



GIVING BACK TO SCHOOL

Members of the Northglenn Youth Commission collected totes and boxes of school supplies and then donated them to seven Northglenn schools in January.

In back from left are Lily Cunis, Natalie Grambart, Chandler Sanchez, Jacob Tow, Peyton Larsen and Savannah Van Duyn. In front from left are Miriah Christian, Elizabeth Donnici, Cindy Ornelas Rodriguez, Isabelle Cunis, Mariah Witkowski and Alexandra Donnici.

The Northglenn Youth Commission is open to any Northglenn resident or Adams 12 Five Star School student ages 13-18. They meet on the first Tuesday of the month in the Northglenn Recreation Center. If you would be interested in joining, please call 303.450.8950.



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STATE OF THE CITY

Building a Great 2018

▶ Northglenn Riding Wave of Strong Local Economy

The New Year has arrived and the City of Northglenn is welcoming 2018 with open arms!

Positive trends in the economy and housing market will enable us to move forward with major public facility projects, infrastructure upgrades and neighborhood revitalization, all of which contribute to enhancing our community image.

The northern Interstate 25 corridor is rapidly developing and attracting primary employers, innovative businesses, retail opportunities, quality housing projects, and entertainment venues. These improve the quality of life and create jobs for our residents.



Dodge

Northglenn sits in a desirable location to benefit from the surrounding growth, and the year ahead promises to be a productive one.

This past year we witnessed construction begin on our new Justice Center, the first new municipal building that Northglenn has constructed since the

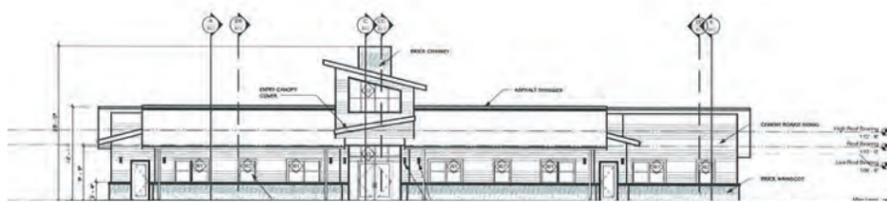
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early 1980s. This new 45,000-square-foot home to our exemplary Police Department and Municipal Court provides a stunning impression from I-25. It will accommodate the growth and spatial needs of the Police Department well into the future. We look forward to a very proud grand opening this fall.

Groundbreaking and construction will begin this year on the new Ralston House, which provides a safe place for law enforcement and district attorney staff to

interview juvenile victims or witnesses of crime. This \$1.7 million project is a multi-jurisdictional effort of the communities in the 17th Judicial District (Adams/Broomfield counties), which came together to share funding for the construction. Northglenn is proud to be the home of this facility, which was truly a regional collaboration.

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Blueprint rendition of the new Ralston House building, which will replace the current building located in Northglenn.

Redevelopment for Marketplace

▶ NURA, Owner Teaming in Public-Private Partnership

The Northglenn Urban Renewal Authority (NURA) and MP Northglenn LLC, a subsidiary of Hutensky Capital Partners (HCP) of Hartford, Conn., entered into a redevelopment agreement for the Northglenn Marketplace.

“NURA has consistently been a catalyst in the center’s improvements over the years,” said NURA Chair Rosie Garner.

HCP purchased 439,000 square feet of the Northglenn Marketplace in late September

for \$49 million. That’s about 67.6 percent of the shopping center, located at Interstate 25 and 104th Avenue.

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CLOSURES

- Presidents Day (Feb. 19)**
- City Hall will be closed on Monday, Feb. 19, in observance of Presidents Day. This includes Administration, the Building Division, City Clerk’s Office and Police Records.
 - The Northglenn Recreation Center and Northglenn Senior Center will be open as normal.
 - Trash will be picked up as normal.

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COUNCIL MEETINGS & STUDY SESSIONS

Council Meetings:
7 p.m. Mon., Feb. 12 and 26

Study Sessions:
6 p.m. Mon., Feb. 5 and March 5

The Feb. 19 study session is canceled due to Presidents Day.

Council meetings are held on the second and fourth Monday of the month at 7 p.m.

Study sessions are held as needed on the first and third Monday of each month at 6 p.m.

Location: Study sessions and council meetings are held at City Council Chambers in City Hall, 11701 Community Center Drive.



Audio/Video: Council meetings and study sessions are shown live on Comcast Channel 8 or 881 HD in Northglenn.

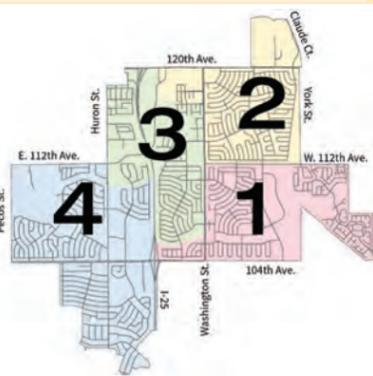
- *Sunday, Wednesday and Friday:* Meetings at 7 a.m. and 7 p.m., study sessions at 1 p.m.
- *Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday:* Study sessions at 7 a.m. and 7 p.m., Meetings at 1 p.m.
- *Monday:* Meetings at 7 a.m., study sessions at 1 p.m.

Videos can also be seen at www.youtube.com/cityofnorthglenn or www.northglenn.org/webdocs.

Audio recordings are available the day after meetings occur at www.northglenn.org/webdocs.

CITY WARDS

Not sure which ward you live in? Call 303.450.8756.



JAN. 8, 2017

Ordinances – 2nd Reading:

Municipal Code Amended

CB-1902 – Council unanimously approved on second reading to amend sections 10-19-2 and 10-20-2 of the Municipal Code, limiting the number of marijuana plants that may be grown in residential structures to no more than 12. This conforms to a statewide limit imposed by House Bill 17-1220.

