

"Fort Lupton is an open canvas, come paint your future with us"

CITY HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

Monday, January 20 City Hall and the Police records department will be closed in observance of Martin Luther King Jr. Day. The Recreation Center & Police Department will be open.

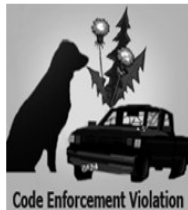
CITY OF FORT LUPTON PROGRAMMING INFORMATION ON CABLE CHANNEL 16

- **City Council Meeting** *Monday* at 7:00pm.
- **City of Fort Lupton News & Events** *Daily* 5:30am, 10-11:30am, 5pm & 9:30pm; *Mondays, Thursdays, Saturdays & Sundays* 6am; *Fridays, Saturdays & Sundays* 9pm
- **Town Hall Meeting** – the 2nd & 4th Wednesdays 6:30pm

ONLINE CODE ENFORCEMENT VIOLATION REPORTING

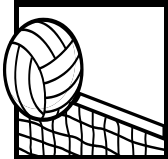
You now have the option to report code enforcement concerns/violations online at www.fortlupton.org under Information on the homepage & click on the Details section under the Fill out the Code Enforcement Violation or Concern section. Code enforcement issues include but not limited to are:

- ◆ Animal Control
- ◆ Weeds, Trees, and Vegetation
- ◆ Trash and Litter
- ◆ Abandoned Vehicles
- ◆ Outside Storage
- ◆ Parking
- ◆ Yard and Garage Sales without proper permit
- ◆ Snow/Ice Removal



If you have questions, you may call Code Enforcement 720-466-6108.

Rec Center Winter-Spring schedule now available



ELECTRICITY / STREET LIGHT OUTAGES

If your power remains out for longer than a few minutes, or to report an electrical safety hazard, or to report a street light outage, please call **United Power at 303-637-1350**.

EVERY CREATURE COUNTS - FERAL CAT SERVICES

Every Creature Counts offers a service to the community to decrease the feral cat population and help people involved with TNR (trap-neuter-return), by offering spay/neuter and vaccination services.

FERAL CAT PACKAGE - \$15

Spay or neuter, 4-in-1 combination vaccine (Feline panleukopenia/rhinotracheitis/calicivirus/chlamydia), Rabies vaccine, & Penicillin injection.

Appointments are not necessary for feral cats, however, cats need to be dropped off and picked up during the designated times. Please call ahead to confirm any closure dates.

Patient Drop-off 7:00 am - 7:30 am

Patient Pick-up 3:00 pm - 4:30 pm

Cats must arrive in separate traps. Individual carriers, with clean bedding, must be provided for cats to recuperate in following surgery. It is recommended that cats are kept in a protected area following surgery, to allow for post-surgical monitoring. The area should be clean, warm, and dry, and isolated from other animals. Check on the cat periodically to ensure that recovery is progressing. If you see any signs of bleeding, difficulty breathing, or excessive vomiting, please contact Every Creature Counts immediately. It is recommended that males be monitored for 24 hours following surgery and females be monitored for 36 to 48 hours following surgery. All services are cash only and payment is due at time of service.

Critical recovery concerns, call: 303-546-2704 ext. 2

DOGS AND CATS

Please be a responsible pet owner and have your dogs and cats spayed or neutered. Many millions of animals are destroyed every year because there are too many and not enough homes. Remember, the City requires all dogs and cats to have current rabies shots and to be licensed by the City. It is important to have your dogs and cats immunized so they don't spread diseases, and for your animals' general health. The animal license requires proof rabies shots are current, and the fee is \$10; with proof of spay or neuter, the charge is reduced to \$2. Licenses are valid for one year. Dogs at large will be impounded and you will be charged a \$20 impound fee and \$15 dollars per day or partial day for boarding, plus any charges for rabies shots and/or licensing.

For questions call Code Enforcement: Terrie Asay at 720-466-6108 or Community Service Officer Mary Albee at 720-466-6143.

