

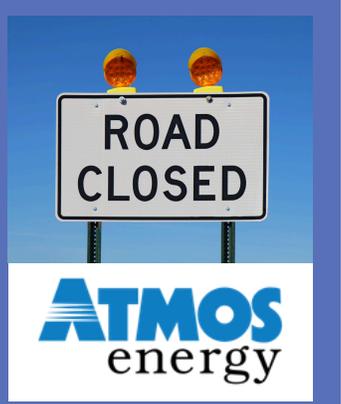


City of Evans excited for more progress in 2026

2025 was a year of incredible success for the City of Evans. From major capital improvement projects and park enhancements, to significant roadway investments, to new commercial development and the groundbreaking of our new police station, 2025 was an historic year for the city. As we turn the calendar to 2026, more strides will be made as we continue the evolution of Evans into the Community of Choice in Northern Colorado!

37th Street to close between 47th Avenue and Cheyenne Drive on Jan. 19 for an Atmos Energy Project; closure will last through April

To meet the increased demand and ensure continued quality service in the region, Atmos Energy will be installing a new high-pressure natural gas line along 37th Street. This project will require the complete closure of 37th Street between 47th Avenue and Cheyenne Drive in the western reaches of the City of Evans. This is a full closure and motorists will need to detour south using 49th Street or north using Highway 34. Atmos Energy informs that the closure is expected to last through the end of April. All questions regarding this project should be directed to **Atmos Customer Service at 888-286-6700**



City of Evans Strategic Plan: We want to hear from you!

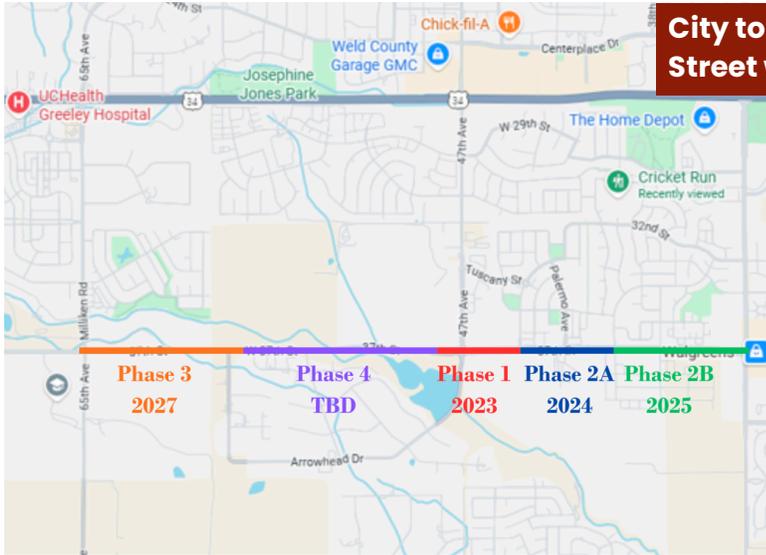
Evans is currently working on developing a strategic plan that will help guide decision making over the next several years. An important part of this process is gathering community feedback. Please see **page 5** for information and a link to share your input on the evolution of Evans!



Wreaths Across America honored at Dec. 6 city council meeting

Evans Mayor Mark Clark read and signed an official city proclamation recognizing the second Saturday in December as Wreaths Across America in Evans at the Dec. 6 council meeting. The proclamation was accepted by Nancy Critchfield and members of the Adamson Warmuth VFW Post #6624.





City to seek new bids for next phase of 37th Street widening project

At a work session on Dec. 16, the Evans City Council directed city staff to close out the current contract with RockSol Consulting for the next phase of the 37th Street widening project. RockSol served as the design engineer for the first three phases of the project, with the funds that were awarded for the project in 2019 now nearly exhausted, the council chose to solicit new bids for the next phase of the project from an array of contractors.

Phase 3 to rebuild 37th Street / 65th Avenue intersection, expand roadway to four lanes from 65th Avenue east to Arrowhead Drive

The next phase, Phase 3, of the 37th Street widening project is slated to begin in 2027 and will see the 37th Street / 65th Avenue intersection rebuilt and 37th Street expanded to two lanes in each direction from that intersection east to Arrowhead Drive. This phase is more complicated than the previous phases due to the need to acquire right-of-way space to accommodate the wider roadway as well as some complex engineering obstacles that must be overcome. To help fund the next phase of this project, the city received a \$1.5 million grant from the North Front Range Metropolitan Planning Organization.



