



MAGIC FEST ENCORE

Two-time world magic champion Shawn Farquhar, far left, highlighted a sensational second year for the Magic Festival. Between Aug. 17 and 18, about 4,000 people came to the civic campus between City Hall and the Northglenn Recreation Center and enjoyed 31 magicians presenting more than 28 shows. All four of the performances in the D.L. Parsons Theatre sold out, including Farquhar's two performances on Saturday. Thanks to everyone who attended, and we hope you come see what we pull out of the hat next year!



Justice Center Opening

► City Invited to Ribbon Cutting Event on Sept. 11

The city will open the new state-of-the-art Northglenn Justice Center on Tuesday, Sept. 11, at 5:30 p.m. The public is invited to join the celebration of the facility at 50 W. Community Center Drive which will house the Police Department and Municipal Court.

The grand opening offers an opportunity for residents to tour the 45,000-square-foot building, in particular rooms that will not otherwise be seen by the public, such as

evidence lockers and crime labs. Some of Northglenn’s first police officers will be among the visitors at the celebration. Northglenn Police commemorative challenge coins will be available for sale. Food trucks will be on site for refreshments.

The new building features SMART technology such as light sensors, set points for temperature, solar panels and more than 16,000 feet of glass for natural lighting. It also contains a police training center and a display of historical items, including a jail door dating back to 1940 that was used in the city’s first jail.

For more about the Justice Center, go to [www.northglenn.org/justicecenter](http://www.northglenn.org/justicecenter).

MOVING DATES

Northglenn Police Department

- Thurs., Sept. 27: Records closed, but patrol operations still active in City Hall station
- Friday, Sept. 28, 8 a.m.: Full police operation in Justice Center, including records and patrol

Northglenn Municipal Court

- Closed Sept. 26-28
- Re-open in the center on Oct. 1

Go to [www.northglenn.org](http://www.northglenn.org) for any schedule updates.

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New City Manager on Board

► Geyer Comes to Northglenn from Wheat Ridge

Heather Geyer was appointed city manager at the July 23 City Council meeting and assumed her duties Aug. 20.

"I am honored and excited to be appointed to serve as the city manager for the City of Northglenn," said Geyer. "I look forward to working with the City Council, staff, residents and business owners to continue to move Northglenn forward with a vision for the future!"

Geyer comes to Northglenn from the City of Wheat Ridge, where she has served as administrative services director since



Geyer

2011, and as the assistant to the city manager/public information officer from 2006 to 2010. Geyer brings more than 19 years of experience in local government management.

"We're pleased to have Heather join us as city manager," said Mayor Carol Dodge. "Her experience and many years of municipal leadership will be an asset to the city of Northglenn."

Geyer replaces former city manager James Hayes, who resigned in June.

Geyer earned a bachelor's degree in polit-

ical science and public policy from the University of Denver and a Master of Arts in political science with an emphasis in public policy from the University of Colorado at Denver.

Geyer serves as a Mountain Plains regional vice president on the International City-County Management Association (ICMA) Executive Board of Directors.

She is a graduate of the Senior Executive Institute (SEI) and the Leadership ICMA Class of 2015. She has received numerous national and state awards for organizational development, budget development and communications.

CLOSURES

- **City Hall, the Northglenn Recreation Center and the Northglenn Senior Center** will be closed on Monday, Sept. 3, in observance of Labor Day. Administration, Building Division, Court and Police Records will be closed.
- Trash will be picked up as normal.
- The Sept. 3 study session has been canceled.

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COUNCIL MEETINGS & STUDY SESSIONS

Council Meetings:  
7 p.m. Mon., Sept. 10 and 24

Study Sessions:  
6 p.m. Mon., Sept. 17 and Oct. 1

The Sept. 3 study session is canceled for Labor Day.

Council meetings are 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 and on [www.youtube.com/cityofnorthglenn](http://www.youtube.com/cityofnorthglenn).

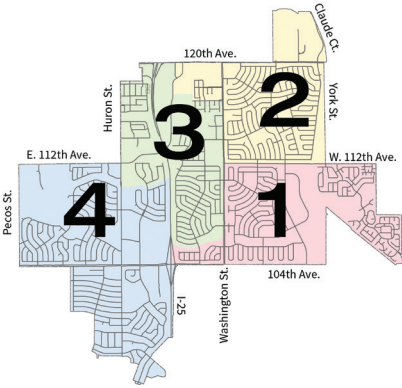
- Sunday, Wednesday and Friday: Meetings at 7 a.m. and 7 p.m., study sessions at 1 p.m.
- Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday: Sessions at 7 a.m. and 7 p.m., meetings at 1 p.m.
- Monday: Meetings at 7 a.m., study sessions at 1 p.m.

Videos can also be seen at [www.youtube.com/cityofnorthglenn](http://www.youtube.com/cityofnorthglenn) or [www.northglenn.org/webdocs](http://www.northglenn.org/webdocs).

Audio recordings are available the day after meetings occur at [www.northglenn.org/webdocs](http://www.northglenn.org/webdocs).

CITY WARDS

Not sure which ward you live in? Call 303.450.8756.



JULY 23, 2018

Ordinances: 2nd Reading

Council Approves Addition to Citizens' Board Functions

CB-1912 – Council unanimously approved on second reading an ordinance that amends Chapter 2, Article 12, of the Municipal Code regarding the function of the Citizens' Affairs Board (CAB). The amendment allows City Council to authorize the board to perform additional tasks as council deems appropriate. Their previous function of receiving and considering complaints and proposals from residents concerning the city and its government remains in place.

