

# Englewood Citizen

September-October 2013

## Police Impact Team lives up to its name

If you have been to a public event in Englewood, chances are you have seen members of the Impact Team in action, interacting with residents and keeping an eye on things. The team takes a proactive approach to community policing, conducting regular bicycle patrols through Englewood’s parks, the downtown business community, and at large community events.



As part of the Englewood Police Department’s community policing effort, the Police Impact Team conducts bicycle patrols at community events like the annual Sounds of Summer Concerts.

The team focuses primarily on quality of life issues in Englewood. The officers work cooperatively with neighbors and seek out community partnerships to help reduce crime and ease neighborhood concerns. The team also works closely with Englewood Schools.

Over the course of the last year, the Impact Team has worked with residents and businesses on more than 100 cases ranging from solving small neighborhood disputes to cracking down on high crime locations.

The Impact Team also focuses on Englewood’s senior citizen population through its “Seniors & Englewood Police Partnership” program. Impact Team Officers can provide resources and referrals, and occasionally hold educational events at the Malley Senior Recreation Center.

For more information on the Police Impact Team, visit our website at [www.engagewoodgov.org/impact-team](http://www.engagewoodgov.org/impact-team) or call 303-762-2498.

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### Coming in early October: The Election Edition

This special edition of the *Englewood Citizen* will offer information about the 2013 Englewood Municipal Election on November 5. The newsletter will include candidate profiles for City Council and Municipal Judge candidates, information on mail-in ballots, and wording on the ballot questions.

### City of Englewood

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**Jill Wilson**  
City Council Member  
At Large

## Message from City Council

It has been an amazing year for economic growth in Englewood, with several residential, retail, and other projects completed and in the works. City Council and staff have worked diligently to bring these projects to Englewood.

Some of the new residential projects include Kent Place (residential and retail), the Flood Middle School site (new apartment community), and

the former Martin Plastics site (Oxford Station). These and other future redevelopment projects could add approximately 1,700 dwelling units to the City, with an estimated construction value of \$161.0 Million.

Two new King Soopers stores were also constructed in Englewood in the past year, and another new grocery store is in the works. Staff has been working over the past several months with a developer who is bringing a Sprouts Farmers Market and other retail to Broadway and Belleview. New investment in these retail projects will total \$26.0 million.

There are two other significant construction projects taking place in Englewood at present: Craig Hospital and Englewood Schools. Craig Hospital is undertaking a \$90 Million expansion project to provide new and upgraded facilities for its patients. The School District is investing \$57.8 million in its new Englewood Campus and Colorado's Finest Alternative High School.

Total value of investment in the City through these redevelopment projects totals nearly \$335 million.

And there are more projects on the horizon. The Englewood Urban Renewal Authority (EURA) is assessing two development proposals for the vacant property at Englewood Parkway and Broadway. Both proposals are for mixed use, with ground floor commercial uses with residential on upper floors. The EURA is committed to selecting a project that will change the face of this corner of Broadway and act as a catalyst for existing business expansion and further redevelopment in downtown Englewood.

The City of Englewood has also invested in infrastructure improvements and projects over the last several years. Using Great Outdoors Colorado and Arapahoe County Open Space funds, Englewood's Parks and Recreation Department has upgraded equipment at both recreation centers and completed landscaping and equipment upgrades at several Englewood parks. The City has also invested in street resurfacing, traffic signal improvements, concrete utility repairs, and street light replacements.

Englewood has had huge accomplishments this year and is headed in the right direction. This is only possible with an outstanding staff and a City Council that continues to work cohesively and successfully together.

Jill Wilson, City Council At-Large  
*Putting Community First*  
303-761-8680

## Englewood City Council

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Mayor

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District 4

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District 1

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District 2

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**Jill Wilson**

At Large

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Englewood City Council meetings are normally held the first and third Mondays of each month. The meetings are open to the public and interested parties are welcome to attend. If you plan to attend a meeting and you have a disability requiring auxiliary aids or services, please notify the City of Englewood (303-762-2405) at least 48 hours in advance of when services are needed.

# Englewood Clean-up Day

**Saturday, September 7 • 9 am - Noon**

Join other community volunteers to help mow, weed, pick up litter, and paint out graffiti around our community.

If you want to help or loan your lawn tools for the day, or for more information on the event, please contact Police Community Relations Specialist Toni Arnoldy at 303-762-2490 or [tarnoldy@englewoodgov.org](mailto:tarnoldy@englewoodgov.org).