The 65th Avenue / 37th Street Intersection, looking northeast



Council approves update to development code for EV charging projects

A new state law requires municipalities to update their land development code to accommodate zoning, design standards, permitting, and other factors related to Electric Vehicle (EV) Charging Station projects. The council voted unanimously to adopt an ordinance that follows the EV Model Land Use Code, a framework developed by the Colorado Energy Office in response to the new law. Adopting this ordinance ensured Evans' regulations related to EV Charging projects are aligned with other municipalities, providing clarity, uniformity, and certainty to developers.



City council meetings are live-streamed on our YouTube channel, scan the QR code to watch live and archived meetings.



Evans PD welcomes local families for Santa Cops holiday celebration

Our annual holiday celebration for Santa Cops recipients took place on Dec. 13, and it was an incredible success! The kids enjoyed hot chocolate with all the toppings, an assortment of unlimited cookies, and the joy of visiting with Santa and Mrs. Claus. We are grateful for the generous donations from Quilts for Kids (200 quilts!), Lynette & Cujo Mata, and Jimmy Vy & Vui Nguyen (take-home food for families) and The Jireh Project - Coats & Boots for Kids of Weld County (winter coats). It was a day filled with food, hugs, laughter, and extra goodies that created lasting memories for the families.



About Santa Cops of Weld County

Santa Cops of Weld County is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization consisting of representatives from the Greeley Police Department, Evans Police Department, University of Northern Colorado Police Department, Weld County Probation Department, District 6 Schools, and the community at large. Santa Cops of Weld County is strictly a volunteer organization, and every donation is put directly towards the program to provide gifts for eligible children and to cover any operational expenses. You can reach Santa Cops of Wed County by phone at (970) 350-9622 or by email at info@santacopsoweldcounty.org



Our officers truly enjoy these moments. It provides them with a chance to connect with kids, hear about their exciting plans for Christmas break, and learn what they've asked Santa for this year. The Evans Police Department is proud to partner with Santa Cops of Weld County to support our community. Events like this remind us of the importance of giving back, making memories, and coming together as a community. We hope everyone had a blessed, safe, and joyful holiday season!



Share your input for the...

CITY OF EVANS STRATEGIC PLAN

What is a strategic plan?

A strategic plan is a roadmap that guides a community toward its long-term goals. It helps to prioritize resources, align efforts, and ensure that everyone is working together to build a stronger, more resilient future.

Get Involved!

Post on the Ideas Wall:

Comment your thoughts and see what others have to say about the future of Evans.

Access the QR code for more information and any updates!

Your input will help to guide the future of your community!

SCAN HERE FOR MORE INFORMATION:



Comparte tu opinión sobre el

PLAN ESTRATÉGICO DE LA CIUDAD DE EVANS

¿Qué es un plan estratégico?

Un plan estratégico es una hoja de ruta que guía a una comunidad hacia sus metas a largo plazo. Ayuda a priorizar recursos, alinear esfuerzos y garantizar que todos trabajen juntos para construir un futuro más fuerte y resiliente.

¡Participa!

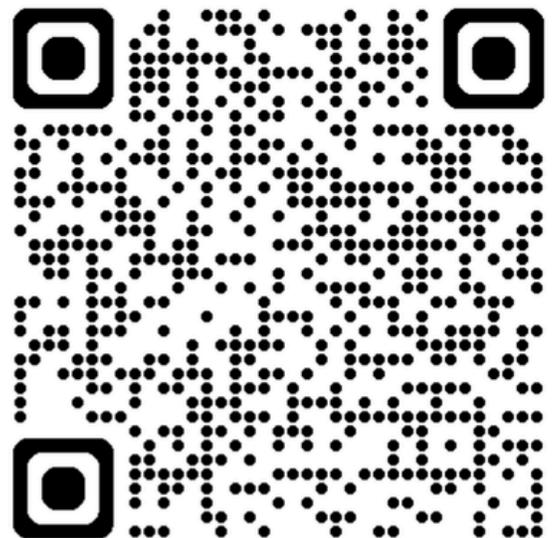
Publica en el “*Ideas Wall*”:

Comenta tus pensamientos y descubre lo que otros opinan sobre el futuro de Evans.

