City Manager’s Update for April 24, 2020

COVID-19 Update

- Boulder County and other Denver Metro communities have extended the Stay at Home Order until May 8th. Extending the order is necessary to protect our community and not overwhelm our hospitals. Monday’s announcement that the Stay at Home Order would end on April 26th encouraged counties to make decisions that work for their circumstances.
- Boulder County has not met the conditions that need to be in place to ensure that COVID-19 doesn’t resurge after stay at home restrictions are eased.
- This extra time will allow Boulder County to do what is needed to safely and gradually reopen our county. You can read the full details on the Boulder County Public Health website.
- During the extension of the Stay at Home Order, Boulder County has allowed for curbside delivery for non-critical businesses. More guidance for businesses will be available soon.
- On April 17th, Governor Polis issued Executive Order 2020-039, requiring all workers in critical businesses and critical government functions to wear non-medical face coverings while at work. You can learn more about this here.
- City facilities remain closed to the public at this time. The City will continue to provide critical services to the community, including public safety, water utilities, snow removal, emergency response services, maintenance and continuity of operations. In the case of an emergency, please continue to call 911.
- All Louisville playgrounds, picnic shelters, the skate park, in-line hockey rink, Community Dog Park, Davidson Mesa Dog Off-Leash Area, tennis courts, basketball courts, ball fields and the Louisville Sports Complex also remain closed until further notice.
- For more information, visit the City’s website at https://www.louisvilleco.gov/residents/coronavirus-update and the State’s website at https://covid19.colorado.gov/. Many questions can be answered through these resources. If something is still unclear, you should call CO-Help at 303-389-1687 or 1-877-462-2911 or email cohelp@rmpdc.org.
- Call 2-1-1 or 1-866-760-6489 Monday-Friday from 8 am-5 pm for help and information for human and social services-related issues. You can also reach out online at https://www.211colorado.org/
- Still have questions? You can call the Boulder County Call Center at 720-776-0822. Please note that specific legal guidance cannot be provided. The Call Center is open 8 am–6 pm, Monday-Friday. The Call Center will also be open this weekend (April 25th-26th from 8 am-6 pm).
- You can submit reports of violations of the stay at home order to Boulder County at https://bouldercounty.wufoo.com/forms/z1kb0mgd1xx03yf/. The Colorado Attorney General is also taking reports of violations at covid19@coag.gov.

Mayor’s Town Hall

- Join us for the Mayor’s Town Hall to learn about City programs, services and projects and ask any questions or provide feedback on April 29th at 6 pm. This will be an electronic meeting. The link and dial-in information will be released here no later than 5:45 pm on April 29th at https://www.louisvilleco.gov/Home/Components/Calendar/Event/25105/68.

Get Creative with Your Facemasks

- Wearing a facemask whenever we’re out of the home is a big change for almost all of us. But it’s important that we all wear one to help minimize the spread of COVID-19. Please share your creative facemask projects or costumes with us! Please email your pictures and we’ll share
them on the City’s Facebook page or you can post them to Facebook directly at https://www.facebook.com/LouisvilleCO/.

Open Space Update

- Open Space staff hand-pulled weeds from cobble beds along the Davidson Mesa and Harper Lake parking lots as part of the City’s Integrated Weed Management Plan.

![Cobble Beds Before and After](image)

- The Kestrel nest now has three eggs! View the live webcam at https://www.louisvilleco.gov/residents/departments/parks-recreation-and-open-space/open-space-division/american-kestrel/-fsiteid-1.
- The Parks, Recreation and Trails Map has been updated. View the new map online at https://www.louisvilleco.gov/home/showdocument?id=26843. Printed copies will be available at a later date.
- In lieu of the “Walk with a Ranger Naturalist” that was scheduled for April 26th, Open Space has developed a “Self-Guided Ranger Walk” to explore Riparian areas along Dutch Creek Open Space. Learn more at https://www.louisvilleco.gov/home/showdocument?id=26863.

Coal Creek Golf Course Reopens

- Coal Creek Golf Course reopens to the public on April 25th. The cart paths are now closed for public recreation and all non-golf activities are prohibited. Learn more at https://www.louisvilleco.gov/Home/Components/News/News/4659/17. The golf course will be adhering to a strict COVID-19 reopening policy including enforcing social distancing and encouraging patrons to wear masks. Read the full policy at https://www.coalcreekgolf.com/no-module-layout/124-coal-creek-covid-19-reopening-policy.
Recreation & Senior Center Update

- This week preschool teachers did some porch drop off delivery. Ms. Lana delivered the end of school year birthday crowns for the Stepping Stones preschoolers and Ms. Rebecca delivered butterflies to Building Blocks students with a special note. It put smiles on both the kids and teachers’ faces!

- The Recreation & Senior Center meal program was featured in this week’s Hometown Weekly. Read the article at https://www.coloradohometownweekly.com/2020/04/20/louisville-erie-programs-continue-to-feed-seniors-during-coronavirus-pandemic/?fbclid=IwAR1gfCdNIUp-rcvNCrxmlNUI7go0P_OBAGDTISiCPOIIaHpklpWxT8P6GU.