

ALAMOSA CITY COUNCIL

Regular Meeting Minutes

Council Chambers
300 Hunt Avenue, Alamosa, CO
September 18, 2024

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I. CALL TO ORDER AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The Regular Meeting of the Alamosa City Council was called to order on the above date by Mayor Pro Tem Liz Hensley at 7:00 p.m. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

II. ROLL CALL

Present at roll call: Mayor Pro Tem Liz Hensley, Councilors Jan Vigil, Jamie Dominguez, Jackie Vigil, and Michael Carson. Mayor Ty Coleman was present via Zoom Webinar. Councilor Dawn Krebs previously requested to be absent and her absence is considered an unexcused absence. Also present: City Manager Heather Sanchez, City Attorney Erich Schwiesow, and City Clerk Holly Martinez.

III. AGENDA APPROVAL

Councilor Jan Vigil moved, seconded by Councilor Carson to approve the agenda as presented. The motion carried unanimously.

IV. CITIZEN COMMENT

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A. Audience Comments

Judy McNeilsmith spoke on behalf of La Puente, speaking in support of the City to move forward with the soup kitchen and low barrier shelter.

Paloma Maestas spoke in support of the vendor ordinance as she is the owner of Frosty Acres Rolled Ice Cream and to not have just two brick and mortar businesses holding it back.

Manny Feliu spoke in regards to a proposed amendment for 11-53.

Amanda Pearson spoke in regards to concerns about moving the soup kitchen from its current location and what La Puente's focus is and what this opportunity would really mean.

Cristina Bolt spoke in support of the city putting electricity being put back out at St. Benedicts and is in support of a year round low barrier shelter over a low barrier shelter as they have concerns that happen 365 days a year.

Lance Cheslock spoke in regards to the dynamics of the individuals staying at La Puente and those who are hardest to serve and feels this is an opportunity to move forward to serve that population.

B. Follow-Up

None.

V. CEREMONIAL ITEMS

A. Proclamation: POW/MIA Recognition Day

Councilor Dominguez read the proclamation and Council presented it to Mount Blanca VFW Post 899 and Auxiliary representatives, Nadia Flores, William Flores, and Rowena Martinez.

VI. CONSENT CALENDAR A

The Consent Calendar allows multiple actions with one motion. Consent Calendar A contains routine items which have been recommended for action by staff or advisory boards. Council may remove a consent calendar item for separate consideration.

Councilor Jan Vigil moved, seconded by Councilor Jackie Vigil, to approve Consent Calendar A. The motion carried unanimously.

C.7.a. Approve Minutes of Meeting September 4, 2024

C.8.a. Receive August 2024 Monthly Reports

VII. REGULAR BUSINESS

A. Presentations from Outside Agencies

1. LEAD & Co-Responder Update

Heather Sanchez and Clarissa Woodworth provided an update on the LEAD and Co-Responder programs. New employees were also introduced to Council.

B. Board/Commission Business

1. Annual Update from Main Street Advisory Committee

Matt Abbey provided the annual update on the Main Street Advisory Committee to Council.

C. Business Brought Forward by City Staff

1. Development Services

- a. First Reading and Introduction, Ordinance No. 21-2024, an Ordinance amending the Unified Development Code to change the definitions of temporary signs; to modify the classification of real estate offices; and to add a table note requiring first floor businesses facing Main Street in the Central Business District to be open a minimum number of hours per month

Development Services Specialist Deacon Aspinwall provided information on this ordinance to Council.

Councilor Carson moved, seconded by Councilor Jan Vigil, to approve Ordinance No. 21-2024, on first reading and set for a public hearing on Wednesday, October 2, 2024 at 7:00 p.m. or as soon thereafter as the matter may be heard. The motion carried unanimously.

- b. First Reading and Introduction, Ordinance No. 22-2024, an Ordinance Establishing a Vacant Building Registration Requirement in The Central Business District, Setting Forth Maintenance Requirements and Penalties Therewith

Mr. Aspinwall provided information on this ordinance to Council.

Councilor Carson moved, seconded by Councilor Jan Vigil, to approve Ordinance No. 22-2024, on first reading and set for a public hearing on Wednesday, October 2, 2024 at 7:00 p.m. or as soon thereafter as the matter may be heard. The motion carried unanimously.

- c. First Reading and Introduction, Ordinance No. 23-2024 an Ordinance Amending Mobile Food Vending Regulations

Mr. Aspinwall provided information on this ordinance to Council.

Councilor Jan Vigil moved, seconded by Councilor Carson, to approve Ordinance No. 23-2024, on first reading and set for a public hearing on Wednesday, October 2, 2024 at 7:00 p.m. or as soon thereafter as the matter may be heard. The motion carried unanimously.

- d. Quarterly Update on Housing and Downtown Plans

Development Services Director Rachel James provided the quarterly update on Housing and Downtown plans to Council.

2. Police

- a. Public Hearing and Second Reading, Ordinance No. 19-2024, an ordinance amending sections 11-49; 11-53; and 11-99 of the *Code of Ordinances of the City of Alamosa* to prohibit sitting and lying down on public right of way; to amend details of the trespassing ordinance; and to remove the requirement that shelter or campground space be available before citing

someone for unauthorized camping on public property

Counselor Schwiesow reviewed this ordinance with Council.

Mayor Pro Tem Hensley opened the public hearing at 8:17 p.m. and asked for those wishing to speak on this ordinance.

Manny Feliu spoke in regards to proposed amendments he'd like Council to consider for this ordinance.

Oona King spoke stating her opinion of how she does not feel Durango is welcoming to the homeless community and is not support of this ordinance.

Caroline Burkhardt spoke in opposition to the ordinance and how it should not be modeled after other cities.

There being no one else wishing to speak, the hearing closed at 8:24 p.m.

Councilor Carson moved, seconded by Councilor Dominguez, to finally adopt Ordinance No. 19-2024. The motion carried 5 to 1 with Councilor Jan Vigil casting the no vote.

3. City Manager/Legal

- a. Motion directing staff on whether to move forward with the design of the soup kitchen/low-barrier shelter (formally a low-barrier, cold weather shelter).

Ms. Sanchez provided information to Council. La Puente also provided additional information.
Council further discussed this topic.

Council could not come to an agreement to provide staff with direction and asked for a work session to be held. The earliest work session date available is on October 23rd. Staff will send out calendar invites for that work session.

- b. Motion directing staff whether to return electrical services to St. Benedict.

Ms. Sanchez provided background information on this topic to Council. Council further discussed this item.

Councilor Jan Vigil moved, seconded by Councilor Dominguez to return electrical service at St. Benedicts for just the city's Wi-fi and security cameras. The motion carried unanimously.

D. Committee Reports

Councilor Jackie Vigil reported on the LEAD Policy Committee meeting she attended.

Mayor Pro Tem Hensley reported on the Tree Board, Marketing Board, and Main Street Advisory Committee board meetings she attended.

E. Staff Announcements

Ms. Sanchez commented in regards to the ArtsFest. She also reminded everyone about the Public Budget meeting that will be held next week, Thursday, September 26, 2024 at 6:00 p.m. here at City Hall.

COUNCIL COMMENT

None.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 9:50 p.m.

Holly C. Martinez, City Clerk

Ty Coleman, Mayor

Subject/Title:
Proclamation: POW/MIA Recognition Day

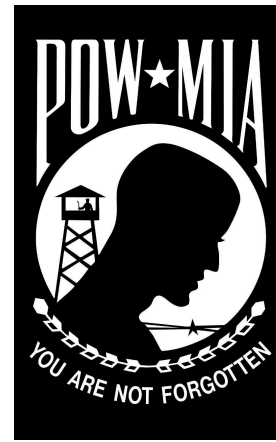
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Description	Type
POW/MIA Recognition Day	Proclamations



Proclamation

POW/MIA RECOGNITION DAY



WHEREAS, the United States National POW/MIA Recognition Day is observed across the Nation on the third Friday of September each year; and

WHEREAS, it shall be recognized that the third Friday and date for this year is 20 September 2024, a day for Americans to honor the admirable bravery and immeasurable sacrifices of prisoners of war (POW) and those who are missing in action (MIA), as well as to honor the loved ones and families waiting for those unaccounted for to come home; and

WHEREAS, Mount Blanca Post 899 and Auxiliary, of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, recognizes that more than 81,000 American Service Personnel are still missing in action; and

WHEREAS, the missing from each conflict as of 1973 are as follows: World War II Missing, 73, 678, Accounted for 1,648, Unaccounted for 72,030; Korean War Missing 8,157, Accounted for 699, Unaccounted for 1,574; Cold War Missing 128, Accounted for 12, Unaccounted for 126; Gulf War and Libya Operations Missing 6, Accounted for 0, Unaccounted for 6; and

WHEREAS, these service men and women are assumed dead, but are still accounted for with one service member being unaccounted for from Alamosa; and

WHEREAS, Mount Blanca Post 899 and Auxiliary, of the Veterans of Foreign Wars shall observe the 20th of September 2024 to pause to remember, reflect on, and honor the sacrifices and service of those who were Prisoners of Wars (POW) as well as those still Missing in Action (MIA).

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Liz Hensley, Mayor Pro Tem of the City of Alamosa, and on behalf of the entire City Council, do hereby proclaim September 20, 2024, as

POW/MIA Recognition Day

in Alamosa, and encourage all citizens to join me in pausing to reflect on the sacrifices made by these service members, and pay tribute to all American POWs and those missing in action, who served our country with great honor and courage.

Given under my hand and seal of the City of Alamosa, Colorado on this 18th day of September, 2024.

Liz Hensley, Mayor Pro Tem

Subject/Title:

Approve Minutes of Meeting September 4, 2024

ATTACHMENTS:

Description

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Type

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II. ROLL CALL

Present at roll call: Mayor Ty Coleman, Councilors Jan Vigil, Jackie Vigil, Liz Hensley, Dawn Krebs, and Jamie Dominguez. Councilor Michael Carson previously requested to be excused. Also present: Acting City Manager Rachel James, City Attorney Erich Schwiesow, and City Clerk Holly Martinez.

III. AGENDA APPROVAL

Councilor Jan Vigil moved, seconded by Councilor Hensley, to approve the agenda as presented and to excuse Councilor Carson from the meeting. The motion carried unanimously.

IV. CITIZEN COMMENT

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A. Audience Comments

Jermey Garner spoke in regards to his concerns of his human rights being violated.

B. Follow-Up

None.

V. CEREMONIAL ITEMS

A. Proclamation: Suicide Prevention Awareness Month

Councilor Hensley read the proclamation that was requested by SLV Behavioral Health Group, of which the representatives were unable to attend tonight.

VI. CONSENT CALENDAR A

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Councilor Jan Vigil moved, seconded by Councilor Dominguez, to approve Consent Calendar A. The motion carried unanimously.

C.7.a. Approve Minutes of Meeting August 21, 2024

C.8.a. Motion authorizing the Mayor and City Staff to sign FAA grant documents for the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law (BIL) - Airport Infrastructure Grant for the Alamosa Airport.

C.8.b. Motion authorizing the Mayor and City Staff to sign FAA grant documents for the Federal Aviation Administration Airport Improvement Program for the construction of aircraft rescue and fire fighting building at the Alamosa Airport.

C.8.c. Motion authorizing the Mayor and City Staff to sign FAA grant documents for the Federal Aviation Administration Airport Improvement Program for the installation of airport rotating beacon, install runway 2/20 visual guidance system for the Alamosa Airport.

VII. REGULAR BUSINESS

B. Business Brought Forward by City Staff

1. Police

- a. Second Reading and Public Hearing, Ordinance No. 20-2024, an ordinance approving an intergovernmental agreement with numerous entities statewide to participate in the statewide Colorado Information Sharing Consortium ("CISC")

Captain Samuel Maestas reviewed this ordinance with Council.

Mayor Coleman opened the public hearing at 7:11 p.m. and asked for those wishing to speak on this ordinance.

There being no one wishing to speak, the hearing closed at 7:12 p.m.

Councilor Jan Vigil moved, seconded by Councilor Hensley, to finally adopt Ordinance No. 20-2024. The motion carried unanimously.

2. City Clerk/Municipal Court

- a. Second Reading and Public Hearing, Ordinance No. 18-2024, amending Chapter 10, Article VII of the *Code of Ordinances of the City of Alamosa* concerning licensing of private security services.

Ms. Martinez reviewed this ordinance with Council.

Mayor Coleman opened the public hearing at 7:13 p.m. and asked for those wishing to speak on this ordinance.

There being no one wishing to speak, the hearing closed at 7:14 p.m.

Councilor Hensley moved, seconded by Councilor Jan Vigil, to finally adopt Ordinance No. 18-2024. The motion carried unanimously.

3. City Manager/Legal

- a. Resolution No. 10-2024 placing questions of allowing medical and retail marijuana and approving a tax on their sales on the November coordinated election ballot.

Counselor Schwiesow provided information on this resolution to Council.

Council further discussed this resolution.

Councilor Jan Vigil moved, seconded by Councilor Dominguez, to adopt Version A of the proposed ballot content resolution, combining the legalization questions for medical and recreational marijuana facilities with a concomitant sales tax. Councilor Jan Vigil moved to amend the motion, seconded by Councilor Dominguez, to include the cap in the resolution at \$300,000 and to set the tax rate at 5% for retail marijuana and 2% for medical marijuana. The motion carried 5 to 1 with Mayor Coleman casting the no vote.

C. Committee Reports

Councilor Dominguez reported on the Homeless Coalition meeting he attended.

D. Staff Announcements

Counselor Schwiesow reminded Council of the Open Meetings law (Sunshine law) and when they are required to give notice of a meeting being held. Ms. Martinez reminded Council that we do try to be as transparent as possible, so while it isn't required, we post notice on the calendar of events that we know more than three councilors will be present.

VIII. LOCAL LIQUOR LICENSING AUTHORITY ACTIONS

E. CONSENT CALENDAR B

The Consent Calendar allows multiple actions with one motion. Consent Calendar B contains routine items which have been recommended for action by staff or advisory boards. Council may remove a consent calendar item for separate consideration.

Councilor Jan Vigil moved, seconded by Councilor Jackie Vigil, to approve Consent Calendar B. The motion carried unanimously.

1. Written findings granting a new Beer and Wine license for the Matter of the Public

COUNCIL COMMENT

Mayor Coleman thanked everyone who coordinated and participated in the Early Iron event.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 7:39 p.m.

Holly C. Martinez, City Clerk

Ty Coleman, Mayor

Subject/Title:
Receive August 2024 Monthly Reports

ATTACHMENTS:

Description	Type
August 2024 Monthly Reports	Reports

COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

DATE: August 14, 2024	AGENDA NO.	SUBJECT: City Manager Monthly Report for August 2024
Department Head:		
City Manager: Heather Sanchez		
PRESENTED BY: Heather Sanchez		

The following reports cover the activities of the City's various departments. Below is a statement regarding major issues covered by the City Manager's office. Additional information is provided in the bi-weekly updates from the City Manager to the Council.

