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#### Agenda New Castle Town Council & Garfield County Board of County Commissioners Combined Work Session Tuesday, February 01, 2022, 6:00 PM New Castle Library 402 W. Main Street

- a. Proclamation Honoring the Coal Ridge High School Cheer Team
- b. Town Update: Development
- c. Town Update: Capital Projects
- d. Town Update: Festivals and Events
- e. Town Update: Main Street Traffic Circle
- f. County Update: Mind Springs & Detox Center



WHEREAS, Coal Ridge High School serves the students and residents of the Towns of New Castle, Silt and Rifle; and

WHEREAS, on December 10, 2021 the Coal Ridge Titans Co-Ed Cheer Team competed for the Colorado High School Activities Association 2A/3A Cheer Spirit Championship and

*WHEREAS, the Titans took the 2A/3A Championship for the fourth consecutive year, and for the fifth time in the past six years; and* 

WHEREAS, for the first time the Coal Ridge team achieved the highest score among all the competition categories; and

WHEREAS, these repeated victories reflect the hard work and athleticism of the Cheer Squad and the leadership of Coach Alyssa Thurmon; and

WHEREAS, Garfield County wishes to join the Town of New Castle in recognizing the Cheer Team's outstanding achievements;

NOW THEREFORE, the Town Council of the Town of New Castle and the Garfield County Board of County Commissioners congratulate the Coal Ridge High School Cheer Squad for their state championship and recognize them for the honor they have brought to the RE-2 School District, the County and the Town.

Let this Proclamation be entered into the official records of the County and the Town

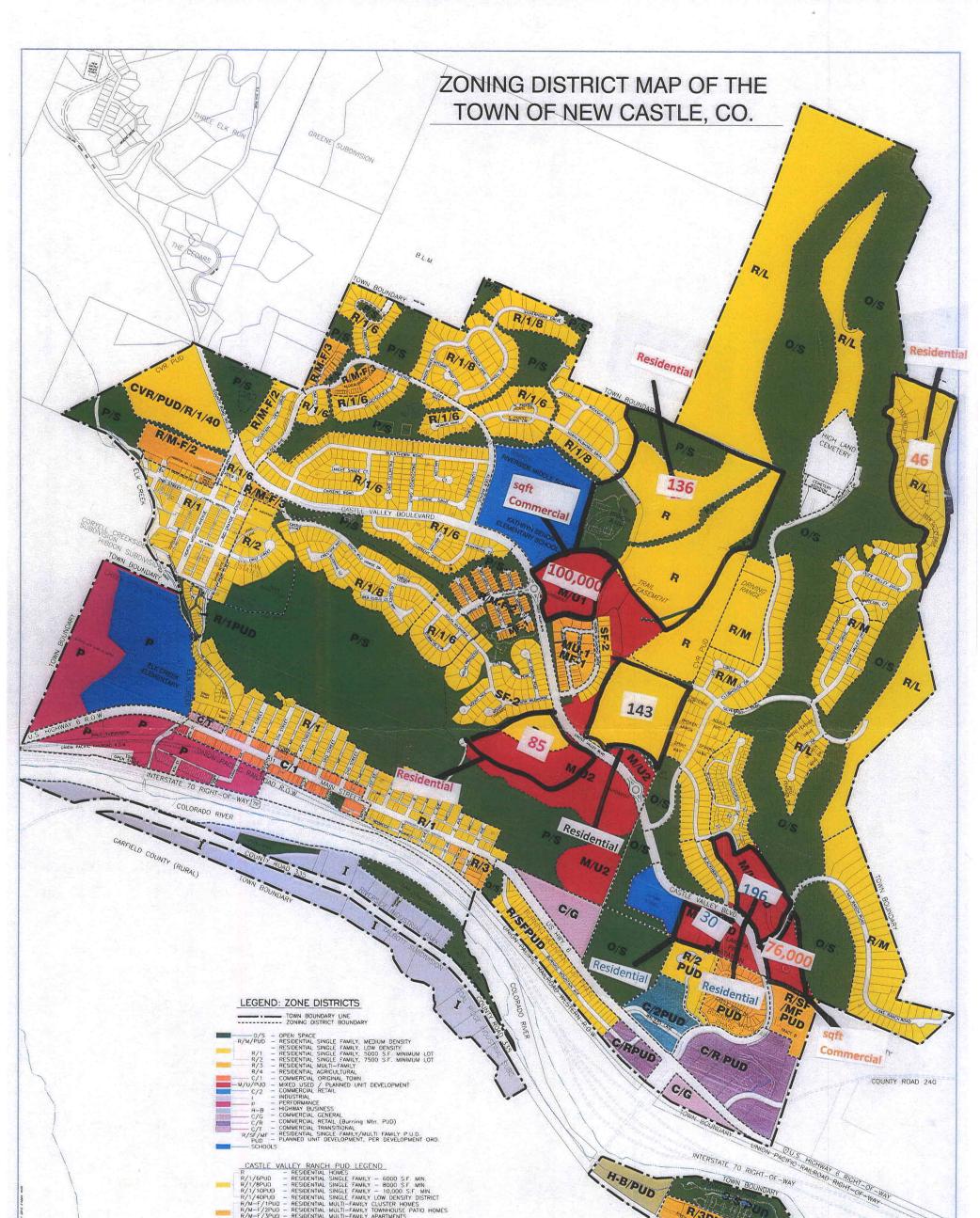
ATTEST:

