

Will-O-Wisp Newsletter

May 2026

REMINDER: Please Do Not Trespass on Askag LLC land.

This is the open meadow land adjacent to Wisp Creek Drive that connects the two ponds & the trail/land off the end of Silver Springs Road.

The district does not own this land.
It is owned by Adam Shirley/Askag LLC.

NOTE: If you receive a paper mailing of the WoW newsletter and water/sewer bill and would like to receive these by email instead, please send your email to the main district email admin@wowmetro.net and your customer account will be updated.

Update: District Water/Sewer Bills have increased to \$100/month, effective February 1, 2026. Please ensure payments are adjusted promptly as late fees will continue to be applied.

Will O Wisp District Resolution - Residential Garbage Containers

On March 18, 2026, the WOW Board adopted a resolution on residential garbage containers for the district. The only permitted garbage containers in the district are the **95 gallon residential trash cans**, bear proof when possible. As many as needed per household.

No dumpsters of any kind are permitted at any residence unless such dumpster has been pre-approved by the ACC for temporary commercial use.

The resolution can be found on the WOW website and will be attached to May newsletter email to district residents.

Fire Season:

Park County is currently in a Stage 2 Fire Ban.

Fire danger is a massive concern for our community. Current information on fire restrictions can be obtained from Elk Creek Fire Department, Platte Canyon Fire Department as well as the Park County Sheriff Office. Links are included below for reference.

Please ensure that all dead trees are removed from your property. WOW district lands are continually reviewed to see if dead trees need to be cut down.

Double check that you are signed up for the Reverse 911 call with the Park County Sheriff's Office to get notifications about any emergencies that might occur.

Watch Duty is another useful resource. It is a real-time wildfire tracking and alert platform. It utilizes a combination of official data sources and human monitoring by experienced volunteers, including active and retired firefighters, dispatchers, and first responders. You can sign up online or download the app to your phone.

<https://elkcreekfpd.colorado.gov/>

<https://www.plattecanyonfire.com/>

<https://www.parkcountyco.gov/896/Fire-Restrictions-Burn-Ban-Info>

<https://www.watchduty.org/>

Pine Beetle Spraying Reminder

Pine Beetle spraying happens between the beginning of June thru the end of July. The spray is purely a deterrent for the beetles. Only healthy trees are sprayed that do not want to be lost.

Outside Water Use

Please remember any & all outside water use is strictly forbidden if the water comes from the district systems. You are permitted to have a rain catch. Please read through WOW's covenants and rules & regulations if you need a refresher.

These are on the district website. This is especially important this year due to drought concerns and restrictions in place.

Rules & Regulations/Water & Sewer Fee Schedule:

As a reminder, every resident & homeowner that lives within the district boundaries are subject to the rules & regulations and the water/sewer payment schedule of the district. These items are on the district website for public viewing and reference.

Zelle Tips for Water/Sewer Payment Set-up:

Please visit the WOW's website on all the ways that your water/sewer bill can be paid.

Reminder: If you are going to send a Zelle payment from a company or 3rd party named account, please reference your address or water/sewer bill invoice account in the memo section, otherwise we don't know whose account the payment should be applied.

Checks received at the WOW dropbox & sent to WOW via USPS are deposited 2x per month. Zelle is highly encouraged.

Monthly Board Meeting: [Wednesday May 20, 2026](#)

Board Members: Kimberly Merriman, Sameer Surampalli, Joe Weidner, Nathan Omsberg, Mark Petri

Location: 956 Wisp Creek Drive & Zoom. Zoom link provided on the district website. All residents are welcome & encouraged to attend.