

## City Calendar

- ◆ City Council meeting  
February 13- 6:00 p.m.
- ◆ Planning & Zoning Commission  
February 14- 6:00 p.m.
- ◆ Municipal Court  
February 16- 9:00 a.m. & 1:30 p.m.
- ◆ City offices closed in observance of Presidents' Day— February 20
- ◆ City Council meeting  
February 27— 6:00 p.m.
- ◆ Planning & Zoning Commission  
February 28— 6:00 p.m.

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- ◆ Carbon Valley Veterans Memorial Wall Accepting Names
- ◆ High School Senior Scholarship
- ◆ Receive a Water Leak Letter?

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## High Plains Library District Services Available to Dacono Residents

Non-district residents of Colorado known as CLCs, including Dacono residents, can get a High Plains Library card. The library facility closest to Dacono is the Carbon Valley Regional Library in Firestone located at 7 Park Avenue.

**Borrower Privileges with CLC Card.** CLC cardholders may check out up to 10 items and have access to computers, media items, electronic books, and audio items. CLC card holders may not request equipment. Any borrower may use the databases within the library. CLC cardholders may not make interlibrary loan requests.

**How to Get a Library Card.** One photo identification with correct address is required to get a library card. Acceptable forms of photo identification for borrowers age 16 and older include:

- Driver's License
- Consulate card
- Military ID
- Passport
- Permanent resident card
- School ID
- State ID

The first library card is free. Replacement library cards are \$1.00. You must have your library card with you to use the Internet computers.

Dacono officials will continue to discuss the feasibility and potential timing for voters to consider inclusion into the High Plains Library District.

For more information about hours and borrow privileges, contact the High Plains Library District at (888) 861-7323 or online at [www.mylibrary.us](http://www.mylibrary.us)

## Carbon Valley Veterans Memorial Now Accepting Names

The Wall of Honor recognizes Carbon Valley Veterans who have served and been honorably discharged during a time of conflict or non-conflict. Veterans or their families seeking to have their name placed on the Wall of Honor should obtain an application from the City of Dacono. Only the veterans name will be on the wall. The form is available online at [www.cityofdacono.com](http://www.cityofdacono.com) or at City Hall. A copy of the DD-214 form, Certificate of Release or Discharge From Active Duty, is required with the submittal to verify military service. All documentation will be verified. There is no cost to have a Veteran's name placed on the Wall of Honor. There will also be opportunities to help support the project through donor tiles on the seat walls. Pricing and sizing options will be available soon. While there is not a deadline to submit names, the intent is to have Phase I of the Wall of Honor complete by early May. The tentative dedication of the Carbon Valley Veterans Memorial is around May 29, Memorial Day weekend.





Mini-Officer Nolan Keane recently visited the Dacono Police Department and met with Officer Williford. After comparing duty belts, they had a briefing, and ended with a smile and a handshake. All in a day's work here!

## Now Accepting Scholarship Applications

Deadline to apply is April 12, 2017

The City of Dacono annually offers a college/vocational training scholarship program to a graduating Dacono high school student. Students can attend any high school, but must reside in the City of Dacono. Historically, the scholarships have ranged from \$500-\$1,000 depending upon the number of qualifying applicants. Applications and eligibility information is available through local high school guidance counselors. Eligibility Guidelines:

- Student must be a resident of the City of Dacono
- Student must be a senior in high school
- Student must be seeking higher education or vocational technical training opportunities
- Student must complete the scholarship application

Applications are available online [www.cityofdacono.com](http://www.cityofdacono.com) or by contacting the Office of the City Clerk at (303) 833-2317 ext. 123.

## City Government

City Hall

512 Cherry Street

Dacono, CO 80514

Phone: 303-833-2317

Hours: M-F 8 a.m.–5 p.m.

Water: 303-833-2317 x121

[www.cityofdacono.com](http://www.cityofdacono.com)

Trash (American Disposal Service): 720-322-0500

Sewer (St. Vrain Sanitation): 303-776-9570

Emergency Police/Fire: 911

Police (non-emergency): 303-833-3095

## Elected Officials

- Joe Baker, Mayor
- Chris Baca, Councilperson At-Large
- Robin Dunlap, Councilperson At-Large
- Bobby Mauck, Councilperson At-Large
- Debbie Nasta, Councilperson At-Large
- Nicholas Vogel, Mayor Pro-Tem
- Kathryn Wittman, Councilperson At-Large

City Council meets the 2nd & 4th Monday of each month at 6:00 p.m. Meeting agendas are typically posted online and at all designated city posting locations by 4:00 p.m. the Friday preceding the meeting.

## Have You Received A Water Leak Letter Notice?

Don't Ignore Early Notice— Contact the Water Department Today

In 2010, the City of Dacono Water Department initiated a program to alert homeowners or responsible party when their residential water tap showed signs of a water line leak. Signs of a possible leak are based on monthly water usage reports based on water tap readings. Improved water taps installed city-wide in 2010 have the capability of recognizing if the tap consistently rotates or turns within a 24 hour period suggesting a water leak. If your water tap reports a leak consistently for three months, the Water Department sends out what is referred to as a "leak letter". This letter is merely a courtesy notice suggesting of a possible water leak issue. The letter further advises the homeowner to take additional steps to determine if a leak exists and make necessary repairs. Homeowners are responsible for water lateral lines leading from the water meter pit to the home. Fixing water leaks is the homeowner's responsibility, not the City of Dacono's.

At the end of the year, the Water Department reviews consumption history for the calendar year. Locations that report excessive water use above the maximum allowed for the meter size will receive a warning letter upon first offense. The leak letter indicates the amount of excess consumption above the maximum per City of Dacono Ordinance 790, Section 1(a) and how much the surcharge is for that excess water consumption. Each gallon of water used above the maximum is a charge of \$.05. It does not take long for this charge to become significant. If you do nothing to prevent the consumption overage the succeeding year and it occurs again, the City will charge you the surcharge for both years of the violation and every year after that. Water customers should do the following to avoid over consumption charges:

- Read your water bill and track your annual water consumption from January through December.
- Take the time to read and understand Ordinance 790 regarding water fees and charges. Go to [www.cityofdacono.com](http://www.cityofdacono.com).
- **Do not ignore a leak letter** if you receive notice. Please contact the City of Dacono Water Department to discuss.
- Learn best practices in water conservation to reduce overall water consumption in your home.

Questions? Contact City of Dacono Water Department at (303) 833-2317 ext. 121.