



MESA COUNTY

CLERK & RECORDER

News Release

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Mesa County Clerk and Recorder's Offices Opening to the Public

Limited Exposure During Phase One

Motor Vehicle:

- Phase 1: The Main Motor Vehicle Office will re-open to the public on Monday, May 4, 2020 with the following provisions:
 - Hours of Operation: 8:30 AM to 4:30 PM – 8:30 AM to 9:30 AM will be reserved for residents of our vulnerable population.
 - Transactions below are available:
 - New Titles
 - Bonds
 - Assigned VINS
 - Manufactured Homes
 - Initial Registrations
 - Plate Replacements
 - Persons with Disabilities (PWD)
 - Registration Renewals
 - Encouraged to utilize mail in, drop box, phone, kiosk, or online services.
 - Customers must to adhere to social distancing guidelines and are asked of the following:
 - Wear a face covering
 - Wear gloves
 - Do not bring guests – one customer per ticket
 - Reasonable accommodations provided for elderly or nursing customers.
 - Customers urged to take advantage of the online services (mydmv.colorado.gov/) for renewals and PWD plus over 30 more e-services.
 - Our Skip the Trip options are still available if customers wish to process their title and registration paperwork remotely. Packets are available for download via our website (clerk.mesacounty.us/mv/quick-trip-tips/) or at our Main and Clifton Offices.

- Phase 2: Upon direction from the Mesa County Public Health Department, Phase 2 will see the re-opening of the Clifton Office. Phase 2 will be just like Phase 1 with the following exception:
 - In person renewals processed.
- Phase 3: Upon direction from the Mesa County Public Health Department, Phase 3 will see the re-opening of the Fruita Office. All social distancing guidelines and services offered in Phase 2 will remain the same.
- The Motor Vehicle may be reached at the following:
 - Phone: 970-244-1664
 - Email: plates@mesacounty.us
 - Website: clerk.mesacounty.us/mv/

Recording:

- In office recording and document research:
 - Masks or facial coverings requested.
 - No more than 5 customers will be allowed in the office.
 - Only one person per transaction or record search.
 - Six foot spacing in the hallway for waiting customers.
- Marriage Licenses:
 - All statute requirements reinstated.
 - At least one party to the marriage must appear to apply for a marriage license.
 - By appointment only.
 - Application completed online before the appointment.
 - No family members.
- Website: www.mesacounty.us
- Marriage License application and appointments
clerk.mesacounty.us/recording
- Searching
 - Indexed from 1968 – current
 - Grantor/Grantee books on line to 3/1883
 - Document images back to 3/1883 by reception number
 - Certified copies

Elections:

- Encouraged to go online to www.govotecolorado.gov or call 970-244-1662 and the office will mail a voter registration form.
- Mask or facial covering requested.

For updates related to the novel coronavirus (COVID-19), please visit:
health.mesacounty.us/covid19/