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2021

# LYONS LINK



## COMMUNITY CALENDAR

### DECEMBER

- 6 Board of Trustees Meeting
- 13 Planning Commission Meeting
- 20 Board of Trustees Meeting
- 24 Christmas Eve Holiday - Town Hall Closure
- 27-31 Town Hall Closure

### JANUARY

- 3 Board of Trustees Meeting
- 10 Planning Commission Meeting
- 17 Martin Luther King Holiday - Town Hall Closure
- 18 Board of Trustees Meeting
- 24 Planning Commission Meeting

Register online for rec programs  
[www.townoflyons.com/rec](http://www.townoflyons.com/rec)



## BOT MEETINGS

The Board of Trustees meetings are held on the first and third Monday of each month at 7 pm, unless it is a holiday. The public is always welcome.



## SECURE AND CONVENIENT

GO GREEN LYONS! The Town of Lyons has an online payment system that is both secure and convenient.

Do your part to help reduce material costs and resources by signing up for online billing and payment. It's secure, safe and convenient. Sign up today!

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## LYONS THRIVE COMPREHENSIVE PLAN

Why do you like living in Lyons?  
How easy is it to get around Lyons?  
What would you like to see improved in the near future?

The Town of Lyons is updating the Comprehensive Plan with the help of Clarion Associates. Your input and opinions will help to guide LyonsThrive, which is the update to the Lyons Comprehensive Plan.

Visit [LyonsThrive.com](http://LyonsThrive.com) for information and to share what you would improve, change or what you love about Lyons.



## RV PARKING ORDINANCE

Recreation vehicles, watercraft and trailers in excess of 20 feet in length excluding hitches and tongues, may not be parked on town streets or right-of-way for periods longer than 72 hours. This ordinance was passed by the BOT, with an effective date of January 18, 2022.



## CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS

### Welch Ct Sewer Line Replacement

The sewer line from the end of Welch Ct to 2nd Ave & Cobblestone Ct will be replaced. This includes replacing a manhole in the middle of 2nd Ave at Cobblestone Ct.

### 1st Ave Water Line

A new water line is scheduled to be installed at the intersection of 2nd Ave., 1st Ave., and Mountain View. This will allow 1st Ave. to receive higher pressure water flows for fire prevention.



## HAPPY HOLIDAYS

Town Hall will be closed on Friday, December 24 and for the week of December 27-31. Essential services will continue to be provided.

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## LYONS KIND #CHOOSEBOTH

Celebrate Lyons Kind every day. We've adopted a community attitude of kindness to share with one another and those who visit us. Kindness is contagious. Kindness matters.

Let's remember that the great qualities which drew so many of us to move to Lyons – a small-town vibe, fun retail shops and restaurants, easy access to open space, the river corridor and our great parks – are the same qualities that folks who visit Lyons also like to enjoy. LyonsKind #chooseboth



## 2021 PARADE OF LIGHTS

The Holiday Artisan Market will be at the Lyons Elementary School on both Saturday and Sunday, December 4 and 5 from 10 am - 4 pm.

The Parade of Lights begins at 6:30 pm on Saturday, December 4. New route this year, along Main St (WB) and then to High St. There are no fireworks this year, due to the fire ban and drought conditions.

**Thank you to our generous sponsors who make this year's festivities come to life!** We want to thank the Lyons Community Foundation, Kissinger and Fellman, PVREA, Ramey Environmental Compliance, CEMEX, Murray Smith Engineering and Laura Levy Real Estate.

Also a big SHOUT OUT to the Town of Lyons Parks and Public Works staff who prepared the holiday lights for the season. We appreciate all you do!



## BE A GOOD NEIGHBOR

With winter upon us, remember commercial and residential sidewalks are required to be cleared within 24 hours after a snowstorm.



## BE WATERWISE

Drip. Drip. Drip. The average American household wastes more than 10,000 gallons each year from easy-to-fix water leaks—that's the amount of water needed to wash **270 loads** of laundry. If that doesn't seem like a lot, consider that across the country, easy-to-fix household leaks can add up to nearly 1 trillion gallons of water lost every year.

That's why the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and the Town of Lyons encourage homeowners to find and fix leaks. Fixing household leaks not only saves water but can reduce your town water utility bill by about 10 percent. Start saving today with three simple steps: Check. Twist. Replace. Learn more:

[townoflyons.com/waterwise](http://townoflyons.com/waterwise)



## REMINDER

Please keep your dog on a leash when walking through town, on public streets and the parks. The off-leash dog park is in Bohn Park. Thank you!



## RECREATION PROGRAMS

The holidays are approaching along with some festive recreation programs. We have a bus trip to the Candlelight Dinner Theater for seniors, and Ice Skating Lessons for kids and adults. A new ice skating class, Family Lessons - designed for one adult and one child to take together, this family class will work with you at your level. Some programs have fast approaching registration deadlines so don't delay, sign up today.

Get all the details, a link to register and COVID-19 safety precautions at:

[townoflyons.com/recreation](http://townoflyons.com/recreation)



## LOCAL SALES TAXES

Sales taxes for the first eight months of the year are up 24%. Shopping locally makes an impact in Lyons!

When you shop locally, you're showing your support of our local businesses and the community we all know and love!



## HOLIDAY GIVING DRIVE

You can help ensure every neighbor enjoys holiday meals and a comfortable season, by donating non-perishable food, toiletries, or funds to the Holiday Giving Drive. The Holiday Giving Drive is a collaboration between the Town of Lyons and the Lyons Emergency Assistance Fund (LEAF), to provide hope and a spirit of community this holiday season.

Donations of non-perishable food, toiletries and funds can be dropped off in the Cookie Monster Donation Bin, located in the front office of Town Hall, during normal office hours (Mon – Fri, 8AM to 4:30PM). The donations will be collected and distributed by LEAF.

If you'd like to learn more about supporting or seeking assistance from LEAF, visit [leaflyons.org](http://leaflyons.org).