Resolutions:

Public Posting Places Set

CR-1 – In a unanimous vote, council designated the bulletin boards at City Hall, 11701 Community Center Drive, as well as the city website, www.northglenn.org, as the official public places for posting meeting notices as required by Colorado Open Meetings Law.

Council Members Appointed to Legislative Committee

CR-2 – In a unanimous vote, council appointed council members Julie Duran Mullica, Jordan Sauers and Jenny Willford to the Legislative Policy Committee.

Sheriff's Office to Provide Night Police Records Service

CR-3 – Council unanimously approved an Intergovernmental Agreement with the Adams County Sheriff's Office to receive administrative police records services from 10 p.m. to 6 a.m. daily. The city will pay the sheriff's office \$33,700 for the service in 2018.

Rocky Flats Intergovernmental Agreement Amended

CR-5 – Council unanimously approved the second amendment to the Rocky Flats Stewardship Council Intergovernmental Agreement. This amendment better defines the council's role, mission statement and purpose, and updates technical references to meet regulatory standards.

Renewal of Rocky Flats Agreement Approved

CR-6 – Council unanimously approved the third renewal of the amended Rocky Flats Stewardship Council Intergovernmental Agreement (RFSC IGA). This extends the city's participation in the agreement for three more years, from February 2018 to 2021.

Furniture, Equipment Purchase for Justice Center

CR-7 – Council unanimously approved a purchase order for an amount not to exceed \$737,454.59 for the purchase of furniture, fixtures and equipment for the Northglenn Justice Center. The future home of the Police Department and Municipal Court is set to open this fall.

WARD 4 Neighborhood Meeting

YOU'RE INVITED!

Wed., Feb. 21
Vantage Point High School
10900 Huron St.

6:30 p.m. Meet & Greet • 6:45 p.m. Meeting

Topics for Discussion:

- Meet New Council Member Jenny Willford
- Northglenn Justice Center • Huron Center
- Northglenn Marketplace

And Your Questions and Comments!



Esquibel



Willford



Please contact Mayor Pro Tem Antonio B. Esquibel at 303.941.8491 or aesquibel@northglenn.org; or Council Member Jenny Willford at 303.710.1140 or jwillford@northglenn.org for more information.

COFFEE WITH THE MAYOR UNDER CONSTRUCTION

We're re-thinking how and where we do Coffee with the Mayor, so the February meeting is **CANCELED**.



Check out the March edition of the Connection to find out what we have planned moving forward.

Adjustment to Position Resolution Postponed

CR-8 – Council voted 7-1 to indefinitely postpone this resolution, which would change the position title of Communications Manager to Communications/Government Relations Manager in the adopted 2018 Pay Plan.
► *Yes: Dodge, Willford, Duran Mullica, Sauers, Brown, Whitman and Esquibel.*
No: Leighty.

Position Added in City Manager's Office

CR-9 – Council unanimously approved the addition of a full-time administrative assistant to the City Manager's Office. This employee will work with the Communications Division, Economic Development Division and City Manager's Office.

Council Reappoints Pair to VALE Board

CR-10, CR-11 – Council unanimously reappointed Council Member Joyce Downing and Donna Planert to the Victim Assistance and Law Enforcement (VALE) Board. Both of their terms run Jan. 1, 2018, to Dec. 31, 2020.

– *Local Legislative Recap by John Eisel, Public Communications Specialist*

QUICK THINKING



Chanelle Casorso-Rodriguez and Jose Luis Cenicerros acted quickly administering CPR to save the life of a female found unconscious! They were recognized for their heroic efforts at the City Council meeting on Jan. 8. Please help us thank them for their courage! From left to right are Commander Ian Lopez, Casorso-Rodriguez, Cenicerros and Police Chief Jim May.

REPRESENTATIVE GOVERNMENT



Mayor Carol Dodge, who is also the president of the Colorado Municipal League (CML), represented the CML at Gov. John Hickenlooper's State of the State address in Denver on Jan. 11. From left to right are CML board members Shannon Bird, Kirby Wallin and Dodge.



That morning, Dodge attended the Denver Business Journal's State of the Cities Mayors' Economic Forum. Next to Dodge is Denver Mayor Michael Hancock. Also attending were mayors from Aurora, Greenwood Village and Lakewood.

MEET YOUR CITY COUNCIL MEMBERS

MAYOR

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WARD 2

WARD 3

WARD 4



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LOCAL HIGHLIGHTS

For the first time in its 11-year history, Northglenn residents swept the top five spots in the annual Count the Lights Contest.

From left to right are Miguel Estorga, Mayor Carol Dodge, Jaxon Guokas, Liam Adams, Mason Bochert and Enrique Frias.

Youth ages 6-18 could guess the number of lights on an antique fire truck located at the Northglenn Marketplace in November and December. The top five finishers received cash gift cards as prizes.

Thanks to the Northglenn Historic Preservation Commission for providing the truck, the Northglenn Urban Renewal Authority (NURA) and the Economic Development Division for sponsoring the prizes and Dodge Signs for their assistance.

