



City of Dacono, Colorado

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City Calendar

- ◆ City Council meeting
January 11- 7:00 p.m.
- ◆ Planning & Zoning Commission
January 12- 6:00 p.m.
- ◆ City Council study session
January 12- 6:30 p.m.
- ◆ Municipal Court
January 21- 9:00 a.m. and 1:30 p.m.
- ◆ City Hall / Library Open House
January 25- 5:30 p.m.-6:45 p.m.
- ◆ City Council Meeting
January 25- 7:00 p.m.
- ◆ Planning & Zoning Commission
January 26— 6:00 p.m.
- ◆ City Council study session
January 26— 6:30 p.m.
- ◆ City offices closed January 18 in observance of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Day.

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Vacancies Available on Board & Commissions

APPLICATIONS DUE JANUARY 7, 2010

The City of Dacono is looking for civic-minded residents interested in serving on a City board or commission. City volunteers dedicate countless hours every year, lending their time and talents to help make Dacono a better place to live and work. Some board and commission members apply professional or technical skills, while others simply bring a passion for the City of Dacono and a willingness to work as part of a team. Whatever board or commission they serve on, members are making a difference in their community. Interested applicants must have resided in Dacono for no less than 12 months preceding the appointment, be at least 18 years of age and be a registered voter. If interested, please submit an application stating which board you are applying for. Applications can be downloaded from the City's website at ci.dacono.co.us or picked up at City Hall. Mail or bring the application to Dacono City Hall, Attn.: City Clerk, 512 Cherry Ave, PO Box 186, Dacono, CO 80514. Applications must be received by **January 7, 2010**. All applicants will be interviewed at 6pm on January 11, 2010. The City Council will make appointments to the various boards and commissions at 7pm on January 11, 2010.

◆ **Planning Commission:** 3-year appointment, meets 2nd & 4th Tuesday at 6:00 p.m. monthly

◆ **Liquor Authority:** 3-year appointment, meets as necessary

◆ **Board of Adjustment:** 3-year appointment, meets as necessary

◆ **Personnel Board:** 3-year appointment, meets as necessary

◆ **Police Advisory Board:** 3-year appointment, meets as necessary



You may not think about it, but people just like you manage our municipal government. The next time you come up with that great idea to make our community better, consider running for office or volunteering to serve on a committee. Colorado cities & towns work for you — and now they need you to work for them.



City Hall & Library Open House

EVENT SCHEDULED FOR JANUARY 25 AT 5:30 P.M.

The City of Dacono will host an open house on Monday, January 25, 2010 from 5:30-6:45 p.m. at City Hall. Since October 2009, both facilities have undergone significant remodeling and structural improvements. The library re-opened last November after a 6-week remodeling project. The library was originally built in 1910 and the City Hall addition was finished in 1983. In 2007, the City received an Energy Impact Assistance Fund (EIAF) grant for

\$81,108 to finance renovations to City Hall and the proposed library. The City provided a \$96,000 match plus in-kind services. Funds from the EIAF come from the state severance tax on energy and mineral production and from a portion of the state's share of royalties paid to the federal government for mining and drilling of minerals and mineral fuels on federally-owned land. The program was created by the legislature in 1977.

Ho-Ho Lighting Contest Winners Announced



The winners of the inaugural Ho-Ho Holiday Lighting contest are: Darren & Kelly Rahn- 4589 Sedona Lane, Paul & Michelle Babcock-705 Elizabeth St., Bonnie & Larry Johnston- 536 Birch Ave., Michelle & Rusty Surovik- 1255 Mactavish, & Haas Court in the Sharpe Farms subdivision– Matt & Laura Owen; Seth & Jacque Poe; Andy & Shannon Fischer; Anne & JD Tavenner; Rowland Banks & Linda Grey; Philip & Vicki Beehler; Brett & Marion Thompson; Patty & Kevin Price. These winners will receive the Pride of Dacono Award at the January 11, 2010 City Council meeting starting at 7:00 p.m. Thanks to all participants for making the event a success. You are the Pride of Dacono!

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.ci.dacono.co.us

Trash (Gator Rubbish): 303-655-0710

Sewer (St. Vrain Sanitation): 303-682-4693

Emergency Police/Fire: 911

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

Dacono City Library

512 Cherry Street

Dacono, CO 80514

Phone: 303-833-2317 x129

Hours: M, T, TH 12-5, Wed. 2-7, Fri. 1-5
Closed on Saturday & Sunday

Elected Officials

- Charles Sigman, Mayor
- Joe Baker, Mayor Pro-Tem
- Steve Bruno, Councilperson At-Large
- Kay Cole, Councilperson At-Large
- Tom McCune, Councilperson At-Large
- Kevin Plain, Councilperson At-Large
- Lori Saine, Councilperson At-Large

Community Conversation with Mayor Sigman

MAYOR TO HOST MEETING ON JANUARY 11

On January 11, Mayor Sigman will kick-off monthly meetings in an effort to improve communication between residents and City Hall. The meetings are scheduled for the second Monday of each month at 4:00 p.m., City Hall. "This is a great opportunity for residents to interact with City Hall," said Mayor Sigman. "I'm really looking forward to meeting more Dacono residents and engaging them in meaningful monthly conversations," he said. "Hopefully more people will want to become involved on City boards and commissions and take an active role in our community."

The 2010 Census

COUNTING EVERYONE ONCE — AND ONLY ONCE — AND IN THE RIGHT PLACE

Reaching an Increasingly Diverse Population

The goal of the 2010 Census is to count all residents living in the United States on April 1, 2010. The U.S. Census Bureau does not ask about the legal status of respondents in any of its surveys and census programs. To help ensure the nation's increasingly diverse population can answer the questionnaire accurately and completely, about 13 million bilingual Spanish/English forms will be mailed to housing units in neighborhoods identified as requiring high levels of Spanish assistance. Additionally, questionnaires in Chinese (Simplified), Korean, Vietnamese and Russian, as well as language guides in 59 languages, will be available on request.

10 Questions, 10 Minutes to Complete

With one of the shortest questionnaires in history, the 2010 Census asks for name, gender, age, race, ethnicity, relationship, and whether you own or rent your home. It takes only about 10 minutes for the average household to complete. Responses to the 2010 Census questionnaire are required by law. All responses are used for statistical purposes only, and all are strictly confidential. For more information, visit the 2010 Census Web site at www.census.gov/2010.