Melody Harrison, Town Clerk

Art Riddile, Mayor

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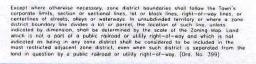
John Martin, Chair BOCC 🔇



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Second - 1	R/1/8PUD	- RESIDENTIAL SINGLE FAMILY - 8000 S.F. MIN
	R/1/10PUD	- RESIDENTIAL SINGLE FAMILY - 10,000 S.F. MIN.
		- RESIDENTIAL SINGLE FAMILY LOW DENSITY DISTRICT
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	4F-2	- RESIDENTIAL MULTI-FAMILY HIGHER DENSITY & APARTMENTS
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	411-2	- MIXED USE RESIDENTIAL& LIGHT INDUSTRIAL

#### ZONE DISTRICT BOUNDARIES

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- OPEN SPACE & PARKS



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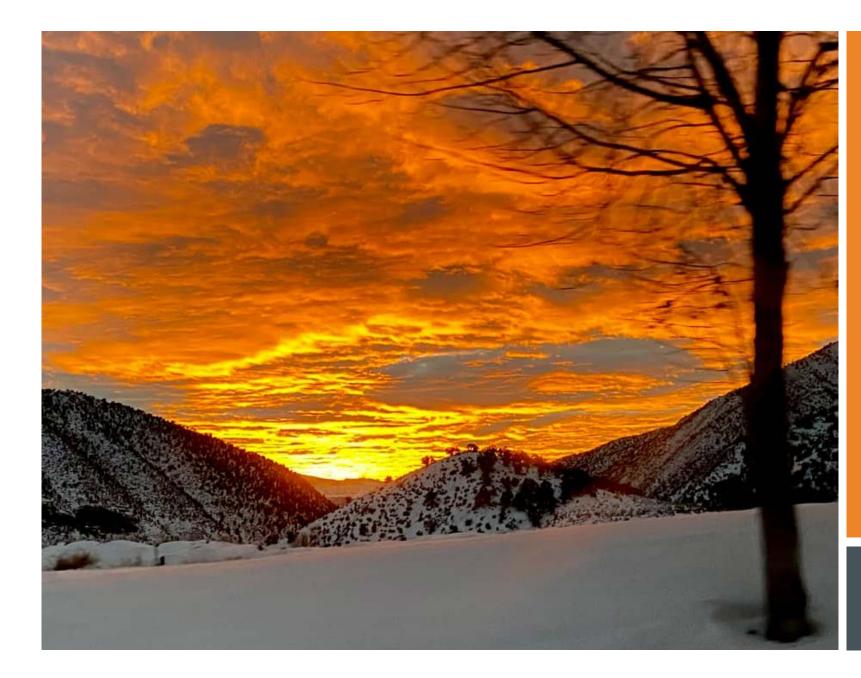
NEW CASTLE GARFIELD COUNTY, CO. ZONING DISTRICT MAP