SNOW REMOVAL

City Ordinance, Sec. 11-1 Removal of Snow:

"It shall be unlawful for any owner, or the agent or the tenant of such owner, of any lot, block or parcel of land within the City to allow any snow, sleet, ice, dirt, debris or any other obstruction to accumulate or to remain upon any sidewalk adjoining such lot, block or parcel of land within the City, longer than twenty-four (24) hours from the time of the last accretion of such snow, sleet, ice, dirt, debris or other obstruction."



Street Plowing Guidelines: Colorado Department of Transportation (CDOT) is responsible for sanding and snow plowing Hwy 85, Hwy 52 and Business Hwy (Denver Avenue North). On Business Hwy 85 from Hwy 52 to 5th Street, snow will be plowed to the center of the street by CDOT & will be removed by Public Works. Contact CDOT for questions at 970-962-4025.

First priority for sanding & snow plowing are streets adjacent to public facilities such as the Police Dept, Fire Dept, schools, and City Hall. Routes may be sanded/plowed at the request of emergency personnel due to life threatening emergencies.

For a full list of first, second and third priority and street listing, refer to the City's website at www.fortlupton.org.

COLD WEATHER WARNING: Please make sure your animals have food, water, & shelter. Be careful with short or thin-haired animals without an undercoat, such as Chihuahuas or Boxers.

FORT LUPTON ASSISTANCE
 421 Denver Avenue
 303-857-1096
 The Fort Lupton Food and Clothing Bank hours are Monday through Friday 2:30 to 4:30 pm.

NEED HELP PAYING YOUR WATER BILL?

Weld County Dept of Human Services 303-857-4052
 United Power Round Up Program 303-637-1331
 United Way of Weld County 970-353-4300

ONLINE UTILITY PAYMENTS www.fortlupton.org

Have you enrolled yet for easy and convenient online bill paying? If not, visit the City's website for more information.

ACTIVE ADULTS CALENDAR

Active Adults over 60 are invited to a weekly luncheon held on Mondays, 11am – 1pm. Call 303-857-4200 by the previous Thursday for required reservations. Donation is \$3 per person. We play bingo the 2nd and 4th Mondays of the month after lunch.

Rowdy Bunch Coffee meets every Wednesday from 7:30am to 9:30am in the senior lounge. We enjoy donuts, fruit & laughter. There is no charge.

January

January 20 – Martin Luther King Holiday – No lunch.
 January 21 – NWSS Super Dogs Show - We will have dinner at the National Western & have time to browse the booths before the show. \$18.00 fee includes transportation & admission. Dinner is on your own.
 January 23 – NWSS PRCA Rodeo - We are catching the early show at 10:30am, browse the booths, then onto Jay's for lunch. 9:00am – 4:00pm. \$18.00 fee includes transportation & admission. Lunch is on your own.

February

February 5 - Denver Art Museum - Featuring "Passport to Paris" exhibit. We will have lunch at a downtown restaurant then on to the museum. \$15 fee includes transportation & admission. Lunch is on your own.
 February 14 – Valentines Day Sock Hop - Enjoy the music of early rock n' roll. Wear 50's garb if you can. Snacks will be served. \$3 per person/\$5 per couple.
 February 19 - Colorado Home & Garden Show – See what's new for spring & summer planting. We will have lunch at Gala Gardens. Fee TBA.
 February 26 – Indian Hot Springs Pool – We will soak in the mineral pool, then have lunch at one of the local eateries, then browse Idaho Springs shops. \$18 fee includes transportation & admission. Lunch is on your own.
 February 28 - Wishbone Restaurant – Come join us for our favorite chicken restaurant. Fee \$3 plus lunch.

Please call 303-857-4200 if you have any questions about the Active Adults events and activities. Reservations are required unless otherwise noted.

UPCOMING 2014 UTILITY BILLING DATES	
1/7 BILL DUE DATE	2/3 LATE NOTICES SENT
1/15 SHUT OFF DAY	2/7 BILL DUE DATE
1/17 NEW BILLS MAILED	2/14 NEW BILLS MAILED
	2/20 SHUT OFF DAY