Resolutions:

Furnishings for New Wastewater Building

CR-81 – Council unanimously approved an agreement with HPM, Inc. for the furnishing of the new wastewater operations building and laboratory for an amount of \$499,300.

Donnici Appointed to Youth Commission

CR-87 – Council unanimously appointed Elizabeth Donnici to the Northglenn Youth Commission for a term to run July 23, 2018, to July 23, 2019.

Police Receive Grants for Training, Equipment

CR-88 – Council unanimously accepted a grant for \$8,010 from the Colorado Peace Officer Standards Training (POST) for the grant application submitted by the Police Department for arrest control training equipment and training ammunition.

Council Supports Wyco Park Grant Application

CR-89 – Council unanimously supported a grant application from the city to Adams County Open Space for funding for the Wyco Park Tennis Court Improvements Project. The city plans to install a new asphalt and acrylic surface, new fencing and lighting. Already, \$250,000 has been identified in the 2019 Capital Improvement Program Fund for the project.

Police Earn Grants for DUI Enforcement, Bulletproof Vests

CR-92 – Council unanimously accepted the following grant awards on behalf of the Police Department:

- \$2,000 from the Colorado Department of Transportation (CDOT) High Visibility Impaired Driving Enforcement (HVE) 2017-18 Program for overtime for holiday DUI enforcement
- \$12,000 for the same reason as above, but for 2018-2019
- \$10,890 from the United States

Department of Justice Bureau of Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) for special weapons and tactics team (SWAT) bulletproof vests

New Janitor for Justice Center

CR-93 – Council unanimously approved the hiring of a new full-time custodian for the Northglenn Justice Center.

Health Department Gives City Grant for Employee Wellness

CR-94 – Council unanimously accepted a \$1,100 grant from the Tri-County Health Department for the Worksite Wellness Initiative Program, which supports wellness activities by city employees.

Geyer Named City Manager

CR-95 – Council voted 5-2 to appoint Heather Geyer as city manager, effective Aug. 20, 2018. ► Yes: Leighty, Willford, Duran Mullica, Downing, Esquibel. No: Brown, Whitman. See story on cover for more information.

AUG. 13, 2018

Ordinances: 2nd Reading

Items Removed From Special Pickup List

CB-1906 – Council voted 6-1 to amend Article 7 of Chapter 16 of the Municipal Code, which removes mattresses, bed-springs and box springs as permissible special pickup items. These changes take effect Oct. 1. ► Yes: Dodge, Duran Mullica, Sauers, Brown, Whitman, Esquibel. No: Downing. See story on page 4 for more information.

Resolutions:

Local Nonprofits Receive \$15,000 in City Grants

- CR-96 – Council unanimously approved \$15,000 in grant awards as part of the city's 2018 Outside Agency Funding (OAF) Grant Program:
- Immaculate Heart of Mary Food Bank - \$5,000
  - The Senior Hub - \$5,000
  - Food for Hope - \$2,500
  - Almost Home - \$1,250
  - Growing Home - \$1,250

City to Conduct Election with Adams and Weld Counties

CR-97 – Council unanimously approved intergovernmental agreements with Adams and Weld counties for the purpose of participating in the Nov. 6, 2018, coordinated election.

Business Kiosk Program Expanded By Two

CR-98 – Council unanimously approved expanding the city's kiosk program.



One of the kiosks that the city currently has up near 104th Avenue and Melody Drive.

Currently, the city maintains a kiosk on Melody Drive that includes names of Northglenn businesses nearby. Two new kiosks will be located at 106th Avenue and Leroy Drive and near 115th Avenue and Huron Street. The businesses will pay \$200 per sign, which will cover the costs for the city.

City Purchases Tank Mixers

CR-99 – Council unanimously approved the purchase of three submersible tank mixers from PAX Water Technologies, Inc., for an amount not to exceed \$105,735.



Karl's Farm is the last large piece of undeveloped land in the city. For more about the project, go to [www.northglenn.org/karlsfarm](http://www.northglenn.org/karlsfarm).

Agreement for Karl's Farm Lift Station Design Costs

CR-100 – Council unanimously approved an agreement between the city and Karl's Farm Investors, LLC, regarding the design of the Karl's Farm Lift Station. The redevelopment of Karl's Farm will require upsizing the existing lift station. This agreement would obligate the development team to pay for 72 percent for the design, which is the prorated share for the additional lift station capacity. The budget estimate for the design is \$180,000 to \$200,000, so the city's cost may range from \$50,000 to \$56,000.

– Local Legislative Recap by John Eisel, Public Communications Specialist

MEET YOUR CITY COUNCIL MEMBERS

MAYOR

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WARD 2

WARD 3

WARD 4



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LETTER FROM THE ADAMS 12 FIVE STAR SCHOOLS SUPERINTENDENT

Elevating Our Public Schools

Work Done to Northglenn High School, STEM Lab, Stukey Elementary

Dear Five Star Families and Guardians,

Welcome back! I hope you have had a great summer with family and friends and are ready for a new school year to start! On behalf of the nearly 5,000 teachers, school office staff, bus drivers, principals, and counselors, we look forward to making your child’s 2018-2019 school year their best one yet.