Every fall after it closes for the season and before the pools are drained, Pirates Cove hosts Freedom Service Dogs' "Doggie Plunge." See details on this year's event below.

# Back to school with your Library

## Paws to Read

- Sunday, Sept. 8 • 1:15 - 3:15 pm
- Saturday, Sept. 21 • Noon - 2 pm
- Sunday, Oct. 6 • 1:15 - 3:15 pm
- Saturday, Oct. 19 • Noon - 2 pm

Young readers can practice reading to friendly, well-trained dogs provided by Denver Pet Partners. Call 303-762-2560 to register.

## Other Upcoming Library Programs:

**Tuesday, September 10  
6:30 - 7:30 pm**

*Looking for ways to prepare for college expenses?* Come learn some planning tips from a financial professional no matter the age of your children or grandchildren. Call 303-762-2560 to register for this free event.

**Thursday, October 3 • 6 - 8 pm**

*Want to learn more about the new health care law?* Join a representative from the Colorado Health Benefits Exchange to learn more about what the Affordable Care Act means for you and your family. No registration needed. There will be time for questions after the presentation.

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**Englewood Public Library**  
[englewoodpubliclibrary.org](http://englewoodpubliclibrary.org)  
1000 Englewood Parkway  
303-762-2560

**6TH ANNUAL  
FREEDOM & FESTIVAL  
DOGGIE PLUNGE**

*A benefit for Freedom Service Dogs*

**Saturday, September 7  
10 am - 4 pm**

**Pirates Cove & Belleview Park**  
1225 W. Belleview Avenue

On Saturday, September 7, Pirates Cove will host the annual "Doggie Plunge." Afterwards, there will be plenty of food and games at the Freedom Festival in Belleview Park.

All proceeds benefit Freedom Service Dogs, a charitable organization in Englewood that rescues dogs from shelters and trains them as service dogs.

For more information and to register your dog(s) for the dog plunge, visit [www.freedomservicedogs.org](http://www.freedomservicedogs.org).

# Student Art Contest

**Deadline Reminder:** Entries are due **September 27** for the student art contest to determine the artwork for the 2014 Englewood Calendar.

[www.englewoodgov.org](http://www.englewoodgov.org)

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Betty's Toys<sup>SM</sup> presents

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### Theater in the Park

featuring Sergei Prokofiev's musical play

# Peter & the Wolf

Friday, Sept. 20 • 10 am

CityCenter Englewood Amphitheater  
1000 Englewood Parkway  
(at the base of the light rail bridge, next to the Englewood Civic Center)

Watch a live performance of Peter & the Wolf featuring the Ballet Arts Theater.

Sponsored in part by Englewood Parks & Recreation and the Englewood Public Library.



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The *Englewood Citizen* newsletter is published every other month by the City of Englewood to provide residents and businesses with news and information about the City. If you have questions or comments, please call the City Manager's Office at 303-762-2316. This newsletter is available in alternative format upon request.

**Website:** [www.engagewoodgov.org](http://www.engagewoodgov.org)

**Email:** [info@engagewoodgov.org](mailto:info@engagewoodgov.org)

## KEB schedules Household Hazardous Material Roundup

If you have been storing up your old household chemicals and electronics, now's your chance to get rid of them! Keep Englewood Beautiful (KEB) has scheduled its annual Household Hazardous Material Roundup for two Saturdays in September: September 14 and September 21. The Roundup will be held at the Englewood Service Center, 2800 South Platte River Drive (see details to the right).

The Roundup helps residents safely dispose of some common hazardous household chemicals. Home office equipment and electronics will also be accepted again this year.

Proof of City of Englewood residency is required to participate in the program.

### Accepted Household Hazardous Materials:

\$20 co-payment (Limit 10 gallons per household. Only residential materials will be accepted.)

- Antifreeze
- Automotive/household batteries
- Flammable liquids (gasoline, kerosene, paint thinners)
- Household, lawn, and garden chemicals
- Mercury (liquid, thermometers, relays/switches)
- Motor oil
- Oil-based paint (Latex paint is not accepted)
- Propane Tanks

### Household Hazardous Materials Roundup

Saturday, September 14 & Saturday, September 21

8 am to 2 pm

Englewood Service Center  
2800 S. Platte River Drive

### Accepted Household Electronics:

\$15 co-payment for each computer monitor; \$25 co-payment per television. Other electronic equipment will be accepted at no charge.

- Audio/video equipment
- Cell, portable, and desk phones
- Desktop, laptop, and tablet computers
- Desktop copiers
- Fax machines
- Handheld/portable devices
- printers
- Toner and inkjet cartridges

Keep Englewood Beautiful is a volunteer board that focuses on environmental matters. To learn more about KEB, visit Englewood's website at [www.engagewoodgov.org/keb](http://www.engagewoodgov.org/keb).

