



The Pelican Brief

Serving [The Pelican Pointe Community](#)

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Difficult times require careful actions, thought

Our world always is changing, it's a fact of life on our planet. But now as the world is dealing with the effects of the Covid pandemic, many changes are huge and dramatic, other changes will force us to rethink what we expect and what we believe.

Several Pelican Pointe residents quickly responded in the past several weeks by offering to help neighbors with errands such as grocery shopping and even just looking in on each other.

Multiple entities have assembled resource lists, mostly online, for helplines, business closures and schedule changes for area services. That type of information continues to evolve and change everyday, sometimes more than once a day. It would not be practical to attempt to list such information in this newsletter. Here are resource links for Colorado and the Federal government: <https://covid19.colorado.gov/> or <https://www.coronavirus.gov/>. The best overall advice is for individuals with questions to rely on the news media and their own 'networks' of service providers, family, friends and willing neighbors. If you have any appointments or have to go somewhere, call before you go to ensure they're open.

Individuals can knock on a neighbors' door, stand back, do not enter, and just say "hello." Or, call to check in. The most updated [Pelican Pointe directory is online](#) (password: 8300Fairmount!). No printed copies were distributed. Keep in mind, all Pelican Pointe residents are NOT listed because some residents do not want to have their names and/or phone numbers published in that public directory.

Food for thought from someone who lived through one of the darkest, yet most inspiring, times of human history:

"The pessimist sees difficulty in every opportunity. The optimist sees the opportunity in every difficulty." -- Winston Churchill

Take care of yourself, stay healthy, take a walk but stay 6-feet from others, read a book, do a crossword puzzle, clean out a closet, wash the insides of your windows... You know, do those tasks at home that you've been putting off. And, be in regular contact with the people who are important to you. ###

Spring gutter cleaning set for April 1-4

Our contractor Eco Roof and Solar is scheduled to clean the roof gutters at Pelican Pointe beginning Wed., April 1. The work is expected to take a few days, weather permitting. Hopefully, this will be a much less involved process than the last time considering there should be much less leaf and granule debris. ###

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Mark your calendar

Trash pickup days are Thurs., April 2 (delay due to Cesar Chavez Day March 30); Wed., April 8, 15, 22, 29.

--**Recycle items in purple carts: April 2, 15, 29** You may have many containers from take-out food, carefully review details on what to recycle, and don't put recycle in trash bags.

--**Extra trash: April 15.** Extra trash is picked up every four weeks.

Sign up to get trash-pickup email reminders. Note: The system recognizes our address as 8300 E. Fairmount Drive, that's E. even though we don't use E. in our address.

Passover begins, Thursday, April 9

Good Friday, April 10

Easter, Sunday, April 12

NO Pelican Pointe Homeowners Association Board Meeting

Board members will be in contact with each other and our property manager to handle any immediate concerns. All homeowners should stay tuned for updates regarding resumption of HOA meetings.

[Meeting Minutes are posted online.](#)

Pelican Pointe property emergency after normal business hours

Call Weststar Management 720-941-9200, press option 1 to reach an on-call manager who will return your call promptly. That's 720 not 303.

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Income Tax Filing and Payment Deadlines extended

The **filing and payment deadlines** for individual returns have been extended until July 15, 2020. For details, contact your preparer or review IRS updates at:

<https://www.irs.gov/newsroom/payment-deadline-extended-to-july-15-2020>

NO Pelican Pointe Lunch Bunch until further notice due to closure of all area dine-in restaurant service.

NO Pelican Pointe Book Group until further notice.

Earth Day

Wednesday, April 22 – [click for various local activities, subject to change.](#)

Submissions welcome for *The Pelican Brief*

As a Pelican Pointe homeowner/resident you may have questions or suggestions about our community. Submit your ideas, photos, observations or questions for *The Pelican Brief* to daniellezieg@gmail.com.