2017 Count the Lights winners, with age and amount won:

- 5th Place – Enrique Frias, 13, \$100
- 4th Place – Jaxon Guokas, 6, \$150
- 3rd Place – Mason Bochert, 6, \$250
- 2nd Place – Liam Adams, 6, \$500
- 1st Place – Miguel Estorga, 15, \$1,000

NUMBERS TO KNOW

EMERGENCIES	911
Animal Control.....	303.450.8886
Animal Impound.....	303.288.3294
Building Permits.....	303.450.8745
City Hall	303.451.8326
City Clerk.....	303.450.8756
City Court	303.450.8701
City Manager.....	303.450.8709
Communications.....	303.450.8713
Economic	303.450.8743
Development	
Fire (non-emergency).....	303.452.9910
(North Metro Fire Rescue)	
Graffiti Hotline	303.252.3849
Neighborhood Services ...	303.280.7876
(Code Enforcement)	
Parks & Trails.....	303.280.7821
Planning & Zoning.....	303.450.8739
Police (non-emergency)...	303.288.1535
Police Records	303.450.8892
Rec Center	303.450.8800
Senior Center.....	303.450.8801
Snow & Ice Removal.....	303.450.4001
Streets.....	303.450.4001
Trash & Recycling	303.450.4004
Utility Billing	303.450.8770
Volunteering	303.450.8904
Water	303.450.4045
Conservation Hotline	
Water/Sewer	303.280.7803
Problems	
Water/Sewer	303.451.1289
24-hour Line	

State Honors for Northglenn Schools

Courtesy Adams 12 Five Star Schools

Adams 12 Five Star Schools is proud to announce that 12 schools have earned school performance awards from the Colorado Department of Education, including five from Northglenn. The district surprised the schools with a celebration in their respective buildings to honor the hard work of staff and community to help students reach their full potential in every classroom, every day.

Schools in Northglenn earned awards in three categories:

Colorado John Irwin Schools of Excellence Awards



STEM Lab staff with their Colorado John Irwin Schools of Excellence Award.

The John Irwin awards, named after former Colorado State Representative John J. Irwin, are given to schools that demonstrate excellent academic achievement. On the three-year school performance framework that is used by the state to evaluate schools, these schools "exceed"

SCHOLARSHIP AVAILABLE

The price for college keeps going up, and scholarships are more competitive than ever. If only there was a scholarship just for high school students in Northglenn...

Well, SAFEbuilt, which provides building division services for the city, is again offering a \$1,000 scholarship. You must be a senior at Northglenn High School or Vantage Point High School to apply. Last year, they only had five entries!

Applications will be due in March. Go to www.northglenn.org/scholarship for all the details.

expectations on the academic achievement indicator.

- Hulstrom K-8
- STEM Lab

Colorado Governor's Distinguished Improvement Awards

The Governor's Distinguished Improvement Awards are given to schools that demonstrate exceptional student growth. On the school performance framework that is used by the state to evaluate schools, these schools "exceed" expectations on the indicator related to longitudinal academic growth and "meet or exceed" expectations on the indicator related to academic growth gaps.

- Hulstrom K-8

Centers of Excellence Award

Each year, the Colorado Department of Education recognizes public schools in the state that enroll a student population of which at least 75 percent are at-risk pupils and that demonstrate the highest rates of student longitudinal growth, as measured by the Colorado Growth Model. On the school performance framework that is used by the state to evaluate schools, these schools have demonstrated impressive results on the indicator relating to longitudinal academic growth.

- Northglenn Middle
- North Mor Elementary
- Stukey Elementary

To see the full list of schools, visit www.adams12.org,

NORTHGLENN CONNECTION

The Northglenn Connection is delivered monthly to city residents. Use it as a reference for city information and to learn about what is happening in the community.

This publication and past editions are also available at www.northglenn.org/connection.

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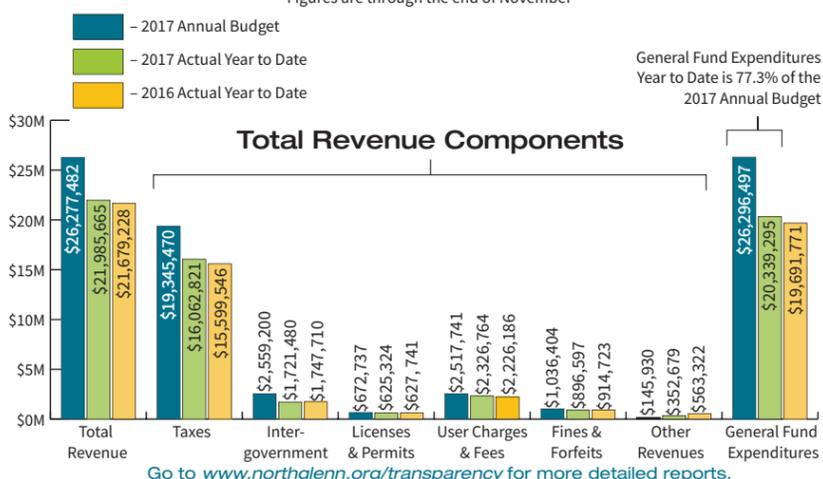


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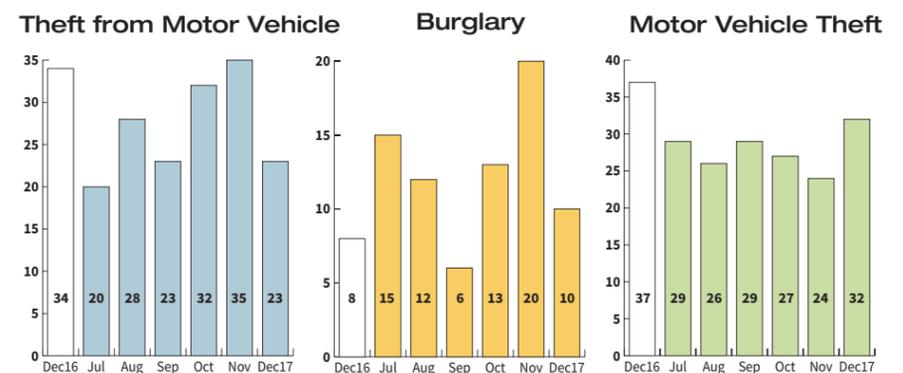
November 2017 General Fund Financial Report

Figures are through the end of November



December 2017 Crime Statistics

These charts show statistics from the Police Department for theft from a motor vehicle, burglary and motor vehicle theft in the city over the last six months as well as from December of 2016. To report a non-life threatening crime, call 303.288.1535. Dial 911 in an emergency.



TRAFFIC CALMING MEETING

Residents are invited to a neighborhood meeting to provide feedback on potential traffic calming measures on Claude Court south of 120th Avenue.

