

Town Council News

On, March 17, 1998 the Springer Town Council was called to order by Mayor Danny Cruz.

Roll call showed all four Trustees as present as well as town Staff members, Danny Turley, Kristen Araiza, Nejla Munden, and Laura Danielson. Visitors present were Jack Jay, George Mutz, Harold Daniels, Tom Lopez, Rusty from TCI Cablevision, Ophelio Padilla, Ollie Smith and H.A. Williams.

The Council then:

◆ Tabled Resolution # 98-17 -- Land Fill Closure.

◆ Approved advertisement for bids - Landfill.

◆ Tabled a request by Ollie Smith.

◆ Approved a Fire Hydrant requested by Mary McCarty for 98-99 Budget.

◆ Tabled a pay request for Gannett-Fleming -- Water Master Plan.

◆ Approved TCI Cable increase of \$1.30 a month.

◆ Tabled Administrative Charges for the Housing Authority.

◆ Discussed the use of \$5000 balance left in Museum Project - it was recommended that insulation or ADA improvements in the bathroom be done. Approved that bids go out to local contractors.

◆ Approved 1998 NM Finance Authority Funding application for \$150,000.

◆ Approved the sale of the drug dog for \$750.

◆ Approved Resolution # 98-18 Filing of Injunction to open Highway 21-199 to the White Peaks area to the public.

◆ Tabled appointment of Trustee liaisons.

The Council then retired to executive session. Upon returning the Council accepted the resignations of Chief Ed Martin, Officer Garret Chapman and Animal

Control Officer Scott Drum. They also recommended the temporary employment of Anthony Baca and Eric Gonzales as police officers. Salary increases were also approved by the Council.

The appeal costs for the Mayor and the Trustees were terminated effective March 17, 1998

The next regularly scheduled meeting of the Springer Town Council will be on April 7, 1998 at 7PM in Council Chambers.

Wake Up Call to Personal Activation
 contributed by Pat Wilson

Whenever I hear myself saying, "Someone should..." I stop and remember that I AM "Someone" and then I do something about it.

If everyone would take personal responsibility instead of talking about what someone else should do, we would have a much stronger and more satisfying community.

(This is an excerpt from a recent "Dear Abby" letter.)



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--Public Service Announcement--

The Solano Homemaker's Club is hosting a Bazaar on April 4, 1998 at the Harding County Community Building in Roy, NM.

The Bazaar will be open from 9AM to 1PM. There will be baked goods, handmade crafts, rummage and other products. This is a good time to get gifts for Graduation. There will also be morning workshops on various crafts.

Spaces are available for rent at \$10 for an 8 foot table, \$7.50 for a 6 foot table, and \$5.00 for a 4 foot table.

For reservations or information, call 673-2341



SCCASHD announces the upcoming retirement of Mrs. Eleanor Romero. She has been with Colfax General for over 29 years where she is now Dietary Supervisor. She plans on retiring the 1st of April. There will be a celebration in her honor on Sunday March 29, 1998 from 2:00 to 4:00 pm in the dining area at Colfax General. We would like to extend an invitation to the public to come and join us in this celebration. Eleanor plans to relax and enjoy her time off in the beginning, then later do some traveling. We at Colfax General extend our best wishes to Eleanor. She and her great cooking will be greatly missed.
 CONGRATULATIONS !!!

Candido Herrera, Jr. Honored

Candido Herrera, Jr., Rural Carrier at Springer, NM and Maxwell, NM celebrated 50 years of Federal Service on March 12, 1998. The Albuquerque District Office presented him with a 50 year diamond pin at the Springer Post Office on March 13, 1998.

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