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## **Agenda**

### **New Castle Climate and Environment Commission Special Virtual Meeting Thursday, June 23, 2022, 3:30 PM**

**Due to concerns related to COVID-19, this meeting will be open to the public as a virtual meeting only.**

**[To join by computer, smart phone or tablet click HERE](#)**

**If you prefer to telephone in:  
Please call: 1-346-248-7799  
Meeting ID: 709 658 8400**

**Follow the prompts as directed. Be sure to set your phone to mute until called on.**

**Call to Order**

**Pledge of Allegiance**

**Roll Call**

**Meeting Notice**

**Conflicts of Interest**

**Citizen Comments on Items NOT on the Agenda**  
-Comments are limited to three minutes-

**Agenda Changes**

**Items for Consideration**

- A. Follow-Up: Earth Day - Mountain Waste, Garden Club, Schools, Other**
- B. Update on 'Idling Vehicles' Information**
- C. Review the CEC Webpage**
- D. Participation in the 50th Anniversary of the Burning Mountain Festival Parade on Saturday, September 10, 2022. Theme is 'Love Where You Live' with Judged Entries**
- E. Interest in Community Market Participation**
- F. Agenda Items for the July 15, 2022 Meeting**

**Commissioner Comments**

**Adjourn**

## **DRAFT—CHANGES in RED**

The Climate and Environment Commission **provides information to town residents on environmental and climate issues. It** develops **a work plan with educational and outreach activities** and **when requested**, provides recommendations to the Town Council on how the Town can meet the goals of the U.S. Mayors Climate Protection Agreement.

The Commission consists of 7 Members appointed by the Town Council. Six of those appointees serve 2-year terms. The remaining position is filled by a member of Town Council for a term determined by the Council. New Castle residents and up to 3 non-residents may serve on the Commission. Members must possess a demonstrated interest in the Town's climate protection goals and in developing reasonable proposals for the Town to meet those goals. Commission Members serve without compensation.

The Commission meets at least 4 times per year, on the third Thursday of the month, starting at **3:30** pm. **Most meetings are held virtually, using Zoom, with occasional meetings** at New Castle Town Hall, located at 450 West Main Street. Other meetings are scheduled as needed. Meeting agendas are posted at Town Hall, the New Castle Post Office, and the public notice board in the Castle Valley Ranch Subdivision (at Kay Williams Park). The public is welcome and encouraged to attend.

Denise Scheberle - Commissioner

Term Expires: April 2023

Emily Jack-Scott - Commissioner

Term Expires: April 2023

**Michael** Merrifield - Commissioner

Term Expires: April 2023

Myrna Candriea - Commissioner

Term Expires: April 202**4**

Jean Brown - Commissioner

Term Expires: April 202**4**

Tom Elder - Commissioner

Term Expires: April 202**4**

\*Bruce Leland - Commissioner

Term Expires: April 202**4**

\* Council Representative on the Commission

**Websites to learn more about climate change**

National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA), <https://climate.nasa.gov/> This website provides information about the causes, status, and solutions for addressing climate change. <https://climatekids.nasa.gov/> is a website developed by NASA to help kids understand climate change.

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), <https://www.climate.gov/> helps promote understanding of climate change science, provides climate data, maps, and educational materials on climate change.

Links to local and regional organizations working to promote energy efficiency

Clean Energy Economy for the Region (CLEER) and Garfield Clean Energy (GCE), <https://cleanenergyeconomy.net/> and <http://garfieldcleanenergy.org/>, promote energy efficiency and cleaner energy use in the county.

**Burning Mountain Festival Parade Application**  
**Saturday, September 10, 2022**

**Theme: Love Where You Live**

**Show us what it is that you love about New Castle!**

*Not to be all judgy, but your entry will be judged this year!*

Name of Person, Organization or

Business: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Brief Description of your parade entry for the  
announcer: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

E-mail application to [rfirth@newcastlecolorado.org](mailto:rfirth@newcastlecolorado.org) or drop off at Town Hall 450  
W. Main Street

**Categories: Circle all that apply**

<b>Walkers</b>	<b>Bicycles</b>	<b>Floats</b>	<b>Classic Automobiles</b>
<b>Horses/Animals</b>	<b>Marching Units</b>		<b>Other Automobiles</b>
<b>ATV's</b>	<b>Motorcycles</b>	<b>Tractors</b>	<b>Other:</b>

All participants will be given a map of the Elk Creek Elementary School Parade line-up and a link to a video of last years parade, which we will send out as we get closer to the festival. Please make sure to provide an email address.

**LINE-UP BEGINS AT 8:00 AM**

**JUDGING BEGINS AT 9:00 AM**

**PRE-PARADE MEETING AT 9:40 AM**

**PARADE BEGINS AT 10:00 AM**

**Winners will be announced on stage at 11:30 am in Burning Mountain Park, following the parade.**

*Judging Criteria: Best Depiction of the Parade Theme*