

# **Colorado Scenic and Historic Byways**

# **Commission and Annual Meeting**

## **February 2022 Meeting Agenda**

Time: Wednesday, February 2, 2022, 9:30 am - 12:00 am

Location: Zoom

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### **Agenda**

• Approve <u>November 2021 Commission Minutes</u>

5 minutes

- Nathan Boyless
- Welcome New and Reappointed Commission and EC Members 10 minutes
  - o Commission Meetings & Minutes
  - Executive Committee slate of new officers
    - Co-Chair Heidi Pankow
    - Vice Chair Chris Bowles
    - Secretary Kelli Helpler
- Update from the Byways

15 minutes

- Byways commission members bring your updates!
- Colorado Parks and Wildlife Update (Debbie Lininger)

10 minutes

- 1.CPW is celebrating our 125th Anniversary in 2022 and holding celebrations in each of our four regions. If you plan to attend, RSVP.
  - Northeast- Thursday, April 7th- 530pm-830pm- Ironton Distillery & Crafthouse
  - Southeast- Friday, May 20th- 530pm-730pm- Pueblo Convention Center
  - Northwest- Thursday, June 23rd -TBA
  - Southwest- Friday, August 19th-TBA
  - RSVP Link (Spreadsheet TAB for each location) Reception RSVP

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- 2. Senate Bill 21-249 created a lower-cost annual state park pass that will be available through the vehicle registration renewal process starting in 2023. Development to add the pass to the Division of MotorVehicle (DMV) Drives database system is underway, and marketing this new opportunity will begin no later than July 1, 2022.
- Other Updates

30 minutes

- National Scenic Byway Foundation (Kelli)
- Restart Industry Associations Program (Andrew)
- Colorado Tourism Office (Andrew)
- Roadside Markers Project: Letter of Intent (LOI) GOCO Planning (Chris)
  - Resolution for the Commission to formally partner with History Colorado
- Move May 4 Meeting (May 11?) due to Heartland Byways Conference (Lenore)
- Open Floor 15 minutes

### **2022 Byways Commission Meetings to Save the Date:**

- Wednesday, February 2, 9:30 am 12:00 pm
- Wednesday, May 4, 9:30 am 12:00 pm proposed May 11 instead
- Wednesday, August 3, 9:30 am 12:00 pm
- Wednesday, November 2, 9:30 am 12:00 pm

#### Commission:

- Chad Schneckenburger, USDA Forest Service
- Cheryl Glanz, Eastern Byways
- Christine Costello, Colorado Creative Industries
- Debbie Lininger, representing the Department of Natural Resources
- Heidi Pankow, Western Byways
- Ilana Moir, Conservation/Open Space Rep
- Kelli Hepler, Member at Large
- Mark Garcia, Transportation Commission
- Rep. Matt Soper, State Legislature
- Nathan Boyless, representing History Colorado
- Timothy Finger, BLM Representative

# Ex-Officio Members (designated through Dept. Executive Directors, 2 listed on Executive Order & 2 more listed on Bylaws):

- Rebecca White, representing the Department of Transportation
- Andrew Grossmann, Colorado Tourism Office
- Traci Stoffel, representing the Department of Local Affairs
- Chris Bowles, representing History Colorado

### **Program Staff:**

• Lenore Bates, Colorado Scenic and Historic Byways Program Manager

### **Program Vision:**

Guiding travelers to experience and be inspired by treasured places that comprise Colorado's Scenic and Historic Byways. (Commission Approved 5/14/13)

### **Program Definition:**

The Colorado Scenic and Historic Byways program is a statewide partnership intended to provide recreational, educational, and economic benefits to Coloradans and visitors by designating, interpreting, protecting, and promoting a system of outstanding touring routes in Colorado.

### **Commission Mission:**

The Commission is a partnership to evaluate and designate the state's Scenic and Historic Byways and to develop and recommend funding sources and provide administrative support to sustain the byways for future generations. (Commission Approved 12/7/12)

## **Commission Bylaws:**

https://www.codot.gov/travel/scenic-byways/bywayscommission

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