

Memorandum

To: Mayor and Council
From: Tom Baker/Debbie Nichols
Date: December 2, 2014
Re: Update: Flat Tops Bridge and Talbott Trail Dedication Ceremonies and Chili Cook-Off

Purpose: The purpose of this item is to give Council an update on the above events.

1. Program for Flat Tops Bridge Dedication
2. Language for the Flat Tops Bridge Plaque
3. Language for Flat Tops Bridge Sign
4. Program for Talbott Trail Dedication
5. Language for Talbott Trail Sign (work in progress with Talbott Family)
6. Program for Chili Cook-Off

Staff will bring the "Proofs" of the signs and plaque. The Programs as included in this packet.

Staff expects to install the plaque and signs in the spring.

Note: Staff is working with the Talbott Family to develop the language for the Talbott Trail Sign. Also, Tom spoke with County Administrator, Andrew Gorgey, regarding the role of the County Commissioners and GCFMLD Board of Directors in these Ceremonies.



The Town of New Castle

The Flat Tops Bridge Dedication

December 6, 2014 at 3:00 pm

Welcome and Introduction by Mayor Bob Gordon

Speakers:

John Martin, Chairman of Garfield County Commission

Mike Samson, Garfield County Commissioner

Greg Russi, Former New Castle Councilor

Frank Breslin, New Castle Councilor

Greg Rippy, President of the Board

Garfield County Federal Mineral Lease District:

Jeff Simonson, SGM, Town of New Castle Engineer

Mark Gould, President, Gould Construction

Ribbon Cutting by Mayor Gordon, Commissioner Martin,

Commissioner Samson and Mr. Rippy

Procession across the Flat Tops Bridge by Glen Woods

The Talbott Trail Dedication at 3:30 pm

Introduction by Mayor Bob Gordon

Speakers:

Tom Jankovsky, Garfield County Commissioner

Mike Samson, Garfield County Commissioner,

Mr. Ross Talbott

Mike Johnson, President, Johnson Construction

Ribbon Cutting by Commissioner Jankovsky, Commissioner Samson

and Mrs. Ramona Talbott

Closing Remarks Mayor Gordon



Join us for the Chili Cook-Off in Barning Mountain Park

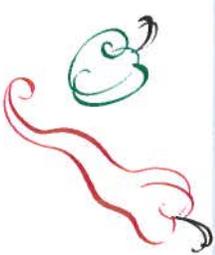
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Chili Cook-Off

December 6, 2014

4:00 to 7 pm



4:00 pm John Noel and Rich Ganson,

Chili and Beer/Wine Garden

5:30 to 6:00 pm Judges rate chilies

6:00 pm Tree Lighting

6:10 pm Judges award Chili contestant prizes

6:30 pm Last call

7:00 pm Closing

Local Non-Profits that will be joining us:



The Cub Scouts will be selling hot chocolate/ smores. The Garden School will have a bake sale and the CRHS Booster Club will be selling hot dogs



Alpine Bank



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Making New Waves will be hosting local craft vendors

Local Sponsors:

Elk Creek Mining Co., Hogback Pizza, Maud's on Main, New Castle

Family Fitness, Solely Skin, Speckled Feather Mercantile