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NEW CASTLE CAPITAL PROJECTS 2021/2022

## PROJECTS FUNDED BY FMLD

### **Bulk Water Station**

### New Windows at Town Hall



New Evidence Bay for PD



### South Alley Fence



Upcoming Projects:
➢ Community Center Kitchen Upgrade
➢ Biosolid Drying Facility



## PROJECTS FUNDED BY TOWN OF NEW CASTLE

### 2 New Police Vehicles



Town Hall Roof



Water Treatment Controls

Before

After



New equipment:
➤ Track Loader
➤ Riding Mower
➤ Street Sweeper

- Message Board
- Talbott Trail Agreement (Private Funding and Town Funding)





### PROJECTS FUNDED BY CDOT

- Guard Rail Replacement on CR 335
- Outdoor Dining Tents





# New Castle Events

2021

Founder's Day Earth Day Clean-Up Memorial Day Flag Raising Ceremony Fishing Derby Bike Rodeo **Community Market** Hogback Hustle Dirty Hog Dash **Rides & Reggae** BBQ with a Cop Fire in the Hole 5K **Burning Mountain Festival** Town Clean-Up Weekend Trick or Treat New Castle Spirit Walk New Castle Lion's Club Thanksgiving Dinner Holiday Tree Lighting & Chili Cook-Off

### **Fishing Derby**





## Memorial Day Flag Raising Ceremony



## Earth Day Clean-Up



### **Dirty Hog Dash**



## **Community Market**





### **Bike Rodeo**





## Festival & Music in the Park







## Parade

**Burning Mountain Festival** 





### **Car Show**





### Rides & Reggae







## **BBQ** with a Cop

### Hogback Hustle 5K





### **Trick or Treat New Castle**







### **Tree Lighting and Chili Cook-Off**









New Castle Traffic Circle Project Discussion

TOWN OF NEW CASTLE

# Project Overview



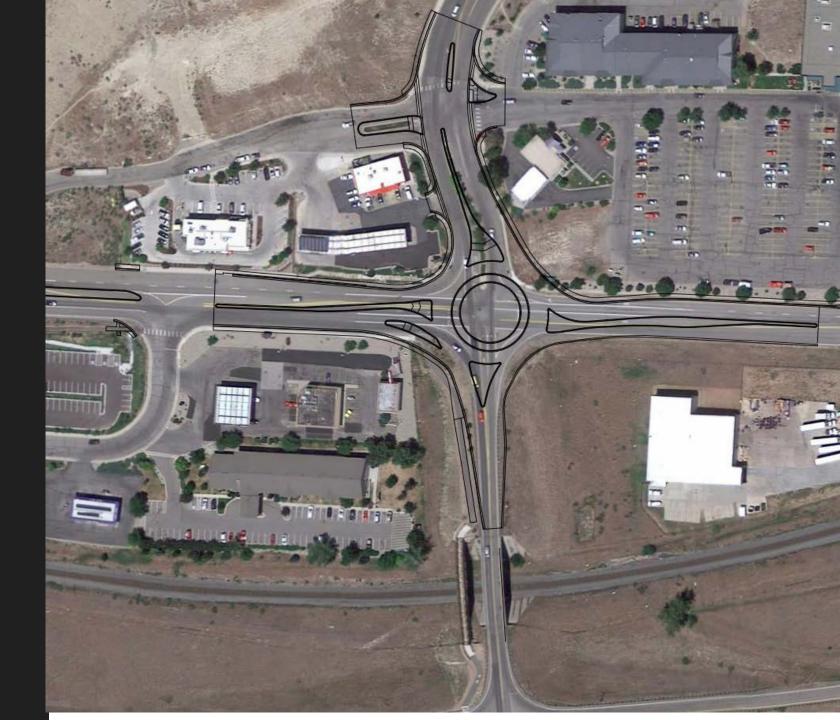
Reconstruction of the Rt 6 and Castle Valley Bouvard intersection