FIVE STAR PROUD

- We have much to celebrate in Adams 12 Five Star Schools. Our students and staff are demonstrating amazing growth and success:
- The Five Star District has been accredited as a performance district for two consecutive years and early indicators are that this designation will continue into 2018-2019.
  - The district’s graduation rate of 84.4 percent significantly exceeds the state average, and the Hispanic graduation rate

has jumped from 50.8 percent in 2010 to 80.4 percent in 2017.

- The principals of Northglenn High and Riverdale Elementary (Thornton) earned the Colorado Principal of the Year award for their respective levels.

Additionally, thanks to our community’s generous support of the 2016 Bond Program, we are investing more than \$350 million in every student, every school and every community through improvements to our buildings.

- This summer in Northglenn, Stukey Elementary received over \$2 million in critical building system and infrastructure improvements, and Northglenn High School received improvements to their gym, theater, outside space and a new cafeteria.
- STEM Lab reconstruction continues on schedule. Phase 1 is complete of the reconstruction and renovation of STEM Lab, which serves students from across the entire Five Star District. Phase 2 is under-way and when complete for the 2019-2020 school year, it will allow enrollment to grow from 475 current students to an anticipated 720 students.



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ELEVATE

After a year-long engagement process with more than 7,000 parents, students, staff and community members, we are excited to unveil our new strategic plan – ELEVATE – that will elevate student success for years to come.

Building on current success, ELEVATE is our roadmap for future success. What still needs to be established is how soon we get there. You’ve likely heard of the funding challenges facing education in Colorado. Since the state first started cutting education funding in 2009-2010, Adams 12 Five Star Schools has experienced a cumulative funding shortfall of \$373 million – which means \$32 million for this year alone. Additionally, the district hasn’t received an infusion of dollars locally since the last mill levy override of 2008. How will we jumpstart the ELEVATE plan? Find out more here: [www.adams12.org/ELEVATE](http://www.adams12.org/ELEVATE).

As we kickoff a new year, we are extremely thankful for the partnership and mutual trust we have with our community and are excited to build on our collective Five Star successes in the year ahead.

– Chris Gdowski  
Five Star Schools Superintendent

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
Economic .....	303.450.8743
Development	
Fire (non-emerg).....	303.452.9910
(North Metro Fire Rescue)	
Graffiti Hotline .....	303.252.3849
Marketing and .....	303.450.8713
Communications	
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	

LONG RUN



Missoula Children's Theatre (MCT) presented "The Pied Piper" in August.

2018 is the 30th anniversary of the city hosting MCT at the D.L. Parsons Theatre. Based out of Missoula, Mont., MCT’s mission is the development of life skills in children through the performing arts. Youth 6 to 18-years-old audition on a Monday and perform on Saturday. Northglenn hosts two shows a year with January 2019 being the 60th residency.

“We’ve nurtured this relationship for decades and love seeing the affect it has on our youth,” said Theatre Coordinator Kimberly Jongejan.

January’s residency will be the enduring classic "Pinocchio."

High Marks for City's Preschool Program

The city's Preschool Program recently completed a three-year evaluation process through the Colorado Shines Quality Early Childhood Program.

Colorado Shines is a rating and improvement system for all of Colorado's licensed early learning programs. Operated by the Colorado Department of Education, it encourages and supports programs to improve and connect with families looking for quality child care.

Programs are rated on categories such as:

- Workforce qualifications
- Professional development
- Family partnerships
- Leadership, management and administration
- Learning environment
- Child health

And more!

After a three-year evaluation, the program received four out of five stars - missing out on the highest rating by only .16 percent. Some of the issues stem from the layout and amenities at the current recreation center. When the new recreation center opens in a few years, staff is confident the program will achieve a five-star rating.

Over the past three years, the program has gone through a metamorphosis in order to meet the standards. The environments are designed for 'purposeful' play. Children receive materials carefully chosen for the educational growth and learning styles. The city has moved toward a staff that meets the highest standards of education in the industry and training is ongoing.

The city's preschool program operates weekdays from 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. and is open to youth ages 3 to 5.

For more on the city's program, go to [www.northglenn.org/preschool](http://www.northglenn.org/preschool).

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.

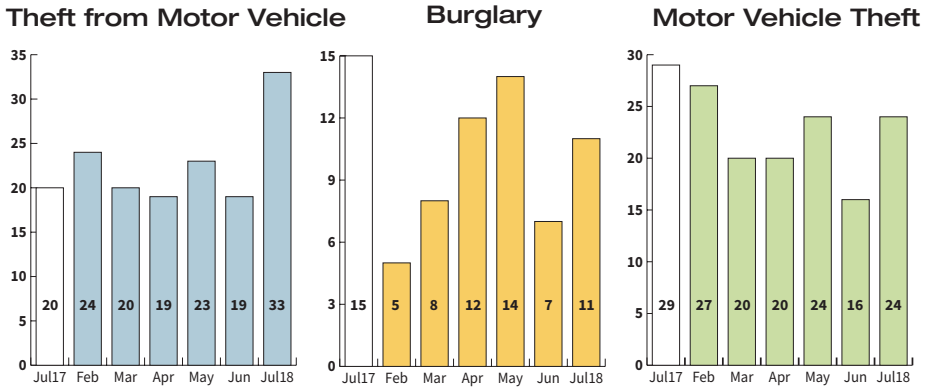
This publication and past editions are also available at [www.northglenn.org/connection](http://www.northglenn.org/connection).