¡Accede al código QR para obtener más información y actualizaciones!

¡Tu opinión ayudará a guiar el futuro de tu comunidad!

ESCANEA AQUÍ PARA OBTENER MÁS INFORMACIÓN:



SIGN UP FOR COMMUNITY ALERTS!

Stay informed and connected with the latest updates from the City of Evans. Get important alerts about city news, community events, road closures, recreation offerings, emergency notifications and more.

It's free and easy - just enter your name and email address and choose which alerts you want to receive.



CUSTOMIZE ALERTS FOR WHAT IS IMPORTANT TO YOU:

- ✓ City Council
- ✓ Police
- ✓ Recreation
- ✓ Parks
- ✓ Customer Service
- ✓ Evans Express
- ✓ Boards & Commissions
- ✓ Public Works Projects

SCAN THE QR CODE:



STAY IN THE KNOW. STAY CONNECTED.



WWW.EVANSCOLORADO.GOV/SUBSCRIBE

(970) 475-1170

New Utility Payment Options!

Expanded ways to make bill pay easy, fast & safe

Method	Benefits	Cost
Electronic - call, text, online	Can do it anytime, from anywhere. 100% safe and secure and available 24 hours a day!	\$0.95 (EFT) or 2.95% (\$2.95 min.) for credit/debit card
In person or by mail	Visit us! Don't pay fees!	FREE! if paying with cash/check/ money order.

Paying utility bills is no fun, so we're making it faster, easier, and more convenient.

Choose the method that's best for you!

Some things to keep in mind:

- Our new system has changed account numbers; the zeros in front have been removed and a -0 has been added to the end.
- If you old account number was 00000045829 it now will be 45839-0.
- If paying via mail, please include your bill stub to reduce the risk of a processing error.



Scan the QR Code to visit The City of Evans website and register for text or online payments today!



24-hour Pay By Phone
877-920-0541



Pay By TEXT
Sign up online!



Pay Online
Use our new website

¡Nuevas opciones de pago de servicios públicos!

Formas ampliadas de hacer que el pago de facturas sea fácil, rápido y seguro

Método	Beneficios	Costar
Electrónico: llamada, mensaje de texto, en línea	Puede hacerlo en cualquier momento y desde cualquier lugar. ¡100% seguro y disponible las 24 horas del día!	\$0.95 (EFT) o 2.95% (\$2.95 min.) para tarjeta de crédito/débito
En persona o por correo	¡Visítanos! ¡No pagues cuotas!	¡GRATIS! si paga en efectivo/chequ e/giro postal.

Pagar las facturas de servicios públicos no es divertido, por lo que lo estamos haciendo más rápido, más fácil y más conveniente.

¡Elige el método que mejor se adapte a ti!

Algunas cosas a tener en cuenta:

- Nuestro nuevo sistema ha cambiado los números de cuenta; Se han eliminado los ceros delante y se ha añadido un -0 al final.
- Si su número de cuenta anterior era 00000045829 ahora será 45839-0.
- Si paga por correo, incluya el talón de su factura para reducir el riesgo de un error de procesamiento.

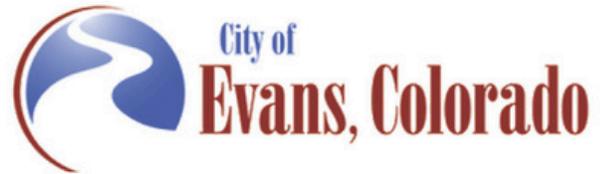


¡Escanee el código QR para visitar el sitio web de la ciudad de Evans y regístrese para pagos por mensaje de texto o en línea hoy!



Through the Fixture Replacement Program, the City of Evans helps homeowners upgrade to high-efficiency fixtures for free!

¡A través del Programa de Reemplazo de Accesorios, la Ciudad de Evans ayuda a los propietarios de viviendas!



