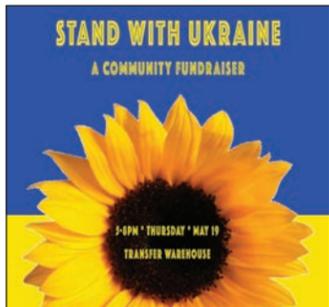


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Don't quote me but...

"A group of locals are holding a benefit concert for Ukraine Thursday, May 19, at the Transfer Warehouse from 5:30-8:30 p.m. This will be a family friendly event with local musicians performing, some fun giveaways and information on what's going on in Eastern Europe, including info on what organizations one can directly donate to. Drinks will be available for purchase, and all are welcome, even if it's just to stop by."

—Yana Pollard

Calendar

Friday

- AA: Christ Church (and via Zoom), 7 a.m., Zoom code 825-3167-0042
- Student Art Show: Telluride Arts HQ Gallery (220 W. Colorado Ave.), 4-6 p.m.
- Teen Summer Jobs Fair: Wilkinson Public Library, 4-5:40 p.m.
- AA: Christ Church (and via Zoom), 5:30 p.m., Zoom code 825-3167-0042
- Film: 'The Unbearable Weight of Massive Talent,' Nugget Theatre, 7 p.m.

Saturday

- AA: Christ Church (and via Zoom), 10 a.m., Zoom code 825-3167-0042
- Bright Futures and San Miguel Resource Center Parenting Symposia: Wilkinson Public Library, third to sixth grade parents attend from 12-2 p.m., and parents of middle school and high-schoolers from 2-4 p.m., RSVP to allie@brightfuturesforchildren.org
- Singing Bone Medicine Puppet Show: Wilkinson Public Library, 3 p.m.
- AA Women's Meeting: Christ Church (and via Zoom), 4 p.m., Zoom code 825-3167-0042
- Film: 'The Unbearable Weight of Massive Talent,' Nugget Theatre, 7 p.m.

Weather

Forecast: Friday will be mostly sunny with a high of 59. Saturday will be sunny with a high 65.

Muse: "Love yourself. Then find something to love beyond yourself."—Grace Potter

IN ORBIT:

Friday focus: Music & Entertainment

For the birds

Sunday: Business

TRANSPORTATION

SMART discusses accessibility

By EVA THOMAS
Staff Reporter

Community meetings focus on serving people with disabilities and older adults

The San Miguel Authority for Regional Transportation (SMART) hosted a series of community meetings around the region this week to discuss and identify gaps and support options for people with disabilities and older adults. Meetings were held in Naturita, Norwood, Placerville and Mountain Village. Two meetings were held in

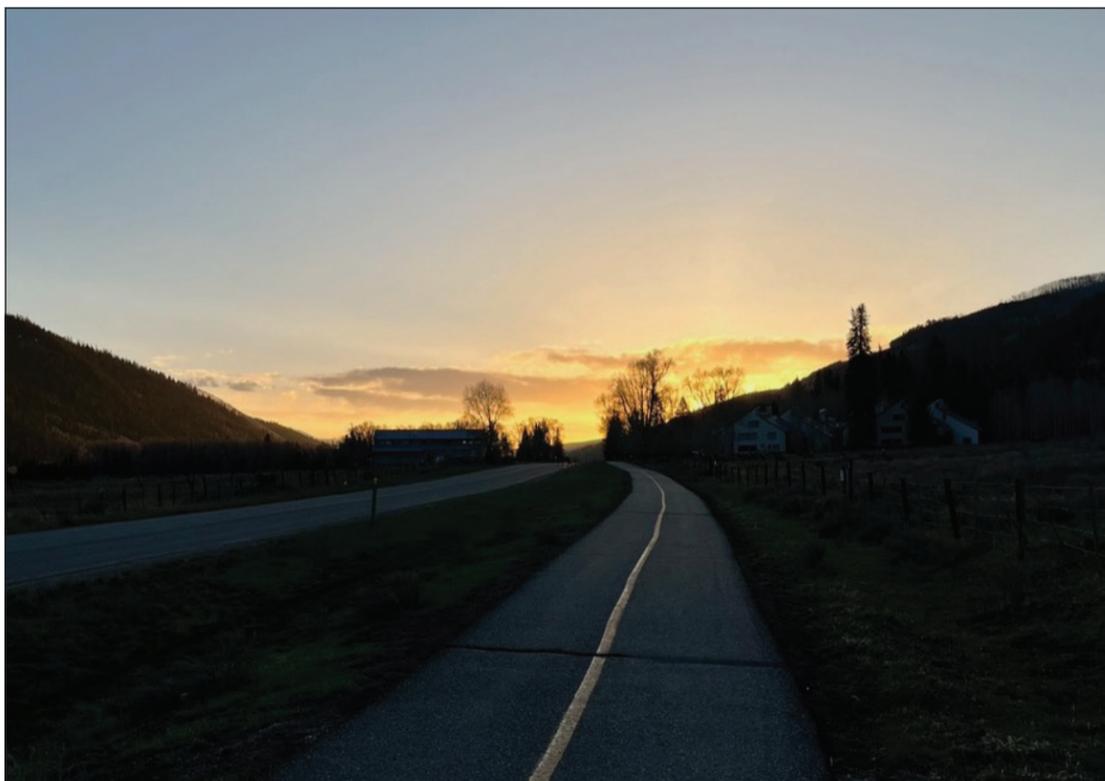
Mountain Village. Members from SMART and representatives from the consulting firm Fehr & Peers discussed options and challenges with community attendees on Wednesday in Mountain Village. SMART hired the Denver-based firm to conduct a study.

