell us what you liked or disliked about these events. What other events would you like the City to consider?

Is the City adequately communicating information about street programs and maintenance, City parks and City trails that you feel is important to you? Yes / No

Please give us any feedback you feel would be helpful in improving our service delivery to the community.



HAPPY HOLIDAYS

THANKFUL

It's the time of year when we reflect and give thanks, and the Cherry Hills Land Preserve wants to take this moment to say thank you all for supporting Quincy Farm.

It's been an incredible year!

Warm wishes,

Board members Cheryl Fiscelli, Janet Kritzer, Janney Carpenter, Judith Judd, Laura Christman, Linda Behr, Phillip Seawalt, Richard Swomley, and Exec. Director Ellen Thompson

GRATEFUL

We are so grateful for our Quincy Farm ambassadors and volunteers, who are the heart of our mission.

A special thanks to Andrew Child, Ashley James, Bill Lucas, Cora Sexton, Ellen Leher, Erin Krug, Goca Weis, Kate Murphy, Katie Agron, Klasina VanderWerf, Laurie O'Brien, Lisa Duke, Lizzy Morton, Mike Gallagher, Rose Lynch, Solange Windfeldt, Stasia Walker, Steve Schovee, and Tracy Ebel.

We invite you to volunteer with us! There are many opportunities for all ages to get involved at the Farm.

FORTUNATE

Our annual fundraising campaign letter should have reached your mailbox by now.

We hope you'll put Quincy Farm on your giving list this year with a tax-deductible donation. Your support makes a difference and helps us in our efforts to revitalize the Farm.

Visit quincyfarm.org to donate, subscribe to our newsletter, or grab a Quincy Farm ball cap as a holiday gift. Follow us on Instagram @quincyfarm.



Cherry Hills Land Preserve is a local nonprofit founded in 2005, collaborating with the City of Cherry Hills Village to revitalize Quincy Farm.

We are a proud partner of 

 P.O. Box 522, Englewood, CO 80151-0522

 quincyfarm.org

 ethompson@cherryhillslandpreserve.org



Crier Classifieds

The Village Crier advertisements will be provided for a fee to both Village residents and advertisers outside the Village. Ads are limited to 45 words. **Publication of the ad in The Village Crier does not imply endorsement.** The Village Crier reserves the right to reject ads. For information about advertising visit www.cherryhillsvillage.com/VillageCrier.

Categories

Attorney
Contract Work/Handyman
Education
Events
For Sale
Gardening/Landscaping
Health and Wellness
Music/Instrument/
 Education/Repair
Painting
Pest Control
Pet Services/Accessories
Professional Services
Real Estate
Tech Help/Services
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ADVERTISE in the next Crier Classifieds

Email your information to
Laura Gillespie at
lgillespie@cherryhillsvillage.com

Deadline: Dec 15

Contract Work/Handyman

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CLEARVIEW WINDOW WASHING is an insured, owner-operated company that has been in business since 1996. References available. Call, text, or email today for a free estimate. Pat Gerlits 303-692-0620 or pgerlits@comcast.net

CUSTOM CONSTRUCTION AND HANDYMAN SERVICES:

Tile/Painting/Cabinets/Remodel/Decks/Hardwoods/and More. Free estimates and fully insured. Contact JMERNSTHOMESERVICES@gmail.com or call/text Jason 303-910-9909.

WINDOW CLEANING by Patrick's Window Shine. Come have Patrick and Ted clean your windows today! We also clean screens, rain gutters, chandeliers, skylights, outdoor lighting, solar panels and more. Call, text or email for your free estimate. 303-710-9585 or patrickswindowshine@gmail.com

Education

MATH TUTORING GRADES 7-12.

For 35+ years and over a decade online, my private students earned the highest grades and SAT/ACT scores. Taking AP Precalculus? Precalculus is a specialty! Written endorsements from top professors and admissions officers. Dr. George, Harvard Ph.D., MIT B.S. 833-628-4833. perdocere.com

MY SCHOOL PRESCHOOL:

A private preschool experience-based learning where children participate in intentional experiences in the classroom, gym, art room & playground with monthly in-house field trips. For ages 2.5 to 5 years. 5555 South Yosemite Street, Greenwood Village, 80111 Contact: MSPreschoolDirector@myschool-preschool.org 303-806-5127 Website: <https://myschool-preschool.com/>

Events

SHOP LOCAL at Curate Mercantile in Centennial + Aspen Grove this Holiday. 130+ Local Vendors - Voted Best Gift Shop. We Ship Gift Boxes Nationwide From curatemercantile.com 'Tis the Season to Shop Small - Check Us Out!