August 2024 Report

- Weekly Leadership Team meetings
- Department 2025 budget meetings
- Meeting with Cole Hatchard regarding water augmentation plan
- Monthly meeting with Councilor Dominguez
- Horizon Heights ribbon cutting
- Monthly meeting with Councilor Jackie Vigil
- Participated in Councilor Connections for First Friday
- Monthly meeting with Fire Chief
- Region 18 Opioid Settlement Governance Council Steering Committee
- Monthly meeting with Public Works Director
- Monthly meeting with City Clerk
- Bi-Weekly meetings with Economic Development Director
- Meeting to discuss water tower leases
- Bi-Weekly meetings with Mayor and City Clerk
- Homeless Coalition meetings
- Monthly meeting with Councilor Carson
- Monthly meeting with Parks & Recreation Director
- Global Leadership Conference
- Meeting with County Fire District
- Monthly meeting with Finance Director
- Monthly meeting with Police Chief
- Recreation Advisory Board meeting
- Multiple LEAD/Co-Responder meetings
- Monthly meeting with Councilor Hensley
- Monthly meeting with HR Manager
- Participated in the Councilor Connections Tent at the Farmers' Market
- Meeting to discuss parks & recreations rules and regulations
- Monthly meeting with IT Director

- Region 18 Opioid Governing Committee meeting
- Monthly meeting with Development Services Director
- Meeting with La Puente to discuss Soup Kitchen/Cold Weather Shelter
- Creative District Committee meeting
- Tu Casa Starry Night Ball
- Monthly Economic Development meeting
- Monthly La Puente Board meeting
- Meeting with staff to discuss space needs for Fire and Police Departments
- Attended Leadership Alamosa group for Alamosa Chamber
- Bi-weekly meetings with LEAD/Co-Responder Program Manager
- Held interviews for Program Manager and Co-Responder positions
- Meeting with Alamosa School District regarding FHP building
- Meeting with Director Lily Griego, U.S. Department of Health & Human Services

COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

DATE: September, 2024	AGENDA NO.	SUBJECT: Economic Development Report for August, 2024
Department Head: Kathy Woods, Economic Development		
City Manager: Heather Sanchez		
PRESENTED BY: Heather Brooks		

Meetings, Phone Conferences/Calls and Projects:

- Rural Philanthropy Days committee work
 - Lots of hours and committee members working on this. Expect over 330 in attendance
- Early Childhood Center fundraising committee work
 - Ground breaking Sept. 10
 - **\$4.7 M raised thus far/\$1.7M additional expected from new market tax credit**
 - **\$2.7 still needs to be raised**
 - **Early Childhood will manage the facility - They formed a 501 c3**
 - **It will serve up to 160 kids from age 6 months to 6 years**
 - **It will employ 40 staff**
- Work and Meetings with Mani on Hotel Development continues
- Work on Boutique Hotel Development continue
- Rounding to many businesses
- Helping Drug/alcohol counseling into a building - adding a location from Denver
- Workforce Development
- Erwin Young - new free shuttle service

- Erin Keck
- Main St. Committee
- ASU - Hosting new VP to acquaint him to community and resources
- Well attended Economic Development meetings continue
- Mt. West Hub work on Climate Change
- Aimee Haslett on new location for childrens clothing store
- Monthly Land Use / Code meeting with PD, Development Dept.
- Matt Abby - Altitude
- Deb - Mammoth - Facade grant completed and paid out
- Larry Zaragoza
- Horizon Heights visit, tour and introductions
- Arnold Salazar
- Kyle Woodward
- Chamber and Ambassadors meetings
- Working with Chief Stone on possible financial support of programming and training
- Jade Internet meeting
- Blessed Brews visit
- Dan Scinto - Loan Officer for DRG
- Amy Hazlett meeting on business
- Wendi Seger on new event she wants to create
- Toured a candidate for the County Health Administrator who came from out of town for an interview with the County
- Visited a Childhood Behavioural Health Clinic
- Continual work on business inquiries, space and building needs
- THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

City of Alamosa
Monthly Activities Report
August 2024
Public Works Department

Streets:

Patched **71** Potholes (used asphalt recycler)
Clean Programmable space
Conduct road closure for 2 special events 400 block San Juan
Traffic Control For 2 Parades
Concrete removal for trip Hazard replacement
Trip Hazard Replacement- 17 Locations
Dig up and repair softspots
Patch open cuts
2 Employees and Equipment attend City Services Fair
Assisted with Downtown clock Project

- Traffic Control
- Remove Concrete
- Build Rebar Reinforcement Cage
- Pour and Finish Concrete

Clean inlets and monitor flooding during heavy rainstorms
Conduct interviews for Equipment Operator Position
Remove and Install art pieces
Attend open enrollment meetings
Go door to door in Washington addition and hand out notice flyers for overlay project

Solid Waste:

Commercial Waste Hauled totaled 247 T.; Residential Waste Hauled totaled 189 T. Fifty five extra pick-ups were completed. Ten, 96 gallon totes, zero, 64 gallon totes and two, yard waste totes were delivered. Four totes and three dumpsters were repaired.

Recycling:

A total of 85 bales of various materials were made. Forty two bales were shipped. A total of 6.4 tons of glass was processed. Landfill savings totaled \$869.89.

Water Treatment Facility:

Water Pumped for Municipal usage from Water Wells = 81,423,648 gal

Potable Water Treatment Plant Produce=70,975,281 gal
Average Chlorine delivered to the Distribution system=.98 mg/l
Average Raw Arsenic Treated= 35.3ppb
Average Finished Water Arsenic= 6.1ppb (MCL=10 ppb)

Chemicals used to Treat Water:

Ferric Chloride= 2,839 gal
Chlorine= 588gal
Average Water Recovered in Treatment= 91.9%

Construction water 88,900gal 8,400 inkinde Alamosa County
Did Cleans on Fibers Every Wednesday
Received and made house visits for lead and copper rule surveys.
Opening of new plant well Building BIDs
Reviewed Water Tank Inspections Plan
Received Bulk Ferric
218 Alamosa,822 9th, 40 Cascade,202 Bell. 106 Ross: Site Visit to look at water service line material
Maintenance of Arsenic Analyser
Worked on getting Quotes for Plant Well Abatement
Worked on Backflow Program
Helped East Alamosa with LCRR progress
Went with Harry to Toure a Water Facility in Bernalillo New Mexico
Installed new hour clock on waste pump #1
Finished installing new lights on High Bay Total 22
Completed Water Tank Inspection plan
Attend Global Leadership Conference
Meeting with Kyra from CDPHE on Service line Inspection LCRR program For Alamosa and East Alamosa
Assembled parts to fix Chlorine line
Had welder install Parts for overflow on new well
Delivered paperwork/Records to East Alamosa
Attended open Insurance enrollment
Received Chemical for Plant Process 6-55 gal of Citric Acid and 4-55 gal of Caustic soda
Craft Tank Inspection Done
Did Jar testing For the possible use of Ferric Sulfate instead of Ferric Chloride

Water (Distribution System):

Non-potable water pumped from Irrigation, Murphy and Weber wells: Gallons
Bacterial Samples Collected and Came Back NO Problems: 10
Checked and wrote down Meter usage numbers for 8 Wells 7 day a week
Read meters 15th-24th
Meters Rereads:72

Turn off and on at Customer Request: 47
Water turn OFF Non Payment: 19
Service Orders From City Hall: 53
Zero Consumption Accounts Visited: 75
811 Locates Done: 149
Call out after work hours water related: 22
Water Taps Done: 0

Accounts Checked for Leaks: 2
House wired for meters: 2
New Meters entered into System New or Replaced: 19
Meters Looked at that have problems: 141
Repaired Touch read pad or wire: 1
Meter and meter pit upgrades: 1
Meter pit lids worked on: 4
Cleaned and Marked Meter pit lids: 7
Hung Door Tags for appointments: 11
Water meters delivered to new customers: 1
Water Main Valves Exercise: 22
BO/BR for meters: 50
Note List for meters: 109
Water services Inspected: 0
Fire Hydrants flushed: 7
Fire Hydrants Serviced: 1
Fire hydrants Replaced: 0
Curb stops repaired: 2
Fixed shut of lids: 1
Curb stopes blown out : 5
Read Meters by Tapping them: 6
3 Calls for Brown Water: Flushed 7 Fire Hydrants at SLVH ,1712 Edison,510 Bell,73 El Rio
Cleaned shop weekly
12th & 21st Well Generators were up and Running
Repreread 21st well Air relief valve
Hand out water shut off notices for replacing the water line on old airport Road.
Attended open Insurance enrollment
Pot Holed Water Meter at Water Plant for Roy
Flusheed an Sampled for Bact's for new line on old Airport road Came back good
Found Service line for Sunset Park Bathrooms
Moved inventory from Quonset Building for insulating

WasteWater Treatment Facility:

Total Water treated and placed back into River: 39,345,000 Million Gallons
Last Month: 40,062,000 Million Gallons

East Alamosa Treated: 2,771,000 Million Gallons
BOD Removed from sewage: 97%
TSS Removed from sewage: 99%
E.coli released in Effluent : 4.2/100 Limit of 147/100
Ammonia as Nitrogen Released to River : <0.10Mg/l Limit Max: 4.4Mg/l Max

Worked on and handed in for July 2024 Reports.
Collected and ran all routine monthly samples.
Collected and sent out Wastewater covid samples on Monday's & Thursday's.
Ran Generator on Monday's for 1 hr.
Blower #1 on, #2 off, #3 on during the day
UV bank 1B on 1BA off.
Screw pump #3 Lead, 1 Lag, 2 Stand By
Did locates
1st Trojan got back to me about the HMI and believes it is the PLC that is bad. Ordered plc for the UV HMI from Trojan.
2nd Collected and sent out 3rd set of 3rd Qt. wet tests.
5th IT came and tried to restore the SCADA computer to a date prior to the last backup to see if that would resolve the issues we been having. Had a meeting with Harry and Brandon to see what direction we wanted to go on resolving the issue with the SCADA computer. Decided to have AmWest get software needed.
8th and 9th Attended GLS.
12th Jeremy from TDMA came and calibrated meters.
13th Received order from Trojan but they sent me cleaning solution instead of grease, emailed Trojan to see if they would resolve the issue.
14th Had Husman come and fix a leak that turned out to be on the heating line. Called Colorado Analytical to inform them that acid had leaked out of the sample bottles, they sent a new set of bottles. Fixed a broken chain on basin #1.
15th Received confirmation from Trojan that they are going to send me grease and to keep the cleaning solution at no additional cost.
16th Received PLC from Trojan.
19th Installed PLC to the UV HMI, and it fixed the problem.
21st CDPHE sent an email to set up a meeting for September 4th to go over the permit renewal process. Cut weeds around the facility. Fixed a broken cable on basin #2.
22nd Worked on and submitted NetDMR for July 2024 with cover letter about cu violation.
26th Attended health insurance meeting.
27th Cleaned UV channel. Had IT come and let AmWest dial into the SCADA computer to install new software.
28th Cleaned the facility.
29th Had CDPHE Wastewater surveillance team(covid sampling) and Health Department come by for a site visit. Informed IT that the SCADA was still not operating as it should. IT came by again to let AmWest dial into the SCADA computer, looks like they fixed the issues.



08/01/2024 - 08/31/2024

Name	Unit #	WO #	Maintenance Type	Description	Assigned To	Labor Hours	Hours	Maintenance Status	Completed Date
2018 FORD EXPLORER	126	13868	Tire Repair /Issue	Installed 4 tires	PAUL PENA	2.00	2.00	3. Closed	8/29/2024
2016 MACK LEU613	503	13864	Preventative Maintenance	check brakes	JAMES LOPEZ	2.00	6580.00	3. Closed	8/29/2024
2021 NEW HOLLAND BOOMER 40 TRACTOR	715	13863	Air Conditioning System	belt making noise	JAMES LOPEZ	6.00	320.00	3. Closed	8/29/2024
2022 FORD F-150	124	13860	SERVICE	SERVICE	PAUL PENA	2.00	0.00	3. Closed	8/28/2024
2004 CHEVY 1/2 TON 1500 PU	602	13859	SERVICE	SERVICE	PAUL PENA	2.00	0.00	3. Closed	8/28/2024
2018 FORD EXPLORER	123	13858	Tire Repair /Issue	Installed 4 tires	PAUL PENA	1.00	2.00	3. Closed	8/27/2024
2015 FORD EXPLORER	105	13857	SERVICE / FRONT BRAKES	SERVICE/REAR BRAKES	PAUL PENA	3.00	0.00	3. Closed	8/27/2024
2019 DODGE DURANGO	116	13856	Engine	making loud noise from engine	JAMES LOPEZ	4.00	0.00	3. Closed	8/27/2024

Maintenance Report

Name	Unit #	WO #	Maintenance Type	Description	Assigned To	Labor Hours	Hours	Maintenance Status	Completed Date
2013 CHEVROLET TAHOE	129	13854	SERVICE	SERVICE	PAUL PENA	2.00	0.00	3. Closed	8/26/2024
2023 CHEVROLET TAHOE	121	13853	SERVICE	SERVICE	PAUL PENA	2.00	0.00	3. Closed	8/26/2024
2020 PETERBUILT PB 520	505	13851	Camera	camera goes on and off	JAMES LOPEZ	1.00	5545.00	3. Closed	8/26/2024
2016 FORD EXPLORER	109	13850	SERVICE	SERVICE	PAUL PENA	2.00	0.00	3. Closed	8/26/2024
2021 DODGE DURANGO	118	13849	Tire Repair /Issue	driver rear has nail	JAMES LOPEZ	1.00	2.00	3. Closed	8/22/2024
2011 FORD F350 PICKUP	605	13848	Fuel System	gas cap broke	JAMES LOPEZ	1.00	0.00	3. Closed	8/22/2024
2015 FORD EXPLORER	106	13847	SERVICE / REAR BRAKES	Service Replaced Rear Brakes	PAUL PENA	2.00	0.00	3. Closed	8/22/2024
2023 International HV513 Sewer Truck3	402	13846	SERVICE	first service	JAMES LOPEZ	4.00	325.00	3. Closed	8/21/2024
2021 DODGE DURANGO	119	13845	SERVICE	SERVICE	PAUL PENA	2.00	0.00	3. Closed	8/20/2024
2017 Chevy Tahoe K-9	113	13844	Electrical System	RADIO	PAUL PENA	1.00	0.00	3. Closed	8/19/2024
2024 John Deere 320-P Backhoe	358	13843	SERVICE	Service	JAMES LOPEZ	3.00	182.70	3. Closed	8/20/2024
2016 MACK LEU613	503	13842	Brakes	Rear Brakes and Drums are worn out.	JAMES LOPEZ	4.00	6580.00	3. Closed	8/21/2024
2018 FORD EXPLORER	123	13840	SERVICE	SERVICE	PAUL PENA	2.00	2.00	3. Closed	8/19/2024
2012 WACKER WL30	552	13839	Battery	wont start	JAMES LOPEZ	1.00	4653.00	3. Closed	8/19/2024