FREE money-saving home fixture upgrades

Actualizaciones GRATUITAS de accesorios para el hogar que ahorran dinero



Save money on utility bills with upgrades to high-efficiency showerheads, toilets, and more! Follow the link or QR code below for more information. You may be eligible for free high-efficiency, money saving fixtures.

¡Ahorre dinero en facturas de servicios públicos con actualizaciones a cabezales de ducha, inodoros y más de alta eficiencia! Siga el enlace o el código QR a continuación para obtener más información. Puede ser elegible para accesorios gratuitos de alta eficiencia que ahorran dinero.

Items that can be replaced include:

- High-flow toilets
- High flow shower heads
- High flow faucet aerators

Los artículos que se pueden reemplazar incluyen:

- Inodoros de alto flujo
- Cabezales de ducha de alto flujo
- Aireadores de grifo de alto flujo

<https://www.evanscolorado.gov/living-here/water-and-utilities/water-conservation/water-conservation-programs/>

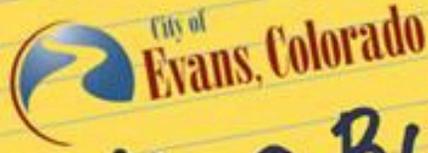


**CALL OR EMAIL NOW
LLAME O ENVÍE UN CORREO
ELECTRÓNICO AHORA**

Phone/Teléfono: (970)-475-1186

Email/Correo electrónico:

jschoenbacher@evanscolorado.gov



Building Bulletin

With an uptick in sewer line repairs, the City of Evans wants you to be prepared in the event that a repair or replacement is needed on your property:

- A building permit is required for the repair or replacement work within the property.
- A right of way permit is required if any digging occurs in the street. These can be obtained through our Engineering Department.
- The contractor performing the work must apply for the building permit in Citizenserve. Contractors must have a current business license with Evans.
- Inspections must be requested through Citizeenserve by midnight to be on the schedule for the following business day.

QUESTIONS? Contact us at 970-475-1110
building@evanscolorado.gov | www.evanscolorado.gov



City of Evans, Colorado
Parks Maintenance Division

FREE

Christmas Tree Recycling

Begins Monday, December 29th



1800 40th St. Evans

Signs will direct to drop off site



Hours: Mon-Fri 7:30 AM to 3:00 PM

Drop off available for three weeks



No dimensional lumber



No trash



No tinsel or other ornaments



No tree stands

Real Christmas trees only

No fake trees & no yard waste please





RECYCLING IS REAL



Bottle = Shirt

The plastic water bottles you recycle can be made into thread for fabric used to make clothing, backpacks, sneakers and more.



Paper = Paperboard

The clean paper you recycle is pulped and made into paperboard packaging for cereal, crackers and other household goods.



Jug = Carpet

The thick multi-gallon plastic water jugs you recycle can be made into carpet for homes and businesses.



Can = Can

The aluminum beverage cans you recycle today will be back on the shelf as a new can in about 60 days.



RECYCLE RIGHT

Only place the following in your recycle cart

- Clean cardboard
- Paper
- Metal cans
- Glass bottles and jars
- Plastic containers shaped like bottles, jars, jugs and tubs.



Do **NOT** put any of these items in your recycle cart

- Food or liquids
- Plastic bags
- Batteries, electronics
- Clothing or carpet
- Paper towels, cups, napkins or plates
- Concrete or wood
- Styrofoam, scrap metal
- Yard waste





EL RECICLAJE ES REAL

Botella = Camisa

Las botellas de agua de plástico que reciclas se pueden convertir en hilo para telas que se usan para hacer ropa, mochilas, zapatillas y más.



Papel = Cartón

El papel limpio que recicla se convierte en pulpa y se transforma en envases de cartón para cereales, galletas y otros productos para el hogar.



Jarra = Alfombra

Las gruesas jarras de agua de plástico de varios galones que reciclas se pueden convertir en alfombras para hogares y negocios.



Puede = Puede

Las latas de aluminio para bebidas que reciclas hoy volverán a estar disponibles en los estantes como latas nuevas en aproximadamente 60 días.