SOCIAL MEDIA

- [www.facebook.com/cityofnorthglenn](http://www.facebook.com/cityofnorthglenn)
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- [www.youtube.com/cityofnorthglenn](http://www.youtube.com/cityofnorthglenn)
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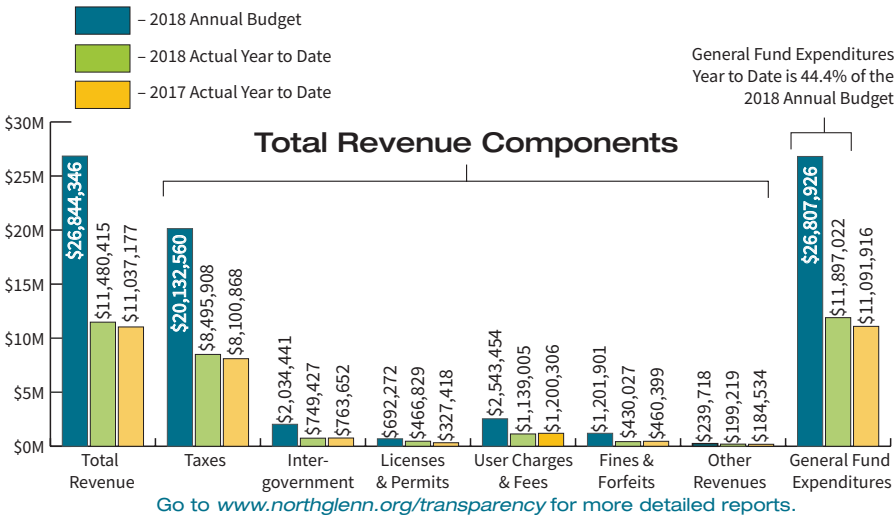
July 2018 Crime Statistics

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 July of 2017. To report a non-life threatening crime, call 303.288.1535. Dial 911 in an emergency.



June 2018 General Fund Financial Report

Figures are through the end of June







A NORTHGLENN NIGHT OUT

► Left: Hundreds of Northglenn residents came out on Aug. 7 to celebrate National Night Out. This annual, national event builds camaraderie amongst neighbors, police and city officials, with the goal of making our city safer. ► Right: Mayor Pro Tem **Antonio B. Esquibel's** home was a popular place that night. From left, Mayor **Carol Dodge**, CPAAAN volunteer **Jessie Holt**, City Manager **Heather Geyer**, Police Chief **Jim May** and a few excited kids celebrated the evening with food, fun and mingling.



DEZA ESTATES SHOWCASE

Homeowners in Deza Estates opened their doors to the Northglenn Historic Preservation Commission to share the unique Mid-century modern architecture and style of these dwellings with the public. The home tours were a part of the first ever Denver Modernism Week, which also featured several architectural exhibits in downtown Denver. Constructed in 1955, these were some of the first homes built in the area now known as Northglenn. If you're interested in learning about the Mid-century modern movement, or the history of the city, go to [www.northglennhistory.com](http://www.northglennhistory.com).

WARD 4 Neighborhood Meeting

YOU'RE INVITED!

Tues., Sept. 18

Vantage Point High School  
10900 Huron St.

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



Esquibel



Willford



Geyer

Topics for Discussion:

- Meet New City Manager Heather Geyer
- Update of the City's Zoning Code
- Hear From State Candidates for House District 34 and Senate District 24

Free Child Care Provided!

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



WARD 3 Neighborhood Meeting

ANNUAL BARBECUE

*Paid for by the council members.*

Sat., Sept. 29

- 11 a.m. Meeting
- 12 p.m. Tours
- 1-2 p.m. Lunch



Meet us at the **NORTHGLENN JUSTICE CENTER!** 50 W. Community Center Dr.

- Tour the Center
- Learn What's Going on in the City
- Q&A With Council Members

Take "Family Photos" Behind the Old Jail Cell Bars!



Contact Council Member Julie Duran Mullica at 720.365.7077 or [jmullica@northglenn.org](mailto:jmullica@northglenn.org); or Council Member Marci Whitman at 303.521.0201 or [mwhitman@northglenn.org](mailto:mwhitman@northglenn.org) for more details.

Mattress Pickup by City No Longer Free

Due to changes in costs at the landfill, starting Oct. 1 the city will no longer accept bed springs, box springs and mattresses for free as part of special pickups.

Some other options are still available:

- If you've purchased a new bed, the store may take your old mattress items.

Pickup:

- Contact Spring Back Colorado at 720.515.1328. They will come to your home for a \$25 pickup fee, and then each mattress item they take is an additional \$20. Spring Back will recycle the mattress items, keeping them out of the landfill. Go to [www.springbackco.org](http://www.springbackco.org) for more details.
- Schedule a special pickup through the city by calling 303.450.4004. The fee will

be \$65 for the first two mattress items and \$20 for any additional pieces.

Drop-Off:

- You can drop off your items at Spring Back Colorado, which is located at 3875 Steele St., Unit B, in Denver. Although there is no pickup fee, each item you drop off is still \$20. They are open weekdays, 7:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. and Saturday 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.
- Drop off the items for \$25 each at the Yard Waste Mulching Center, 12301 Claude Court. You must set an appointment, with openings only on Saturdays. Valid ID and utility bill needed.
- Pay \$30 for each mattress item at free landfill day in October. Go to [www.northglenn.org/freelandfillday](http://www.northglenn.org/freelandfillday) for more details.



