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WILL O' THE WISP WAY

Very attractive well-built two-story on a gorgeous treed lot adjacent to "The Commons' greenbelt with forever Front Range and Pikes Peak views on a wonderful cul-de-sac 4BR/4BA/4,808 sq. ft. * Gourmet kitchen with granite, pantry, slide-out drawers, Jenn-Air downdraft cook top, stainless steel appliances, breakfast bar and eating space with walk-out to large composite deck to "soak in" the fantastic, picturesque setting Roomy master suite with 5 pc. bath, fireplace and walk-out to a view balcony Windows dressed in Hunter Douglas coverings * 31x31 all-purpose lower-level recreation room with walk-out to a brick patio and lush green lawn in a fenced backyard * Oversized 2.5-car garage measures 19X32 * Dynamite location * **\$700,000**.

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Magnificent, glorious one-of-a-kind tranquil south-sloping flag lot with unbelievable rock formations and incredible views of Pikes Peak, USAFA, and the Front Range * Treed lot that will afford privacy and grandeur unmatched! * Great Woodmoor location with easy access to shopping, restaurants, schools, and Fox Run Park * Water and sanitation taps are paid * Survey available * Come see this natural beauty! * \$150,000.











Lewis-Palmer School District 38 invites you to meet the new superintendent

Please join Dr. KC Somers on his Listening and Learning Tour:

- Tuesday, July 9, 8:00 a.m. Chamber of Commerce
- Wednesday, July 10, 4:00 p.m. Wesley Owens Coffee
- Thursday, July 11, 2:00 p.m. Tri-Lakes YMCA (MP Room 2)
- Monday, July 15, 6:00 p.m. Monument Library
- Wednesday, July 17, 10:00 a.m. Serranos Coffee Company
- Friday, July 19, 1:00 p.m. Tri-Lakes Senior Center

Dr. Somers wants your input:

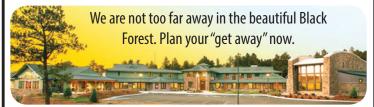
What do you value about Lewis-Palmer School District 38? What challenges is the school district currently facing? What advice do you have for the new superintendent?



These meetings are open to the public:

RSVPs are not required but are certainly appreciated. Contact Vicki at (719) 481-9546 to RSVP or for details.

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Above: Firefighter/EMT Aaron Clymer takes the oath to the Constitution at the BFFRPD board meeting June 19. Board President Rick McMorran officiated in the swearing-in ceremony and thanked Clymer's family for their support and for all the times he could not make family gatherings due to his commitment to public service. Interim Chief PJ Langmaid said Clymer is a tremendous asset to the community. Photo by Natalie Barszcz.

insurance costs and increase district revenue. Coverage of areas that are not officially included in a fire department service area are currently supported where possible as a courtesy, although they do not pay taxes to BFFRPD. The board unanimously agreed to consider a draft invitation flyer for the inclusion of out-of-district homeowners at the July meeting.

Impact fees

Hinton said he met again with County Commissioner Holly

Williams to discuss new development impact fees to assist fire districts as they expand to cover new homes. Williams suggested Hinton put together a team to include Langmaid and meet with the Colorado Springs Housing and Building Association (HBA) and President of Classic Homes Doug Stimple. Hinton said that asking \$400 per new home would not be a huge amount for the developers. If impact fees are approved in the future they will not be retroactive.

Citizen comments

Black Forest resident Linda Smith congratulated the board and the department on the arrival of the new engine, adding "it is a beauty, really impressive and wonderful to see."

Sixth Annual **Open House**

The Sixth Annual Open House will be held at Station 1 on July 13 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Helicopter landings are scheduled for 10:45 a.m. and noon, along with a live vehicle extrication demonstration at 1 p.m. The new engine will be on display, and free hot dogs and burgers will be served. See www.bffire. org for further details.

The meeting adjourned at 8:30 p.m.

Correction

In OCN's June 1 edition, the BFFRPD article incorrectly reported that Capt. Larry Bell "... left this month." Bell is still a promoted fire officer employed with the district. We apologize for the error.

Meetings are usually held at 7 p.m. on the third Wednesday of each month at BFFRPD Station 1, 11445 Teachout Road, Colorado Springs. The next meeting is scheduled for July 17. See www.bffire.org.

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Donald Wescott Fire Protection District, June 11

Easement agreement signed; director resigns

By Allison Robenstein The Donald Wescott Fire Protection District (DWFPD) board held a special meeting June 11 to sign easement agreements because its normally scheduled June meeting was cancelled. Director Mark Gunderman was excused and attendees were informed that director Gary Rusnak recently resigned from the board. Neither was in attendance.

Chairman William "Bo" McAllister told the board members present that Rusnak had sent him an email saying his house had sold, and since he no longer resides within Wescott district territory he must resign. The board will select a replacement to carry out Rusnak's term until a new election, but no other plans for onboarding a new director were discussed.

Board member resigns **MVEA Member Appreciation Days** Because you're not just a customer, you're a co-op member. Enjoy a meal, giveaways, and summer fun! Limon • July 11, 2019 • 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. MVEA's Limon Office • 1655 5th St. • Limon • 80828 Monument • July 18, 2019 • 4:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. MVEA's Monument Office • 15706 Jackson Creek Pkwy, Suite 100 • Monument • 80132 Falcon • July 24, 2019 • 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. MVEA's Falcon Office • 11140 E. Woodmen Rd. • Falcon • 80831 Cimarron Hills • July 24, 2019 • 4:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. Cimarron Eastridge Park • 2324 Shawnee Dr. • Colorado Springs • 80915 BONUS! Download a discount admission ticket to the El Paso County Fair for July 16. Visit www.mvea.coop/events for a discount ticket. MOUNTAIN VIEW ELECTRIC ASSOCIATION, INC www.mvea.coop • (800) 388-9881 • Stay Connected: Like. Follow. Share. 🌓 in 💟 🛗

Easement signed

The board and its attorney Matt Court worked to create a sign easement for Flying Horse North developer Classic Homes, enabling it to place a sign on district-owned property. See https://ocn.me/ v18n12.htm#dwfpd. At the last meeting, Court realized the sign would be placed where a Mountain View Electric box is currently installed. After board approval, McAllister signed an easement for Mountain View Electric to move the box about 150 feet north of its current location to allow the sign to be

Internet company to use space in Station 2

Assistant Chief Scott Ridings told the board Force Broadband, a locally owned internet provider, approached Wescott to use a portion of the land at Station 2 to set up internet services for the soon-to-be developed land next to the station. After discussions, Wescott decided it would be best for Force Broadband to install its equipment inside the station.

Force Broadband agreed to the indoor installation and to give Station 2 no-cost internet access. Ridings said they are in negotiations with Force to provide internet service to the other stations as well. Avoiding the roughly \$300 per month Wescott would normally pay for internet is a "winwin" for the district and Force, said Ridings.