



MANAGER UPDATE

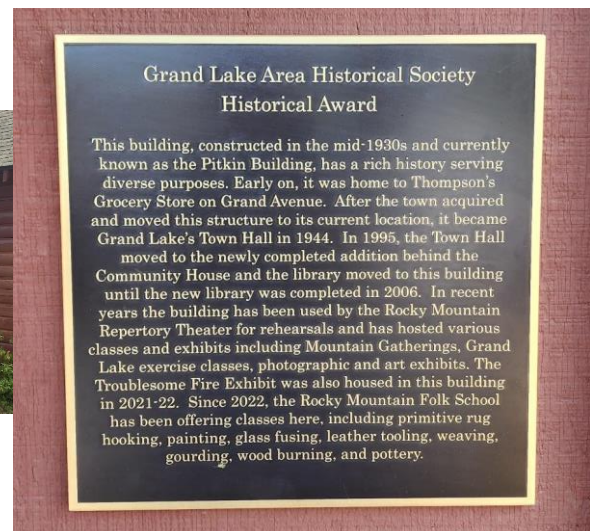
Meeting Date 08/11/2025

To: Town of Grand Lake Board of Trustees

From: Steve Kudron, Town Manager

Pitkin House Historic Building Award

At the July Happenings at the House, the Town was Honored to receive an historic places designation for the Pitkin House. The Grand Lake Area Historical Society presents this award annually to buildings that have grown through the years keeping their historic authenticity.



Town Clerk receives International Clerk Certification

Alayna Carrell has been recognized by the International Institute of Municipal Clerks as a Certified Municipal Clerk. Fewer than 50% of clerks in Colorado ever receive this distinguished certification. Alayana says that she is honored to receive the recognition, but that her Master's degree in the Municipal Clerk study is her long term goal. Congratulations Alayna!

Willow Planting in Rocky Mountain National Park

Ready to roll up your sleeves? Join the Kawuneeche Valley Restoration Collaborative (KVRC) and the Rocky Mountain National Park Vegetation Program for a day of ecosystem restoration in Rocky Mountain National Park! We'll plant up to 500+ willow and alder saplings in wet meadow habitats to restore vital vegetation that supports beaver habitat and improves the Kawuneeche Valley's natural systems.

Join us for one (or both!) of our volunteer days this September:

- **Tuesday, Sept. 16**
 - 8 a.m. to 3 p.m.
 - Timber Lake Trailhead | Timber Lake Trailhead Grand Lake, CO 80447
 - [RSVP and more information here](#)
- **Monday, Sept. 22**
 - 8 a.m. to 3 p.m.
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The Town of Grand Lake] is proud to be part of KVRC, a group of organizations that share the common goal of promoting a healthy and resilient Kawuneeche Valley to benefit ecological, recreational, and economic interests. To learn more about KVRC and our work, visit kvcollab.org. A flyer about the event is attached

Grand Lake Transit Application

The Town will be meeting with members of the Lift in Winter Park to discuss the expansion of bus service to Grand Lake. The purpose of this meeting is to develop strategies for funding using SB 230 and 1A funding as well as the application for federal transit funding. With the addition of Mountain Rail to Winter Park and Granby, this is a good opportunity to take the line through Grand Lake to the Kawuneechee Visitor Center as the Terminus. More details will follow as well as the funding required by the Town for this service.



Upcoming Event Highlights:

8/12/25 – Happening at the House – Reed James is the special guest
8/13 & 8/20, 2025 – Summer Concert Series in Town Square Park
8/17/25 – Buffalo Days
8/17/25 – Community Picnic at the Cottage Court
8/23/25 – Corvette Show

For all the great events happening in Grand Lake as well as Rocky Mountain Folk School classes, check out the July newsletter on the Town's website.

Next Board Meeting: August 25, 2025