CO DNR Goes Remote During COVID-19

Friday, April 3, 2020

In light of the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic and in alignment with Governor Polis' Executive and Public Health Orders as well as Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment and Centers of Disease Control guidance to combat the virus, the Colorado Department of Natural Resources (DNR) announced today that its Executive Offices and the large majority of its Divisions both in the Denver metro area and statewide have closed their offices to in-person visits until
April 11 but mostly likely longer, but remain accessible via phone and email and open for business.

“The Colorado Department of Natural Resources remains committed to being available to our stakeholders and members of the public during this unprecedented state emergency,” said Dan Gibbs, Executive Director. “While our offices are closed to the public, thanks to technology our employees are still doing their regular work from home and we have staff on call and available to the public via email and phone on any questions or needs related to the management of our natural resources, access to outdoor recreation, and any questions related to permits, regulations and oversight.”

Below is the status of DNR related office buildings and Divisions and associated linked information sources on specific closures and accommodations.

Executive Director’s Office
Main Office: 1313 Sherman Street, Suite 718, Denver, CO 80203
Status: Building locked and closed for in-person visits, available via phone, email
Contact information: Phone: 303-831-3311
email: DNR_DNR.EDOAssist@state.co.us (mailto:DNR_DNR.EDOAssist@state.co.us)
website: cdnr.us

Colorado Avalanche Information Center
Main Office: 325 Broadway WS1 Boulder, CO 80305
Status: Building locked and closed for in-person visits, available via phone, email
Contact information: Phone: 303-499-9650
website: https://avalanche.state.co.us/ (https://avalanche.state.co.us/)

Colorado Division of Reclamation Mining and Safety
Main Office: 1313 Sherman Street, Suite 215, Denver, CO 80203
Status: Building locked and closed for in-person visits,available via phone, email
Contact information: Phone: (303) 303-866-3567 Email: dnr_dmg_web@state.co.us (mailto:dnr_dmg_web@state.co.us)
website: https://www.colorado.gov/drms (https://www.colorado.gov/drms)

Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission
Main Office: 1120 Lincoln Street, Suite 801, Denver, CO 80203
Status: Main & Rifle offices are closed to the public. COGCC staff is currently teleworking, field operations conduct site visits without needing to interact face-to-face.
Contact information: Phone:303-894-2100
website: https://cogcc.state.co.us/about.html#/contacts (https://cogcc.state.co.us/about.html#/contacts)

Colorado Parks and Wildlife
Main Office: 1313 Sherman Street, Suite 618 Denver, CO 80203
Status: All Colorado Parks and Wildlife offices and visitor center locations are closed to the public, but staff remains on-site for helping customers via

phone and email. Check specific locations for the best phone number and/or email to use for reaching that particular office.
Contact Information: Phone: 303.297.1192, email: DNR_wildlife.cpwinfo@state.co.us (mailto:DNR_wildlife.cpwinfo@state.co.us)
Website: https://cpw.state.co.us/aboutus/Pages/COVID-19-Response.aspx (https://cpw.state.co.us/aboutus/Pages/COVID-19-Response.aspx)

Colorado State Land Board
Main Office: 1127 Sherman Street, Suite 300, Denver, CO 80203
Status: All seven State Land Board offices are closed for in-person visits. Staff remains available via phone and email. The monthly Commissioner meetings will occur virtually.
Contact information: Phone: 303-866-3454 Email: kristin.kemp@state.co.us (mailto:kristin.kemp@state.co.us)
website: https://www.colorado.gov/pacific/statelandboard/contact-us-43 (https://www.colorado.gov/pacific/statelandboard/contact-us-43)

Colorado Water Conservation Board
Main Office: 1313 Sherman Street, Suite 718 Denver, CO 80203
Status: Building locked and closed for in-person visits, available via phone, email
Contact information: Phone: (303) 866-3441 Email: sara.leonard@state.co.us (mailto:sara.leonard@state.co.us)
website: https://cwcb.colorado.gov/ (https://cwcb.colorado.gov/)

Colorado Division of Water Resources
Main Office: 1313 Sherman Street, Suite 821 Denver, CO 80203
Status: Building locked and closed for in-person visits, available via phone, email
Contact information: Phone: (303) 866-3581 Email: Use AskDWR Form
website: http://water.state.co.us/ (http://water.state.co.us/)

Division of Forestry/Colorado State Forest Service (CSFS)
State Office: 5060 Campus Delivery, Fort Collins, CO 80523-5060
Status: All CSFS field offices are closed until further notice. CSFS personnel are working remotely and remain available to assist partners and the public in ways that align with local, state and national health guidelines in response to COVID-19. Staff is regularly checking office phones and email, so members of the public may still seek assistance by contacting their local field office via phone and email.
Contact information: Phone: (970) 491-6303 email: CSFS_SO@colostate.edu (mailto:CSFS_SO@colostate.edu)
website: https://csfs.colostate.edu/areas/ (https://csfs.colostate.edu/areas/)

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Parks & Wildlife (https://dnr.colorado.gov/divisions/colorado-parks-wildlife)

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