Gardening/Landscaping

FAIRBAIRN DESIGN-TREE AND LANDSCAPE SPECIALISTS designing, building & maintaining landscapes in CHV since 1993. Please call/text Jim for a free consultation at 303-919-2208 or email at jimfairbairn@comcast.net

MAPLE LEAF LANDSCAPING, INC. – Design, Garden Maintenance, Irrigation installation/Repair, Hard-scape & Landscape Construction. Please call 720-290-8292.

Mapleleaflandscapingdenver.com. Serving the Village since 1999. ALCC & BBB

Health and Wellness

CLUB GREENWOOD – Experience your neighborhood fitness resort with pools, barre, indoor cycling and yoga classes, tennis, pickleball, a state-of-the-art weight room, hydromassage beds and more. Save \$500 every year with the Cherry Hills Village Recreation Reimbursement program. Visit ClubGreenwood.com/belong or call 720-838-2527 to learn more.

Pet Services/Accessories

DOG GROOMING * MOBILE *** I COME TO YOU - THE POOCH MOBILE DOG WASH** - All breeds, large or small, welcomed and loved. Pooch Mobile is fantastic, low stress for both you and your dog(s). You'll love it! Please call Robert anytime at 720-480-1560.

Professional Services

THE ANTIQUE TRADER since 1965. CHV residents since 1984. Fair market value/insurance appraisals. Estate appraisals/estate sales. Purchasing: costume, fine jewelry and sterling silver; Native American jewelry, rugs, pottery and artifacts; art and objects of virtue. Jack Wartell 303-722-6098 & Judy Wartell 303-919-5673 antiquetraderappraisals.com or jack.wartell@gmail.com.

EXIT ELEGANTLY: Your partner in life's transitions. We support families with crucial document organization, seamless downsizing, and aging-in-place solutions. Our personalized planning, hands-on support, and mobile notary services ensure peace of mind. Transform challenges into dignified journeys. Confidential consultation: 720-778-1827 or Jill@ExitElegantly.com

Real Estate

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Wildlife Service/Removal

ANIMAL DAMAGE CONTROL for wildlife problems of all sizes. Licensed and insured. We have been servicing Cherry Hills Village for over 30 years. Professional, ethical and humane, we don't use gasses, poisons or pesticides. 303-884-9100, wildlifedamage.com or adcwildlifespecialist@gmail.com

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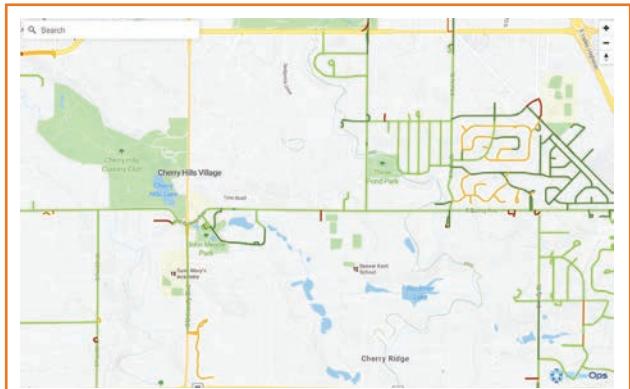




The City has an interactive plowing map available on its website. When snowplows are deployed, their paths of travel will appear on this map. As they travel, the roads that have been plowed in the last hour will be tracked in green and change slowly to red tracking the time since last plowed. The City provides 24-hour snow plowing during major storm

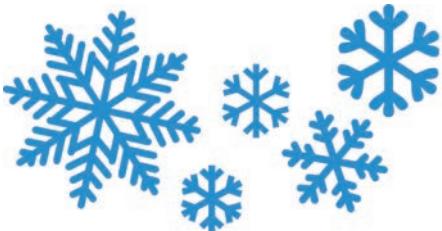
events throughout the City. During the storm the drivers concentrate on plowing the designated emergency routes and keeping access open for emergency services. This is why the main emergency routes will remain green longer. When snow is clear from those areas and the storm begins to dissipate, snowplows proceed to residential streets. During

prolonged storms that drop larger amounts of snow drivers will also make a single path through residential areas as time allows, once the storm passes then drivers will clear all residential streets completely. To see the map click on the link on the City's website cherryhillsvillage.com or go directly to <https://portal.plowops.com/public/?id=483861552>.



Holiday Tree Recycling

The holiday tree drop off will be in the parking lot of the horse arena on Meade Lane. Trees can be dropped off December 26, 2024 through January 31, 2025. There will be signs directing residents to where to place the trees. Please remember to remove all ornaments, decorations, tinsel, and any wire that may be left on the tree. If you have any questions, please contact Public Works Clerk Ginny Joseph during normal business hours (Monday-Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.) at 303-783-2744 or gjoseph@cherryhillsvillage.com.



SNOW REMOVAL

Every municipality in the northern portion of the nation hears the same complaints after every major snowstorm: City plow trucks push big piles of snow right back in front of my driveway just after the driveway is cleared. Public Works staff would like to address this issue and provide some insight into how plowing operations take place.