Name	Unit #	WO #	Maint enan ce Type	Description	Assign ed To	Labor Hour s	Hours	Maint enan ce Statu s	Completed Date
2020 DODGE DURANGO	120	13838	Electrical System	passenger head light out	JAMES LOPEZ	1.00	1.00	3. Closed	8/19/2024
2001 DODGE DAKOTA	403	13834	Cooling System	ac low	JAMES LOPEZ	1.00	0.00	3. Closed	8/14/2024
2016 MACK LEU613	503	13833	Brakes	Front Brakes and Drums are worn out.	JAMES LOPEZ	2.00	6580.00	3. Closed	8/20/2024
2016 MACK LEU613	503	13832	Hydraulic System	Hydraulic system suts off and won't come on unless you reset the system.	JAMES LOPEZ	4.00	6580.00	3. Closed	8/14/2024
2020 DODGE DURANGO	120	13830	Tire Repair /Issue	Replaced 4 tires	JAMES LOPEZ	1.00	1.00	3. Closed	8/13/2024
2019 FORD F-150	408	13829	Battery	Battery is bad, REPLACED THE OS SENSOR	TIM HILLIS	1.00	1375.00	3. Closed	8/14/2024
2020 WESTERN STAR 4700 SB DUMP TRUCK	324	13828	SERVICE	service and dot inspection		4.00	0.00	3. Closed	8/15/2024
2020 DODGE DURANGO	120	13827	Tire Repair /Issue	TIRE REPAIR	PAUL PENA	1.00	1.00	3. Closed	8/13/2024
2023 FORD F-150	707	13826	SERVICE	oil change	JAMES LOPEZ	2.00	0.00	3. Closed	8/13/2024
2020 PETERBUILT PB 520	505	13825	Tire Repair /Issue	front tires need rotated	JAMES LOPEZ	2.00	5545.00	3. Closed	8/13/2024
2023 International HV513 Sewer Truck3	402	13824	Lights and Electric al		JAMES LOPEZ	2.00	325.00	3. Closed	8/21/2024

Name	Unit #	WO #	Maint enan ce Type	Description	Assig ned To	Labor Hour s	Hours	Maint enan ce Statu s	Completed Date
2003 DAEWOO G25P-3	511	13823	SERVI CE	oil change	JAME S LOPEZ	1.00	5107.00	3. Closed	8/8/2024
2020 PETERBUILT PB 520	505	13822	Gener al Repair	arm needs welded	JAME S LOPEZ	0.00	5545.00	3. Closed	8/7/2024
2003 MACK MCNEILUS 25YD TRASH TRK	502	13821	Tire Repair /Issue	passenger front duel needs replaced	JAME S LOPEZ	1.00	8634.00	3. Closed	8/7/2024
2007 FORD F-150	701	13820	Electri cal Syste m	back brake light out on passenger rear	JAME S LOPEZ	1.00	0.00	3. Closed	8/7/2024
2023 FORD F-150	301	13819	Tire Repair /Issue	TIRE REPAIR	PAUL PENA	1.00	0.00	3. Closed	8/7/2024
2017 Chevy Tahoe K-9	113	13818	SERVI CE / FRON T BRAK ES	Service brakes making noise	JAME S LOPEZ	4.00	0.00	3. Closed	8/7/2024
2011 STIHL TS420 DEMO SAW	386R	13817	Engin e	wont start	JAME S LOPEZ	1.00	0.00	3. Closed	8/7/2024
2003 MACK MCNEILUS 25YD TRASH TRK	502	13816	Tire Repair /Issue	left rear front outside tire blew out	OUTSI DE LABO R	1.00	8634.00	3. Closed	8/6/2024
2014 FORD POLICE INTERCEPTER	104	13815	SERVI CE / FRON T BRAK ES	service Vehicle shakes at high speed when braking	JAME S LOPEZ	3.00	0.00	3. Closed	8/6/2024
2004 CHEVY 1/2 TON 1500 PU	602	13813	Electri cal Syste m	put new 3157 light bulb	JAME S LOPEZ	1.00	0.00	3. Closed	8/1/2024
2012 WACKER WL30	552	13812	Hydra ulic Syste m	put new hyd hose	JAME S LOPEZ	1.00	4267.00	OPEN	8/1/2024

Name	Unit #	WO #	Maint enan ce Type	Description	Assig ned To	Labor Hour s	Hours	Maint enan ce Statu s	Completed Date
2015 FORD F-150	501	13811	Tire Repair /Issue	TIRE REPAIR	PAUL PENA	1.00	0.00	3. Closed	8/1/2024
2019 FORD F-150	408	13809	SERVI CE / REAR BRAK ES	Service Replaced rear brakes and rotors	PAUL PENA	2.00	-1.00	3. Closed	8/1/2024
2022 FORD F-150	125	13805	SERVI CE	Service	JAME S LOPEZ	2.00	0.00	3. Closed	8/1/2024
2016 MACK LEU613	503	13790	Electri cal Syste m	Replaced DEF Regin switch	JAME S LOPEZ	1.00	6580.00	3. Closed	8/14/2024
2012 WACKER WL30	552	13754	SERVI CE	Service, Hydraulic leak	JAME S LOPEZ	2.00	4267.00	3. Closed	8/21/2024
2014 DODGE 4500 RAM CREW CAB	405	13698	Electri cal Syste m	Replaced switches in remote pendant	TIM HILLI S	1.00	0.00	3. Closed	8/1/2024
						95.00			

Total Records: 50

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City of Alamosa Development Services Department
Monthly Activity Report
August 2024

- Planning:
 - 9 land use cases: 1 zoning verification, 1 bed and breakfast, 1 short term rental, 1 limited use, 1 minor subdivision, 4 NOVs
 - Oversaw installation of stormwater murals
 - WaterSmart LID manual review
 - Alamosa Project Accelerator Kick-off call for water smarts
 - Velhagen clock preparation for install
 - Met with La Puente regarding soup kitchen
 - Helped with selection of RAISE bridge design firm
 - Mobile food truck ordinance letter and mailing lists
 - ADA compliance webinars and trainings
 - Natural Medicine Facility research and presentation
 - Creative District work to prepare for ARTSFestival
 - Assisted with RFP for Early Childhood Center for Phase 1
 - Meetings: Planning Commission, Main Street Advisory Committee, Creative District, Alamosa Housing Authority, Historic Preservation Advisory Committee, code enforcement, Alamosa Riverfront Project Public Input meeting, Xcel Energy, RAISE project, Bike Coalition
- Building:
 - Total Permits Issued- 11
 - Re-roof- 4
 - Remodel- 5
 - Window- 1
 - Building Repair- 1
 - Total Project Costs: \$2,612,355
 - Total Fees: \$45,372.31
- Downtown:
 - Main Street Code Work session with Council
 - Monthly progress meeting with CDOT on the Hunt Avenue Cultural Trail
- Levee:
 - Levee tour with new USACE Commander of the Albuquerque District
 - Continued coordination with Alamosa Riverfront Project
- Housing:
 - Submitted \$164k grant for sidewalks for Boyd with DOLA's More Housing Now program
 - Kick-off call for technical assistance for dilapidated houses work
 - Horizon Heights ribbon cutting
 - Grant reporting for BHA and TAHG grants
 - Regular meeting with Behavioral Health Administration for Horizon Heights
 - Continued coordination calls with CRHDC's architect for Tierra Azul

Alamosa Fire Department Monthly Report

August 2024

During August 2024, the Alamosa Fire Department responded to 61 calls for service, 45 were within the City Limits and 16 were in the County.

Training

30 hours of training this month.

Public Relations Events

Alamosa firefighters attended 3 PR events.

Inspections

One inspection was done this month.

Fire Incident Type Breakdown

Incident Type Group	
100 - Fire	5
300 - EMS	17
400 - HAZMAT	7
500 - Service Call	2
600 - Series	15
700 - False Alarm	12
900 - Special Incident	3
	61

COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

DATE September 9th, 2024		AGENDA NO.C. 8. a	SUBJECT: IT Director Monthly Report for August 2024
Department Head: 			
City Manager:			
PRESENTED BY: Brandon Gallegos			

Below is a statement regarding major issues covered by the City IT Department:

August 2024 Report

- Water Treatment Plant Scada Discussions.
 - Brandon Gallegos attended multiple meetings in regards to the possible paths for replacing the Water Treatment Plants Scade system. This is due to the recent lighting strike crippling the plant's primary Scada Server.
- Sonicwall upgrade discussions And Kickoff.
 - Brandon Gallegos and Christian Batzer attended meetings in regards to the possible upgrade paths the city had for its primary firewall along with its secondary Library firewall. A solution was identified and a Kickoff meeting was held in preparation for the upgrade of these firewalls.
- Approval of request for alamosa.gov domain.
 - Brandon worked diligently in obtaining the domain alamosa.gov for use within the city.
- Website RFP creation and follow up meetings.
 - Website Platform RFP was produced, reviewed, and posted by Brandon Gallegos with the goal to rebuild the city's primary site. This would include the consolidation of the city's external location's websites. Multiple

meetings have been held since then with different vendors in regards to their proposals for the rebuild of the city's website.