MUNICIPAL HEROES

Longtime city resident and volunteer **Steve Austin** received the Colorado Municipal League's Municipal Hero Award in June at its annual conference in Vail.

At 92, Austin volunteers with the city's bike program, builds trails, prepares taxes and shovels snow for other seniors.

From left are Fort Collins mayor and CML president **Wade Troxell**, winners **Antonia Lavadour** and **George Galaviz** of La Jara, Austin, Colorado Department of Local Affairs Executive Director **Irv Halter** and winner **Rachel Hanson** of Lafayette.

Congratulations to all the winners!

HALLOWEEN CANDY DRIVE

On Oct. 27, thousands of costumed kids and their families will stalk the halls of Northglenn High School during Safe Street Halloween.

They'll be clamoring for candy from local businesses and high school students. That means the Police Department needs to collect a lot of candy!

Donation bins will be located at the following locations:

- Northglenn Recreation Center,

11801 Community Center Drive, from Sept. 1 through Oct. 25

- The police station at City Hall, 11701 Community Center Drive, Sept. 1 through Sept. 27
- City Hall and the Northglenn Justice Center, 50 W. Community Center Drive, Sept. 28 through Oct. 25

Please contact Officer Scott McNeilly at 303.450.8852 or [smcneilly@northglenn.org](mailto:smcneilly@northglenn.org) to help out or for more information.



## Save-A-Lot Meeting

Thurs., Oct. 25, 6 p.m.,  
Northglenn Justice Center,  
50 W. Community Center Drive

Save-A-Lot is excited to come to town as they plan a late 2018 opening. Residents are invited to a community meeting to learn more about this Colorado-based, employee-owned company and discuss what products and services they want at the store.



# \$33M

Amount of money the Northglenn Urban Renewal Authority (NURA) has reinvested since its inception in 1990.

NURA improves commercial areas in the city by eliminating blight, assisting public-private redevelopment projects and fostering job creation and capital investment in the city.

Some of NURA's projects include the Huron Center, Webster Lake Promenade and Northglenn Marketplace.



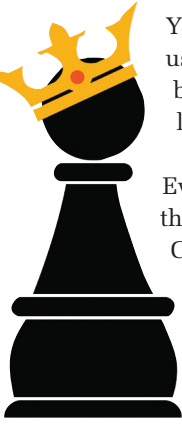
## CENTER STAGE

► **Top:** The \$13 million redevelopment of the 105,322 square-foot Huron Center is almost complete. Both Arby's and AutoZone are open, and Save-A-Lot is under construction to build-out their 21,773-square-foot space.

► **Bottom:** The groundbreaking ceremony for the redevelopment on Aug. 24, 2017. For more information on the project, go online to [www.northglenn.org/huroncenter](http://www.northglenn.org/huroncenter).

## Time Running Out to Vote for Northglenn's Top Biz

► **Deadline Sept. 7**




You still have time to tell us your favorite Northglenn business - but don't wait too long!

Everyone is invited to vote for the city's Business People's Choice Award, which will be given out at October's Business Appreciation Breakfast.

Go to [www.northglenn.org/businessvote](http://www.northglenn.org/businessvote) to enter your selection. Voting ends at 4 p.m. Friday, Sept. 7.

This award represents the cornerstones of business success: outstanding customer service and quality products.

The winner will be decided through popular vote. The only criteria is that the business is located in Northglenn and in good standing.

 **On The Web:** Go to [www.northglenn.org/businessvote](http://www.northglenn.org/businessvote) to cast your vote.

## Draft for New Zoning Code Nearly Ready

The Planning and Development staff continue to work on the Unified Development Ordinance (UDO), which is an update of the city's Zoning Ordinance and subdivision regulations.

The UDO will be a more modern and user-friendly document. It will eliminate inconsistencies from years of piece-meal amendments and better accommodate future development. Many of the residential standards that exist in the code today will remain, which will help to preserve the character of Northglenn neighborhoods.

In September, a consolidated draft of the UDO will be released for public review and comment. This draft pulls together the entire UDO into one document. Up to this point, staff has been working on different parts of the code.

Two public open house meetings will be held on the consolidated draft at dates and times still to be determined. We'll gather input on the draft prior to moving forward with adoption.

To keep up-to-date on this project and to see draft versions of the UDO, visit [www.newcodenorthglenn.org](http://www.newcodenorthglenn.org).

## Northglenn Joins Smart Cities Alliance

► **Focused on Deploying 21st Century Technology and Infrastructure**

The city has joined the Colorado Smart Cities Alliance, a statewide, multi-jurisdictional collaboration of public, private and academic sector leaders committed to accelerating the adoption of smart cities projects and initiatives.

The Alliance collaborates to benefit residents and businesses in Colorado by enhancing quality of life through citizen-centered design and public policy,

along with the deployment of 21st century technology and infrastructure.

There is no cost to join, merely a commitment to engage in one public/private partnership per year and share the insights gained and best practices developed with other Alliance members.

Visit [www.coloradosmart.city](http://www.coloradosmart.city) for more information.

## RIBBON CUTTINGS

### THE GOOD COUCH



The Good Couch held its ribbon cutting on Aug. 21. They specialize in the refurbishment and sale of used couches, loveseats, sectionals and sets. This business leased 3,300 square feet at 425 W. 115th Ave. No. 5 and employs four people. Hours are by appointment only. For more information call 720.201.0591 or visit [www.thegoodusedcouch.com](http://www.thegoodusedcouch.com).