"The study is looking generally at gaps in mobility needs, but particularly around older adults, and people with mobility issues and where the gaps in SMART service and what All Points (Transit) are doing in the region and looking at what the gaps are

to be filled, and address people's needs for getting around," said Sydney Provan, Fehr & Peers transportation planner.

Wednesday's meeting focused on spreading awareness about the public transportation offered in the region. The term "awareness" referred to the stops and routes provided by SMART, transportation options for medi-

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A serene sunset

As the days get longer, the sun settles at the end of the canyon a little later. The view from the Valley Floor is always captivating. (Photo by Eva Thomas/Telluride Daily Planet)

TELLURIDE

Revised noise ordinance becomes law

Council rules on temporary structures

By SUZANNE CHEAVENS
Associate Editor

Town Council unanimously passed on second reading a revision of the town's noise ordinance that relaxes weekend time limits and penalties for violations, among other minor amendments.

At its Tuesday meeting, in the afternoon portion of the agenda, assistant town attorney Ali Slaten walked council through the changes between the ordinance's first and second read-

ings.

"This is what this ordinance does," Slaten said, "it provides that amplified sound can be played both indoors and outdoors from 7 a.m. to 11 p.m. On Friday, Saturdays and defined holidays, provided that sound is not plainly audible at a distance of 50 feet from the building if indoor, or 50 feet from the source if outdoors. It defines which holidays that those restrictions are subjected to. It creates a permit process to exceed these time

limits for certain events. And finally, it removes the criminal penalties for noise ordinance violations and the town."

Slaten reminded council that Christmas Eve had been removed from the list of defined holidays and that Dia de los Muertos had been added. Council wasted no time in approving the measure 6-0 (Mayor DeLanie Young was unable to attend Tuesday's meeting).

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EVENTS

FULL MOUNTAIN-FILM LINEUP

Upcoming festival includes 23 world premieres

SPECIAL TO THE PLANET

One of North America's oldest film festivals, Mountainfilm, which has also been dubbed one of the "coolest" fests in the world, recently announced the full lineup for its 44th edition and first fully in-person event since 2019. Taking place this Memorial Day weekend, May 26-30, throughout Telluride, attendees can look forward to 131 bold and inspiring films, including 31 features (19 of which are women produced or directed) and 97 shorts (43 of which are women produced or directed) curated into 11 programs, including award-worthy environmental, social justice and adventure-themed films, according to a news release.

"We're thrilled to be showcasing over 80 international, U.S. and Colorado premieres, including a strong lineup of films featuring under-represented voices," festival director Suzan Beraza said. "Mountainfilm continues its strong tradition of programming the very best in the genres of environment and sustainability, social justice, culture, activism, and, of course, the great outdoors and edge-or-your-seat adventure programming,

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