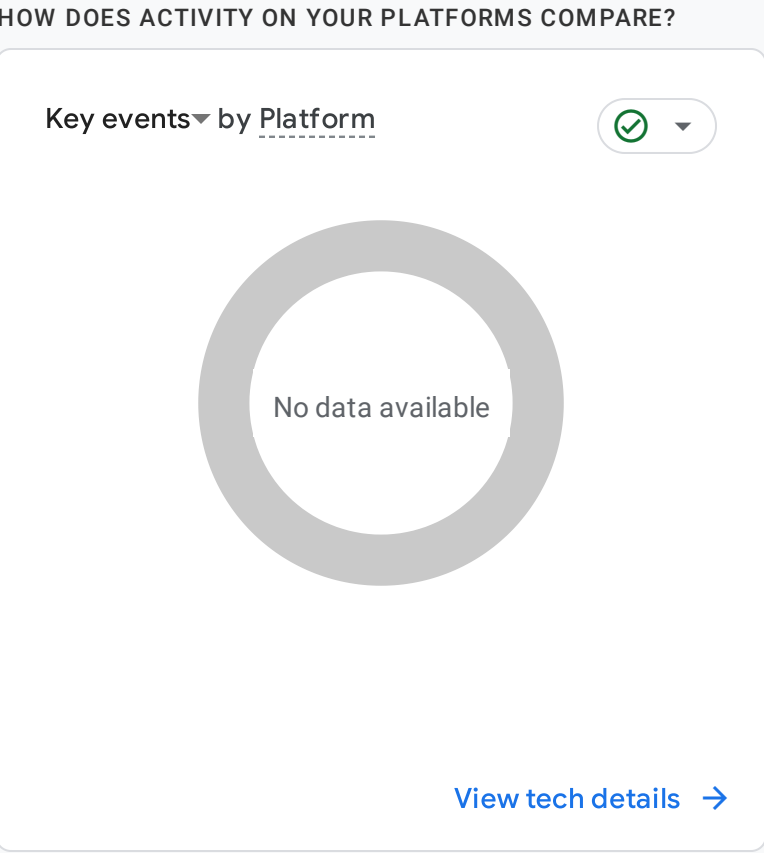
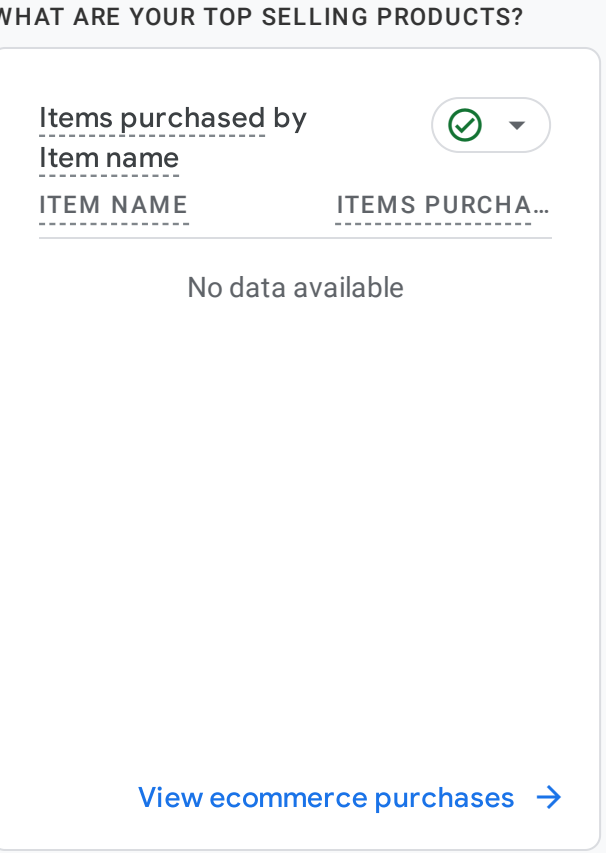
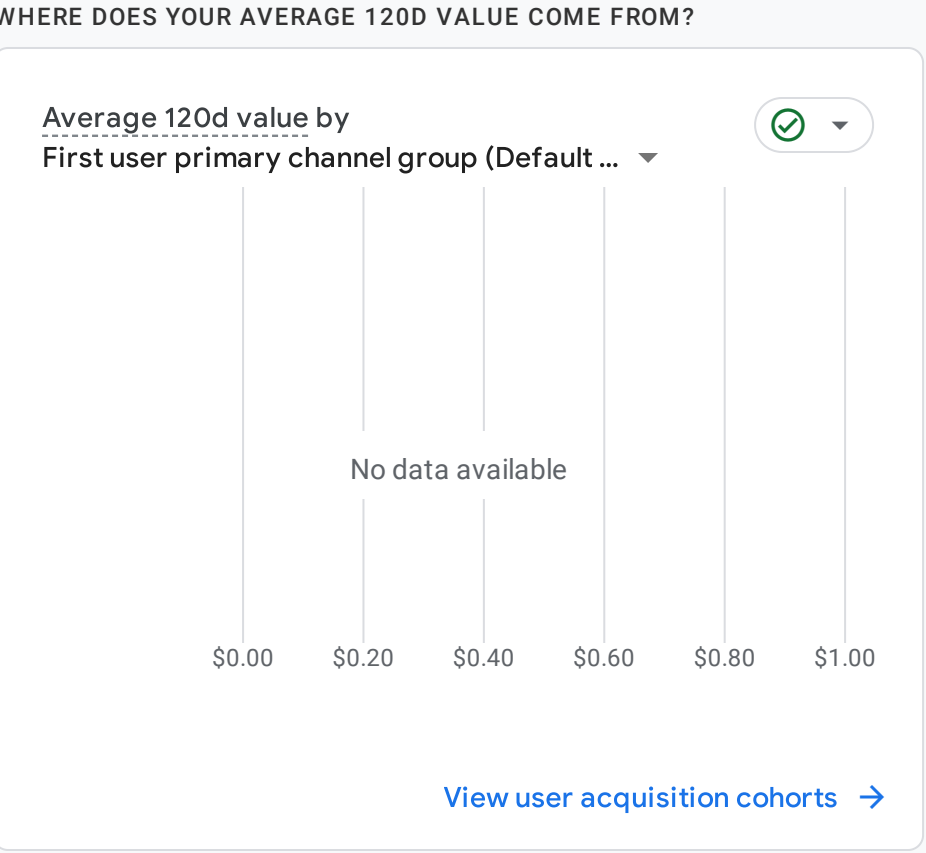
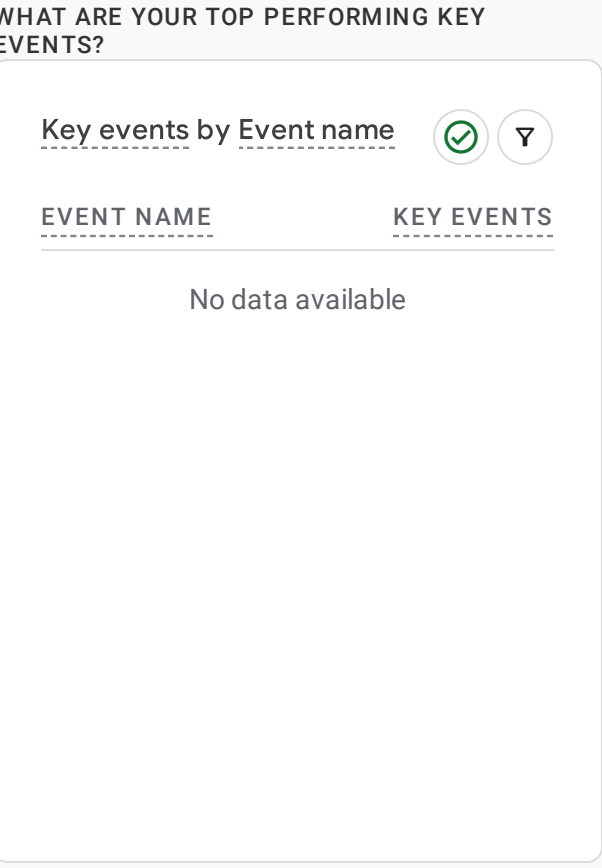
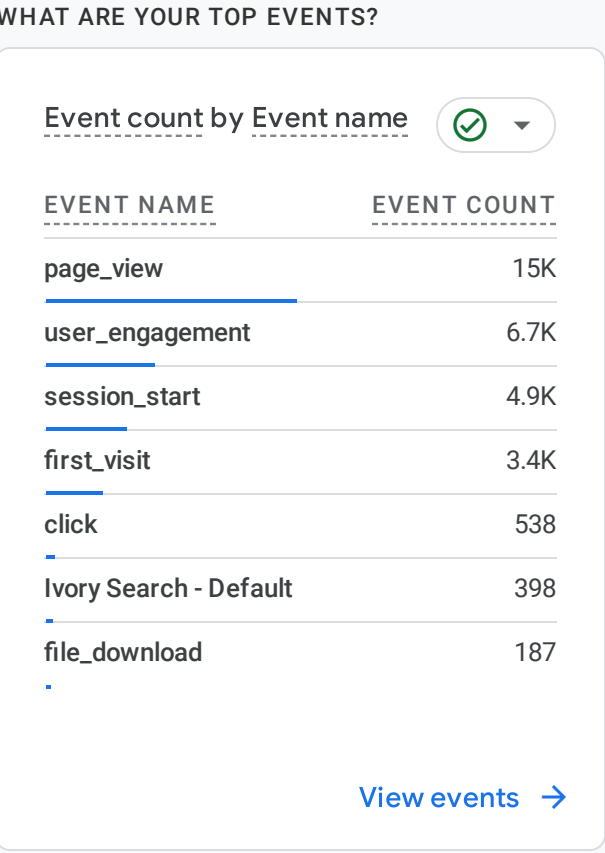
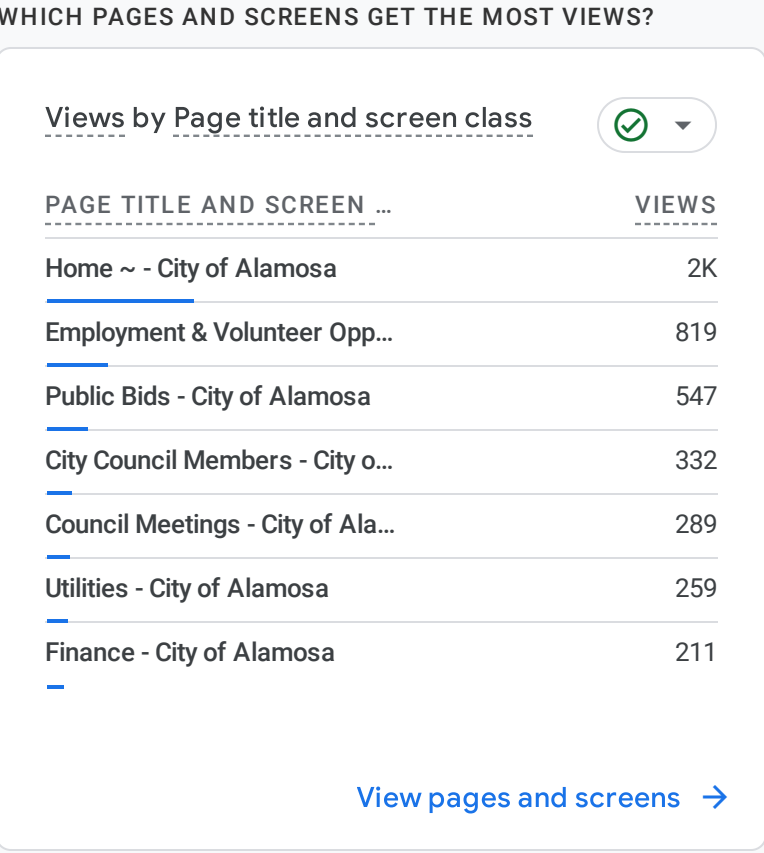
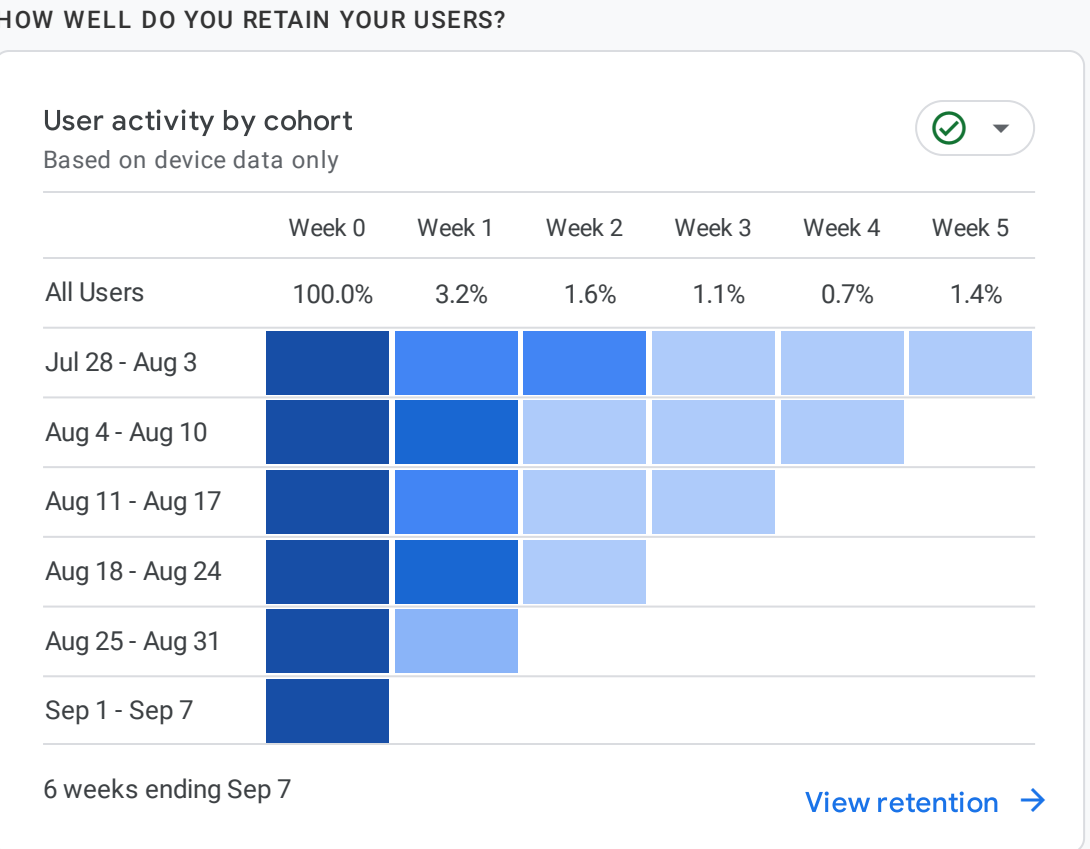
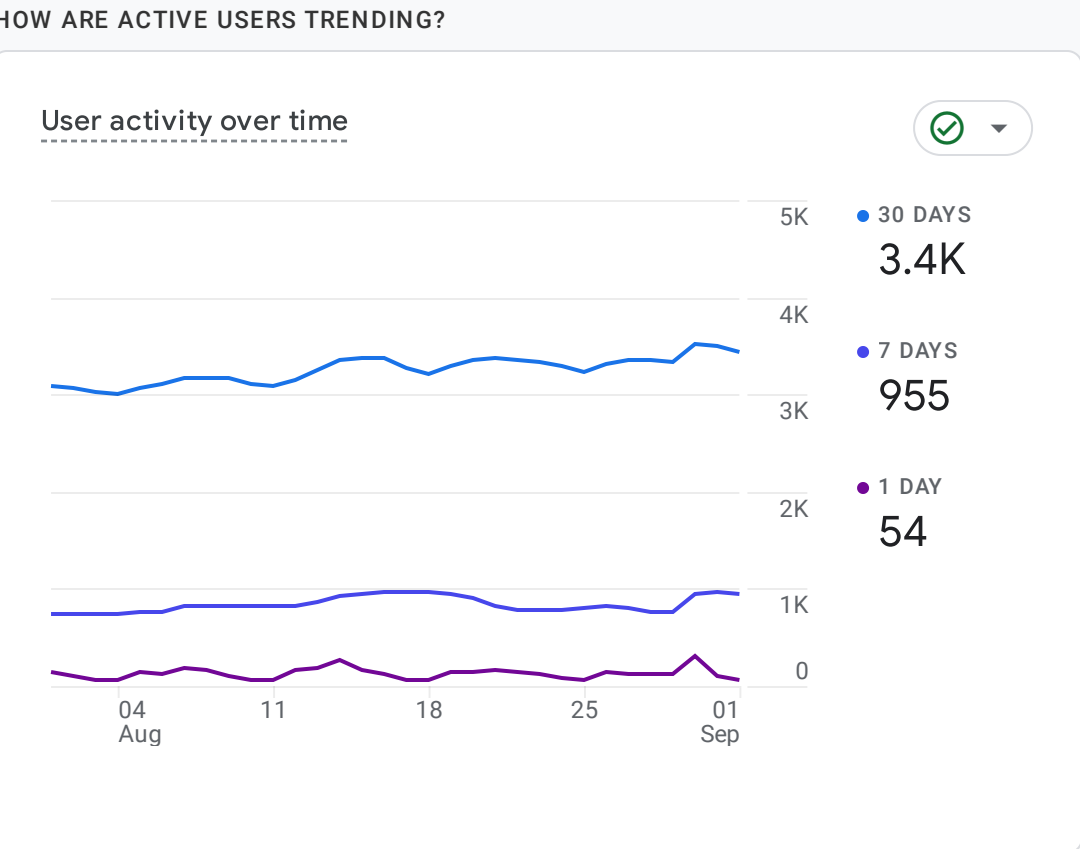
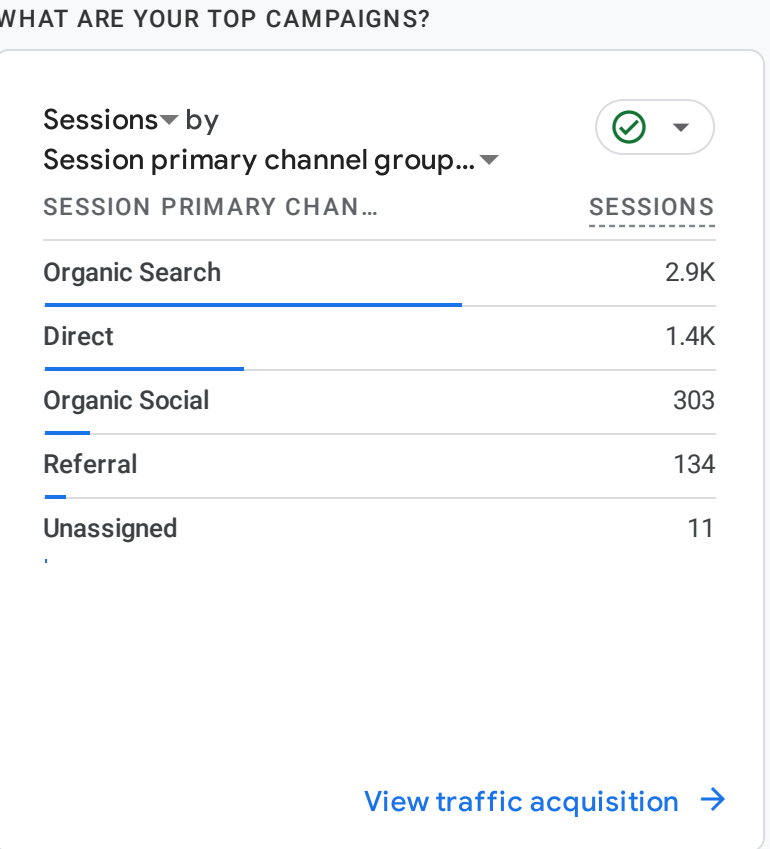
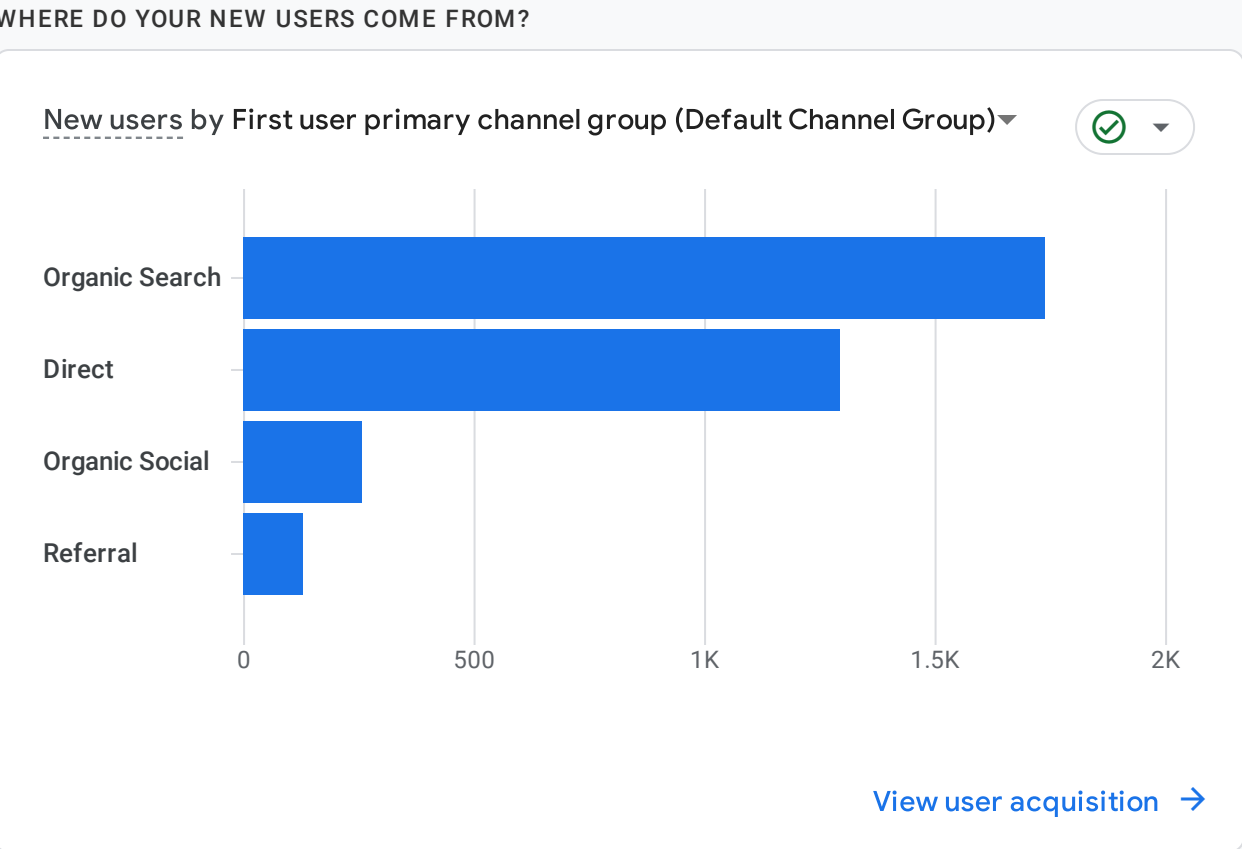
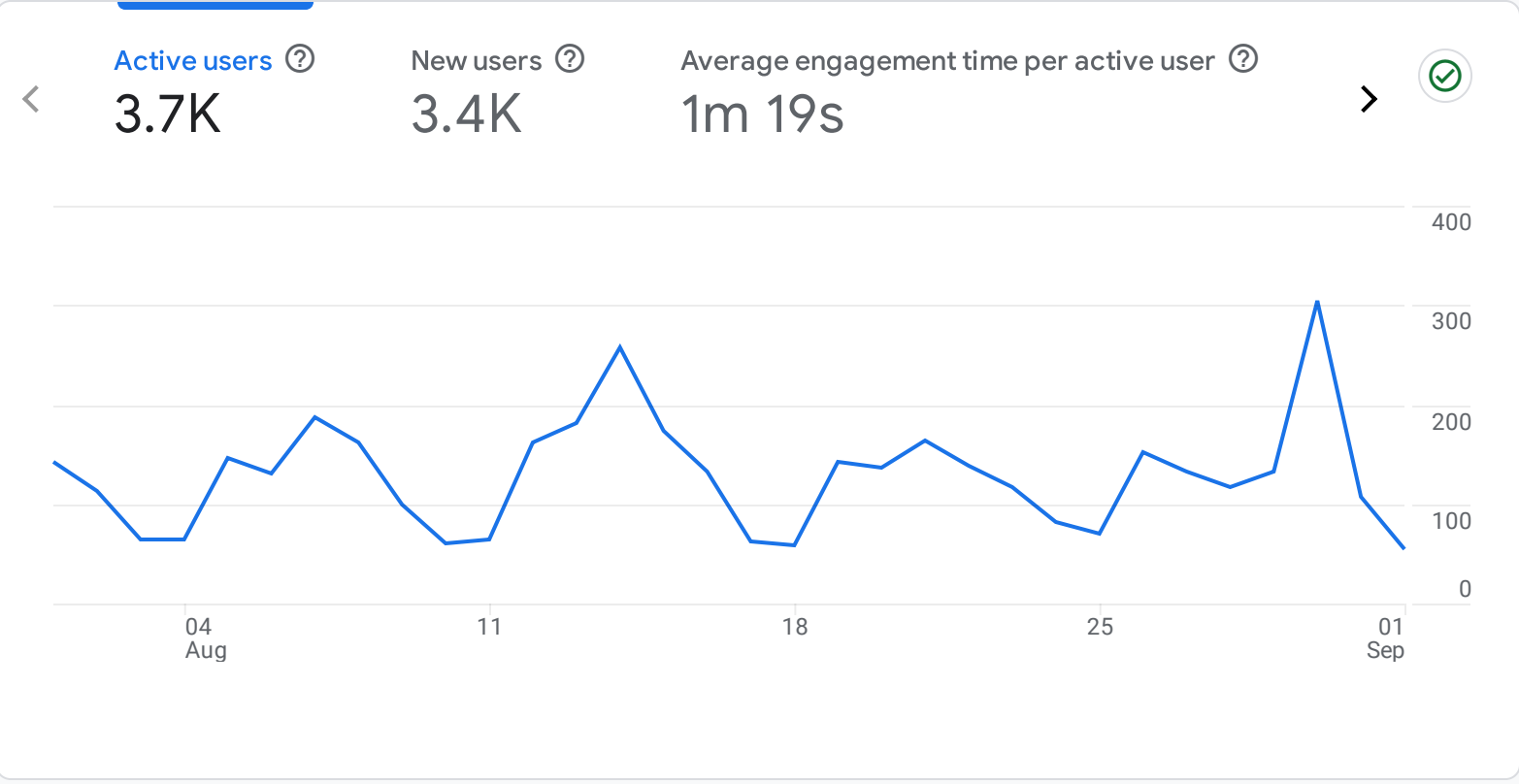
- Alamosa Library Lab rebuild and update.
 - IT conducted a complete rebuild of the Library's public computer system. This system utilizes deepfreeze to maintain a safe, secure, and coherent experience for the end users.
- Reconfigured Knox Box for new Fire Chief and updated physical devices.
 - Alejandro Torres worked with Knox Box to reconfigure all Knox Boxes for the new Fire Chief, These boxes allow for the Fire department to gain entry to any building taking part in the Knox Box program.
- Purchase Rapid Radios for the Streets Department.
 - IT reviewed and purchased Rapid Radios for "in the field" testing for the Streets department. These radios utilize cell towers for communication and continue to work in severe weather and when line of sight has been broken.
- PD Investigators Computer and Office Move.
 - IT Assisted in the complete move of the Investigations department into the upstairs offices. This included the deployment of a new computer for the new Investigator position.
- Dell Primary network stack upgrade Discussion.
 - Brandon Gallegos and Christian Batzer attended a meeting in regards to the possible upgrade paths the city has for their main data switch stack. This stack is due for upgrade quarter 1 2025.
- Deployed rebuilt camera server at WaterWorks Facility.
 - Christian Batzer and Alejandro Torres deployed a freshly rebuilt camera server at the WaterWorks Facility. This camera server had to be rebuilt from the ground up due to a recent lighting strike.
- Discovered more hardware that was fried due to the lighting strike at the Water Treatment Plant.
 - This hardware was not immediately discovered due to the failure of the main camera server itself.
 - The insurance claim was amended to account for this hardware.