# 3.4%


**Northglenn unemployment rate for July 2018.** This rate is up from 3.2 percent from the end of June 2018 and slightly higher than the state average of 3.1 and the county average of 3.2 percent. In July 2017, the city average was 2.9 percent.



## LIGHTS, CAMERA, NORTHGLENN BIZ!

In an effort to promote Northglenn to entrepreneurs, site selectors and other business professionals, the city created three videos promoting the location, customer service and quality of life in Northglenn.

To view all the videos, go to [www.youtube.com/cityofnorthglenn](http://www.youtube.com/cityofnorthglenn) or [www.northglenn.org/edvideos](http://www.northglenn.org/edvideos).

 **On The Web:** Go to [www.northglenn.org/biz](http://www.northglenn.org/biz) to find out more about economic development in Northglenn.

**DISCOVER**Northglenn



# Yards Still Need Care When Temps Drop

## ▶ Water At Least Once Per Month During Dry Spells

Content Courtesy CSU Extension

Even though fall and winter lead to a drop in temperatures, you shouldn't give your lawn the cold shoulder.

With dry air, low precipitation and little soil moisture, your trees, shrubs, perennials and lawns may be dam-

aged without periodic watering. This is especially true for newly-established plants (less than two years old.)

During extended periods without snow cover, water one to two times a month.

In stark contrast to warm-weather watering, where it should be limited to the evening and early morning, water in the middle of the day when there's a chance it may freeze overnight. (If the temperature drops below 40 degrees, don't water until the weather heats up.)

Another good idea is to apply mulch around your trees and shrubs. This is crucial for new plantings. A 3-to-4-inch depth of mulch should suffice.

Mulch reduces surface evaporation, conserves precious soil moisture and allows water to better penetrate the ground. The mulch also helps keep the ground from freezing, which allows the roots more time to develop.


A benefit of organic mulch, such as wood or bark chips, is they improve the soil structure and the nutrients in the ground.

### PICK UP FREE MULCH

The Yard Waste Mulching Center has free mulch available to the general public and businesses, no I.D. required.

Bring your own shovels, as the city does not provide tools for use. City staff can help load mulch into trailers and pickups if a liability waiver is signed.

The center is inside the Maintenance & Operations Facility, 12301 Claude Court. Through November, the center is open every Friday, 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., and every Saturday, 8 a.m. to 3 p.m.

 **On the Web:** For more information and tips about maintaining your yard, go to [extension.colostate.edu](http://extension.colostate.edu).

## COLORADO CITIES & TOWNS WEEK

Northglenn will be participating in Colorado Cities & Towns Week, Sept. 10-16, which highlights and celebrates the value of municipal government and acknowledges the employees and volunteers who make our community a great place to live, work, and play.

Municipal government is the level of government closest to most residents, and the one with the most direct daily impact upon its

residents. Through Colorado Cities & Towns Week, municipalities from across the state will participate in activities to showcase and celebrate cities and towns and the many services they provide.

**Cities & Towns Week Events:**

- Justice Center Opening
- Pirate Fest
- Social Media Fun



### Hiring Lifeguards

Free Training Post Interview

[northglenn.org/jobs](http://northglenn.org/jobs)

**Ages 15+**

**Part-Time Shifts**

**Great Employment for After School or Weekends**

## 9/11 CEREMONY IN BROOMFIELD

Come attend the North Metro Fire Rescue District's annual 9/11 Memorial Ceremony. This free event is at 8 a.m. Tues., Sept. 11, at the Broomfield Amphitheater, 3 Community Park Road.

North Metro Fire encourages any area residents who were involved in the 9/11 attacks or who lost loved ones to contact the fire district at [sfarris@northmetrofire.org](mailto:sfarris@northmetrofire.org) or 303.252.3017 if they have a story to share or wish to be recognized.

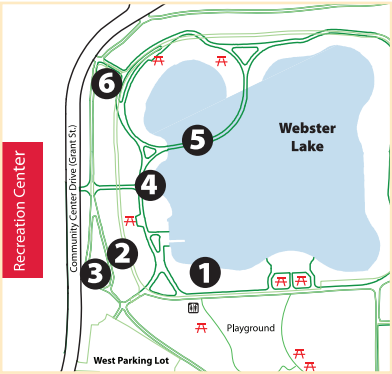
## 2018/19 ART ON PARADE

The Northglenn Arts & Humanities Foundation (NAHF) and the city invite residents and art lovers to vote for their favorite piece in the 2018/19 Art on Parade.

Ballots are available at the Northglenn Recreation Center or at [www.northglennarts.org](http://www.northglennarts.org). Voting ends on Nov. 2.

NAHF has purchased the past winners of the People's Choice Award and placed them at locations throughout the city.

For more information contact **Michael Stricker** at 303.450.8727 or [mstricker@northglenn.org](mailto:mstricker@northglenn.org).



The locations of the six Art on Parade sculptures at E.B Rains Jr. Memorial Park, 11800 Community Center Drive.

## MAGNIFICENT TREE 2018



Kim and Sheryl Skattum's tree at 9980 Clark Drive was named the Most Magnificent Tree in Northglenn for 2018. They will receive a plaque for the tree and their August water bill will be forgiven for winning the award.