RECYCLE RIGHT

Coloque únicamente lo siguiente en su contenedor de reciclaje

- Cartón limpio
- Papel
- Latas de metal
- Botellas y frascos de vidrio
- Recipientes de plástico con forma de botellas, frascos, jarras y tinas



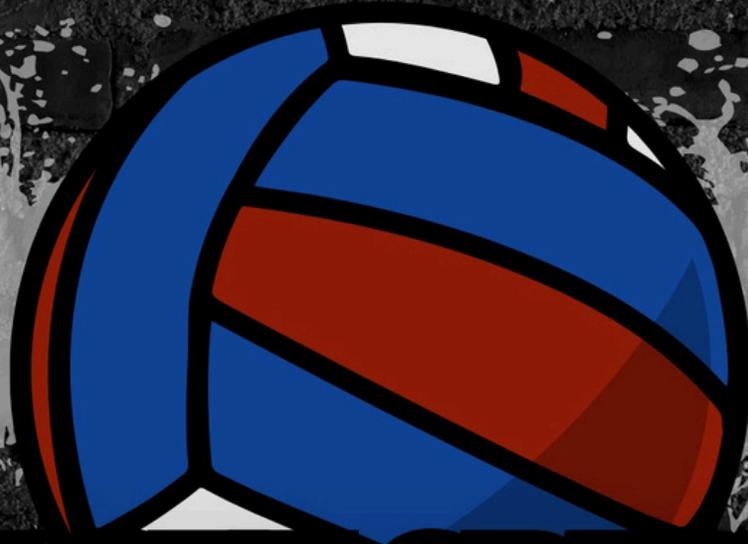
NO coloque ninguno de estos artículos en su carrito de reciclaje.



- Alimentos o líquidos
- Bolsas de plástico
- Baterías, electrónica
- Ropa o alfombra
- Toallas de papel, vasos, servilletas o platos
- Hormigón o madera
- Poliestireno expandido, chatarra
- Residuos de jardín



SCAN TO
REGISTER!



K-8TH GRADE VOLLEYBALL

REGISTRATION: DECEMBER 22-FEBRUARY 1, 2026

Kinder, 1st/2nd grade | \$60

PRACTICES ONCE PER WEEK IN EVANS

3rd/4th, 5th/6th, & 7th/8th grade | \$70

PRACTICES TWICE PER WEEK IN EVANS

PRACTICES | BEGINS THE WEEK OF MARCH 9
GAMES | SATURDAYS STARTING ON MARCH 21. CAN BE PLAYED IN AULT, EATON,
EVANS, FORT LUPTON, KERSEY, KEENESBURG, LASALLE, PLATTEVILLE, & WIGGINS

EVANS RECREATION JERSEYS AVAILABLE AT THE RECREATION FRONT DESK
SLEEVELESS: \$20 | SHORT SLEEVE: \$25



¡ESCANEA
PARA
REGISTRARTE!



K-8TH GRADO VOLEIBOL

INSCRIPCIÓN: DEL 22 DE DICIEMBRE AL 1 DE FEBRERO DE 2026

Kinder, 1st/2nd grado | \$60

PRACTICAR UNA VEZ POR SEMANA EN EVANS

3rd/4th, 5th/6th, & 7th/8th grado | \$70

PRACTICAS DOS VECES POR SEMANA EN EVANS

PRACTICAS | COMIENZAN LA SEMANA DEL 9 DE MARZO

PARTIDOS | LOS SÁBADOS A PARTIR DEL 21 DE MARZO. LOS PARTIDOS SE PUEDEN JUGAR EN AULT, EATON, EVANS, FORT LUPTON, KERSEY, KEENESBURG, LASALLE, PLATTEVILLE, & WIGGINS

LAS CAMISETAS DEPORTIVAS DE EVANS RECREATION ESTÁN DISPONIBLES EN LA RECEPCIÓN.