Removal of four-way stop light

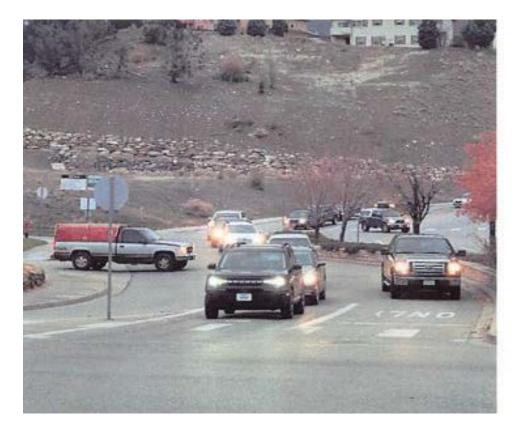
Installation of new roundabout designed to provide safer traffic flow

Provides congestion relief at Exit 105, Route 70, Castle Valley Bouvard, and Rt 6

Provides safer entrance and exit of local business area



# Safety



Due to heavy traffic volume during morning hours, Route 6, Castle Valley Blvd, and the Exit 105 off ramps often experience back-ups, which can cause unsafe conditions.

During evening hours, back-ups caused by slow moving traffic movement at this intersection can cause dangerous back-ups on Exit 105 off-ramps and onto Route 70.

During a wide scale emergency, improvements to this intersection and the nearby Exit 105 interchange will assist in the timely evacuation of area residents.

# Planning & Financing

#### Planning

This project represents the first step in the overall reconstruction of the Route 70 Exit 105 Interchange. The exit has long been recognized as a high priority project due to serious safety concerns related to ramp lengths and merging lane issues. This project is not a new planning priority.

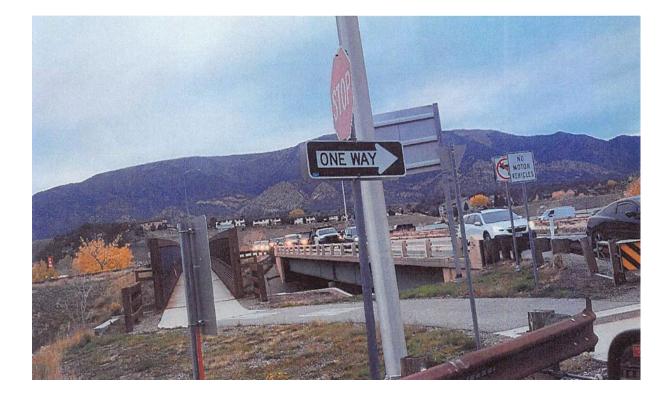
With forecasts for hundreds of new homes in New Castle over the next few years, this long identified high priority project, the Town is prepared to become a financial contributor to this project.

#### Financing

New Castle has had the opportunity to collect certain *Traffic Impact Fees* which may be used for projects along Castle Valley Blvd. While it may not be much compared to the overall cost of the project, the town is prepared to become a financial contributor to this project.



## Conclusion



The proposed traffic circle project on Route 6 in New Castle is the first step in completing a much-needed overhaul of the Exit 105 interchange. This project is critical in addressing immediate safety concerns at the intersection of Route 6 and Castle Valley Blvd, as well as safety concerns on Route 70.

New Castle often functions as a turn-around point and relief valve during times of delays and closures on Route 70. From a daily use perspective as well as an emergency route perspective, the proper operation of this intersection is a critical to area safety.

With major housing growth forecast for New Castle in the immediate future, keeping this project as a high priority for the region is critical. New Castle is prepared to contribute to the project and partner with CDOT toward a successful conclusion to this long-identified priority project.