

# 2008 Quality of Life Survey

## **Appendix II** **Written Responses/Comments**



## Question 7: General Comments and Suggestions (581 total)

<b><i>General Comments and Suggestions:</i></b>
This is a beautiful city! The concerts by the lake at Chilson Center are great.
The quality of life in Loveland has diminished greatly since the late '50s and early '60s.
Born in Loveland. Love my town!
Why bother to make suggestions that fall on deaf ears?
Thanks Loveland - we love it here so much.
I heart Loveland.
Loveland offers a great life for all ages. I moved to Loveland 30 years ago and have loved the area.
I moved here from Ohio and wouldn't want to live anywhere else but here!!!!
Lived here age 16-50. I hate it now wish I could leave.
20+ years here. Raised 4 kids here - great place to work and raise a family. Thanks to all city employees!
Too expensive to live here. Tax Tax Tax!
The Utility Billing office is outstanding! Parks dept is well run we have good response from them when we use facilities!
I've had an unpleasant experience with City staff. The cemetery caretaker at Loveland Burial Park was somewhat rude when I told him of an upsetting event that occurred at my husband's final resting place. There were other events subsequent to this encounter that led me to believe that my feelings meant nothing. After many weeks of talking to his manager, some things have changed but I know the caretaker has and continues to tell untruths to his manager.
My husband and I have both been employed in the area for many years. We have not considered another location for our retirement. We feel we are blessed to call this community our home.
You don't care about anyone but upper class.
Overall I think Loveland is a wonderful community and a great place to live. I am pleased with the changes McWhinney is doing. Centerra is great, especially the Chapunga Sculpture Park.
My husband and I LOVE Loveland! We recently came back to the area from a year spent in Raleigh, N.C. We truly missed the sculptures, parks, outdoor recreation and activities that abound here. Way to go Loveland!
It is nice to see new construction on parks and gutters on our streets, highways and new ramps to the areas of town.
I am disappointed in the way Loveland is turning towards socialism with all the surveillance cameras everywhere, including the major intersections.
Appreciate the Loveland/Ft. Collins airport and Police and Fire Services.
Overall good.
Garbage pick-up doing an excellent job.
July 4th fireworks in neighborhoods should be outlawed - period!! No police patrolling my neighborhood and if they drive by, do nothing!! Too much fire hazard!!!
Overall Loveland is good place to live.
Laws have been passed to protect us from secondhand smoke in businesses, but how can I be protected

from what people burn in their fireplaces? I live downtown and downwind from a neighbor behind me that burns everyday in winter (morning and evening) and even on pleasant days that I could have my doors and windows open. The smell is horrific and lingers in my home. Also, I have been out more than once to check to see if my house is on fire. There is nothing I can do and no one to help me - not the city code enforcement people, fire department, police, not even the health department. I just sit and cry. I am not going through another helpless winter. My house is for sale and I am clearing out of Loveland completely. And don't get me started on light pollution from flood lights!!
2008 Fireworks were really great!
We live in a great city. Quality of life is excellent.
I do not want to live here anymore!!
We have loved it here!
Loveland is a great place to reside.
Thanks for a great town.
The fireworks were great this year.
Loveland provides quality drinking water!!
Make the city utilities news insert CURRENT!
I love Loveland!!!!
Need a dog park.
Bad choice to increase property owner's flat property hike.
We love our city - all employees very courteous. Proud to live in Loveland, Colorado! Thank You
I am glad I live here.
We have the trial, blue recycle bins on wheels - love it!
We love living in Loveland and the great quality of life here. Thanks for all you do to make it better.
I had flooding in my basement from the city's MISTAKE.
I love living in Loveland.
Loveland city services are outstanding and the town is beautiful.
Thank you for asking my perspective.
Boyd Lake - Loveland surface rights for boating. Remove cottonwood trees.
Tap water smells and tastes bad.
I often watch the city council and other proceedings on the TV station.
Loveland really is a land to love.
Sure the quality of life is good (for the well off) but not so much for those who struggle. Loveland is beautiful but we need more opportunities for average citizens (especially for kids and teens).
Thanks - we enjoy living here. Loveland is a great place.
Thanks for listening.
Clean algae off Benson Park Pond.
The people in charge of weed control have been most helpful on the R.R. by my home. Thanks.
Love the area and the town.