SIN MANGAS: \$20 | MANGA CORTA: \$25



THURSDAY MARCH 5TH DAY TRIP

Golden Corral

GOLDEN CORRAL
IN LOVELAND

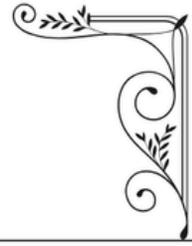
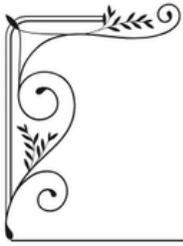
\$3 TO RIDE VAN

PAY FOR OWN MEAL INDIVIDUALLY

LEAVE ECC AT 10:30AM & RETURN BY
1:00PM

MUST SIGN UP AHEAD OF TIME
LIMITED SEATS AVAILABLE

1100 37TH ST, EVANS, 80620 | 970-475-1125 | RECREATION@EVANSCOLORADO.GOV
REC.EVANSCOLORADO.GOV



THURSDAY JANUARY 22ND DAY TRIP

Biaggi's Italian Restaurant

DAY TRIP

BIAGGI'S ITALIAN RESTAURANT

IN LOVELAND

\$3 TO RIDE VAN

PAY FOR OWN MEAL

INDIVIDUALLY

LEAVE ECC AT 10:30AM &

RETURN BY 1:00PM

EXPLORE SHOPS AFTER EATING

OR VISIT WITH OTHERS

LONGER

MUST SIGN UP AHEAD OF TIME

LIMITED SEATS AVAILABLE

SEE REVERSE FOR MENU



PLEASE JOIN US FOR A
VALENTINE

TEA PARTY
HOSTED BY MARCIA COX

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 14TH

YOU'RE WELCOME ANYTIME BETWEEN

1:00-4:00 PM

EVANS COMMUNITY CENTER BANQUET HALL

MUST REGISTER BY FEBRUARY 1ST

\$5 PER PERSON



What's new at Riverside Library in January 2026?



ADULTS & TEENS

Library Closed



The library will be closed on Monday, January 19th for the Martin Luther King Jr Holiday.

Relax & Craft

Crafts for adults! January's craft is making a Crochet Cup Cozy. Register online or at the front desk!



Tuesday, Jan. 20 5:30 pm

ROAMING READERS WALKING CLUB

Stay active & entertained! You'll receive a map of the library's walking path, a pair of earbuds, & a monthly list of recommended e-audiobooks to enjoy during your walks.

1st & 3rd Tuesdays, 1-2 pm

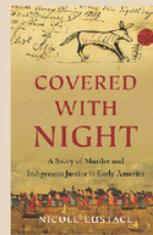
Senior Social Circle

The perfect place to meet new friends & participate in a variety of rotating activities designed just for you! Mondays at 11:30 am.



Riverside Readers

An in-person and virtual book club that discusses general interest books.



Monday, Jan. 26 at 6:30 pm

ENGLISH CONVERSATION HOUR

Practice your English speaking and listening skills every Friday afternoon. A native speaker will facilitate an activity to prompt and encourage conversation. All skill levels are welcome!

CHILDREN & FAMILIES

Wildly Fun Wednesdays

Join us each Wednesday afternoon at 4:00 pm for fun rotating activities!

LEVEL UP!
January 7

Come try out some video games!

Lego Club
January 14

Crafternoon
January 21



Board Game Club
January 28



FREE AFTER SCHOOL SNACKS



Available all school year long.
Monday-Friday
3:30-5:00 pm.
Ages 0-18

Pokémon Club

Due to the MLK JR holiday, we will be closed. We will see you in February!



Storytime

Mondays 9:30 a.m.	Tales for Tots	Ages 2-4
Tuesdays 9:30 a.m.	Twinkle Babies	Ages 0-2
Wednesdays 9:30 a.m.	español!	All ages
2:00 p.m.	Playdate Cafe	Baby/ Toddler
Thursdays 9:30 a.m.	Family Storytime	All ages



Que hay de nuevo biblioteca de Riverside Enero 2026?



ADULTOS Y ADOLESCENTES

la biblioteca esta cerrada

La biblioteca estará cerrada el lunes, 19 de enero para el Día de Martin Luther King Jr.



LOTERÍA

¡Todos están invitados a jugar Lotería con nosotros! Venga y aprenda un juego, mientras tiene la oportunidad de ganar premios y probar diferentes bocadillos.

DOMINGO, ENERO 3, 3:00 PM

CLUB DE LECTURA Y CAMINATA

Mantente activa e entretenida! Como participante, le damos un mapa de caminata de la biblioteca, un par de audifonos y una lista mensual de audio-libros para disfrutar durante su caminata. Traiga su telefono habilitado o tendremos una seleccion de Playaways disponibles para prestar.