# City Council appoints Budget Advisory Committee

City Council recently created a Budget Advisory Committee to encourage more citizen involvement in the City of Englewood's budgeting process. Four citizen members were appointed to the committee and two City Council Members serve on the committee as liaisons.

The committee members will spend the next several months becoming familiar with the municipal government budgeting process, and their work will begin in earnest with the 2015 Budget.

The Budget Advisory Committee will be involved in every step in the budgeting process. The committee will advise City officials on the development,

implementation, and evaluation of the annual budget and will have an opportunity to help prioritize how taxpayers' dollars are spent.

The Budget Advisory Committee meets the third Tuesday of every month at 4:30 pm at the Englewood Civic Center (1000 Englewood Parkway). The meetings are open to the public and the agendas and audio recordings of the meeting are available on our website ([www.Englewoodgov.org](http://www.Englewoodgov.org)).

For more information on the Budget Advisory Committee and other City of Englewood Boards and Commissions, visit our website at [www.Englewoodgov.org/boards-commissions](http://www.Englewoodgov.org/boards-commissions).

## Public Hearing 2014 Budget

**Monday, Sept. 16  
7:30 pm**

**Englewood Civic Center**  
Council Chambers (2<sup>nd</sup> Floor)  
1000 Englewood Parkway

City Council invites citizen input on the City of Englewood's proposed 2014 Budget.

An overview of the proposed 2014 budget will be posted on our website approximately a week before the Public Hearing.

[www.Englewoodgov.org/budget](http://www.Englewoodgov.org/budget)

## New online tax and licensing system launched

Englewood's Finance Department recently launched a new secure system so businesses can apply for business licenses and file their sales and use tax returns online.

The City of Englewood and MUNIREvs have partnered to provide a secure, on-line system that will streamline the process for businesses to apply for business licenses, file tax returns, and submit payments online.

The new system also offers analytic tools to help businesses determine their market share and performance.

All businesses have been notified and offered training on the new system.



*See the entire 2013-2014 Concert Season lineup at [Englewoodarts.org](http://Englewoodarts.org).*

### Chamber Music of the Masters

**Saturday, October 5 • 2 pm**  
**American Medley**, featuring Copland's Appalachian Spring and Gershwin's Rhapsody in Blue

**Saturday, October 19 • 2 pm**  
**Ainomäe Ensemble** performing Brahms' Piano Quintet



**Hampden Hall**  
**at Englewood Civic Center**  
2<sup>nd</sup> floor of the Civic Center, 1000 Englewood Parkway

**Tickets and information at [Englewoodarts.org](http://Englewoodarts.org)**

### Starlight Rhythms

**Friday, October 11 • 7:30 pm**  
**Austin Piazzolla Quintet**  
Jazz, tango, and classical

**Friday, October 18 • 7:30 pm**  
**That Damn Sasquatch**  
Genre-crossing bluegrass, country, blues, cajun/zydeco, and jazz

## Coffee with a Cop

Join officers from the Englewood Police Department for coffee and discussion.

**Thurs., Sept. 26 • 9 - 11 am**

**Starbucks • Floyd & Broadway**

**Weds, Oct. 16 • 8 - 10 am**

**Einstein Bros. Bagels  
697 W. Hampden**

## Free Workshop for first-time homebuyers

**Wednesday, Sept. 11**

**5:30 - 9:30 pm**

**Englewood Civic Center**

2<sup>nd</sup> Fl. Community Room, 1000 Englewood Pkwy.

Register online at the Colorado Housing Assistance Corporation's website ([www.coloradohousingassistance.org](http://www.coloradohousingassistance.org)) or call 303-572-9445, ext. 3 and leave your name and number. For general information on the class, call Englewood's Community Development Department at 303-762-2349.

## Spray Paint Drive

Drop off supplies to help replenish paint and other items used for Graffiti Paint Out events

**Saturday, October 19  
9 am to Noon**

**Police Department Offices at  
3629 S. Fox Street**

### Requested items:

- Full cans of spray paint in black, gray, white, silver, yellow, blue, green, dark red, dark orange, dark green, jade, brown, and primer.
- Bottled drinking water for volunteers
- masks (respirator)
- rubber gloves

Visit [www.engagewoodgov.org](http://www.engagewoodgov.org) or call 3030-762-2490 for more information.



