



April has come and gone, and even though we are all adhering to the Stay-at-Home Order, Town staff and the Board of Trustees have still been able to conduct business (at an appropriate social distance, of course!), and we want reiterate our #1 priority of protecting the health and safety of our residents and employees.

At the beginning of April, we held a municipal election. I would like to thank the residents for their continued support, and welcome the newly elected trustees to the Board. On April 22nd, I took an oath to serve the residents for another term as Mayor. I am honored to continue to serve this community. We also swore in Trustee Doug Sharp for another term, and newly elected Trustees David Whelan and Sean Doherty. Congratulations, and I look forward to working with you. I would also like to recognize departing Board members, Trustee Drew Peterson and Trustee George Heath. Thank you both for your countless hours serving this Town.

At one of our last meetings before the swearing in ceremony, the Board of Trustees announced that the bridge on McClure Avenue that connects to Colorado Boulevard, will be name the Heath Bridge. The naming of the bridge is to honor the service and commitment to the community that Trustee George Heath and his wife Betty have made. Since moving to Firestone, George and Betty have provided unwavering support to Firestone and the Carbon Valley area.

In April, I asked for nominations for the Mayor's Award, to recognize a group or individual who is going above and beyond and making a positive impact on our citizens during this time.

Meals on Wheels was nominated for their volunteer's commitment to the people who need their services, especially during this time. They have been providing hot meals and other food items 5 days a week to Home Bound people of all ages and have also been adding more clients and expanding their delivery service area during this time of need. Their effort and commitment do not go unnoticed. Once we are able to have everyone at a public meeting, they will be invited to be officially recognized and thanked by the Board of Trustees.

Thank you to everyone who continues to help their neighbors and the Firestone community. If you would like to nominate anyone for the Mayor's Award, please email me their names and tell me about the good work they are carrying out.

Thank you for your continued support. It is an honor to be your Mayor.

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