## AUGUST 2018 YARD WINNERS

- Congratulations to all the folks we honored with yard awards in August! Your work keeps our city beautiful.**

**Waterwise**

  - Natascha & Tim Myer, 11544 Marion St.
  - Gary & Linda Patterson, 11028 Lambert Ln.
  - Kerri & Vince Noda, 10931 Pearl Way

**Yard of the Month**

  - Lori Meis, 2840 E. 107th Ct.
  - Shannon Ready, 2438 E. 109th Dr.
  - Gene & Shawn Jacobson, 1868 E. 116th Ave.
  - Randy & Kelly Geers, 1941 E. 114th Pl.
  - Ruby Vega, 10777 Corona St.
  - Tracey S., 227 Wallace St.
  - Wayne & Delores Huss, 11009 Lambert Ln.
  - Bob & Judy Huddleston, 10643 Sperry St.
- Gregory & Bobbi Kyle, 243 Garland St.
  - Rick Hays, 11843 Grant St.
- Long Term Home Beautiful**
- Duane & Marion Harris, 3318 E. 105th Ct.
  - Janine Lee, 11069 Pearl Cir.
  - Frank & Gaby McCormick, 523 E. 111th Pl.
  - Steve & Susan Cumpton, 10930 Elizabeth St.
  - Betty & Don Anderson, 11882 Gaylord Way
  - Barbara & Joe Butler, 841 Phillips Dr.
  - Mark & Denise Jaramillo, 11316 Downing Dr.
  - Joseph & Debra Lopez, 11196 Livingston Dr.
  - Russ & Kelly Johnson, 10920 Mildred Dr.
  - Joan & Stephani Lipinski, 10767 Livingston Dr.
  - Tim Gutierrez, 880 W. 100th Ave.
  - Norman & Nancy Terry, 10683 Brewer Dr.





Dog Daze of Summer

Mon., Sept. 3, 5-7 p.m.,  
Kiwanis Pool, 550 Garland Drive

Lucky dogs are invited to swim in the pool before it’s drained for the season. Proof of vaccinations is required. Cost is \$5 per dog. Call 303.450.8800 for more information.



At Home Alone + First Aid

Sat., Sept. 15, 9 a.m.-1 p.m.,  
Northglenn Recreation Center

Pre-teens can learn how to stay safe when they’re home alone through interactive lessons, role play, hands-on training and first aid instruction. Prices are \$35 for residents and \$38 for non-residents. Please register by Sept. 10. **RECTRAC CODE: 30636001**

4th Annual Healing Hoop Pow-Wow

Sat., Sept. 15, and Sun., Sept. 16, 1-6 p.m., Stonehocker Farmhouse, 10950 Fox Run Parkway

In the spirit of togetherness and affirmation of Native American culture, this event is presented free to the public by the Lakota Way Healing Center. All proceeds help provide healing services to veterans, people with trauma, addictions, homelessness and those suffering from PTSD. Contact Doug GoodFeather at 720.276.7558 for more information.

Babysitting Class

Sat., Sept. 22, 9 a.m.- 3 p.m.,  
Northglenn Recreation Center

First-time babysitters ages 11 to 13 will learn what they need to know when watching young kids. Skills covered include CPR, first aid, growth and development,



EXTENDED HOURS!

Tues., Sept. 11, 5-7 p.m. and  
Sat., Sept. 15, 9 a.m.-3 p.m.

City Clerk’s Office, City Hall, 11701  
Community Center Drive

Planning on traveling overseas this coming holiday season? Make sure you apply for your passport!

Conveniently, the City Clerk’s Office is celebrating Passport Awareness Month with extended hours. To apply for a

passport through the City Clerk’s Office, you must schedule an appointment by going online to [www.northglenn.org/passports](http://www.northglenn.org/passports). This page also has prices, paperwork, a list of needed documents and more information.

Appointments are also available week-days from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

*Note: If you just need to renew your passport, you can use Form DS-82, which is available at [travel.state.gov](http://travel.state.gov). Fill it out and mail it in.*

Contact TCHD at 720.266.2971 or [cht@tchd.org](mailto:cht@tchd.org) for more information.

Elevation Youth Basketball Camp

Sat., Oct. 6, 9 a.m.-12 p.m.,  
Northglenn Recreation Center

Challenge the way you think about practice, development and basketball camp. You’ll perform the same dynamic and cutting-edge drills used by NCAA and high school players. For youth ages 7 to 14. For more information go to [www.eygball.com](http://www.eygball.com). Cost is \$25 for residents, \$30 for non-residents. **RECTRAC CODE: 30855003**



safety, feeding, discipline, diapering and bathing. Please bring a sack lunch. Prices are \$55 for residents, \$60 for non-residents. **RECTRAC CODE: 30636001**

Gain Control of Your Diabetes

Thurs., Oct. 4, 5:30-7:30 p.m.,  
Northglenn Recreation Center

Would you like to improve your A1C, increase your energy and feel better? Join the Tri-County Heath Department (TCHD) for a free diabetes education class. Learn tips for healthy eating, medications, monitoring blood glucose levels, being active and more. For people ages 18 and over.



REC CENTER, THEATRE & 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.

REGISTRATION WITH A 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.



MINGLE WITH THE MAYOR

Mon., Oct. 1, 8:30 a.m., Atlanta  
Bread in the Northglenn Marketplace

Have a cup of coffee with Mayor Carol Dodge and find out what's going on in Northglenn.



Dodge

Call 303.450.8713 for more information.



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](http://www.northglenn.org/playnorthglenn).

