

# Winter NEWSLETTER

JANUARY—MARCH 2025



## A FRIENDLY REMINDER

There is no overnight parking on Town streets during winter. This is to allow the equipment to clear snow in the early morning hours without impairment. Please help them out by making sure garbage cans, campers, vehicles, and other obstacles are off the roads from 2:00AM-7:00AM.

When plowing is required, snow berms may be created along driveways. Crews do their best to keep this to a minimum, but it often cannot be avoided. Removal of the berm is the responsibility of the property owner. It's also important to remember that when shoveling snow, it can not be thrown into the streets. It's best to pile it in your own yard.

Thanks for your cooperation!

## BOARD OF TRUSTEES ELECTION RESULTS

### Mayor:

Josh Hardy

### Trustees:

Chris Michalowski

Rebecca Quesada

Seth Stern

Congratulations and thank you for your commitment to our community!

### SHOUTOUT TO THE STAFF

Congratulations Officer Baca on graduating from Police Academy.

Happy Retirement to Deb Hess. We thank you for your 20+ years of commitment as Town Clerk.

Congratulations to Cody Mullinex on her promotion to the Town Clerk position.

## TALK WITH TED

As we enter a new year, I wanted to take a minute to reflect on the accomplishments made with the help of Town staff and our Board of Trustees in 2024. I also want to highlight some projects planned for 2025.

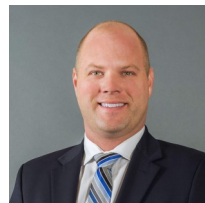
After sitting incomplete for years, the "Halfway Pathway" is now part of the 17 mile Fraser to Granby Trail thanks to a \$1.3 million DOLA grant. Another long-time project worth celebrating is the finalization of a conservation easement with Colorado Headwaters Land Trust on 743 acres of Town-owned land near Sun Outdoors. This land will serve to protect open space and wildlife while promoting responsible outdoor recreation. Using the money from the easement, we plan to build roughly 10 miles of public trails through parts of the property in the coming years.

In the spring, Town awarded three local businesses (High Country Motors, Granby Heating Service, and the Granby Business Center) grant money as part of the Downtown Improvement Grant program. Businesses interested in applying in 2025 should watch for the application opening in January.

Nuche Village, the workforce housing project, is coming along nicely. Necessary infrastructure is in, and as soon as the ground thaws, we'll begin laying foundations. We hope to have rental and for sale units available by fall 2025—watch the website for upcoming information.

New this year, beginning in February, Town will test a mini shared public transportation system offering on-demand shuttle services within Town limits on Thursday evenings, Fridays and Saturdays. If the trial is a success, we'll look to implement it permanently.

Visit our website, check out our Facebook page, or come to a Board meeting to stay current on the happenings around town.



Ted Cherry, Town Manager

## UPCOMING EVENTS

Jan. 14 - Board of Trustees Meeting  
Jan. 16 - Adult Axe Throwing League Starts  
Jan. 16 - Granby Municipal Court  
Jan. 23 - Family Black Light Dodgeball  
Jan. 24-26 - 3 Lakes Ice Fishing Contest  
Jan. 26 - Intro to Wilderness Snowshoeing  
Jan. 28 - Board of Trustees Meeting  
Feb. 1 - Daddy/Daughter Dance  
Feb. 3 - Planning Commission Meeting  
Feb. 5 - Youth X-Country Cruisers Nordic Club Starts  
Feb. 6 - Cardboard Sled Builders Club Starts  
Feb. 11 - Board of Trustees Meeting  
Feb. 13 - Kids Night Out  
Feb. 17 - Town Hall Closed/Presidents' Day  
Feb. 20 - Granby Municipal Court  
Feb. 25 - Board of Trustees Meeting  
Mar. 1 - 1st Aid/CPR Class  
Mar. 3 - Planning Commission Meeting  
Mar. 5 - Backpacking: Stoves & Water Workshop  
Mar. 10 - Youth Volleyball Starts  
Mar. 11 - Board of Trustees Meeting  
Mar. 12 - GPS Navigation Class  
Mar. 19 - Compass/Map Navigation Class  
Mar. 20 - Granby Municipal Court  
Mar. 25 - Board of Trustees Meeting  
Apr. 1 - High Altitude Volleyball Challenge Starts  
Apr. 7 - Planning Commission Meeting

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT

The 2025 budget was adopted by the Board on November 12, 2024. For questions, contact [dassmann@townofgranby.com](mailto:dassmann@townofgranby.com).

## RECREATION DEPARTMENT

Current and upcoming programs include:

- \* Youth Day Camps
- \* Youth Volleyball
- \* Youth Basketball
- \* Youth Dance Classes
- \* Youth & Adult Karate Classes
- \* Youth Cardboard Sled Builders Club
- \* Youth Nordic Skiing Club
- \* After School Program
- \* Teen/Kids Night Out
- \* Family Dodgeball Night
- \* Daddy/Daughter Dance
- \* Adult Fitness Classes
- \* Adult Axe Throwing League
- \* Adult Co-ed Volleyball
- \* CPR/1st Aid Classes
- \* Outdoor Education Classes
- \* Youth & Adult Watercolor Classes

For additional information or to register for a program, visit [granbyrec.activityreg.com](http://granbyrec.activityreg.com) or call 970-887-3961.

## ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Coming in 2025, Granby will see new banners on the light posts lining Agate Avenue. These were purchased by Destination Granby through a Colorado Main Street mini grant. The banners will be printed locally in Colorado and feature designs inspired by our local community. Stay tuned for input opportunities.

Destination Granby, now operating as a non-profit Main Street organization, looks forward to connecting businesses and building owners over the first quarter to explain what they do and how Main Street can benefit your business or building. They also run the Granby Info Center, so if you are an in-town business owner, be sure to reach out to them to take advantage of their free services.

If you'd like to participate or volunteer for the 3 Lakes Ice Fishing Contest beginning January 24, call 970-887-2311.



## WATER DEPARTMENTS

No rate changes for 2025.

**North Service Area:** The 2025 quarterly facility fee is \$298.66 plus \$12.47 per 1,000 gallons used. The new NSA Water Treatment Plant is planned to break ground this year.

**South Service Area:** Rates cover both water and sanitation services at a flat quarterly rate of \$318.77. Applicable lots in Granby Ranch also pay the \$55.00 DeBerard Draw Fee.

## TOWN CLERK

Board of Trustees meetings occur the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of every month. Planning Commission meetings are held on the 1st Monday of every month unless no applications are received.

Contact Cody Mullinex at [cmullinex@townofgranby.com](mailto:cmullinex@townofgranby.com) for questions or agenda requests.