WHAT ROCCS?
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**Did you know that ROCC's Clean Energy Committee and SMPA spearheaded the conversion from fluorescent to LED lights in the Ridgway Schools.  ROCC contributed $5,000 and volunteer labor on this effort.  The LED lights are now saving the Ridgway School District $1200 per month.**
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IMPORTANT DATES**

**April 20, Thursday, ROCC Clean Energy Committee meeting at 9:00 am in the SMPA office in Ridgway.**

**April 20, Thursday, ROCC Talk -** **Protecting Our Public Lands in the New Political Landscape**(Speakers TBA)**at 7:00 pm in the Ridgway Community Center.

April 25, Tuesday, ROCC Social Justice Committee Meeting at 7:00 pm in the United Church of the San Juans.  The committee is focusing on immigrant rights and affordable housing.  New members are welcome.**

**May 14, Sunday,  ROCC Talk - Retired CO Supreme Court Justice Greg Hobbs on water issues and water poetry at  7:00 pm in the Ridgway Community Center.**

**May 20, Saturday, ROCC Parking Lot Sale at the 4-H Events Center in Ridgway.  For more information:** [Parking Lot Sale](http://www.roccnet.org/uploads/2/6/4/3/26435947/rocc_2017_parking_lot_sale_info__sheet_w-o_lyv_fest.docx)
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**COMMUNITY EVENTS**
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[Congressmen Scott Tipton to Hold Town Hall Meeting in Montrose](https://www.d3indivisible.co/calendar/2017/4/7/szjx9avzm3nczebndvii24pjm2gp6p)Friday, April 7, 20176:00pm – 7:00pm
**Montrose High School Gymnasium**[(map)](http://maps.google.com/?q=600%20South%20Selig%20Avenue%20Montrose,%20CO,%2081401%20United%20States" \t "_blank)
*Note: the town hall meeting schedule is subject to change to reflect unexpected changes in the 2017 Congressional calendar.*
**Montrose Town Hall Meeting**
Friday April 7, 2017
6:00-7:00p.m.
Montrose High School Gymnasium
600 S. Selig Avenue, Montrose, CO

If you want to ask Congressman Tipton a question then write your question on a notecard and hand it to one of the Congressman's aides.

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**INFORMATION HUB**

* [Space to Create Survey](http://www.artspace.org/RidgwayS2Csurvey%22%20%5Ct%20%22_blank) - Community input needed. Please go to the survey and help create Space to Create with your ideas and needs.  For more information go to: [space\_to\_create.docx](http://www.roccnet.org/uploads/2/6/4/3/26435947/space_to_create.docx)
* Go to the [ROCC Facebook](https://www.facebook.com/RidgwayOurayCommunityCouncil/?ref=bookmarks" \t "_blank) page and click "like". You will get ROCC updates as they are added. Info on membership meetings, ROCC Talks, events like the ROCC Parking Lot Sale and ROCC spaghetti dinner.
* [Colorado Capital Watch profiling bills that have been introduced in the Colorado Legislature.](http://www.coloradocapitolwatch.com/bill-analysis/3236/2017/0/%22%20%5Ct%20%22_blank)
* [TAKE ACTION FOR PUBLIC LANDS](http://www.wildernessworkshop.org/action/capital-watch/%22%20%5Ct%20%22_blank) - Capital Watch from Wilderness Workshop. Great resource to help follow public lands bills and take action.
* [99 Reasons 2016 Was a Good Year - Furture Crunch - Medium](https://medium.com/future-crunch/99-reasons-why-2016-has-been-a-great-year-for-humanity-8420debc2823%22%20%5Cl%20%22.sb8f71v8y%22%20%5Ct%20%22_blank)​
* [Grand Junction now has an electronics recycling center](https://correcycling.com/%22%20%5Ct%20%22_blank)
NOW there is a one stop solution open at 739 3rd Ave. Grand Junction CO 81501 open Mo-Fr 8:30 – 5:30 with Pick up services available from Aspen to Montrose & Vail to Moab.
<https://correcycling.com/> Info@Correcycling.com

* **GO GREEN**for just a few dollars a month. For info on buying SMPA Green Blocks call San Miguel Power Association 626-5549 and ask for Wiley Freeman. [You can also find information and sign up online here.](http://www.smpa.com/content/green-centsgreen-blocks%22%20%5Ct%20%22_blank)

* [**Western Organization of Resource Councils** - WORC](http://www.worc.org/)
* [**Western Colorado Congress**- WCC](http://wccongress.org/wcc/)

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**NOT A ROCC Member?** ​

* [Click here for more info on ROCC and how to join ROCC.](http://www.roccnet.org/why-join-rocc.html)
* [ROCC 2016 Accomplishments & Initiatives](http://www.roccnet.org/2016-rocc-accomplishments--initiatives.html)