# Torrey Town Newsletter

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#### Schedule of events:

April 8 @ 9:00 AM Easter Egg Hunt at Park

Apple Days planning meeting April 11 @ 5:30 PM at the Pavillion. Volunteers needed

April 14 Public Hearing 6:30PM at Pavilion

May 1-6, Spring Clean-up-@ Old Fire Station May 5 & 6 Dumpsters Scrap Metal collection at Town Shop.

May 6 at Noon Volunteer
Luncheon
Lunch will be served at noon
at the Torrey Pavilion for
cleanup volunteers.

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### TAKE PRIDE IN TORREY

### SPRING HAS SPRUNG!

Let's take pride in Our Town! We are asking owners to plan the week of May 1-6 to please clean your yards and properties of unsightly and dangerous fire hazards: debris, weeds and yard waste. We all love to live here and are proud of our Town. We hope you would extend a hand to anyone in need- a load to the dumpsters, perhaps for someone without a truck or trailer.

Dumpsters will be available Friday & Saturday May 5 & 6. Please cut limbs and brush to MAXIMIZE DUMPSTER SPACE. **Metals** will be collected: derelict appliance, wire , fencing without wooden posts, grills, etc. should be left at the town shop pile, between the Fire Station and the Town shop.

Our Firefighters see fire hazards and ask that you assess your property for fuels: derelict cars, collapsing buildings, and weeds, and remove them. Please keep in mind near-by properties that are downwind of yours should a spark ignite dead grasses or abandoned outbuildings and start a fire.

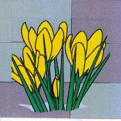
#### **BURN WINDOW**

The burn window is March 1– May 30 and again in the fall. Please remember to get a burn permit at County Burn Permit. If you are unable to do the permit on your own, call Town Hall, we are happy to help you. It is important you have a permit. If your fire gets away from you, you may be fined and may be responsible for any costs incurred fighting the fire

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#### Apple Days 2023

Everyone looks forward to the biggest celebration in Torrey every year. It takes more than a village to host all the visitors. We implore you to hang posters, set up some games, sit at a booth and collect tickets, help with the parade, fix up a float ,be a go-pher for an hour. Just be there and pitch in!

The first planning meeting will be at Tuesday, April 11 at 5:30PM at the Pavilion. Come with your good will and ideas. Spend as much or as little time as you have and help the army of volunteers it takes to sponsor this event.

### **Torrey Town Government Updates**

#### **Volunteers Needed:**

Apple Days (June 30 & July 1) will be here soon, and we are looking for volunteers to help with all the activities. If you can help, please contact the town office (425-3600).

We are looking for volunteers to help with the Arbor Day cleanup effort. Some folks need a bit of help cleaning up their yards and hauling trash to the dumpsters. If you can help, please contact Torrey Town office (425-3600). We appreciate all the help!

**Water Usage:** Ensign Engineering is completing an update to Torrey's Water Master Plan. Below is information about water usage in Torrey.

Peak water usage day for 2022 was July 2 with 810,000 gallons used

Peak water source day for 2022 was July 6 with 875,000 gallons incoming

Torrey has 48 Equivalent Residential Units (ERU) available

This year we have given out 8 ERUs leaving 40 ERUs

The 48 ERUs does NOT include the new springs that are coming online this spring The ERU bank will be updated when the new springs come online in the spring

Water Usage Statistics

There are 446 residential meters deployed

The average residential usage is 8,000 gallons per month

14% use more than 30,000 gallons per month on average

19% use more than 20,000 gallons per month on average

32% use more than 10,000 gallons per month on average

Torrey is expected to grow at 3.5% per year for the next 20 years

This would be 15 new residential connections per year

#### New Water Tank:

New 500,000 Gallon Water Tank - \$1.6 million dollar grant

Request for Bids are out

April 11, 3pm Bid Opening meeting

April 13 Town Council meeting will confirm bid winner and construction can start
The Forest Service upgraded the Great Western Trail road from the cattle guard to the tanks

#### Road Update:

Submitted grant request for \$2.9 million dollars to upgrade Sleeping Rainbow, Center Street, and replacing Sand Creek bridge

Working other grants for the remaining streets. It is estimated to cost another \$2 million to upgrade all the other roads in Torrey.

Mickey Wright, Mayor