- Brazos Kickoff Call.
 - Call to discuss the replacement of the aging Brazos eCitation machines.
- iWorQ Work Management and Kickoff Meeting.
- WasteWater Treatment Plant XLReporter quote and upgrade.
 - Brandon Gallegos worked with AMWest Control to quote out and implement a complete upgrade of the XLReporter software utilized by the WasteWater Treatment plant.
- Deployed new Police Department cell phones.
 - IT has continued to Identify and replace aging cell phones utilized by the police department.
- Cell phone re-inventory.
 - Brandon Gallegos conducted a complete re-inventory of all city issued cell phones. This was done to both clean up the billing of these cell phones and identify aging phones in need of replacement.
- IT Department ITIL Training.
 - The IT Department attended an ITIL Foundations course giving a high level overview of the ITIL Framework and Workflows with Information Technology departments. ITIL Is a well renowned framework utilized by many organizations with the goal of improving the efficiency and effectiveness of IT services and the predictability of service delivery.
- Patched all City-owned computers to the latest patch and vulnerability fixes from Microsoft. This monthly patching helps protect our computers from malicious software, resolve general Windows issues/bugs, and provide access to new Windows features.

In Monte Vista, we performed the following items:

- All of IT has attended training for ITIL Foundations 4 and obtained the certification.
- Keyboard replacement
- Wire ran for HR card printer
- Planning scanner issues not scanning to network folder fixed
- Caselle loaded onto DJ's computer
- Laserfiche setup for both DJ and Michelle in planning
- Drone photos and video taken of the SkiHi campus
- Email transfer from George Dingfelder to Sean McDonagh completed
- Desk phone swapped for Chief McDonagh as the speaker wasn't working
- CommonLook installed on the Deputy clerk's machine
- Webcam for planning/pw Associates PC
- Xaviers files transferred to Miles - Planning
- Camera was removed above the Deputy clerk's desk
- Hotspot capabilities fixed for Chiefs phone
- Caselle update pushed to server
- Radio Tower temp stick fixed
- Camera moved to look down the hallway to PD side
- Camera adjustments on the back camera by PD door next to carport
- Front Camera new anchors installed
- Unused cable trimmed
- New wire run for camera move
- Updated TimeClock out at Shops to have new namespace
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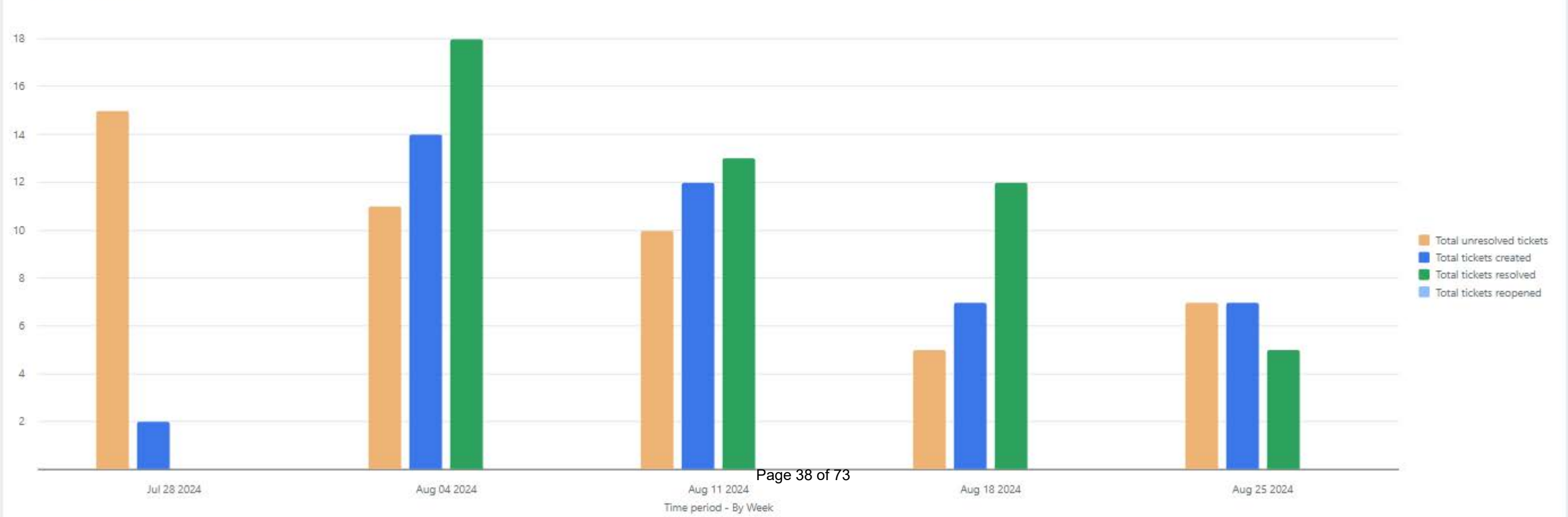
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Tickets created 42 ▲ 16.67%	Tickets resolved 48 ▲ 50%	Unresolved tickets 7	Tickets reopened 0