The primary goal of plowing is to remove snow from streets so that the road is open and safe for vehicular traffic. Plowing pushes snow to the side from the middle of the street naturally, and, unfortunately, this results in snow piling up in front of driveways. Snowplow operators do not place snow in driveways on purpose. There is no practical way for the snowplow operator to cut off the windrow of snow that slides off the plow when crossing each driveway. The driver

cannot stop or raise the plow at each driveway as this would leave a pile of snow in the roadway making travel more dangerous and limit access for emergency vehicles.

If possible, plow drivers will try to prevent excessive blockages at driveways but at times this is not possible. Please remember that the clearing of driveway and mailbox areas is the responsibility of each resident. This issue is only magnified if you live on a cul-de-sac. With the absence of sidewalks in a vast majority of the Village the problem is even more exaggerated and frustrating. Plow drivers make every attempt to keep this issue to a minimum, and we ask citizens to be patient and recognize that during the winter months there will be some inconveniences.

If the plow comes through and you must clear snow again from your driveway or mailboxes, please do not shovel snow into the road. For safety and travelability this snow will be plowed back to the side of the road to remove the hazard from the street. Residents are advised to wait until the plow has been through their road prior to cleaning their driveway and mailbox area. If drifting or more snow occurs, the plows may have to make multiple passes on a road at a later time to keep the road

clear.

City snowplow drivers will continue to do everything they can to avoid this problem. If you believe there is an “excessive” amount of snow in your driveway, call or email the Public Works Department and a work order will be generated. After the snowstorm is over and after all City streets have been cleared of snow, staff will investigate all snow-related work orders. If the amount of snow in the driveway or in front of the mailboxes is determined to be excessive, meaning significantly more than all the other driveways/mailboxes in the City for a particular storm, staff will remove the excess as best they can. Residents may still need to shovel and clean up the remaining snow. If the amount of snow is not excessive as determined by staff, the snow will not be removed. The City does not have the resources to clean out private driveways and mailboxes that have an ordinary amount of snow deposited in front of them.

To contact the Public Works Department, please call (303) 783-2744 or email Public Works Director Jay Goldie at jgoldie@cherryhillsvillage.com.



SCHOOL WINTER BREAK

BRAVE ACADEMY
December 20th through January 3rd

CHERRY HILLS VILLAGE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
December 23rd through January 3rd

KENT DENVER SCHOOL
December 23rd through January 3rd

ST. MARY'S ACADEMY
December 23rd through January 3rd

CHERRY HILLS VILLAGE RECREATION REIMBURSEMENT FORM

DEADLINE: All reimbursements are due by 4:30 PM on the second Friday in January for all prior year receipts. NO EXCEPTIONS!!!

Name _____

Address _____ Zip _____

Day Phone _____ Email _____

INSTRUCTIONS:

List your receipts one activity at a time in the lines below. Attach your original itemized receipt(s) that include the participant's name, address, name of agency, name of activity, activity fee(s) and activity date(s).

Check this box if you would like to donate all or a portion of your Recreation Reimbursement to the Catherine Anderson Fund for the acquisition and protection of parks, trails, and open space lands in Cherry Hills Village. Your donation is tax deductible. The City will send you a tax receipt letter.

Donation amount \$

I certify that:

- I have attached receipts for all listed activities
- All listed activities were **paid for** in the year I am requesting reimbursement
- If this is my first year participating in the program, I have attached proof of residency

I hereby affirm that I am a resident of Cherry Hills Village, Colorado and the recreation expense(s) listed above have been used by and paid for by myself or a member of my household.

Resident Signature: _____

Approved by (staff initial):

Office Use Only

Approved by (staff initial): _____

Reimbursement Amount _____

Donation Amount _____
Donation Account Number 08-320-3221

CHERRY HILLS VILLAGE RECREATION REIMBURSEMENT RULES

Residents of Cherry Hills Village (primary residence only) who participate in a recreation program, activity, class or event offered by a municipal or special district recreation department, a non-profit youth sports organization or any municipal golf course located within the seven-county Denver metropolitan area (Adams, Arapahoe, Boulder, Broomfield, Denver, Douglas, Jefferson) may be eligible for a partial reimbursement of certain costs from the City of Cherry Hills Village. For purposes of this program, “youth sports organization” shall mean a sports organization whose primary purpose is to provide recreational activities for primary or secondary school students.