Traffic calming measures reduce vehicle speed and can include speed limit signs, striping, speed bumps or raised crosswalks.

Responses from the meetings will be reported back to council.

- When: Thurs., Feb. 8, 6:30-8:30 p.m.
- Where: Maintenance & Operations Facility, 12301 Claude Court

For questions, please contact Ashley Kaade at 303.450.8836 or akaade@northglenn.org. For more about the city's Traffic Calming Policy, visit www.northglenn.org/trafficcalming.

Radon Kits Available

► Over Half of State Homes Have High Levels

Radon is the second-leading cause of lung cancer, and over half of Colorado homes have high radon levels.

Are you at risk? The Tri-County Health Department is offering free test kits for this invisible, radioactive gas. Request one online at www.tchd.org.

Radon is created from the breakdown of natural deposits of uranium in the soil, rock and water. It seeps into the home through cracks and gaps in the foundation and levels can be high in all homes regardless of age or foundation type.

For more information on radon, and the steps you can take to detect or prevent its presence, go to www.tchd.org/radon.



Fireworks are illegal – year-round.



HEATING UP The contractor on the Northglenn Justice Center is continuing to work on mechanical, electrical and plumbing installation on the interior of the building. Exterior work includes insulation, masonry, and glass installation. The contractor will begin drilling foundations for the new traffic signal in the upcoming weeks. Also, portions of the north parking lot have been constructed. The future home of the Police Department and Municipal Court is set to open in the fall of 2018. For a live view of the site, please click on the link at www.northglenn.org/justicecenter.



Free Tax Prep at County Sites

► Service NOT Provided at Northglenn Senior Center

Adams County will be offering free tax preparation at two county buildings this spring, but NOT at the Northglenn Senior Center.

You may go to either of these two locations from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. (or capacity) through April 12. Please note space is limited:

- Adams County Human Services Center, 11860 Pecos St. in Westminster

on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays.

- Adams County Government Center, 4430 S. Adams County Parkway in Brighton on Wednesdays ONLY.

Your combined income cannot exceed \$56,000.

Please bring with you:

- A government-issued photo ID
- Social Security cards for you and all dependents
- All W2s, 1098 and 1099 forms
- Proof of any other income received
- Any deductible expenses
- A copy of last year's tax return

For more information, call the county's Income Tax Help Line at 720.523.6163.

Police Academy Starts in March

Learn about crime scene investigation, DUI tests and the day-to-day duties of a Northglenn police officer in the Citizens Police Academy.

This free 12-week series runs 6-9 p.m. on Wednesdays starting March 7. Northglenn officers and other law enforcement will teach the sessions at the police station, 11701 Community Center Drive.

You must be 18 or older and live or work in Northglenn to register. Deadline is Feb. 28. Sign up online on a first-come, first-served basis at www.northglenn.org/policeacademy.

For more information, contact Officer Scott McNeilly at 303.450.8852 or smcneilly@northglenn.org.

ACADEMY TOPICS

- Community policing
- Patrol duties & procedures
- Adams County Communication Dispatch
- DUI and field sobriety tests
- Accident investigations
- School officer assignments
- Technology crimes
- Officer safety
- Crime scene investigation
- Tasers
- Law enforcement careers
- Critical incidents
- Police training
- Officer survival
- Ride along with patrol

CITIZENS' AFFAIRS BOARD MEMBERS SOUGHT

The city is looking for residents to join the Citizens' Affairs Board.

Meeting on the first Wednesday of the month, the board receives proposals or

complaints from the community and directs the inquires and requests to the city manager.

Members are needed to represent

Ward 2, Ward 3 and the city at-large.

If you are interested, please call 303.450.8756 or e-mail sfields@northglenn.org.

Old Motor Oil Used to Heat City Building

You've heard of heating a building with natural gas, propane, oil, coal – even solar. But what about used motor oil?

For almost two decades, the city has used old motor oil to heat a storage/mechanical building at the Water Treatment Plant and the fleet maintenance shop at the Maintenance & Operations Facility.

The city uses the old motor oil that comes from maintaining approximately 250 vehicles and pieces of equipment. The heat generated from the motor oil supplies about 40 percent needed at the storage building and nearly all at the fleet maintenance shop.

The city uses two EPA-approved oil burning furnaces and storage tanks. The originals were purchased in 1999, and the city replaced the one in the fleet shop in 2014.



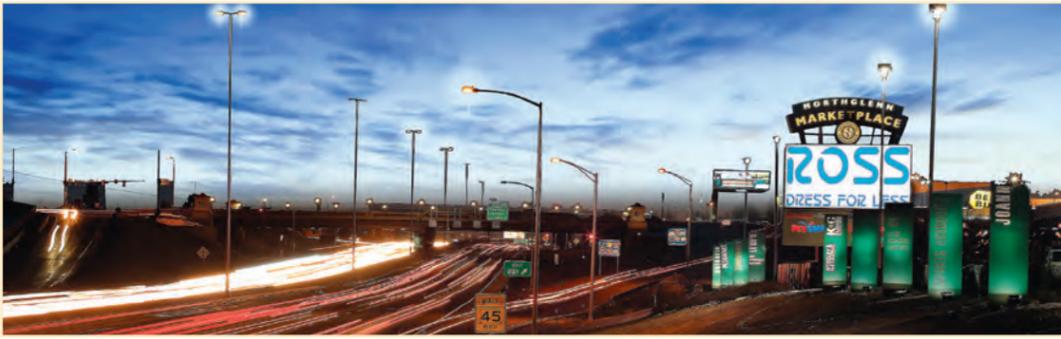
Motor oil heater at the fleet maintenance shop.

RECYCLE OLD MOTOR OIL OR ANTIFREEZE

The city will collect up to five gallons of used motor oil and anti-freeze placed next to your trash cart on your collection day.

