

City Calendar

- ◆ Planning & Zoning Commission
December 1– 6:00 p.m.
- ◆ Carbon Valley Holiday Festival
December 5– 4:30 p.m.
- ◆ Planning & Zoning Commission
December 8– 6:00 p.m.
- ◆ Municipal Court
December 10- 9:00 a.m. & 1:30 p.m.
- ◆ City Council meeting
December 14– 6:00 p.m.
- ◆ City offices closed in observance of Christmas– December 24 & 25
- ◆ City Council December 28– 6:00 p.m.
- ◆ City offices closed January 1 in observance of New Year

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City Council Finalizing 2016 Budget

The City Council will vote on the FY 2016 budget on Monday, December 14 at 6:00 p.m. The fiscal year budget was presented to the public on November 23 at a public hearing. Highlights of new projects, totaling \$1.7 million recommended for the budget include: **AspenCat** – This program expands patron borrowing from a growing database of 1,370,600 items such as e-books. **Carbon Valley Veterans Memorial Park (phase 1)** - Phase 1 of the memorial park will be constructed. **Branding Campaign** – Comprehensive branding campaign focused on refining local market position for economic development efforts. **Police Department Evidence Room Remodel** – Construction and enhancements to the evidence/property room and records area in the Police Department building. **City Hall and Police Department Remodel** –

Create a more pleasing aesthetic appearance to the City Hall and Police Department updating and maintaining the buildings' exteriors and entryways. **Clem Dufour Splash Park** – Construct a splash park using the old pool infrastructure at Clem Dufour Park. **Centennial Field Master Planning** – Master planning for the long-term public use of Centennial Field aimed at developing a comprehensive vision in context with its location, natural resources, and needs of the community. **Council Chamber Audio Visual Upgrades** - Upgrade old A/V equipment and install two large monitors in the Council Chambers. **Maclean Water Line Replacement** – Upgrades to water service lines and road repairs. **Colorado Blvd Drainage Design** – Engineering design work to address road flooding issues on Colorado Blvd at Little Dry Creek crossing.

Winter is Here!

City Follows Adopted Snow Response Plan

The City of Dacono follows an adopted Snow Response Plan for removing snow on City streets. Factors affecting snow and ice control operations include: snowfall rate and accumulation; moisture content; temperature; time of day, night, or week; wind velocity; and the duration of the storm. The City's goal during any snowstorm is to keep primary streets open and safe for the public so that vehicular traffic may continue to move safely and efficiently on the city's street network. Although the City strives to keep all lanes of traffic moving during extreme weather conditions, travel may be limited to one lane of vehicular traffic in each direction. All remaining secondary streets will receive service only after the designated streets are attended to, and when conditions warrant. While the City will attempt not to block residential and business driveways with plowed snow, it is very likely to happen. Home and business owners are responsible to clear away snow from all walkways adjoining their property. The City does not have the manpower to remove snow from any sidewalks. Sidewalks must be cleared of snow by the property owner within 48 hours of the end of a snow storm. Review the full plan and map at www.cityofdacono.com.

City Council to Consider Urban Renewal Plan

Public Hearing Scheduled on Monday, December 14

The City Council will hold a public hearing to approve the Dacono Area Urban Renewal Plan at 6:00 p.m. on Monday, December 14. The boundaries of the Urban Renewal Area and the Urban Renewal Plan are available online at www.cityofdacono.com or by contacting the Dacono City Clerk. The purpose of the Dacono Area Urban Renewal plan is to eliminate and prevent the spread of blight.

Santa Cops

The City of Dacono Police Department is proud to serve residents of Dacono through the annual Santa Cops Program. The Dacono Police Department will assist 78 families and 208 kids who might not otherwise have the financial means to celebrate the holiday season.

Glen Dale Circle & Summit Blvd Projects Completed

Two significant road and water projects were finished last month in the City of Dacono. Glen Dale Circle included replacement of 1,085 feet of 8" PVC water lines, 21 water service lines & meter pits, 4,130' of new sidewalk and 70,210 square feet of asphalt. Total construction cost was \$645,847. This project is part of a 5-year capital improvement project to replace all water lines throughout the Glens of Dacono.

A one-mile stretch of Summit Blvd. between York Street and Colorado Blvd. received improvements. In addition to paving, the Summit Blvd. project also included lower a water line and associated drainage improvements. The project total was more than \$1,170,439 and included \$468,175 in grant money from the State of Colorado Energy Impact Fund.

General Election Results

The Weld County Clerk and Recorder certified the November 3, 2015 Coordinate Election results on November 19, 2015. Joe Baker won the office of Mayor. Per the City Charter, his term will run until November 2018. Two city council seats were filled by Carl Randolph and Robin Dunlap. They will serve a three-year term. All candidates were sworn into office on November 23, 2015. Proposition 2M, a hotel/motel tax for economic development incentives, lost by 42 votes.



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

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Trash (Gator Rubbish): 303-655-0710

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

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: T, W, TH, FR 1:00 – 6:30 p.m., Sat. 12:00–4:00
Closed on Monday & Sunday

Elected Officials

- Joe Baker, Mayor
- Robin Dunlap, Councilperson At-Large
- Debbie Nasta, Councilperson At-Large
- Kevin Plain, Mayor Pro-Tem
- Peggy Randolph, Councilperson At-Large
- Carl Randolph, Councilperson At-Large
- Nicholas Vogel, Councilperson At-Large

Carbon Valley Holiday Festival– Saturday, December 5

Dacono Tree Lighting– 4:30 p.m.-6:00 p.m. City Hall

Kick-off the holiday season at the Carbon Valley Holiday Festival. Dacono will hold its community event from 4:30-6:00 p.m., outdoors at Dacono City Hall. The event this year will feature chili from Mountain View Fire, dancing Christmas trees, crafts, pictures with Santa, games, prizes, and refreshments. Don't forget to pick-up the annual Dacono holiday ornament– yours free with a canned food donation. The event will conclude with the Mayor officially kicking-off the holiday season with a tree lighting countdown at 6:00 p.m. Happy Holidays from the City of Dacono!

Santa at the Library
1-4pm, Coal Ridge Middle School, 6201 Booth Drive
• Photos with Santa, Crafts & Activities

Firestone Holiday Fun
1-4pm, Coal Ridge Middle School, 6201 Booth Drive
• Take a Snapshot with Santa & Mrs. Claus (Professional Photos To Take Home - \$5)
• Santa's Workshop - Create Crafts & Ornaments
• Home Depot Kids' Clinic
• Reindeer Games
• Fun with the Frederick-Firestone Fire District
• Holiday Entertainment

Dacono Tree Lighting
4:30-6pm, Dacono City Hall, 512 Cherry St.
• Get "Chill" with Santa - a Christmas Chili Cook Off sponsored by Mountain View Fire Rescue and United Power
• Christmas Family photos with Firefighter Santa and Engine 10, an antique fire truck
• Create Holiday Crafts and Cards
• Holiday Entertainment
• Limited Number of Free Holiday Ornaments

Frederick Festival of Lights
6-8pm, 10th Annual Tree Lighting, Crist Park, 105 Fifth St.
• Photos with Santa
• Horse-Drawn Carriage Rides
• Holiday Music Performances
• Live Ice Carving Demonstration and Interactive Ice Sculpture
• Watch as the Park is Illuminated With Thousands of Lights

Support the Carbon Valley Santa Cops
Bring a monetary donation for Santa Cops or a cart of food to exchange for a cup of hot chocolate and cookies at the Firestone, Dacono or Frederick event

Holiday Festival
Carbon Valley Dec. 5, 2015 • 11am-8pm

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Holiday Closures

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