

WIGGINS NEWSLETTER

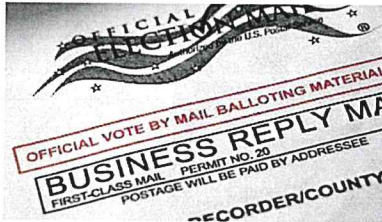
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Town of Wiggins Election

Tuesday, April 5, 2022

The Town of Wiggins will be holding its biannual municipal Board of Trustee / Mayoral election on Tuesday, April 5, 2022. Mail in ballots were sent out by USPS to all Colorado registered voters who have a permanent address within the town limits of Wiggins. All ballots must be returned to Town Hall by 7 pm, Tuesday April 5th, 2022 to be counted. Voters have a variety of options available to them for returning their ballots to the Town Clerk.



- **By Mail:** Be sure to attach postage prior to returning by mail. Ballots mailed must be received by the Town Clerk by 7 pm April 5th. Ballots not received by April 5th will not be counted, even if post-marked before that date.
- **By Hand:** Voters may hand deliver their ballots to Town Hall located at 304 E Central Avenue, Wiggins. Business Hours are M-F 8:30am – 4:30pm.
- **Anytime or After Hours:** Voters may drop off their ballot in the voter ballot box located in front of Town Hall located at 304 E Central Avenue, Wiggins. Morgan County is allowing the Town to use their ballot box located to the right of the Town Hall front door.

If a voter did not receive his/her mail-in ballot, he or she may pick up a replacement ballot at Town Hall. The Town will not be holding in-person voting through a traditional voting poll center on election day.

Please contact the Town Clerk at 970-483-6161 or email to clerk@wigginsco.com if you have additional questions or concerns.

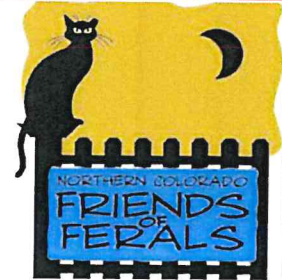
2022 ELECTION CANDIDATES

Mayoral Candidates

- ◆ Christopher Franzen
- ◆ Jeffrey Palmer

Trustee Candidates (Vote up to 3)

- ◆ Amanda Camilleri
- ◆ Bruce Miller
- ◆ Mark Strickland



Northern Colorado Friends of Ferals Returning to Wiggins

The Northern Colorado Friends of Ferals (NCFE) traps, spays/neuters, and vaccinates feral cat strays, then returns them to their colonies.

After a successful trapping clinic in February of this year (in which 85 cats were trapped and spayed or neutered) NCFE is returning to Wiggins on April 2, 2022.

Please **DO NOT** feed cats after the morning of April 1st! Cats will be fed after being trapped and then each will be returned on April 4th.

TRAPPING – APRIL 2ND

Two areas will be targeted on April 2nd:

2nd Avenue between Jasper & Granite Streets and North of Elm between Jasper & Agate Streets

For more information or to add your address to the trapping list:

Call NCFE at 970-224-1467.

The Northern Colorado Friends of Ferals is a non-profit organization that relies on donations for their work. You can go to <https://ncoferals.org> to donate and learn more of what they do.

health & safety ordinance >>>
**Abandoned Vehicles
& Sleeper Vehicles / Trailers**

**Wiggins Police
Department**



Over the past few months, the Wiggins Police Department has received several complaints regarding junked or illegally parked vehicles, campers, and trailers. In April, increased enforcement efforts will begin in order to continue improving the image citizens want to maintain for the Town of Wiggins; a clean, safe community. We appreciate in advance your cooperation and understanding with our efforts.

H & S: 8-2-3 Vehicles abandoned, Kept on Public Property, or Junked

8-2-3.3: Any vehicle, left on public property, including any portion of a highway, street, or other right-of-way for 48 hours or longer;

8-2-3.4: Any sleeper vehicle or trailer parked on public property, including any portion of a highway, street, or other right-of-way, for a period longer than 48 hours.

Definition - Junked Vehicle

Junked means any vehicle which:

1. Does not bear valid, unexpired license plates, unless of a type specifically exempted from motor vehicle licensing by the laws of the State of Colorado;
2. Is wrecked, damaged, or substantially dismantled to the extent that such vehicle is inoperable;
3. If designed to be capable of moving itself when in proper repair, is incapable of being moved under its own power in its existing condition, or does not have all tires inflated.