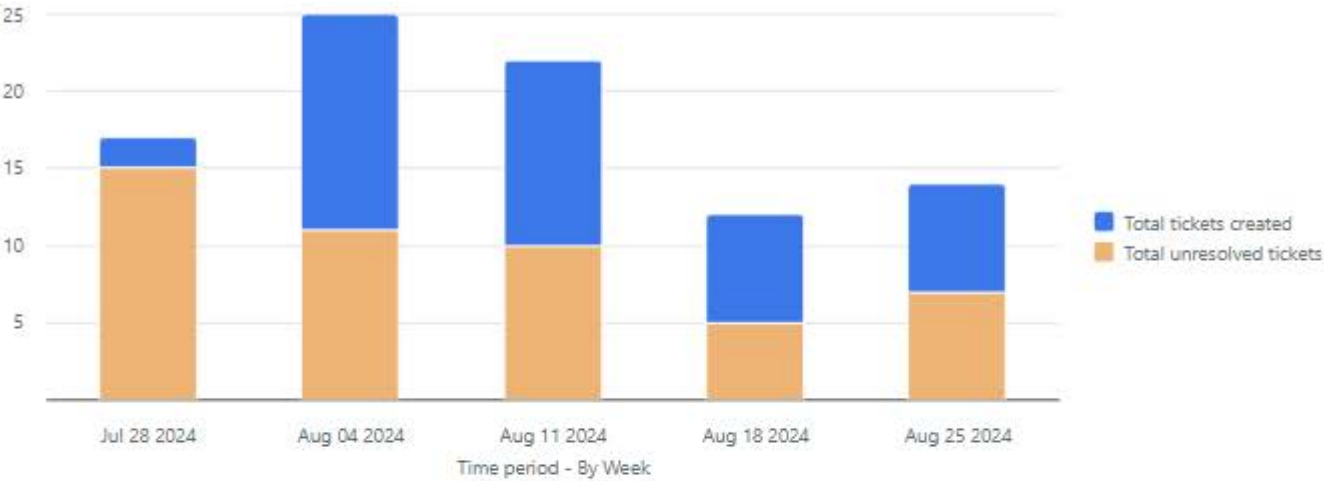
Tickets management overview

Group By : By Week ▼



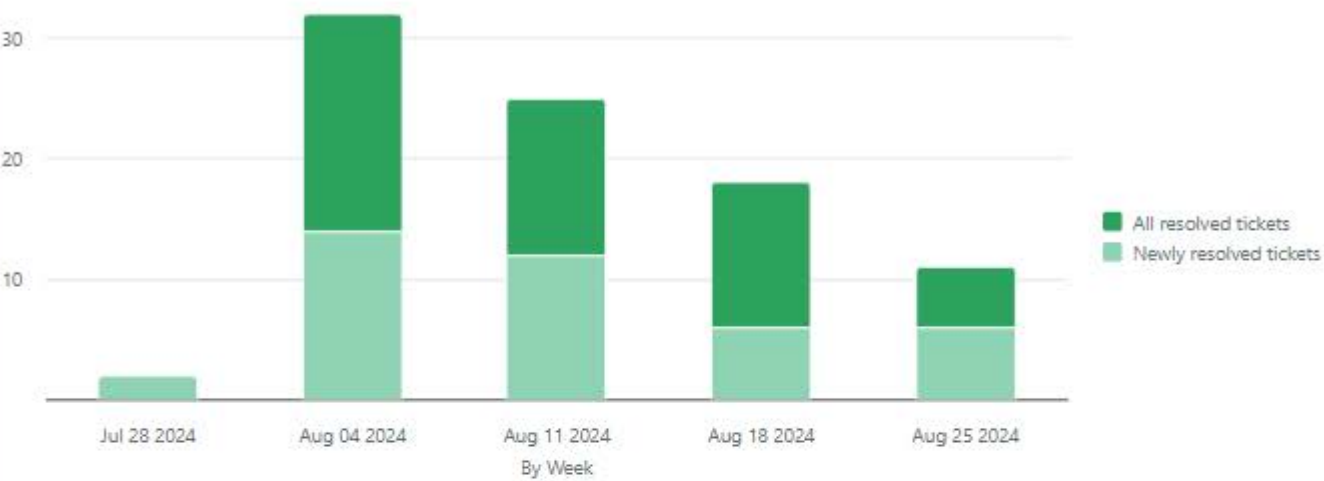
How do we manage the ticket load?

Group By : By Week



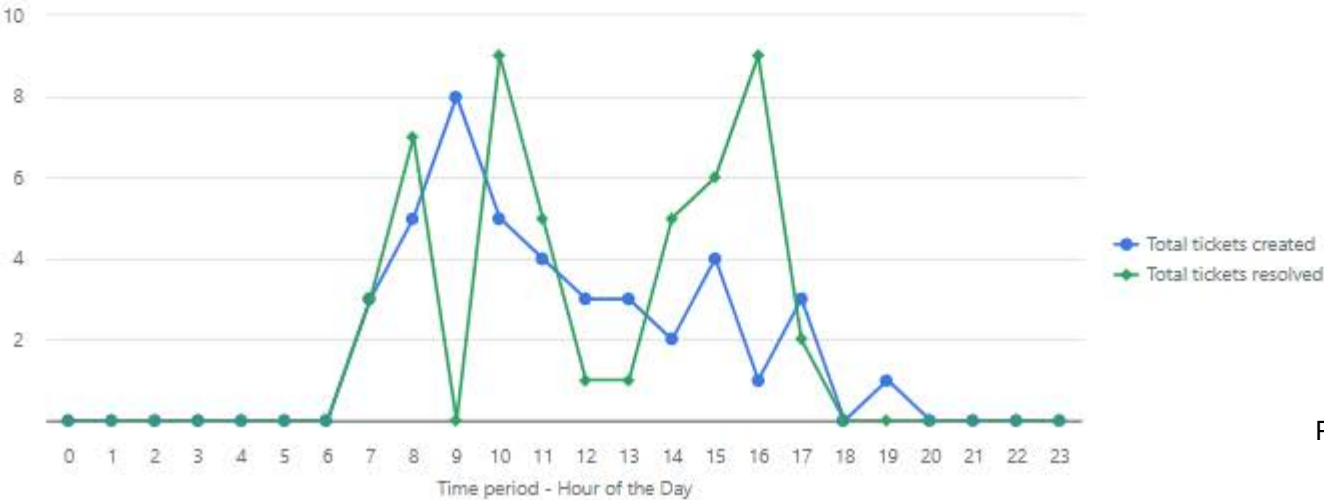
What type of tickets do we resolve?

Group By : By Week



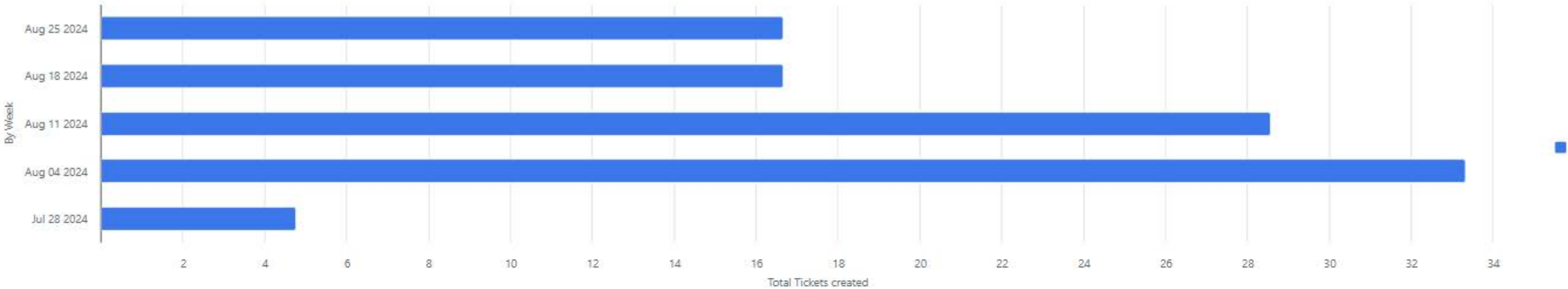
How can we plan the shift?

Group By : Time period-Hour of the day



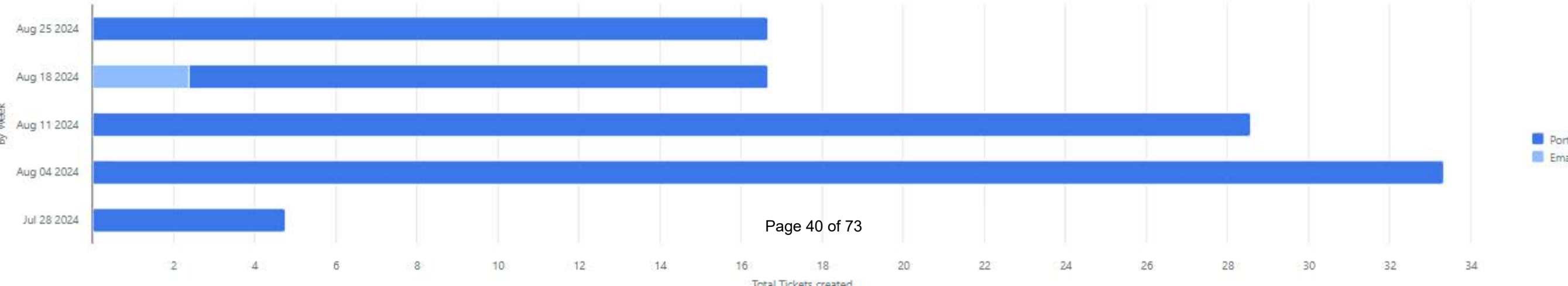
What type of tickets do we receive?

Group By : By Week Ticket type



Where do we receive the tickets from?

Group By : By Week Source



City Clerk/Municipal Court August 2024 Monthly Report

Prepared and distributed 12 birthday cards.

LIQUOR:

- Sent out monthly renewal letters.
- Renewals:
 - Sodexo
 - Woody's Q Shack
 - Knights of Columbus
 - The Wet Paintbrush
 - Chief Liquor
- Special Events Permits:
 - Adams State University Foundation
 - Society Hall Foundation

RECORDS:

- Continually update Laserfiche with old records.

COURT:

- Court held August 5, 14, 15, and 20
- Monthly meeting with BC Services.

TRAINING:

- Attended Global Leadership Summit
- Attended Navigating Leadership Webinar "How to Get and Give Good Feedback"

OTHER:

- Regular attendance to Work Sessions and Council meetings.
- Attended weekly leadership team meetings.
- Attended bi-weekly meetings with Mayor and City Manager.
- Monthly meeting with City Manager.
- Attended weekly meetings with Leadership Coach.
- Monthly department meeting with staff.
- Monthly one on one meetings with staff.
- Attended Martin Domginuez's Retirement Reception
- One on one with Councilor Dominguez
- Attended Open Enrollment meeting.

OUTSIDE REPRESENTATION:

- Attended CMCA Short Shots Workgroup meeting.
- Attended CMCA Annual Conference Committee meeting.
- Attended CMCA Education Committee meeting.



Filed Or Closed Cases Listing

ALAMOSA MUNICIPAL COURT

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Totals For Filed Date From 08/01/2024 To 08/31/2024

Posted Fee Totals For Posted Date From 08/01/2024 To 08/31/2024

Violations By Filed Date

CITY ORDINANCE	24
PARKING	12
TRAFFIC	48
Total Violations Filed:	84

Violations Completed-Paid Fines By Filed Date

CL-DOCKET CLOSED

CITY ORDINANCE	6
PARKING	21
TRAFFIC	50
CL	77

DENIED-DENIED FILING, CLOSED

CITY ORDINANCE	4
TRAFFIC	1
DENIED	5
Total Violations Completed-Paid Fines:	82

Violations Completed-Other By Filed Date

DD-DISMISSED AFTER DEFERRED

TRAFFIC	8
DD	8

DI-DISMISSED/PRESENTED INSURANCE

TRAFFIC	1
DI	1

DP-DISMISSED BY PROSECUTOR



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Violations Completed-Other By Filed Date

CITY ORDINANCE	2
TRAFFIC	2
DP	4

DV-DIVERSION VOID

CITY ORDINANCE	3
TRAFFIC	3
DV	6

DX-DISMISSED/FOUND NOT GUILTY

CITY ORDINANCE	1
TRAFFIC	1
DX	2

VD-VOIDED DOCKET

PARKING	1
VD	1

Total Violations Completed-Paid Fines: 22

Total Violations Completed-Paid Fines:	82
Total Violations Completed-Before Judge:	0
Total Violations Completed-Before Jury:	0
Total Violations Completed-Before Teen Court:	0
Total Violations Completed-Other:	22
Total Violations Completed:	104
Total Violations Filed:	84
Net Difference Filed - Completed:	-20



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Warrants Issued

CITY ORDINANCE	49		
TRAFFIC	2		
Total Warrants Issued:	51	Total Violations:	51

Warrants Cleared

CITY ORDINANCE	38		
Total Warrants Cleared:	38	Total Violations:	38
Total Warrants Issued:	51		
Total Warrants Cleared:	38		
Net Difference:	13		

Violations Completed-Other Paid By Filed Date

AJ-TRAFFIC DEFERRAL

TRAFFIC	3		
AJ		3	

CO-COLLECTIONS

CITY ORDINANCE	1		
CO		1	

IA-INITIAL APPEARANCE

PARKING	1		
IA		1	

PB-PROBATION

CITY ORDINANCE	1		
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Violations Completed-Other Paid By Filed Date

TRAFFIC	1	
PB		2
PP-PAYMENT PLAN		
TRAFFIC	3	
PP		3
ST-STATUS HEARING		
CITY ORDINANCE	4	
TRAFFIC	1	
ST		5
WI-WARRANT ISSUED		
CITY ORDINANCE	1	
WI		1
Total Violations Completed-Other Paid:	16	



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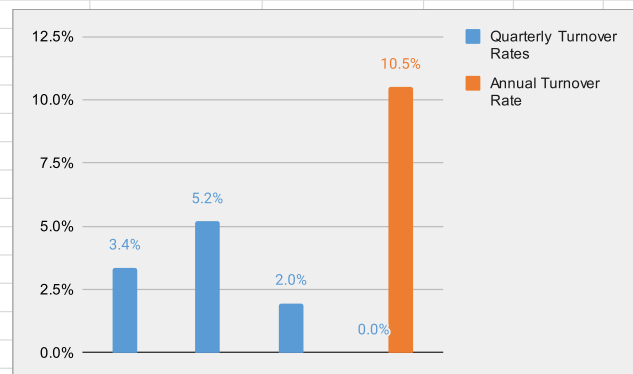
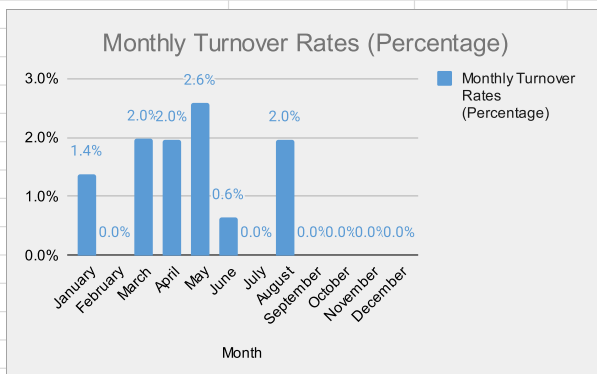
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DEFER	DEFERRED FEE	\$50.00
FINE	Fine	\$6,736.00
LATE	LATE FEE	\$50.00
PD SUR	PD SURCHARGE	\$1,182.00
REST	RESTITUTION	\$476.42
TP	SERVICE CHARGE	\$105.00
VA	VICTIMS ASSISTANCE	\$100.00
WF	WARRANT FEE	\$270.21

Report Totals: \$9,319.63

City of Alamosa Turnover Rate

For Full-Time & Part-Time Year Round Positions

Month	Number of Separated Employees	Average Number of Employees	Monthly Turnover Rates (Percentage)	Quarterly Turnover Rates	Annual Turnover Rate
January	2	145	1.4%	3.4%	10.5%
February	0	151	0.0%		
March	3	152	2.0%		
April	3	153	2.0%		
May	4	155	2.6%	5.2%	
June	1	156	0.6%		
July	0	156	0.0%		
August	3	153	2.0%	2.0%	
September	0	1	0.0%		
October	0	1	0.0%		
November	0	1	0.0%	0.0%	
December	0	1	0.0%		



	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August
Workers' Compensation Claims:	2	1	0	2	0	1	0	5