I love Loveland!
My wife and I moved to Loveland with four children from Okla. in 1967. Our four children graduated from Loveland High (we have been very happy here). Thank you Loveland Leaders (you are Okay).
I was born in Loveland and have lived here my entire life. Loveland is a great place. The older, west part of the downtown neighborhood is a wonderful place.
We love it here – Thanks.
Not all things are reported to citizens. A lot is kept quiet in regards to safe communities.
This is a wonderful place to call home!
Need to make a conviction on fighting crime and drug use (meth) among the young people because theft is up on all private and commercial property.
We enjoy living in Loveland.
Loveland is a wonderful place and community.
I appreciate what everyone does to make our city what it is.
Most of the problems in Loveland are handled very well. Hopefully Loveland stays a peaceful anti-crime town!!
Your trash, road street crews are doing a great job.
Love living here!!
We really do enjoy living in Loveland. We utilize the parks, bike paths. We appreciate the lack of traffic congestion. We will most likely retire here.
This is the first survey received. Thank you - keep them coming.
We really love this city.
The only way I'm leaving Loveland is feet first! Love it here!
All and all, a job well done by the people working for the city.
Overall it has been a pleasure to work with City of Loveland workers. Thanks for the good job!
I lived in Ft. Collins for 25 yrs but I like Loveland much better.
I grew up in Loveland in the 40's and am thrilled to be back again.
Build dog park ASAP!
I love Loveland!!
Loveland is awesome - love it here!
What does this survey have to do with the quality of life in Loveland? Save our tax dollars and do not mail out this stuff.
We're very happy living here-have been in the same house 37 years!! Keep up the good work!
Loveland is a great place to live!
Would like a farmer's market to be open convenient hours. Would like a natural foods store.
We're in love with Loveland. It's a beautiful city and very well-kept. We highly recommend Loveland to all who ask!! Keep up the good work.
Thanks for a great community.
Why do you have to have new equipment continually?

Thanks for your efforts!
I am a retired widow, love living in Loveland.
Loveland should keep up the good work!!
GO LOVELAND!!!
How about a "City Workers Appreciation Day!" (No, I don't work for the city.)
Loveland is a fabulous place to raise a family.
I can't handle the cold weather anymore but I wish I could take the town of Loveland with me when I move. I love it here.
Our sidewalks, curbs and aprons are pathetic! Horrible!
When I just moved my family felt safe in our community, now I strongly disagree.
Yeah for the City of Loveland, Water Works festival - what a great day for kids! Thank-you!
Great town!
Overall city rating: B+.
Great place to live. Thank you.
I wish the water didn't have so much chlorine in it. In 1969 when I came here the water was much better-tasting.
I pay a monthly fee for mosquito control. I have never seen a truck in this area to spray for mosquitoes. I live close to a lake and there are many mosquitoes around. Why am I paying a fee if I don't receive service?
Great service and excellent communication with customers!!!
Nice place to live.
Loveland has provided a very comfortable town to live in for my family. I am very proud of Loveland!
Your utilities (specifically at Water Dept.) phone personnel are the best. Very helpful and patient.
Surveyor feels they were not informed of buildings being built on the 1300 block of 8th street.
Really enjoy the quality of life in Loveland. Beautiful city to live in.
Feel safe in the community.
Gang and drug activity is increasing - my grandchildren are at heck at school (all grade levels - all schools) and I feel the city needs to recognize and solve gang activity - not pretend it doesn't exist.
I feel sooo very blessed to be planted here in Loveland, after coming from the north. I'm really home. I love everything about Loveland and Colorado!
I moved here 2 and a half years ago. I had never been to Loveland. It is the best choice I have ever made. I am so proud to live here. I love Loveland!!
Fire Department is excellent.
A few years ago the city asked for the locations of sidewalks that needed repair in order to be used. Some were fixed but many were not. Cleveland between Ike and downtown needs HELP!!!!
The quality of life in Loveland is very favorable.
Loveland is a great town to live in!! Too bad we can't keep it from getting any larger.
Overall very safe and calm atmosphere and naturally beautiful. Loveland is definitely being sought out by many. Glad to be here.
Loveland is a wonderful place to live and raise children.