The Littleton/Englewood Wastewater Treatment Plant was recently recognized with a Gold "Excellence in Management Recognition Program" Award from the National Association of Clean Water Agencies. The program recognizes public clean water systems that have implemented and sustained successful programs. Pictured above (center) is Dennis Stowe, Manager of the Littleton/Englewood Wastewater Treatment Plant, along with Julius Ciaccia, Jr. (left) from the Northeast Ohio Regional Sewer District and Ken Kirk (right) from the National Association of Clean Water Agencies.

## New Business Update

As space allows in the *Englewood Citizen*, we like to keep the community informed about new retail and service businesses in Englewood. The City of Englewood welcomes the following new businesses:

### Ali's Closet

#### Consignment Boutique

1610 E. Girard Place, Suite K

303-843-9956

[www.facebook.com/aliscloset](http://www.facebook.com/aliscloset)

Located at Girard and Hampden, Ali's Closet offers the best in "pre-loved" clothing and accessories. Plus, the owner hosts monthly fundraisers (3rd Friday of every month) for local non-profits and on the 1st Tuesday, she invites other local small businesses in to share their talents and skills with customers.

### The Brew on Broadway

3445 S. Broadway • 303-781-5665

[thebrewonbroadway.com](http://thebrewonbroadway.com)

This new craft brewery and coffee house opened earlier this summer. "The BoB" is dedicated to

providing the local neighborhood a place to relax and enjoy a pint or a coffee close to home.

### Bryant Tire

4815 S. Broadway • 303-794-2138

[www.bryanttirecolorado.com](http://www.bryanttirecolorado.com)

In business since 1969 and recently relocated from Littleton Boulevard, Bryant Tire specializes in custom wheels and all brands of tires.

### Eddie's Home Services

4011 S. Broadway • 720-328-6035

[www.eddieshomeservices.com](http://www.eddieshomeservices.com)

Recently relocated to Englewood, Eddie's Home Services offers remodeling and repair services. Visit Eddie's showroom at Nassau and Broadway.

### Have a new business?

If you have opened a new business in Englewood, please let us know and your business could be profiled in the *Englewood Citizen* (as space allows). Email us at [info@engagewoodgov.org](mailto:info@engagewoodgov.org) and make sure to include the business name, address, phone number, website address, and a brief description of your business.

## Save the Date!

for the Arapahoe County Council on Aging's annual

### Senior Resource Day Friday, October 11

9:30 - 11 am Opening Ceremony and Dynamics of Aging program

11 - 2 pm Exhibit Hall Open

#### Buck Community Center

2004 W. Powers Ave. in Littleton

Featuring Englewood Mayor Randy Penn as this year's emcee, as well as a great speaker, exhibitors, entertainment, and free shredding of your confidential documents. Visit [www.accoa.info](http://www.accoa.info) for details on the event.

## October is Domestic Violence Awareness Month

Domestic violence is a pattern of abusive behavior used by the abuser to gain or maintain control over the victim. Domestic violence happens in all races, age groups, sexual orientations, religions, social classes, economic backgrounds, and education levels.

October is the time to bring awareness to domestic violence. It can be prevented and overcome. If you or someone you love is being abused or if you are hurting someone you love, please take advantage of the resources listed below.

National Coalition Against Domestic Violence: 1-800-799-SAFE (7233)

Englewood Victim Assistance: 303-762-2452 or 303-762-2594.

## Englewood Art Exhibit: October 3 - 13

Englewood's Parks and Recreation Department will host its annual Englewood Art Exhibit at the Malley Center from October 3 through 13, 2013. The show is for amateur artists (artist by hobby, not profession). Whether you are an art aficionado, or an artist in the making, you are invited to join us for this annual event.

### Call for Artists

Local artists are invited to participate in the Englewood Art Exhibit. The exhibit is not juried and is for amateur artists 18 years and older from the Denver metro area.

The deadline for entries is Friday, September 27. More information and a downloadable entry form are available on our website ([www.Englewoodgov.org](http://www.Englewoodgov.org)).

### Artists' Reception

Thursday, Oct. 3 • 6 - 8 pm

Malley Center • 3380 S. Lincoln St.

Meet the artists and vote to help choose the People's Choice Award!

### Exhibit Dates

October 3 through 13, 2013

Monday - Thursday: 8 am - 7 pm

Friday: 8 am - 5 pm

Saturday: 9 am - 1 pm

Sunday: 9 am - Noon

#### Malley Recreation Center

3380 S. Lincoln Street

The exhibit and reception are free to attend.

Sponsored in part by ActiveRX.