1er & 3er Jueves, 1-2 pm

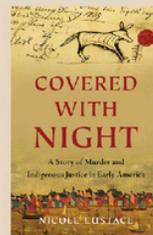
Senior Social Circle

El lugar perfecto de conocer nuevos amigos y participar en actividades variadas diseñadas solo para usted. Cada lunes a las 11:30 am



Riverside Readers

Un club de lectura en persona y virtual que discute libros de interés general realizados en inglés.



Lunes, enero 26 6:30 pm

PRACTIQUE SUS HABILIDADES DE INGLÉS

Practique sus habilidades de conversación y comprensión oral en inglés todos los viernes por la tarde. Un hablante nativo dirigirá una actividad para fomentar la conversación. ¡Todos los niveles son bienvenidos!

NIÑOS Y FAMILIAS

Cuenta Cuentos

lunes 9:30 a.m.	Tales for Tots	edades 1.5-3
martes 9:30 a.m.	Twinkle Babies	edades 0-1.5
miércoles 9:30 a.m.	espanol!	todas las edades
2:00 p.m.	Playdate Cafe	bebes/ Preescolar
jueves 9:30 a.m.	Familia Storytime	todas las edades



BOTANAS GRATIS AL SALIR DE CLASES



Disponible todo el año escolar.
Lunes a Viernes
3:30-4:30 pm.
Edades 0-18

Pokémon Club

Por el Día de Martin Luther King Jr., estaremos cerrados. ¡Nos vemos en febrero!



Miercoles de Diversión

Ven todos los miércoles en la tarde a las 4 para una rotación de actividades

LEVEL UP! (juego de video)
Enero 7

Club de Legos
Enero 14



Crafternoon
Enero 21



Club de juegos de mesa
Enero 28

Outdoor Street Lighting

How to report a Street Light Outage



What you will need to report a street light outage

The Pole number where the light is located—the pole number will be on the street side of the pole and will either have two numbers over two, or three over three.

For Example



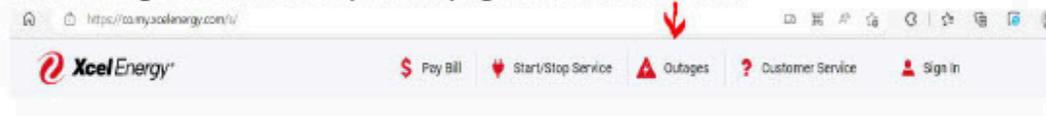
Xcel Energy relies on the information you provide so please be as specific as possible. If the pole does not have a number, then please provide the address behind the pole, or a description of where the pole is located.

For example: The light is located on the Southwest corner of E. 16th Ave and Pennsylvania.

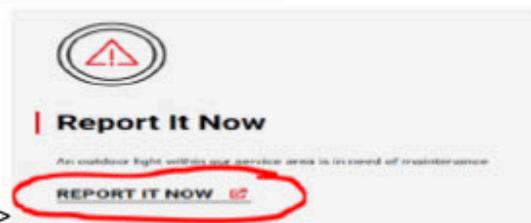
Where to report a Street light Outage?

Go to <https://co.my.xcelenergy.com/s/>

FIRST: Select the Outages icon at the top of the page as indicated below



NEXT: Scroll to the bottom of the page and look for **Outdoor lighting Outages** and click on **REPORT AN OUTDOOR OUTAGE** as seen below



Next: Click on **Report it now** →

Finally: Enter your information.

1. Your name
2. Your email address: This is used to inform you when the light is repaired.
3. Contact phone number: This will be used to contact you should we have any questions regarding your repair request.

Pole information: ****If an outdoor lighting pole is broken, please call Xcel Energy Customer Care at 1-800-895-4999.

1. Select the problem with the light
2. Pole number: This is where you would enter the two over two or three over three numbers on the pole.
3. Light location: This is the Address where the light is located. Please provide as much specific information as you can.
4. Comments: Provide any additional information that you believe would be helpful

Lastly: You may Add more outages if there are more than one or hit the submit button.

Once you submit the request you will be provided a confirmation number. Keep this number to refer back to if needed.

***Please note: Repairs are made in 5 business days unless there is more than routine maintenance is required.



Need assistance?

Call 1-800-895-4999

For 24-hour Customer Service