Alamosa Police Department

August 2024 Month End Report

Part 1 Crime Category	Jun-24	Jul-24	Aug-24	Aug-23	Raw # Change	Year to Date
Part 1 Violent Crimes						
Homicide	2	0	1	0	1	4
Sexual Assaults	1	2	4	5	-1	16
Robbery	3	0	1	0	1	6
Aggravated Assault	7	4	2	4	-2	30
Total Violent Crimes	13	6	8	9	-1	56
Part 1 Property Crimes						
Burglary	6	6	6	9	-3	41
Larceny	47	53	34	50	-16	293
Vehicle Theft	1	1	1	2	-1	6
Total Property Crimes	54	60	41	61	-20	340
Total Part 1 Crimes	67	66	49	70	-21	396
Miscellaneous Offenses						
Domestic Violence	10	7	6	6	0	56
Simple Assault	12	8	4	7	-3	43
Drug Related	12	16	16	16	0	114
Liquor Laws	1	3	3	0	3	12
Harassment	8	7	4	3	1	48
DUI/DWAI/DUID	5	8	3	10	-7	43
Arson	2	0	0	1	-1	4
Traffic Related						
Traffic Accidents	25	31	36	31	5	216
Fatal	0	0	0	0	0	0
Injury	2	3	8	5	3	28
Property Damage	23	28	28	26	2	188
Community Service Ofc						
Dogs picked up	29	23	23	27	-4	160
Animal Bites	3	3	1	1	0	17
Barking Dog Complaints	3	2	1	5	-4	11
Wildlife Calls	15	10	5	5	0	44
Weed/Trash Removal	96	28	22	32	-10	152
Snow Removal	0	0	0	0	0	2
Towed Vehicles	0	4	1	6	-5	17
Red Tagged Vehicles	11	10	2	11	-9	87
Summons Issued	33	35	55	35	20	233
Calls for Service	430	490	381	462	-81	2922

Submitted by: George Dingfelder, Chief of Police

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PARKS/CEMETERY

● **Cemetery Activities**

	<u>August</u>	<u>Total 2024</u>	<u>Total 2023</u>
Cemetery lots sold	16	76	79
Graves open and closed	7	40	65
Graves set up for services	7	40	65
Graves raised to grade	3	23	42
Stones leveled	2	5	8
Columbarium niches sold	0	0	0
Disinterment	0	0	0

● **Tree Related Activities**

	<u>August</u>	<u>Total 2024</u>	<u>Total 2023</u>
Trees Pruned/Trimmed	86	305	379
Trees Planted	0	15	25
Dead Trees Removed	2	14	10

Equipment Serviced:

Walker mowers
 John Deere mower
 John Deere weed mower
 Excel Hustler
 Gator weed sprayer
 4-wheeler sprayer and tank
 Side by side sprayer
 Water truck pump truck #1
 Water truck pump #2
 Chainsaws
 Stihl weed trimmers

Weed spraying:

1,204 gallons sprayed in the parks, cemetery, fairgrounds, and the ranch area.

Routine work:

Cemetery computer work

Funerals and the digging of graves
Playground inspections
Raking of all fall material under the playground equipment
Daily trash runs in the parks, cemetery, and ranch areas
River dike checks
Locates for the stone setters
Enter headstone pictures and obituaries
Daily bathroom checks and cleaning
Daily locking and unlocking of bathrooms in the parks and cemetery
Locking and unlocking parks bathrooms for special events
Tree trimming
Weed Spraying
Stage setups and teardowns
Poly cart hauling and dumping after events
Weekly mowing and trimming of all small areas
Mowing of all parks
Mow cemetery field
Mow Fairgrounds and all surrounding areas
Mow Lee solar field
Mow in homeless encampment
Mow firebreak around homeless encampment
Mow Blanca Vista
Mow South Craft both sides of road
Mow dog parks
Set up for Beat the Heat BBQ event
Haul all cones, barricades, tent, poly carts, ash and oil barrels
Set up stage
Fix ruts at Cole after event and add crusher fines at first and second street entrances
Set up for Pride event
Haul poly carts, bales of straw and tent
Set up stage
Set up for Early Iron event
Set up tent, haul poly carts
Set up fencing and teardown at midnight
Set up stage at San Juan Saturday morning
Clean up Cole Park for Saturday event at Cole after cars leave park
Teardown stage after cruise night and pick up flags down Main Street
Mow North Craft lots
Drag Fairgrounds arena and open areas
Set up stages for Sunday concerts
Set stage in Ice rink for event
Fix leak at Lee fields
Fix leak at Cole
Inventory of parks and cemetery needs
Tennis court maintenance
Trim trees at Lee field

Replaced sprinklers at the cemetery
Pick up of trash in wilderness area left by the homeless
Pick up around the homeless encampment exterior for the mower to cut the fire break
Pick up branches hacked by homeless around Lee #3 field

Alamosa Family Recreation Center

(719) 589-2105 | www.alamosarec.com | [City of Alamosa Activities on Facebook](#) | [City of Alamosa on Instagram](#)

Summer/Fall Hours

Monday - Thursday: 6am - 8pm

Friday: 6am - 6pm

Saturday: 7am - 4pm

Sunday: CLOSED

ADULT/YOUTH ART PROGRAMS

Adult Oil Painting

Current Session

September 5th - October 24th (Plein Air)

Thursday Mornings | 9am - 12pm; Various Locations

Cost: \$100

Registration OPEN NOW!

2024 Final Session

October 31st - December 19th (Studio)

Thursday Mornings | 9am - 12pm; Alamosa Family Recreation Center

Cost: \$100

Registration OPEN NOW!

Please visit www.alamosarec.com, or contact the Recreation Center at (719) 589-2105.

Students bring their own supplies and meet at the Alamosa Family Recreation Center.

Fee: \$100 for the entire session. | \$15 - Daily Drop-ins

Beginners are welcome.

For material information please contact Coni.

Details & Registration: Contact the Alamosa Family Recreation Center

Other Questions? - Contact Coni Grant through her website at

www.ConiGrant.com

Adult/Junior Ceramics

REGISTRATIONS ARE OPEN FOR BOTH UPCOMING SESSIONS!

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ADULT CERAMICS CLASS

FALL SESSIONS 2024



INSTRUCTED BY LILI SILVA

AUG 12TH - SEP 18
MON & WED | 5PM-8PM
(NO CLASS SEP 2ND & SEP 11TH)
SEP 30TH - OCT 30TH
MON & WED | 5PM-8PM

LEARN HANDBUILDING TECHNIQUES TO CREATE SCULPTURES OR CERAMIC ITEMS FROM POTTERY. LEARN HANDBUILDING TECHNIQUES TO CREATE SCULPTURES OR CERAMIC ITEMS FROM POTTERY. LEARN HANDBUILDING TECHNIQUES TO CREATE SCULPTURES OR CERAMIC ITEMS FROM POTTERY.

COST  **\$80/FULL SESSION**
\$15/DROP-IN

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JUNIOR CERAMICS

FALL SESSIONS 2024

AGES 8-17



INSTRUCTED BY LILI SILVA

AUG 15TH - SEP 12TH
THURSDAYS | 5PM-7PM
SEP 30TH - OCT 30TH
THURSDAYS | 5PM-7PM

LEARN HANDBUILDING TECHNIQUES TO COIL, PINCH, SLIP, PLATE, RIM, AND RELIEF. LEARN HANDBUILDING TECHNIQUES TO COIL, PINCH, SLIP, PLATE, RIM, AND RELIEF. LEARN HANDBUILDING TECHNIQUES TO COIL, PINCH, SLIP, PLATE, RIM, AND RELIEF.

COST  **\$50/FULL SESSION**
\$15/DROP-IN

REGISTER ONLINE AT WWW.ALAMOSAREC.COM
CLASS LOCATED AT ALAMOSA FAMILY RECREATION CENTER

In-Person Fitness Classes

Taekwondo

Classes are Monday and Wednesday evenings. The youth class is 5:30 - 6:30 PM and the Adult/Family class is 6:30 - 8:00 PM. (Classes are held in the Multi-Purpose Gym)

Lunchtime PowerHour w/ Tammy Lopez & Chris Lock -

Classes are Monday - Saturday from 12pm-1pm.

Evening Cycling

Join us on Tuesday & Thursday evenings @ 5:30 PM for an action-packed aerobic workout.
(Classes are held in the Meeting Room).

Online Fitness Classes

Start the day off right from the comfort of your home. Classes will continue and are free with an active AFRC membership or pay monthly, \$10/person. The online program includes the following classes:

- Bodyweight Training w/ Steve: Tue & Thu @ 6:00 AM
- Tabata/Pilates w/ Catherine: Mon, Wed, & Fri @ 6:30 AM
- Morning Yoga w/ Pam: Mon - Thurs @ 9:00 AM

Online classes require an active regular AFRC Membership or an online AFRC Membership.

** Punch passes and daily passes are not available for online fitness classes.*

- *Payment? Renewal? Passcode emails are NO LONGER sent out. You will receive the new monthly passcode on your purchase receipt after you register for the class either in person or online.*

Upcoming AFRC Holiday Closures

November 11th: Veterans Day

November 28th & 29th: Thanksgiving

December 24th: Christmas Eve (Half Day)

December 25th: Christmas Day

Multi-Use Pavilion

Roller Season Schedule

PUBLIC SKATE ONLY

May 3rd - Sep 28th

Fridays & Saturdays: 4pm - 8pm

Skating is subject to be canceled on dates when events are scheduled

The Multi-use Pavilion and Ice Rink will be closed for the month of October for Ice Prep. Our Annual Ice Season will start on October 31st with a Halloween Skate Night from 4pm-8pm.

2024 Upcoming Youth Leagues/Programs

**ALL FALL/WINTER PROGRAMMING Registrations are Now
Open!**

Youth Basketball

Registration: August 1st - September 20th

Season: September 30th - November 16th

Cost: \$25

Parks & Rec Reversible Jersey (required): \$12 (May be purchased at the rec center)

Coaches Meeting: September 25th @ 6PM; Rec Center

Divisions: K-1st (Coed)

2nd/3rd - Boys & Girls

4th/5th - Boys & Girls

Coed Ice Hockey

Registration: August 1st - December 2nd

Season: December 9th - February 8th

Saturday Games: January 4th - February 8th

Cost: \$45

Full Equipment Deposit: \$100 (This fee includes a jersey)

Jersey Only Deposit: \$35 (This fee is for participants who have their own gear but will need a reversible hockey jersey only.)

Equipment Pick Up: December 4th & 5th; 5:30pm - 7:30pm

Coaches Meeting: December 2nd @ 6PM; Ice Rink

Divisions: Mites (5-7); Squirts (8-10); Peewee (11-12); **Bantam (13-14) NEW**

Coed Volleyball

Registration: August 1st, 2024 - January 31st, 2025

Season: February 10th - April 12th

Saturday Games: February 22nd - April 12th

(NOTE: No games on March 22nd & 29th; Spring Break)

Cost: \$25

Parks & Rec Reversible Jersey: \$12 (May be purchased at the rec center)

Coaches Meeting: February 5th @ 6PM; Rec Center

Divisions: 2nd-4th Grade; 5th-6th Grade

CARA Basketball Skills Challenge

The CARA (Colorado Association of Recreational Athletics) Basketball Skills Challenge is a FREE skills competition for boys and girls between the ages of 6 and 13 years old to

compete separately against their peers. This skills challenge program tests kids on their passing, dribbling and shooting abilities.

Registration: August 1st - December 7th

Event Date: December 7

(NOTE: All Participants must have a CARA registration form completed the morning of the event in order to participate. Forms will be available at the event.)

Cost: FREE

Ages: 6-13 (as of 4/30/2025)

****Program filled? Please add your name to the waitlist to help us plan for future program needs!***

Adult Leagues/Programs

Pickleball

All ages and abilities are welcome to join this participant-led program!

Tuesdays and Fridays: 7:00 - 11:00 AM.

Sundays: Noon - 2:00 PM

(Current sessions are located at the Boyd Park Pickleball Courts).

Special Olympics Programs

Bowling REGISTRATION is open now.

Season: September 3rd - October 3rd

Tuesday & Thursdays 4-5pm

Juanitos Family Bowling Center

IMPORTANT ATHLETE INFORMATION

Complete athlete application through Special Olympics of Colorado; Special Olympics
Physical Required

Athlete Application Resource Page:

<http://specialolympicsco.org/getinvolved/becomeanathlete/applicationresources/>

Alamosa Parks & Recreation is Hiring!!

Sports Officials | Scorekeepers | Site Supervisors | Sports Instructors | Customer

Service Assistants| Rec Specialist

To apply, click on the link: <https://cityofalamosa.org/finditfast/careers/>

Outdoor Recreation

Blanca Vista Pond

CPW stocked the pond with 7,000 fish this spring! Fishing at Blanca Vista Pond is a Family Fishery. Adults must be accompanied by a child in order to fish. A State Fishing License is required for anyone 16+.

Generation Wild Programming:

AP&R staff are regularly working with the Alamosa School District to provide outdoor recreation and leadership opportunities for students in Ortega Middle School and Alamosa High School through the [High School Outdoor Leadership & Recreation Club](#) and the SLV Boys & Girls Club Fifth Day

Programming. Contact Sean Sluyter (ssluyter@ci.alamosa.co.us) for more information. Check out Generation Wild Programs across the San Luis Valley [here](#).

Adopt-A-Park/Trail:

Are you interested in adopting a local Park or Trail? For information about this program, please contact our Outdoor Recreation Supervisor at ssluyter@ci.alamosa.co.us.

Alamosa Trails Volunteer Workdays:

Dates: 8/25, 9/29

1 p.m. - 3 p.m.

Tools and supervision are provided! No registration required



Community Events

September 6th: **First Fridays Roaming Rhythms- ALMA**

Takeover): [ALAMOSA.ORG/FIRST-FRIDAYS](https://www.alamosa.org/first-fridays)

Sept 13th - 14th: **Artfest:** [facebook.com](https://www.facebook.com)

Sept. 28th: **Octobrufest:** [Alamosachamber.com/oktobrufest](https://www.alamosachamber.com/oktobrufest)

October 4th: **First Fridays (Halloween Spooktacular):** [ALAMOSA.ORG/FIRST-FRIDAYS](https://www.alamosa.org/first-fridays)

Nov. 1st: **First Fridays (1-Scribes and Good Vibes-A Narrow Gauge Book Coop**

Takeover): [ALAMOSA.ORG/FIRST-FRIDAYS](https://www.alamosa.org/first-fridays)

December 6th: **First Fridays (Shine Bright Shop Small):** [ALAMOSA.ORG/FIRST-FRIDAYS](https://www.alamosa.org/first-fridays)

HAPPY RECREATING!

We welcome your feedback on all of our programs and facilities:

Contact Recreation Division Manager Dalton Carleo at dcarleo@ci.alamosa.co.us.