REIMBURSEMENT PROVISIONS

Each primary household in Cherry Hills Village is eligible for a maximum \$500.00 annual reimbursement when participating in an activity that qualifies for reimbursement. The amount of reimbursement shall be 50 percent of the cost incurred by the resident; however, reimbursement costs shall not exceed a maximum of \$50.00 per single activity, per resident, to include memberships and passes. The amount of reimbursement for an annual membership or pass shall be 50 percent of the cost incurred by the resident; however, reimbursement costs shall not exceed a maximum of \$500.00 annually per household. An annual membership is intended to designate a year-long membership and includes such facilities as Greenwood Athletic and Tennis Club and municipal recreation centers such as South Suburban. Seasonal sporting activities such as soccer, baseball, lacrosse, swimming, hockey, gymnastics, etc., are considered single activities.

REIMBURSEMENT PROCEDURE

1. Obtain an itemized receipt that includes the participant's name, address, name of agency, name of activity, activity fee(s) and activity date(s). Receipts must be submitted in the year the fee was paid, not the year the activity takes place.
Note: The following will not be accepted as receipts: bank statements, cancelled checks, non-itemized credit card receipts, handwritten receipts and registration forms. Initiation fees, rentals, tax charged, national dues, merchandise, childcare, travel, uniforms and golf carts do not qualify for reimbursement.
2. Complete the Recreation Reimbursement Form, attach all itemized receipts and email, mail or deliver this information to the Village Center by **4:30pm on the second Friday in January** for the previous year's reimbursements. **NO EXCEPTIONS.**
3. To conserve City staff time and resources, and to help us easily track each household's reimbursement we are asking our residents to submit all their receipts for the program year on no more than 2 reimbursement submittals in a program year.

It is the resident's responsibility to ensure that their recreation reimbursement application is complete and has been received by the City by 4:30 PM on the second Friday in January.

All the information above will be required, and residency will be verified. It is the obligation of the City staff to ensure against abuse of this program and final authority will rest with the City Manager to suspend or eliminate reimbursement requests determined to be in violation of the terms of this program.

Submit completed forms and receipts to (please make sure you have enough postage on your submittal, all postage due submittals will be rejected):

The City of Cherry Hills Village
Attn: Recreation Reimbursement
2450 E. Quincy Avenue
Cherry Hills Village, CO 80113

or email to gjoseph@cherryhillsvillage.com



HOME SAFETY

VACATION HOME CHECK

If you're going on vacation, let Cherry Hills Village Police Department know! We offer the service of checking on your home or property while you are away. In order to request this service, complete the form online at chvpd.com at least two days prior to your departure.



WHAT IS A HOUSE CHECK?



Your house will be checked by an Officer every other day. This, of course, depends on the manpower and availability of Officers.



WHAT DOES THE OFFICER DO WHEN CHECKING MY HOUSE?



The Officer will walk around the residence to ensure the house is secured and there are no signs of forced entry. They will also be looking for any signs that unwanted persons, or vehicles have been there. They will watch for things that may seem out of the ordinary. The Officer will log the times of the check in their activity log.

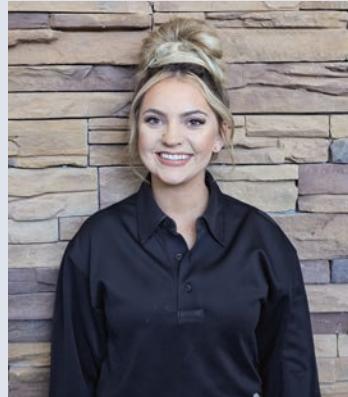


WHAT HAPPENS IF SOMETHING IS WRONG?



The person(s) you list as an emergency contact will be notified; most likely you will also be notified immediately afterwards. Don't forget to give us your cell phone number in case of an emergency.

City Welcomes NEW CODE ENFORCEMENT OFFICER



Payton Lee started her career in Law Enforcement at the Parker Police Department as a Police Officer in 2021. Shortly after, in early 2022, she transferred to the Castle Rock Police Department where she served as a Police Officer for almost three years. During that time, she became well versed in understanding and enforcing the Colorado Revised Statutes, as well as municipal violations. She was also able to build close relationships in the community and help others in many different capacities.

Excited about a new experience and environment, Payton joined the City of Cherry Hills Village Code Enforcement Division at the end of October 2024, as a Code Compliance Officer/Stormwater Inspector. She attended a Qualified Compliance Inspector of Stormwater training course for the State of Colorado and became certified as an Inspector. Payton's duties include conducting active stormwater site inspections, post-construction water-quality control inspections, public education on water quality issues, and implementing the City's Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System (MS-4) Permit requirements. Payton will also manage Municipal Code complaints, violations, and animal control.

She looks forward to serving the community of Cherry Hills Village!

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18 WEDNESDAY
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Middle School Fall Play:
My Fair Share of the Sun -
by Gordon LePage

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Please do your part to mitigate crime

Follow these simple steps:

- 🔒 Remove keys and valuables from vehicles
- 🔒 Lock vehicle doors
- 🔒 Close the garage door
- 🔒 Close and lock exterior doors
- 🔒 Turn on alarm and exterior lights
- 🔒 Report suspicious activity