Summer Baseball / Softball

Registration Deadline: May 1st

Ages: 3/4 - 5/6 - 7/8

Register at: www.wigginsparksandrec.com

movies in the park

Saturday Night Fun!
(Movies begin at Dusk)

- ⇒ June 25th - Disney Encanto
with Pre-Movie Activity
- ⇒ July 23rd - Sing 2
with Pre-Movie Activity
- ⇒ August 13th - TBD

Pre-Movie Activity Sponsored by
Kids At Their Best

Are you interested in sponsoring a movie?
Contact Hope at parks@wigginsco.com



The Wiggins Business Alliance strives to identify, develop and implement programs and projects geared toward the overall vitality of the Wiggins Business Area in order to expand economic improvement.

Meetings are held the second Tuesday of each month at 4:30 pm at Colorado Land Company located at 227 Main Street, Wiggins.

You are invited to the Business After Hours

April 12th, 2022 ~ 4:30 pm
Morline Equipment
17039 CR 4, Wiggins

Check out the Wiggins Business Alliance Facebook page for more information at <https://www.facebook.com/Wiggins-Business-Alliance-109330090719885/>

**Planning & Zoning
Commission Vacancies**

The Board of Trustees recently passed a resolution to create a citizen led Planning & Zoning Commission to make Land Use Application recommendations to the Board of Trustees. Applications to apply to be on the commission may be found and submitted online.

The Planning & Zoning Commission meets once a month on the second Tuesday of each month when there is an application to be reviewed. The Planning & Zoning Commissioner's primary responsibility is to make land use decisions that are consistent with the Town policies and plans formally adopted by the Board of Trustees. All comments and recommendations are then passed on to the Board of Trustees for final approval.

Please contact Hope Becker at hbecker@wigginsco.com or 970-483-6161 if you have further questions.

community >>>

Community Events - Save the Dates



Saturday, April 30th

Arbor Day & Earth Day Planting Event

The Town is organizing a volunteer event to plant new trees at Teets Park located on 5th & High Street and along portions of the frisbee-golf course in the Kiowa Park neighborhood. A lunch celebration will be provided for all volunteers at Teets Park.

Date: Sat., April 30th

Time: 9:00am - Noon

Meeting Places: Teets Park &
Frisbee Golf Course

Saturday, May 14th

Park Volunteer Clean Up Event

The Town is organizing a volunteer event to clean the local parks: Teets Park, High Plains Park, Kiowa Park Town playground. A lunch celebration will be provided for all volunteers at Teets Park.

Date: Sat., May 14th

Time: 8:30am - 11:30am

Meeting Place: Teets Park
(Corner of 5th & High Street)

4th of July Committee

Are you interested in assisting with organizing the events scheduled for the Annual Community 4th of July Celebration? Stay tuned to the Town's Facebook page, website, or notify Town Hall by email or phone to let us know you are interested. Staff will keep you in the loop of meeting dates.

parks@wigginsco.com
970-441-1038

FREE COMMUNITY EVENT!! PAPER SHREDDING & ELECTRONICS RECYCLING DAY

Saturday, April 23rd

Date: Sat., April 23rd

Meeting Place: High Plains Bank
502 Central Avenue

Time: 9:00am - Noon

Protect your identity! Drop off your confidential papers for secure shredding on site.

Accepting the following electronic items for recycling:

- Computer and networking equipment
- Printers
- Cell phones & chargers
- Audio equipment
- Office equipment
- Video & gaming equipment
- Small household appliances



NOT ACCEPTING THE FOLLOWING ITEMS:

- Alkaline batteries
- Medical bio-waste
- Bulbs containing mercury

Community-Wide Yard Sale Sat., May 7th

TIME: 8am - 2pm

CHECK OUT THE YARD SALES THROUGHOUT THE TOWN
OF WIGGINS!

NO SIGN PERMITS REQUIRED FOR YARD SALES - PLEASE
TAKE SIGNS DOWN AT END OF SALE.



ANNUAL PET VACCINATION CLINIC

Low Cost!!

Mon., April 25th
7:00pm - 8:00pm

Dog Rabies &
DHPP \$48

Cat Rabies & FVRCP \$48

LOCATION:

Town Hall Public Works Shop
(located behind Town Hall)
304 E Central Avenue, Wiggins

For more information contact Town Hall @ 970-483-6161

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