



Colorado Scenic and Historic Byways Commission

January 2018 Meeting Agenda

Time: Thursday, January 25, 2018, 10 am – 12 pm

Location: Big Horn Room at Colorado Parks and Wildlife (CPW), 6060 Broadway, Denver

Call-in Option (RSVP required): 1-712-432-0220 (passcode 7579786#)

Agenda

1. Approve October Commission Minutes 5 minutes
 - Amanda Barker
2. Update/next steps on State Historical Fund grant proposal on byways websites 5 minutes
 - Jill Corbin
3. Alpine Loop Byway Presentation 30 minutes
 - Heidi Pankow, Alpine Loop Byway representative, Ouray Chamber Resort Association
4. Updates on annual meeting, byways survey, and byways outreach 20 minutes
 - Byways commission members
5. Update from byways funding and structure working committee 30 minutes
 - Amanda Hill and Andy Hill
6. 2018 elections and location of 2018 meetings 15 minutes
 - Charlotte Bumgarner
7. Commission open floor for shared updates 15 minutes
 - 2017 Facebook accomplishments, Amanda Barker
 - DIA photo display moving forward, Charlotte Bumgarner
 - Colorado Energy Office is planning to release an RFA in the spring that could include EV charging stations on byways, Deb Perkins-Smith
 - *Added 1/21/18 from Lenore's email 1/17/18: update on their grants and due dates*

2018 Byways Commission Meetings

April 19 10:00 am – 12:00 pm location TBD

July 19 10:00 am – 12:00 pm location TBD

October 18 10:00 am – 12:00 pm location TBD

Conferences and Events

Saving Places Conference

- January 31 – February 3, Presented by Colorado Preservation, Inc., Colorado Convention Center, Denver, [registration here](#)
- Byways Presentation: Putting the Historic in the Colorado Scenic and Historic Byways, January 31, 1:30-2:45 p.m, Colorado Convention Center
- Byways Networking event, January 31, 4 - 5:30 p.m. – Hyatt Regency Denver at Colorado Convention Center, Peaks Lounge 27th Floor

Conferences and Events (continued)

Preserving the Historic Road (PTHR) Conference

- September 20 – 22 in Fort Collins
- Proposals for papers and abstracts due February 28. Access the RFP at historicroads.org
- Sponsorships are available. Talk with Lenore at lenore.bates@state.co.us

Scenic Byways Annual Meeting

- Save the date for Governor's Tourism Conference: October 29-31 in Vail

Commission:

Chair – Amanda Hill, Member at Large (Great Outdoors Colorado)

Vice-Chair – Charlotte Bumgarner, Eastern Byways

Secretary – Amanda Barker, Conservation/Open Space Rep

Nathan Boyless, History Colorado

Jill Corbin, Colorado Tourism Office

Daniel Cressy, USDA Forest Service

Kathy Hall, Transportation Commission

Rep. Barbara McLachlan, State Legislature

Jack Placchi, BLM Representative

Roger Wilson, Western Byways

Vacant, Colorado Creative Industries

EX-OFFICIO Members (designated through Dept. Executive Directors):

*Andy Hill, representing the Department of Local Affairs

*Cynthia Nieb, representing History Colorado

*Debra Perkins-Smith, representing the Department of Transportation

*Gary Thorson, representing the Department of Natural Resources

Colorado Dept. of Transportation:

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>