They must be in plainly-labeled, clear, one-gallon containers, such as a plastic milk jug.

If you have any questions about trash and recycling in the city, call 303.450.4004.



► More Entertainment Focus for Marketplace

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“The Marketplace has long been the center of the city’s retail activity, and this new phase will re-energize and revitalize the center that Northglenn residents and visitors will appreciate,” said Garner.

Through this public/private partnership with NURA, an additional \$27.7 million will be invested for exterior improvements to redevelop and stabilize the property into a vibrant commercial center. With purchase and improvement costs, the total amount for the project is estimated to be around \$76.7 million.

Efforts will focus on turning the Marketplace into an entertainment-oriented destination. Plans include an entertainment facility, new restaurants, a plaza, pedestrian-oriented areas, signage, branding and more retailers.

“We are confident that the vision of our redevelopment partners will create a thriving entertainment area which will benefit the existing retailers and also attract new businesses to the center,” said Mayor Carol Dodge.

Construction is expected to start in 2018 with completion in 2020.

New Storefront Businesses

- **Phoenix Home Care** leased 2,554 square feet at 11990 Grant St., Suite 200. This home health care agency employs three people. For more information, call 970.667.2273.

RIBBON CUTTINGS

BRAVO'S ITALIAN RESTAURANT



Bravo's Italian Restaurant held its ribbon cutting ceremony on Dec. 27. This homemade Italian restaurant is located at 10691 Melody Drive, Unit C, and employs eight people. Hours of operation are Monday through Thursday, 11 a.m.-9 p.m.; Friday and Saturday, 11 a.m.-10 p.m. and Sunday 11 a.m.-8:30 p.m. For more information call 303.920.5191.

OFFICE DEPOT



Office Depot opened its new location in the Northglenn Marketplace on Jan. 10. The new 18,377-square-foot store is located at 10650 Melody Drive. This is only the second "store of the future" in the Denver Metro area and they employ 18 people. For more information visit www.officedepot.com/storelocator/co/northglenn/office-depot-3367/ or call 720.669.1045.

BREAK IT DOWN, BUILD IT UP



The old Kentucky Friend Chicken building at 10790 Washington St. came down in mid-January. Don't worry, fried chicken fans – a new 3,161-square-foot KFC will be built on the old site (rendition above). The new restaurant should be up and running by the summer, if not earlier.

PUT YOUR BUSINESS ON AN I-25 MARQUEE

The city is offering affordable advertising opportunities for Northglenn businesses to market and promote their company on the digital billboard sign located on Interstate 25, south of 104th Avenue.

The fee for first-time advertisers in the Digital Advertising Billboard Signage (DABS) Program is just \$200 as a means of encouraging small businesses to participate. The fee for repeat

advertisers is \$450. (The market value is in excess of \$3,000).

Qualified applications are being accepted, and will be prioritized based on a first-come, first-served basis.

For more information, contact Economic Development Specialist Jill Mendoza at 303.450.8938 or jmendoza@northglenn.org.



Presented by the Colorado Department of Transportation's Bicycle & Pedestrian Program, the Federal Highway Administration and the Denver Regional Council of Governments.

E.B. Rains Jr. Memorial Park, 11800 Community Center Drive, will host a station as part of International Winter Bike to Work Day from 7 to 8:30 a.m. on Feb. 9. Smart Commute Metro North is sponsoring the event, but city staff will be on hand to give out refreshments and encouragement. The park also has a bike repair station on its west side, if needed. If you are interested in participating, please register at www.winterbiketoworkday.org.

BUSINESS TAX CREDIT PROGRAM

Now is the Time to Pre-Certify for Enterprise Zone Tax Credits

Nearly all Northglenn businesses may be eligible to earn state income tax credits when purchasing equipment, training employees or providing health insurance. In order to earn these credits, you must be pre-certified before making any qualifying purchases.

For more information on Colorado's Enterprise Zone program, go to www.adamscountyed.com/enterprise-zone.

For questions, contact Angie Bedolla at abedolla@adamscountyed.com or 303.453.8518.



BRIGHT HORIZON

Changes are coming quickly for the Huron Center Redevelopment at 104th Avenue and Huron Street. The east and west facades have been completed, and exterior construction is scheduled to be finished in early spring. Auto Zone has started interior demolition in anticipation of its summer opening. Arby's has started working on its pad and is set to open in mid-2018. For more about the project, go to www.northglenn.org/huroncenter.

Open House for Possible Rec Center

► Facility Planned for West of City Hall Parking Lot

Residents and patrons of the Northglenn Recreation Center are invited to an open house to look at updates for a proposed new facility and provide feedback.

The city is considering whether to build a new rec center/theater/senior center on the plot directly west of the City Hall parking lot.

Residents were invited to give feedback last fall. Staff and the advisory committee used that information to develop a proposed concept plan. At the second open house, we'd like to know if we got it right.

The open house is 5-8 p.m. Tues., Feb. 13 at the rec center, 11801 Community Center Drive.

If you are unable to attend, visuals from this meeting will be put on display at the rec center and City Hall, 11701 Community Center Drive from Feb. 14 to 18. You can also provide feedback at www.northglenn.org/newrecenter.

The feedback from this open house and presentation will be given to City Council in March.

RECREATION PUBLIC HEARING

Thurs., Feb. 8, 5:30 p.m., City Hall, 11701 Community Center Drive

Do you have any opinions or suggestions about recreation programming offered through the city? The Parks and Recreation Advisory Board is hosting a public hearing and would love to find out what you think. For more information, call 303.280.7821.

