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# City Council Highlights

FROM JUNE 20, 2022

City Council meetings are held at  
City Hall  
6060 S. Quebec Street, Greenwood Village, CO 80111  
Study Sessions begin at 6:00 pm; Regular Meetings at 7:00 pm

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## STUDY SESSION

*Study Sessions are set aside for Council to have discussions and gather information and study issues more in depth before taking any actions at a Regular Meeting. Residents are invited to hear the discussions in-person or listen online via the [Village's live online audio-stream](#), but are not allowed to participate in Study Session. Recent discussions include:*

### **Annual Comprehensive Financial Report**

The Annual Comprehensive Financial Report was presented to the Council for the 2021 fiscal year. The report was audited by an independent firm of certified public accountants and was submitted to the Office of the State Auditor.

The [2021 Annual Comprehensive Financial Report can be read online](#), along with past years reports.

### **Discussion Regarding the 2023 Proposed Operating and Capital Improvement Program Budget**

Council heard an update on the City's current financial position and four items that were being reviewed in preparation of the 2023 budget:

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## UPCOMING COUNCIL TOPICS

### **3rd Quarter 2022**

- *Second Reading of Ordinance Regulating Home Occupations to Prohibit the Commercial Sales of Firearms*
- *Resolutions Reappointing various Board/Commission members*
- *Arapahoe Entertainment District Mobility Study Update*
- *Ordinance amending the Variance Approval Criteria*
- *2023 Employee Compensation and Benefits*
- *2023-2027 Capital Improvement Program*
- *Amendments to the Local Liquor Regulations*
- *Intergovernmental Agreements for the High Line Canal Trail*
- *Ordinance amending the Code regarding publication of Unclaimed property disposition*
- *Liquor License hearing for Persis Indian Grill*

*These items are tentatively scheduled for future meetings and are subject to change.*

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## Financial Overview

Council reviewed the [Village's Financial position for 2022 year](#) to date to provide reference and context as the City begins to prepare the budget for the 2023 fiscal year.

## Employee Compensation

Council heard a presentation regarding proposed changes to the [City's Employee Compensation Philosophy](#) to develop the 2023 Compensation Plan.

They heard an overview of the current Compensation Plan and the proposed changes. The Village hired an HR professional consultant, Employers Council, to examine the current philosophy and identify potential changes to update and make the City's philosophy more compatible with best practices and the current job market. Council provided consensus for staff to move forward with preparing the 2023 compensation budget based on the proposed compensation philosophy changes.

## City Wide Fiber

The City Council Infrastructure Committee has been [working with a consultant](#), Uptown Services, to complete a feasibility study regarding building a fiber network to each residential property in the Village.

Council discussed the study results and directed staff that to move forward with providing more education to Council and residents about fiber and surveying residents in order to get a better understanding of the community's desire whether to build a fiber network.

In addition, City Council also proposed to include a fiber "ring" in the Capital Improvement Program budget in 2023. The fiber "ring" will serve as a backbone to meet the fiber needs of residents and be used for municipal services.

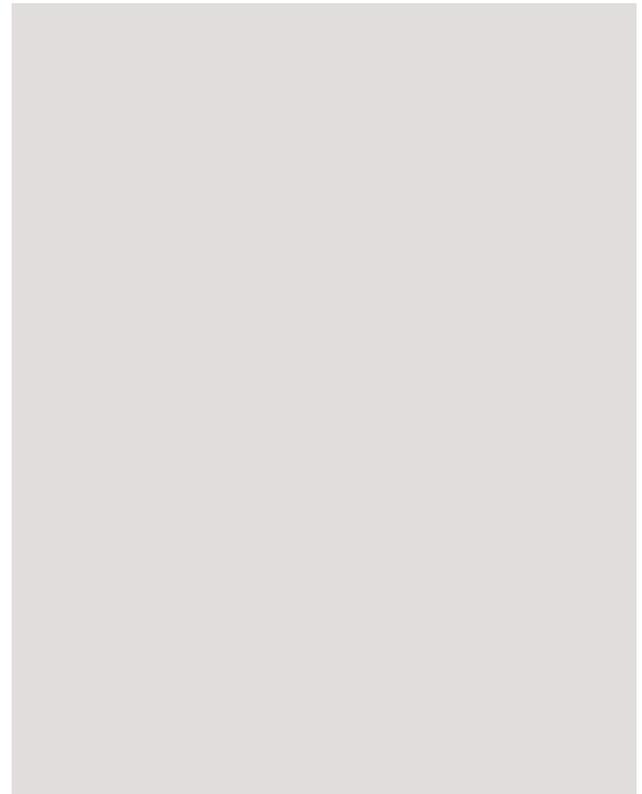
## High Line Canal Maintenance

Council received an [update on the maintenance of the High Line Canal](#). The Village maintains the recreational aspects (trail surface, trail side mowing, trash and dog stations) for the 5-mile length of the High Line Canal trail through a recreational lease agreement which is set to expire in October 2022.

The Village also provides full maintenance of a 2.5 mile section on the western side of the canal including the noxious weeds, channel debris and trees. The Village will start to assume full maintenance responsibility of 2.5 miles of the eastern portion of the canal over a three year period, beginning in 2023.

## City Hall Remodel - Phases 3 and 4

Council heard an [update on the proposed remodel](#) of the remaining portions of City Hall that have not yet been updated. Since construction costs are anticipated to remain flat or increase in the future, it was recommended to finish the remodel in two phases: Phase 3 being budgeted for 2023 and Phase 4 in 2024.



**The next City Council meeting is  
July 11, 2022**

**Study Session: 6:00 pm**

**Regular Meeting: 7:00 pm**

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