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GARDEN CITY GAB

Garden City has a Police Department!

In 2015, Weld County Commissioners informed the Garden City Board of Trustees that the County would not be providing law enforcement services after 2018. The Board of Trustees researched many options, including contracting with neighboring Police Departments. The Board decided the best solution would be to create the Garden City Police Department. The Town's own Police Department will be more responsive to

the Town's needs with 24/7 coverage.

The Town is honored to have Chief Jeremy Black leading the force in Garden City. Chief Black was assigned to Garden City with the Sheriff's Office in the past. He is looking forward to renewing relationships with local businesses and citizens.

The Department is scheduled to begin operations on January 1, 2018.



Town of Garden City

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FALL CLEAN-UP DAYS

NOVEMBER 3 - 5

Time to get homes and yards cleaned up before winter sets in. Dumpsters will be at four locations around town:

- 27th Street Rd across from Town Hall
- 7th Avenue, next to the Garden City Park
- 6th Avenue & 26th St. at Knights of Columbus
- 9th Ave. & 27th St. at the Kendrick's Home

This is a free service to residents and businesses in Garden City.



Please be sure to get all of your garbage into the dumpsters and keep the area clean. Items that are **not allowed** in the dumpsters include toxic chemicals, paint, oil, appliances containing freon (refrigerators, freezers, air conditioners, etc), and batteries. Call the Town Hall at 970-351-0041 for more information on Weld County's Hazardous Materials collection site.

GARDEN CITY • IMPROVEMENTS

Garden City businesses and residents took advantage of the grants offered to beautify the Town and help grow business. The Board of Trustees votes to renew the grants every year. Call the Town Hall or visit the website or Town Hall to learn more about grants to residents and businesses.



9th Avenue Apartments
Commercial Revitalization Grant



Residential Fence Grant





Police Chief Jeremy Black graduated from Aims Community College P.O.S.T Academy. He previously worked for the Weld County Sheriff's Office and the Town of LaSalle. Chief Black served as the Weld Deputy contracted to Garden City from March 2011 through June

2014. In July of this year, he was hired to be the first Police Chief of the new Garden City Police Department.

Chief Black grew up in a small mountain town. He is an outdoor enthusiast who enjoys riding motorcycles, mountain biking and scuba diving.

Chief Black is invested in the Town's future and is excited to bring his Community Based Policing philosophy as well as his qualifications from several professional certifications to residents, business owners and visitors.

Amy C. Penfold is a native of Northern Colorado. Her family has resided in the area for many generations. She has specialized in municipal law for over five years and has worked with several municipalities in the area. Amy became the Assistant Town Attorney with the Town of Garden City in the fall of 2012 and was privileged to be appointed the Town Attorney in the summer of 2017.



Having grown up in Eaton, Amy appreciates the unique aspects and issues of a small town. She spent time in the Town of Garden City while growing up in the area. She is heavily invested in the Northern Colorado region and is highly committed to being a part of what is in the best interest of the Town of Garden City and the residents and being a part of improving the community. Amy is excited to continue working with the Town and being a part of the future development.

8th Avenue Realignment

Engineering is complete on the 8th Avenue Realignment project. Construction will be starting in the spring. If you'd like to see what is planned, visit the Town's website (townofgardencity.com) to view 3D renderings, much like a Google Maps streetview. You can also stop by the Town Hall to see drawings similar to the one here.



The plans include sidewalks, better drainage, trees and planters, benches and pedestrian lighting. There will be more parking along 8th Avenue, and the spaces will be long enough so that cars and trucks won't be obstructing traffic.

There will be the typical inconveniences associated with road construction, but the results will be worth it.



Recognition for Education



The Town of Garden City belongs to the Colorado Municipal League (CML). One of the benefits the CML offers to municipalities is educational opportunities for elected officials. This year, Mayor Lonelle Archuleta, Trustee Fil Archuleta and Trustee Willie Spaedt attended classes at the CML Conference in June. Mayor Archuleta and Trustee Archuleta received recognition for their many hours of continuing education with the Colorado Municipal League.

BOOTLEGGIN' DAYS 2017



*Congratulations to
King's Pawn for 40 years
in business!*

HANDY INFORMATION

- Town Hall Phone: 970-351-0041
- Hours: 9 - 4 Mon-Wed, 9 - 6 Thu, 9 - 12 Fri. Closed 12 - 1 for lunch Mon - Thu.
- Board Meetings: 1st & 3rd Tuesdays of the month at 7:00 PM (except for December)
- Website: townofgardencity.com