SUMMER JOBS OPEN SOON

Thinking about a summer job? Go to www.northglenn.org/jobs starting the second week of February for more information regarding the following seasonal positions:

Seasonal Job.....	Pay Per Hour
Park Maintenance	\$11.28-\$11.97
Park Rangers	\$11.28
Cashier	\$10.21
Pedal Boat Attendants	\$10.21
Lifeguards	\$10.73
Lifeguard Instructors	\$11.28
Head Lifeguards	\$11.85
Youth Sports Instructors	\$10.84
Day Camp Aides	\$10.21
Day Camp Asst. Director	\$11.74
Day Camp Director	\$12.96



DON'T GIVE YOUR TREES THE COLD SHOULDER

With a nip in the air and your sprinkler system (hopefully) winterized, doing yard work may be the last thing on your mind.

But a little bit of care to your trees when the snow is melted and the temperature is above 40 degrees can help them through the rapidly-changing weather of Colorado in the winter and spring.

- **Water your trees – slowly.** A nice, long soak will allow the water to absorb into the ground near the tree and not flow down into the yard or sidewalk.
- **Apply two to four inches of mulch around the base.** This helps with water absorption and insulate against extreme temperatures.
- **Make sure your young trees are attended to.** With a less-extensive root system, they're most at risk.

Information provided by the Colorado State Forest Service. For more information about caring for your trees and yard, go to csfs.colostate.edu.

Time to Register for Summer Day Camp

Remember the fun of summer when you were a kid? Exploring the outdoors, spending time with friends, playing games and splashing in the pool?

Unplug the television and Internet and pass these experiences on to your children as part of the city's Summer Day Camp.

As they take part in fun experiences and adventures, youth ages 6-11 also build self-esteem, develop interpersonal skills and make lasting friendships.

This exciting and safe program runs 7 a.m.-6 p.m. weekdays from May 29 to Aug. 10. Drop-off and pick-up is at the Northglenn Recreation Center, 11801 Community Center Drive.

Registration is in one-week blocks. The cost is \$135 a week for residents, \$148 for non-residents. (The price is reduced for the shortened weeks of Memorial Day and July 4th.) Call 303.450.8800 or go to www.northglenn.org/playnorthglenn to sign up.

The camp is limited to 60 participants a day. Contact Kelli Scharfenberg at 303.450.8776 or kscharfenberg@northglenn.org for more details.

MANDATORY PARENT MEETING FOR REGISTERED FAMILIES

A parent handbook and information packet, which includes immunization information, is at www.northglenn.org/youthprograms. Please bring the completed paperwork to the mandatory parent meeting at 6:30 p.m. May 23 at the rec center.

SUMMER DAY CAMP ACTIVITIES

- Swimming
- Roller skating
- Theater performances
- Sports
- Field trips
- Riding pedal boats
- Fun in the park
- Crafts



On the Web: Go to www.northglenn.org/youthprograms for the list of weeks and the respective RecTrac Codes.

RECREATION SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE

The city has scholarships for recreation programs for Northglenn

residents. Applications are accepted at any time.

Also, a limited number of scholarships are available just for Summer Day Camp through the Northglenn Community

Foundation. Awards may cover up to 75 percent of the total cost. Applications for day camp scholarships are due by March 31.

Eligibility for all scholarships is based on household income.

Income documentation must be included with the application.

Contact Belia Straushein at 303.280.7821 or bstraushein@northglenn.org for more information.

New Dimension of Learning

► Rec Center Class Introduces Youth to 3D Printing

Does your child love to imagine creatures, items or new worlds? What if they could take those ideas and transform them into models that they can take home?

It's possible with 3D printing. A special machine builds fully-formed objects from a computer-generated design, thin layer by layer.

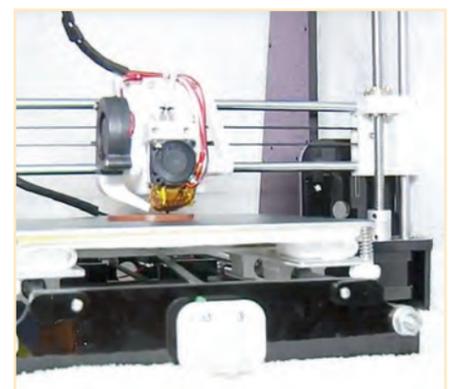
The city is hosting a 3D printing and design class for youth ages 10 and up. They will be from 6:15 to 7:30 p.m. on Wednesdays in February at the recreation

center, 11801 Community Center Drive.

Students will learn how to use 3D modeling software, the mechanics of 3D printing and what 3D models are actually made of.

Cost is \$80 for residents, \$88 for non-residents. An additional \$25 materials fee is due the first day of class. All participants need to provide their own laptop.

To sign up, call 303.450.8800 or go to www.northglenn.org/playnorthglenn and use code 10424001.



Example of a 3D printer.

YOUTH AUDITION "Big Fish"

Feb. 6-7, D.L. Parsons Theatre

Youth ages 8-18 are invited to audition for the Northglenn Youth Theatre production of the Broadway musical "Big Fish," based on the acclaimed novel and Tim Burton movie. About 45 roles are available. You must schedule an audition at www.northglennarts.org/auditions. Audition requirements are on the web site. Cost is \$125, if cast.

Night of the Stars Talent Show

Fri., Feb. 9, 7-9 p.m., D.L. Parsons Theatre

Watch some of the most talented youth in the area. They will compete in voice, music and variety categories, with the winners moving on to the regional grand finale in March. Cost is \$10. For more information or to purchase tickets, go to www.northglennarts.org.