## KEB schedules annual Leaf & Tire Drop-off

Keep Englewood Beautiful (KEB) has scheduled its annual Leaf and Tire Drop-off that allows residents to recycle their autumn leaves and old tires. This year's drop-off will be held October 27, November 3, and November 10. (See details to the right.)

The Leaf and Tire Drop-off is open to City of Englewood and City of Littleton residents.

The event is for residential recycling only. No materials will be accepted from commercial or service companies. For further information, please contact KEB at 303-762-2345.

### Leaf & Tire Drop-off

**Dates:** Sunday, October 27  
Sunday, November 3  
Sunday, November 10

**Times:** 10 am to 2 pm

**Location:** Mtn. States Wood Recyclers  
2300 W. Radcliff Avenue

**Fees:** \$2 per un-mounted tire  
\$5 per tire on rim  
Additional fees for oversized tires. No tractor/monster tires.

**Details:** Please leave bags open for easy disposal. No charge for leaves. No grass clippings, branches, or other yard waste accepted. Please bring correct change.

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## Upcoming Events

Mon. Sept. 2	<b>HOLIDAY - Labor Day</b> Englewood Civic Center Offices, Library, Malley Center, and Recreation Center closed	
Tues. Sept. 3	<b>Englewood City Council Meeting</b> Englewood Civic Center – 2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor Council Chambers	7:30 pm
Sat. Sept. 7	<b>Englewood Clean Up Day</b> See page 3 or call 303-762-2490 for details.	9 am - Noon
Sat. Sept. 7	<b>Freedom Festival &amp; Doggie Plunge</b> Pirates Cove (See page 3 for details.)	10 am - 4 pm
Sat. Sept. 14	<b>KEB's Household Hazardous Waste Drop-Off</b> Englewood Service Center, 2800 S. Platte River Drive (See page 4)	8 am - 2 pm
Mon. Sept. 16	<b>Englewood City Council Meeting &amp; 2014 Budget Public Hearing</b> Englewood Civic Center – 2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor Council Chambers	7:30 pm
Fri. Sept. 20	<b>Theater in the Park - Peter &amp; the Wolf</b> CityCenter Englewood Amphitheater (See page 4 for details.)	10 am
Sat. Sept. 21	<b>KEB's Household Hazardous Waste Drop-Off</b> Englewood Service Center, 2800 S. Platte River Drive (See page 4)	8 am - 2 pm
Thurs. Oct. 3	<b>Artists' Reception - Englewood Art Exhibit</b> Malley Center (See page 7 for details.)	6 - 8 pm
Mon. Oct. 7	<b>Englewood City Council Meeting</b> Englewood Civic Center – 2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor Council Chambers	7:30 pm
Mon. Oct. 21	<b>Englewood City Council Meeting</b> Englewood Civic Center – 2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor Council Chambers	7:30 pm
Sat. Oct. 26	<b>Halloween Carnival</b> Englewood Recreation Center, 1155 W. Oxford Ave.	5 - 8:30 pm
Sun. Oct. 27	<b>KEB's Leaf &amp; Tire Drop-Off</b> Mountain States Wood Recycling, 2300 W. Radcliff Ave. (See page 7)	10 am - 2 pm
Sat. Nov. 2	<b>Malley Holiday Bazaar</b> Malley Recreation Center, 3380 S. Lincoln Street	9 am - 4 pm
Sun. Nov. 3	<b>KEB's Leaf &amp; Tire Drop-Off</b> Mountain States Wood Recycling, 2300 W. Radcliff Ave. (See page 7)	10 am - 2 pm
Mon. Nov. 4	<b>Englewood City Council Meeting</b> Englewood Civic Center – 2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor Council Chambers	7:30 pm
Tues. Nov. 5	<b>Election Day</b>	

Due to space constraints, we don't have room to list all meetings or events. Please check the Calendar of Events on [www.engagewoodgov.org](http://www.engagewoodgov.org) for a complete listing.

## Halloween Carnival

**Saturday, October 26**  
**5 to 8:30 pm**

**Englewood Recreation Center**  
 1155 W. Oxford Avenue

**A safe and fun party for all ages! Game tickets 25¢ each.**



[www.engagewoodgov.org](http://www.engagewoodgov.org)

## Mark your Calendars for the Annual Holiday Bazaar!

**Saturday, November 2**  
**9 am to 4 pm**

**Malley Center • 3380 S. Lincoln**

Artisan registration starts Sept. 17 for Englewood residents! See your Fall Activities Guide or call the Malley Center (303-762-2660) for details.