Moving the county fair to the Ranch was awful for the city.
Many good things are happening in Loveland.
Love living here!!
Stop the overspending of are taxes.
Overall I feel the city is promoting the right type of environment that contributes to a singular quality of life for the people who live, visit, and work here.
I live in Derby Hill and the only real problem I have is that my kids can't use the park in the morning or evenings because of the mosquitoes. We pay monthly for Mosquito Control so you should spray monthly.
We like just about everything about Loveland. My husband has been in Colorado 10+ years. I have been here 50+ years and Loveland is the best place I've ever lived.
All in all a good Job.
Lottery money should go to roads, homeless, jails.
We appreciate the courteous service people. Thanks for all you do for all of us.
It will be wonderful to have a Sunflower Market in town.
<b><u>City Services/Customer Service/Facilities:</u></b>
Guessing that half of Loveland Utility's customers have their payment deducted from their accounts. Don't send out payment envelopes and save maybe 40,000 a month (probably a computer code).
The library is pretty small. Is there any way to expand it (more books/varieties)? Thank you.
Library needs to be enlarged to meet current and future population needs. Chilson Center needs the same.
I am a widower and put out one bag of trash a month. I am extremely upset that I am charged the same as a large household when it's just me living here. One size (or price) does not fit all.
I would like to see you go back to small bag trash pick-up at lower cost to seniors. I fill a big bag only every two weeks as I do a lot of recycling.
I want to put photovoltaic cells on my roof and tie into the city grid - not to make money, to save money.
Bring back large disposal on pass and year round.
This is a life threatening problem. Between 10th St and 14th St on the East side of Taft is a hedge that sticks out over 1/2 the side walk. No 2 people can walk together (like a mom and child) safely. In fact it is so bad one person sticks out past the side walk. Please cut it back.
What is the \$10.39 monthly "storm drain" assessment used for? That's \$124.68 annually that we perceive to be of no benefit to us.
Use trash/recycling to generate electricity for a city buildings - gases released can be caught and used to heat/generate usable resources.
Large rains flood streets and water rises over curbs.
For the number of people that use the library, the staff does a wonderful job but we need another library.
Looking forward to library expansion.
City employees misuse city equipment (Firemen).
Would like to participate in a neighborhood watch program. I don't know if we have one currently.
Too many trash trucks.
Prefer receiving info through reporter Herald.

Water runoff is not good on N. Grant and Granite.
Walking and biking trails could be maintained better. There seems to be a lot of trash around the streams. There are shopping carts and I have even come upon a homeless man sleeping along the banks. As a woman I would feel safer if I knew the trails were cleaned up and monitored better.
The city could assist with Christmas lighting.
Would like to see more paperback books in the library.
We are in the area for the trial run of the new recyclables blue carts. We like the idea but we DO NOT like the 65 gallon size as it is too large. It will not fit into a single garage so they have to sit outside. It takes away from the neighborhood with all of the bright blue carts sitting in front and besides the house in plain view from the street. In winter time older people will have to go outside to use them. Please make them available in the 32 gallon size.
The older people more need help.
Need to encourage recycling more.
The library is inadequate because the CDs are in bad shape and the extent of good reference stinks.
Sewer system in our neighborhood occasionally backs up.
Library is too small - need more space to increase collection. Book in book out system does not provide growth for collection.
Water to unit shut off in error - neighbor's was supposed to be shut off! Without water until 9am next day.
Loveland needs to update Winona pool. I know many, many families who go to City Park Pool in Fort Collins.
Need to use some of the empty buildings around Loveland to for city offices instead of all over town with no parking.
Better control of expenses on garbage pick-up stamps.
I think sometimes there are problems with the sewers. The one in front of our house on Boxelder really smells.
I think we need more libraries.
The taxpayers provides quality Fire/Rescue and Police services.
Why doesn't the city get more involved with substance abuse and prevention? Isn't prevention less expensive?
Please create payment of electric/H2O bill via internet and auto pay.
I would love to be able to pay my City of Loveland bill online.
It can be difficult to find information- especially contact info for various city offices when you are not sure what the office is called.
We need a new and larger library.
I currently work for the city of Ft. Collins and feel that they do a much better job at providing services and communications and responding to customer needs. Loveland could make great strides by simply providing better communications to its residents. Light and Power in Loveland needs a ton of infraction improvements and much better customer responses.
City of Loveland - beware for you will never please everyone. People will always want more. Set doable goals for the community! Not always are the big buck projects reasonable or real needs.
I thought I saw something several months back about plans for a new or expanded library/more money for books, etc. but saw no information in a more recent report regarding budget over the next few years - YIKES!

