



TOWN OF CENTER NEWSLETTER

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Exciting news!



DOWNTOWN DREAMING

Imagine a grand sculpture, so huge that people drive from all around to see it. Now imagine that sculpture just down the road—out on the Consaul property.

Sounds crazy, you think? Think again! New Center business owners, Steve Huey and Krystal Anton attended the September Town Board meeting to share this exciting opportunity—for Center to host an art presentation on the Consaul property.

It would be a large sculpture by a well-known artist, Doug Aitken. The sculpture would be constructed here and eventually moved to other locations for display. It would be a new and exciting event for us and the Board supports the project and hopes it happens sometime in the next year.

Stand by for more news on this.

Other possibilities for downtown growth include a woodworking business, an art gallery, a coffee shop, an office, and more. Let's support all efforts to develop our downtown.

CORONAVIRUS REPORT: GOOD NEWS!

Kudos to Saguache County! We have had NO new cases of Coronavirus in the past two weeks (September 8 – 21), as reported by Saguache County Public Health. The Valley as a whole has had only three new cases in the past two weeks.

Health officials tell us to continue with the precautions:

- Wear your masks when you go out.
- Maintain six feet of social distancing from people outside your household.
- Wash your hands thoroughly and frequently.



Why? Because a new wave of the virus is expected, and we need to stay prepared. In addition, the flu season is also upon us, which adds to the risk.

Thank you to everyone who is following the advised procedures. Your efforts are paying off for the safety of our community.

BACK-UP TRANSFORMERS PURCHASED

Who could forget the great **BLACKOUT** at the end of August when a transformer malfunctioned? That outage left West Center without power for 27 hours, while we scrambled to get a new transformer.

In September, the Town Board authorized \$68,000.00 to purchase back-up transformers, so the Town will be prepared.

These back-up transformers will ensure a quick response in case of any future malfunctions.

Avoiding the next

BLACKOUT

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