Babysitting Class

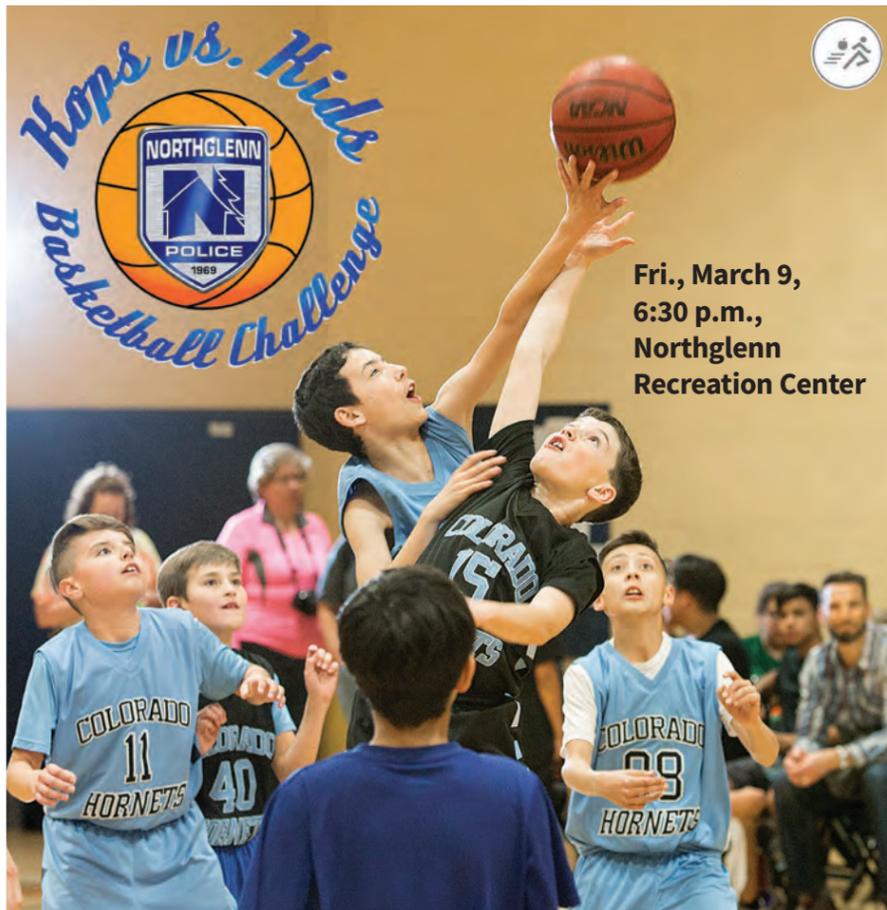
Sat., Feb. 10, 9 a.m.-3 p.m.,
Northglenn Recreation Center

First-time babysitters ages 11-13 will learn how to watch over young children. Topics include CPR, first aid, growth and development, safety, feeding, discipline, diapering and bathing. Participants earn a CPR/First Aid certificate. Please bring a sack lunch. Cost is \$55 for residents, \$60 for non-residents. **RECTRAC CODE: 10636001**

STEM LEGO Challenge Workshop

Fri., Feb. 16 and Mon., Feb. 19, 9 a.m.-12 p.m., Northglenn Recreation Center

Power up your engineering skills with Play-Well Technologies and thousands of LEGOs. Apply real-world concepts in physics, engineering and architecture through engineer-designed projects. Cost is \$34 for residents, \$37 for non-residents. **RECTRAC CODE: 10638001**



Fri., March 9,
6:30 p.m.,
Northglenn
Recreation Center

Hey kids – are you ready to take on the Northglenn Police Department in a good-natured basketball game?

Youth ages 9-14 can sign up to play as an individual or as part of a team in this event, which provides a positive, safe and fun experience for youth in our community.

North Metro Fire Rescue District fire fighters may stop by to play, too!

Hosted by the police and the Citizen's Police Academy Alumni Association of Northglenn (CPAAAN).

Cost is \$5 for residents, \$6 for non-residents and \$18 for a team up to six members. **RECTRAC CODE: 10967001**

COLO. YOUTH ADVENTURES

Paint Party & A Movie

Mon., Feb. 19, 10 a.m.-4 p.m., meet at the Northglenn Recreation Center

Come paint with us on your day off from school. Create a wonderful masterpiece with direction and help from a professional instructor. Afterward enjoy some pizza for lunch and then head over to catch an afternoon movie. Be sure to wear clothes to paint in! For youth ages 11-18. Cost is \$42 for residents, \$47 for non-residents. Fee includes lunch. **RECTRAC CODE: 10965001**

REC CENTER, THEATER & E.B. RAINS PARK

- The **Northglenn Recreation Center**, 11801 Community Center Drive, is southeast of I-25 and 120th Avenue. Inside the rec center is the **D.L. Parsons Theatre**.
- **E.B. Rains Jr. Memorial Park** is located across the street from the rec center at 11800 Community Center Drive.



SCHOOL'S OUT SPECIALS

What's better than a day off from school? Going on fun trips!

School's Out Specials are for youth ages 11-15. Trips run 9 a.m.-4 p.m., leaving from and returning to the rec center. Cost is \$40 for residents, \$45 for non-residents per trip. This includes admission, transportation and supervision. Bring a sack lunch and water bottle. **RECTRAC CODE: 10964001**



Courtesy Denver Art Museum

Fri., Feb. 16: Denver Art Museum and Swimming

Just because school is out, that doesn't mean learning has to stop. The Denver Art Museum's collection of paintings, sculptures and other works spans centuries and cultures. After the tour, head back to the rec center for swimming.

Mon., Feb. 19: Warrior Challenge and a Movie

Run, jump and play in the 75 activities of physical fun at Warrior Challenge in the morning, then catch a G, PG or PG-13 movie in the afternoon.

REGISTRATION WITH RECTRAC CODE

For events with an eight-digit RecTrac Code, sign up by calling **303.450.8800** or going to www.northglenn.org/playnorthglenn. Make sure you have the accompanying code available.

Items with a HEAL Committee logo promote healthy eating and/or active living.



Senior Center Events

These events occur at the Northglenn Senior Center, and are for people ages 55 and over, unless noted.

To sign up or for more information, call 303.450.8801. For items that have a RecTrac code, you can register at www.northglenn.org/playnorthglenn.