FESTIVE FRIDAY

Fall Fiesta Potluck

Fri., Sept. 14, 12 p.m.

Bid summer adieu with food and fun. Please bring a dish to share. Cost is free. Please RSVP by Sept. 12. **RECTRAC CODE: 30530001**

Adams County Assessor

Mon., Sept. 24, 1-3 p.m.

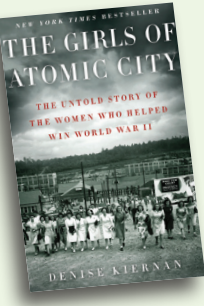
County Assessor Patsy Melonakis will cover some important facts about the history of Adams County and the process and procedures to value your property. This class is free and open to all ages. Please RSVP by Sept. 20. **RECTRAC CODE: 30527001**

SENIOR BOOK CLUB

“The Girls of Atomic City”

Tues., Sept. 25, 1 p.m.

Oak Ridge, Tenn., was one of the Manhattan Project's secret cities. Still, more than 75,000 people lived



there. Many of them were young women recruited from small towns across the South. Their jobs were shrouded in mystery, but they were buoyed by a shared purpose, and close friendships.

Cost is free. Call 303.450.8801 to reserve a copy.



FESTIVE FRIDAY

Miniature Golf

Fri., Sept. 21, 12:15 p.m., meet at Boondocks, 11425 Community Center Drive

Play a round of miniature golf, with prizes awarded for the best score or any hole-in-one. Cost for a round is \$8.50, which you pay for at Boondocks. Please RSVP by Sept. 19. **RECTRAC CODE: 30530002**



SENIOR TRIP

Grand Lake/ Rocky Mountain National Park

Wed., Oct. 3, 7 a.m.- 6 p.m., meet at the senior center

Take a guided tour of Rocky Mountain National Park, Grand Lake and Grand County. Entry



to the park and lunch is included. Cost is \$85. Please sign up by Sept. 18. Refunds are not available. **RECTRAC CODE: 30528007**

FESTIVE FRIDAY

Oktoberfest Potluck

Fri., Oct. 5, 12 p.m.

In this fall tradition, the Northglenn Senior Organization provides brats and sauerkraut while you bring a side dish or dessert. Cost is free. Please RSVP by Oct. 3. **RECTRAC CODE: 30530004**

HEALTHY LIVING SERIES

Senior Reach

Mon., Oct. 8, 1-3 p.m.

Representatives from the Senior Reach Center will discuss health issues, suicide prevention, de-cluttering, recognizing signs of hoarding and more. This is the first class of a free two-part series that is open to all ages. Please RSVP by Oct. 4. **RECTRAC CODE: 30527002**







**Northglenn**  
**PIRATE FESTIVAL**  
SE CORNER OF 120TH AND I-25 AT EB RAINS PARK

**FREE ENTRY**

# PIRATE BALL

Friday, September 14  
5:30-10:00 PM  
Adults Only

# PIRATE FEST

Saturday, September 15  
11:00 AM - 7:00 PM  
All Ages

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### PERFORMANCES

**NEW! Celebrate Culture**  
performance series

Northglenn Arts is excited to kick off a new series that features performance arts from a wide variety of cultures. These showcases will range from dance to theatre, music to historical performance, and all things in between. Geared towards the inquisitive mind, these 90-minute performances are a feast for the eyes as well as the brain. Purchase individual tickets, or save by getting a series ticket!

**INDIVIDUAL SHOW PRICING** \$10 YOUTH & SENIORS / \$12 ADULT  
**SERIES TICKET PRICING** \$24 YOUTH & SENIORS / \$30 ADULT

**PERFORMANCES BEGIN AT 7 P.M. AT THE DL PARSONS THEATRE**

**SEPTEMBER 21**  
Baile Caliente Ballet Folklorico



Mexican Folkloric Dance Group

**OCTOBER 12**  
Kutandara



Zimbabwean Music Collective

**OCTOBER 26**  
Grupo Tlaloc Danza Azteca



Mexican/Azteca Dance Group

### AUDITIONS

**PETER PAN**  
BROADWAY'S TIMELESS MUSICAL

**NORTHGLENN YOUTH THEATRE**  
Ages 8-18

**Auditions** September 4-6  
**Callbacks** September 8  
**Fee** \$125 (payable only if cast)

Northglenn Players  
present

**The Honky Tonk Angels**

**NORTHGLENN PLAYERS**  
Ages 18+

**Auditions** September 30  
**Callbacks** October 1

Auditions are by appointment only.  
Visit [northglennarts.org/auditions](http://northglennarts.org/auditions) for more information and to schedule an appointment.



**DENVER MUNICIPAL BAND**  
at the DL Parsons Theatre

**FREE! FRIDAY**  
**OCTOBER 5 at 7:30 p.m.**

with the  
**Mountain Range High School Chamber Choir**

Musical Direction by **Heather Schenck**

### TRAVEL FILM SERIES

Filmmakers personally narrate their films, are your tour guide, and provide insight into their amazing journeys. Deemed the "armchair travel" series, films begin at 10 a.m. and include a 15-minute intermission with refreshments in the senior center.



**SEPTEMBER 19**  
**Scenes from an Italian Journey**

Experience a whole new level of learning about this incredible country - festivals, pastry chefs, fishing, painters, cheese, architecture - learn, live and love the life of Rome.

For more information, visit **northglennarts.org** or call 303.450.8800

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