Alamosa Parks & Recreation - Alamosa Family Recreation Center

2222 Old Sanford Rd. Alamosa, CO 81101 - 719.589.2105

www.AlamosaRec.org - [City of Alamosa Activities](#) on Facebook

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Rec Center Revenue

Year to Date	2024	2023 (Totals)
Courses	\$58,454.64	\$78,383.00
Facility Rentals	\$17,545.00	\$22,365.00
Memberships	\$46,916.00	\$70,949.28
Merchandise	\$51,058.42	\$97,269.96
Day Passes	\$13,393.00	NA
Total	\$187,051.60	\$269,067.24

Rec Center Door Count

	2024	2023
January	14,990	7,056
February	10,841	9,884
March	9,497	11,269
April	8,449	13,995
May	7,767	8,404
June	6,381	10,894
July	6,126	6,308
August	5,582	6,405
September	0	6,869
October	0	9,082
November	0	9,857
December	0	15,075
Estimated Average per Month:	8,704	9,592

Multi-Use Rink Door Count

	2024	<u>2023</u>
January	10,174	17,024
February	4,740	6,986
March	2,328	4,629
April	NA	NA
May	1,351	1,517
June	851	1,406
July	660	2,893
August	1329	2,459
September	0	1,524
October	NA	NA
November	0	6,685
December	<u>0</u>	<u>8,134</u>
Average per Month:	3,062	5,326

Cattails Golf Course August 2024 Report

The maintenance crew completed the fall green aeration on August 23rd. The greens have already completely healed.

The driving range was closed down for a week from standing water with all the rain we have been getting. The range is open now but range balls are limited.

Cattails will be the host location for the Joe I. Vigil cross country meet on September 7th. Hundreds of runners from around the state will compete in this event.

On September 21st and 22nd we will have the Grizzly Showdown 2 player best ball tournament. This event usually has a great turnout.

Revenue is looking great again this season. Last season was a record year and at this point our revenue is \$12,000 ahead of last year. We are already \$80,000 over our budgeted revenue for the year.

Below are revenue and expenses through September 1, 2024.

Year To Date as of 9/1/2024 Revenue

	<u>Fiscal</u>	<u>Budget</u>
Golf Passes	\$27,305	\$25,000
Golf Tournament Revenue	\$39,165	\$40,000
Golf Memberships	\$217,217	\$200,000
Golf Green Fees	\$139,927.86	\$90,000
Golf Cart Fees	\$86,392.12	\$60,000
Golf Merchandise Sales	\$111,547.62	\$120,000
Golf Range Fees	\$14,708.95	\$12,000
Golf Facility Rental	\$2,534.95	\$3,000
Golf Liquor/Beverage Sales	\$0	\$500
Golf Cart Shed Rental	\$29,400	\$49,000
Golf Handicap Fees	\$890	\$1000
Golf Miscellaneous	\$12,964.63	\$2,000
Total	\$682,053.13	\$602,500

Year to Date as of 9/1/2024 Expenses

	<u>Fiscal</u>	<u>Budget</u>
Full Time Salaries Clubhouse	\$48,724.35	\$74,711
Part Time Salaries Clubhouse	\$55,529.23	\$80,562
Full Time Salaries Grounds	\$106,564.29	\$170,529
Part Time Salaries Grounds	\$42,511.62	\$65,979
Full Time Overtime	\$2,519.30	\$3,420
PERA/ICMA	\$37,355.32	\$53,461
Medicare	\$3,571.57	\$5,252
Workmans Comp	\$0	\$3,500
Medical/Dental	\$26,405.04	\$39,272
Life Insurance	\$0	\$841
Unemployment Insurance	\$492.90	\$1,087
General Office Supplies	\$48.05	\$250
Outside Printing	\$780	\$500
Gas & Oil	\$10,487.05	\$13,000
Building Main. Supplies	\$1,848.44	\$2,000
Misc. Supplies	\$1,095.63	\$1,000
Golf Course Maintenance	\$10,422.37	\$14,000
Training & Travel	\$310.44	\$2,500
Membership, Dues, Handicap	\$10,449	\$11,000
Licenses and Fees	\$375	\$1,500
Advertising	\$1,394	\$3,000

Telephone	\$2,538.28	\$3,200
Electrical/Gas Service	\$28,075.71	\$40,000
Propane	\$1,924.24	\$3,500
Equipment/Machinery Lease	\$25,542.47	\$10,800
BLDG Maint/Security	\$4,009.91	\$5,000
POS System/Credit Card Fees	\$14,445.12	\$22,000
Sand/Seed/Fertilizer	\$17,919.11	\$22,000
Uniform Allowance	\$126.90	\$1,000
Equipment Repair/Maintenance	\$13,568.01	\$12,000
Merchandise Pro Shop	\$113,650.66	\$100,000
Tournament Expenses	\$17,552.17	\$25,000
Transfer Out	\$5,479.76	\$5,479.76
Parks/Golf Facilities	\$6,700	\$10,000
Total	\$612,415.94	\$807,343.76

Library Manager Report – August 2024



J. Hoolihan Clayton speaks to an attendee at the author visit.

Highlights

- A new Little Free Library opened at the Alamosa Welcome Center! This was a collaboration with the Friends of the Library and the Women's Citizenship Club, and was painted by our own Judith Boyd.
- Our program was featured by the Colorado Virtual Library - <https://www.coloradovirtuallibrary.org/learning/literacy/program-spotlight-play-learn-grow-family-night-at-alamosa-library/>
- Computer use, wifi use, and computer help questions fielded by staff reached a six-month high! Computer use, in particular, was the highest it's been since July 2023. Wifi use was **48% higher** than it was in August 2023.
- Books given to Little Free Libraries reached a six-month high with **641, 59% higher** than August 2023. This is thanks in part to high numbers of books given away at La Puente and St. Benedict's.

By the Numbers

- Program attendance was **32% higher** than it was in August 2023.
- Circulation was **7% higher** than it was in August 2023.

Partnerships and Outreach

This month, we visited the Mercadillo at the Farm Park again, with a total attendance of 29. We also visited the City Services Fair, the Farmer's Market, and St. Benedict's - making library cards and sharing information. We even got some proof of the effectiveness of our outreach programs! A teenager who visited our table at City Services Fair said:

"Ever since I got a card [at Back to School Bash] I've been going back and forth to the Library."

Tierra Nueva

Attendance = 58

Advantage Treatment Center

Jocelyn visited the ATC men's and women's groups, for a total attendance of 31.

Regular Programs

Adult Programs

Adult Dungeons and Dragons became a regular program this month, after our experimental summer program. Author J. Hoolihan Clayton - the author of "Commendable Discretion" - visited to promote her new book.

Book Club = 8

Adult Dungeons and Dragons = 6

Author Visit = 9

Tween Nights

Tween D&D continues to be a mainstay of programming. Jocelyn Lopez-Duran ran a resin jewelry program.

D&D = 18

Resin Jewelry = 8

Children's Programs

Attendance = 301

Services

1-on-1 Tech Help Service

We helped **3 people** with technology questions in August.

Telehealth Hub

The word is out! The Hub was used **8 times** in August - mainly for classes, but also for a legal meeting.

Database Sessions

Mango Languages – 78

Learning Express Library

Hits - 59

Sessions - 2

Registrations - 2

Library Stats - By The Numbers

Website Counter	Aug. 2023	Aug.	July	June	May	Apr.	Mar.	Feb.	Jan.
Page views	2,374	2,314	2,583	2,761	2,625	2,447	2,320	2,309	2,400
Sessions	1,170	1,204	1,281	1,247	1,372	1,220	1,228	1,126	1,166
1 st Time Visitors	679	723	739	729	795	691	722	633	651
Returning Visitors	62	75	68	79	89	88	74	76	72

Monthly Statistics Summary - 2023

	Aug. 2023	Aug.	July	June	May	Apr.	Mar.	Feb.
Adult Circs	6,305	6,457	6,691	5,600	6,357	6,314	6,284	6,320
Child Circs	3,142	3,614	3,670	2,965	3,152	3,087	3,305	2,569
Cloud Library	260	241	246	249	245	244	248	232
Overdrive	639	885	793	772	889	738	818	679
Kanopy	1	XX	XX	XX	XX	XX	XX	XX
Total Circs	9,447	10,071	10,361	8,565	9,509	9,401	9,589	8,889
Circs per hour	42.4	46.2	48.4	44.8	44.4	43.9	45.9	45.4
Mango	96 (13LP)	78	80 (4 LP)	48	58	49	44 (2 LP)	98 (2 LP)
Computer Use	2,568	2,838	2,416	1,971	2,358	2,451	2,512	2,191
Wifi Use	359	530	384	320	336	358	299	262
Computer Help	463	533	512	427	445	504	494	501
Reference Questions	867	850	723	676	779	843	770	850
Questions per hour (ref+comp)	6.0	6.4	5.8	5.8	5.7	6.3	6.1	6.9
Door Count	5,726	5,646	5,432	4,556	4,856	5,389		4,851
Program Attendance	539	708	1,173	873	1,151	851	659	576
Books at LFLs	404	641	391	635	467	421	284	279

Volunteer Hours	20	58	179.5	111.5	47	25	54	117
Masks	2	XX	0	14	21	17	12	19

Note: The door counter was out of order for over a week in March, therefore the total has been omitted.

Top Circulating Books - August 2024

3 Checkouts

The Peacock and the Sparrow - I. S. Berry
The Instruments of Darkness - John Connolly
The Midnight Feast - Lucy Foley
Malas - Marcela Fuentes (Spanish)
Death Behind Every Door - Heather Graham
Saguaro Sanction - Scott Graham
Death Valley Duel - Scott Graham
Mesa Verde Victim - Scott Graham
Arches Enemy - Scott Graham
Left for Dead - J. A. Jance
First Frost - Craig Johnson
You Like It Darker - Stephen King
Spirit Crossing - William Kent Krueger
A Good Kill - John McMahon
The God of the Woods - Liz Moore
Hard to Kill - James Patterson
Warrior King - Wilbur A. Smith
Shadow of Doubt - Brad Thor
The Captive - Carter Travis Young

"This library rocks! I can charge my electric vehicle and get my work done undisturbed!"
-compliment given to Rose S. on 8/9

"We are so fortunate to have such a great library" -comment recorded by Melissa M.

"Thank you for being so nice, all of you". -comment recorded by Melissa M.

"Looks like you have the best run library in Southern Colorado." -comment recorded by Melissa M.



The new Little Free Library at the Welcome Center, painted to honor our legacy of rail. Photo courtesy of the Valley Courier.

Youth Services Report August 2024



A very special library helper at the Rio Grande Farm Park Mercadillo outreach table!

Río Grande Farm Park Mercadillo en el Río & Alamosa Farmer's Market

For the second August in a row, the Library partnered with Alamosa Woman's Citizenship Club and the Rio Grande Farm Park to provide books and crafts for kids at the weekly Mercadillo en el Río. The members of the WCC planned, purchased and provided the craft and the Library brought very-good to like-new condition children's books to giveaway. Around 30 books were distributed and fun was had by all! Once again, the WCC's puppet show about animals in the changing seasons was a hit!





Young people watch the WCC members perform their scripted puppet show before taking the puppets in hand! (L) Assembling, painting and decorating birdhouses drew upper elementary, middle and high school students. (R)

Partnering with local organizations like Alamosa's WCC and the RGFP allows the Library to be seen in the community and to extend our welcome to people who may not know about the services we offer. We also took the opportunity to join the fun at the Alamosa Farmers Market kids' craft table in August. It was a wonderful opportunity to chat with children and adults alike about the Library while we crafted our own books from paper bags. Thank you to all of our fantastic partners for their support of our community and for letting the Library be a part of it.

Summer Reading Prize Earned

Starting last year, the Library ditched what we called "junk prizes," or small incentives earned at summer events through raffles, and opted to purchase a larger community prize for use at the Library! Last year, we purchased Cubelets robot blocks from ModRobotics, and they are super popular! This year, if all of the children participating in the Read for Beads program read at least 1,000 hours combined as logged on their reading logs, then the Library would reward them with a set of Big Blue Blocks from Imagination Playground. Sure enough, they rose to the challenge yet again, reading well over 1,000 hours at the end of July! Here are the kids of Kids Club testing them out.



August Programming by the Numbers

Storytime Attendance

Date	Theme	# of Adults	# of Kids	Total Attendees
8/2	Camping	9	10	19
8/6	"Stand Back," said the Elephant, "I'm Going to Sneeze!"	8	14	22
8/9	"Stand Back," said the Elephant, "I'm Going to Sneeze!"	13	13	26
8/13	Walter Finds His Voice: The Story of a Shy Crocodile	5	5	10
8/16	Walter Finds His Voice: The Story of a Shy Crocodile	9	10	19
8/20	canceled - Ms. Holly out	-	-	-
8/23	Lola at the Library	13	21	34
8/27	Bob & Flo (Buckets)	10	12	22
8/30	Bob & Flo (Buckets)	15	16	31
	2024 Monthly Total	82	101	183
	2023 Monthly Total	33	51	92

Kids Club Attendance

Date	Theme	# of Adults	# of Kids	Total Attendees
8/2	melting beads	4	12	16
Fri 8/9	"Beat the Heat" creations (melting beads, shrinky-dinks)	3	9	12
8/16/24	Medium Big Blue Blocks exploration	5	15	20
Fri 8/23	Popsicle stick crafts and catapults	5	12	17
8/30/2024	Rhyme Time! Hunt, BINGO & Book	7	19	26
	2024 Monthly Total	24	67	91
	2023 Monthly Total	11	30	41

Chess Club Attendance

Date	Theme	# of Adults	# of Kids	Total Attendees
8/15		5	5	10
8/22		4	4	8
8/29		2	4	6
	2024 Monthly Total	9	9	18
	2023 Monthly Total	3	7	10

Lucy's Listening Attendance

Date	# of Adults	# of Kids	Total Attendees
8/2	2	5	7
8/16	1	2	3
2024 Monthly Total	3	7	9
2023 Monthly Total	4	4	8

Teen & Tween Event Attendance

Date	Theme	# of Adults	# of Kids	Total Attendees
8/9	D&D		18	18
8/16	Resin Jewelry		8	8
8/22	TAB	2	11	13
	Monthly Total	2	37	39

Outreach Event Attendance

Date	Theme	# of Adults	# of Kids	Total Attendees
8/1	Tierra Nueva	0	8	8
Fri 8/2	ATC Women	19	0	19

Mon 8/5	ATC Men	12	0	12
8/7	Farm Park Mercadillo with WCC	2	3	5
8/8	Tierra Nueva		8	8
8/10	Library Craft at Alamosa Farmers Market	20	15	35
8/14	Farm Park Mercadillo with WCC	6	5	11
8/16	City Services Fair			129
8/19	St. Benedict's Outreach			10
8/23	Alpine Achievers visit to APL	2	10	12
8/28	Farm Park Mercadillo with WCC	6	7	13
	Monthly Total	67	56	262

