

# Parks and Recreation Update:



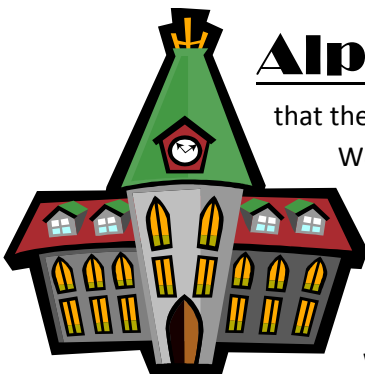
There has been some interest expressed by citizens in Alpine for the possibility of a skate park. The Parks and Recreation Group would like to know how much interest there is for a skate park facility in Alpine. There will be an informal public meeting on 12-7-09 at 7:00 p.m. at the Alpine Town Hall where folks young and, well a little older, can come and express their views, ask questions and offer their support. There are many things to consider in a skate park facility and we need your input. If there is sufficient interest, the Town Council can be approached on December 15 about applying for grant money.

The Town of Alpine will be receiving some grant money for the planning and design of a walking / bike path along Grey's River Road. Residences have already volunteered to help survey and design the project. There will be some public meetings in January to further discuss this project. Please keep an eye open for these as Public input is welcome!



The committee is also discussing what can be done next spring and summer to develop programs for the youth at our ball field. If you have an interest in helping out our youth for any recreational program let us know.

**If you have questions or ideas about the skate park, pathway, youth programs, or other parks & recreation subjects please contact the Town Hall.**



## Alpine Civic Center Update: It is estimated

that the building will be completed around the first or second week of January, 2010.

We have had many good comments about the building and how it looks.

Excitement is growing to have it finished. The design of building will allow the Town to offer more functions for the people of Alpine and the surrounding area. Stay tuned for more details on the opening of the Civic Center. The dinner for the Sled Dog Race contestants is already planned for the civic center. We are all excited to start using the facility.

By way of information, the police department will move their office to the back end of the civic center, where the maintenance shop used to be. There will be two new offices up front, on the north end of the building. Money to pay for the entire building project was obtained from the State of Wyoming in two different grants.



## **Child Development Center:**

This project should wrap up towards the end of January. This building and ground is owned by the Town and it will be leased out to the Lincoln - Uinta Child Development Association. This will be great to have these services offered right here in Alpine. Watch for more details on the opening of this building. Money to build the “CDC”

building was obtained from the Wyoming Business Council and some from the Lincoln - Uinta Child Development Association, which will pay for the entire project.

## **Maintenance Shop:** The Town of Alpine just recently

completed the building of a new maintenance shop. This shop is located at 287 Buffalo Drive down by the new Waste Water Treatment Plant. This building is a three bay shop and will house maintenance vehicles and parts for the maintenance department. The money for this project was obtained from the State of Wyoming through a consensus block grant, which paid for the entire project.



## **Sewer Collection System Phase 2:**

For residents living in the areas of Forest Meadows, Grey’s River Village #1, Three Rivers Meadows and along Lodge Lane, the Town of Alpine is working on getting sewer connection lines to your homes. By now people living in these areas should have received a letter concerning the sewer connection lines in their area and what to expect in the near future. On 11-23-09, bids were opened for Phase 2 of the sewer connection project. There were some good bids submitted and the State of Wyoming and town officials will be reviewing these bids. It is anticipated that the town council will award the bid sometime in December. Work is expected to start next spring and be completed by fall of 2010. The Town of Alpine has received \$400,000.00 from the State of Wyoming as a grant for this project.

## **Emergency Message Sign:** The Police

Department has obtained an Emergency Message Sign. The purpose of the sign is to update citizens on meetings, road closures, emergencies, water shut offs for maintenance and much more. The sign was funded by the Homeland Security Grant money.

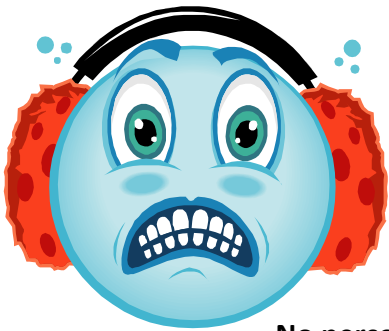




**Website:** The Town has updated the website. Please log on to [www.alpinewyoming.org](http://www.alpinewyoming.org) to take a look. The website will have new information added to it during the next couple of months. We want to have more information on the website for the town residents and anyone who wants to find out more about the Town of Alpine. We will have different links to other agencies and will have more information about the town and services offered. We hope the people can use the website to ask questions, give comments and be an active part in the town government.

## **1 Open Planning & Zoning Seat for a Resident within the surrounding Alpine Area:**

The Planning & Zoning Commission meets the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesdays of every month. The Commission seat is for a term of 3 years starting immediately. If you are interested or know someone who is interested please submit a letter of interest to the Town Office.



## **Snow Reminder:**

The snow season is upon us. There are a few things the Town would like to remind its residents about: **No person shall park any vehicle or trailer on any public street, alley or Town of Alpine easement.**

**No person shall sweep, plow, push, shovel, blow snow, etc upon any public sidewalk, street, alley, right of way, or upon private property without written permission of the owners. Snow removed from driveways, walkways and parkways shall not be placed onto or upon the streets alleys, sidewalks, and/or property right-of-ways of the Town of Alpine or Lincoln County. We all need to respect the plow drivers. If you plow across the road it will freeze and may damage the equipment causing repairs and lack of plowing. It is advised that residents leave taps running to avoid freezing of pipes. Due to the road conditions on the hill no trailers are allowed during the winter months. We are all using our chimneys more during these cold months. Regular cleanings reduce the risk of chimney fires. Also during the holidays be mindful of your Christmas trees next to flammable items.**