Longmont Museum & Cultural Center

Wed., Feb. 7, 12:15 p.m., meet at the senior center

The Longmont Museum hosts changing exhibits of history, art and science. Featured is the award-winning Front Range Rising, a long-term exhibit on the history and culture of this region. Cost is \$4. RSVP by Feb. 4, but please register early, as the trip only has 14 openings. **RECTRAC CODE: 10528007**



Senior Resources & Care Options

Tues., Feb. 13, 1 p.m.

This talk will cover senior care and housing options, local resources for seniors, and more. Attendees will have time to ask questions about their circumstances. This class is free and open to all ages. Please register by Feb. 10. **RECTRAC CODE: 10527001**

FESTIVE FRIDAY

Chinese New Year

Fri., Feb. 16, 12 p.m.

Celebrate Chinese New Year's Day with a festive Chinese lunch and party favors. Everyone will learn their Chinese Zodiac animal. Cost is \$11. Please register by Feb. 14. **RECTRAC CODE: 10530006**

Hoodie Hoo Day Potluck

Tues., Feb. 20, 11:45 a.m.

Help us chase away winter and have some silly fun with a Northern Hemisphere Hoodie Hoo Day Potluck. Cost is free, just bring a side dish or dessert. Please register by Feb. 16. **RECTRAC CODE: 10529002**

Immune Support 101 – Nutrition and Immune Function

Thurs., Feb. 22, 1:30 p.m.

Most people know vitamin C is important for the immune

system, but why? And what about the other vitamins? Just like the rest of our body, the immune system requires optimal nutrition to work at its best. This class is free and open to all ages. Please register by Feb. 20. **RECTRAC CODE: 10527002**

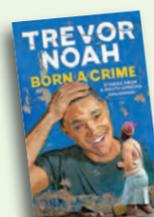


SENIOR BOOK CLUB

"Born a Crime"

Tues., Feb. 27, 1 p.m.

Trevor Noah's unlikely path from apartheid South Africa to the desk of *The Daily Show* began with a criminal act: his birth. Trevor was born to a white Swiss father and a black Xhosa mother at a time when such a union was punishable by five years in prison. Cost is free. Call 303.450.8801 or stop by the senior center to reserve a copy.



FESTIVE FRIDAY

Pig Day Potluck

Fri., March 2, 12 p.m.

Celebrate National Pig Day with everything bacon. Bring a potluck dish that includes bacon or pork – even dessert! Cost is free. Please register by Feb. 28. **RECTRAC CODE: 10530007**



Forney Museum

Wed., March 7, 12:15 p.m. meet at the senior center

Learn about the history of transportation, industrial development, the Henry Ford assembly line, Westward expansion and early aviation pioneers. Cost is \$9. Please register early, as the trip only has 14 spots. Deadline is March 5. **RECTRAC CODE: 10528007**



IN A PICKLE



Visitors to the Northglenn Recreation Center played pickleball on Jan. 16 in the gymnasium. Pickleball is similar to tennis – the biggest differences are a smaller court and using a wiffleball and paddles. Adult visitors to the center are welcome to come by and play on Tuesdays and Thursdays, 11 a.m.-1:30 p.m. You just need to pay the drop-in fee. For more information, call 303.450.8800.

► Collaboration Necessary to Solve Regional Issues

CONTINUED FROM COVER

Our city will also see development plans progress on our last greenfield area located at Karl's Farm Dairy. This location consists of 60-65 acres of opportunity and a developer is currently under contract. The master plan concept includes mixed uses ranging from residential and retail to parks and open space, all connected by an enhanced street network. This is an exciting transit-oriented development opportunity for Northglenn due to the proximity of the project to the Eastlake FasTracks station.

Additional 2018 projects:

- **Revitalization of the Northglenn Marketplace:** A new owner is on board and we look forward to phased redevelopment that seeks to stabilize, refresh, rebrand and re-energize the center. Initial efforts will focus on the north end of the Marketplace. (See cover for more.)
- **Northwest Open Space Construction - Phase 1:** This project includes new fields, parking, restrooms and concessions for this well-used sports complex.
- **Kiwanis Outdoor Pool Splash Pad Addition:** A design concept has been chosen for this fun addition to our popular facility.

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ONGOING 2018 PROJECTS

Ongoing projects for the future that the council and staff continue to discuss include:

- Traffic calming policy and implementation
- Bike/Pedestrian Mobility Plan
- Wastewater Treatment Plant upgrades
- Residential Street Program
- Zoning Code re-write

- Citizen Relations Management (CRM) system to improve attention to citizen concerns
- Recreation center/senior center/theater design project
- Website redesign
- Planning for Northglenn's 50th anniversary celebration in 2019
- Continue branding and logo implementation throughout the city



Aerial view of the new splash pad coming to Kiwanis Pool.

also deal with some of the challenges that accompany the growth. Highway gridlock, crowded residential streets, speeding through neighborhoods and near schools and an increase in our homeless population are a few of our local issues. These issues are not unique to Northglenn, as all Front Range cit-

ies and towns are experiencing similar concerns.

The solutions lie in regional collaboration with our neighbors and state legislators. We are stronger working together to overcome our obstacles and Northglenn is dedicated to making positive changes throughout our community.

So we welcome 2018 with open arms and look forward to both the prosperity and challenges that this new year will undoubtedly deliver. Northglenn is an amazing community with residents who care deeply about their hometown and there's no limit to what we can accomplish when we're armed with confidence and positivity.

– Mayor Carol Dodge

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\$12 adult | \$10 youth & seniors



March 16
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\$12 adult | \$10 youth & seniors



May 18
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SPECIAL EVENT

17th Annual
**Daddy Daughter
Sweetheart Ball**

February 24
5:30 pm
ages 5-13

303.450.8800
to register

TRAVEL FILM



February 21
Mediterranean Dream

The film begins at 10:30 am, lasts approximately two hours and includes a 15-minute intermission with light refreshments.

Adults \$7.50 | Youth & Seniors \$6.50

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