Our library (holdings especially) is my only complaint about Loveland! Couldn't we join forces with some other community/library district to share costs and have more selection?
Electricity is really expensive for seniors.
Online payment for electric bill.
I feel that the trash service has really left everyone down when the prepaid bag service was discontinued. I thought it was an award winning program. Plus you raised the recycling fees 20-25%.
<b><u>Infrastructure /Streets/Traffic:</u></b>
Attempt to stay ahead of the growth with streets - sometimes too many construction projects at the same time. Need to work on paving some alleys such as behind Home State Bank on Eisenhower (where old Albertsons store is).
Bike riding on busy streets is dangerous and hinders travel along the paths.
Keep up the snow plowing during the winter months.
Need parking downtown - a 24 hour parking meter at .25 cents per hour.
There is a small trail that runs along the canal between Wilson and 29th. People walk along it but it could use some improvement. The grass should be cleared out more and the dirt trail widened to make walking easier.
All future road projects should include bike/pedestrian.
Need to have a storm drain off 12th Street/287 because we get all of the rain water in our drive way and over our sidewalk and front yard!! We are on the corner of 1155 N. Jefferson and 12th St!
East traffic is becoming a problem and I seek out other routes. Loveland needs to be proactive in building "belt loops" that circle the city and tie into other cities.
Street lights (stop lights) are okay but some are so poorly timed so to be a hindrance!
More development creates more traffic and congestion. Enough already!
Summer closures of 29th are too frequent and poorly handled. During the triathlon, I wanted to turn south on Taft, so I continued west when sign said "right lane closed" and ended up in an endless detour. I finally turned east on 57th, so I could go south on 287. It would be nice if you put "street closed" signs at every intersection and allowed detours going south as well as north.
There is a great need to fix the railroad tracks. They are in horrible shape and a threat to alignment on the cars. The streets are all in need of repairs and curbs gutters.
We could use more bike trails.
I live on the corner of Duffield and W. 37th St and observe high traffic and a lot of speeding on w. 37th St. during school time. I am concerned about my children.
The snow removal worked much better this past winter. It would be nice if the city would keep up on maintenance on things the city had installed, for example, streetlights in the mobile home community near our home.
Raise the manhole covers between Adams and East 4th St. by Chilson.
In the past 10 years I have driven the streets of Loveland as part of my delivery job. It seems the streets and areas that need repair or resurfacing go without and often resurfacing is done where it's really not needed. The city council should employ people who actually know the streets and their condition before they choose which areas to spend taxes on to repair.
Glad the city is FINALLY doing something about Boise Ave. by McKee Hospital. Please put Silverleaf on the repair list. Between Madison and E. 29 St. Fix the pothole at N. Lincoln and E. 23rd. Also E. 23rd at Silverleaf.



Some of the man hole covers and pot holes are horrendous and potential axle breakers.
Traffic problems in Hwy 34 not well done.
West lane on 57th St not nearly wide enough.
There are limited - major cross streets east and west - just 402, highway 34, and 29th street (to Madison only).
Why don't we have more/better bike lanes?
The traffic stop at 287 and 37th is terrible as far as timing and organization.
Travel has become more difficult with increasing traffic and inadequate roads/intersections.
Driving is getting bad. There are not enough east-west roads and that puts too many on Eisenhower. It is easier to get to Ft. Collins from our part of town so tend to shop there rather than heading to I-25.
Need better bike paths on 29th St. and on Taft.
Speed limits should be raised 5 mph in most city areas to accommodate the flow of traffic (which is becoming awful). Lane changes going from 34 to Centerra are extremely confusing.
Snow removal is okay at times - at others impossible!
Traffic seems overwhelming at times. The city is spread out and people rely on their vehicles to get to work or shop. The bus service helps, but is limited. Attitudes need to change and our pocket books may be the great motivations!
Taft & 22nd area rush hour backs up on HWY 34 all through town.
Explore under-ground parking and preserve our above ground parking.
Street surfaces over some railroad tracks are not drivable and safe.
One too many cars, too much traffic on 29th St.
The infrastructure of our streets does not support the development that the city council keeps approving.
Need more handicap parking on the 100-block of E. 4th St. There are only two there now. Need more than that.
I hope the construction taking place at Hwy 287 and SE 19th St (Derby Hill) involves installing stop and go lights! That has been a dangerous corner for many years and many old people go through it. Thank you!
Put left turn signals at a lot more intersections.
The streets are full of man-made potholes and the traffic lights, except on Lincoln and Garfield, inhibit traffic flow rather than enhance it.
Due to poor bike lanes, it discourages bike riding in general.
I drive on W. 10th a lot and the manholes are very bad from Colo. to Garfield! The city has not developed an effective method of correction. It uses inadequate equipment and far too many people for one repair.
Driving is a nightmare. Unrealistically slow speed limits, long red lights and short green lights at many intersections, every light turning yellow upon approach, etc.
Bike lanes in streets are inadequate making it difficult and dangerous to bike with car traffic.
Railroad Crossings need attention as do some of the manhole covers. Train horns are okay with us!!
Many people do not obey the speed limits. There are plenty of rude drivers, also.
Some of the Railroad crossings are very rough on the car such as at 8th and Monroe and others put tires out of alignment.
Gas station on corner of Taft and Eisenhower should never have been allowed to open. It is a serious

<p>accident waiting to happen. My family and I have serious concerns regarding it. Too many people are being careless as they battle to save a penny or two. They block turning lanes, oncoming traffic, and each other as they vie for the pump. The tankers that refill the pump are also a great concern, as they have limited space to do their jobs, and inevitably arrive during busy traffic hours. It would be greatly appreciated if strides were to be made to address these concerns.</p>
<p>Traffic is horrible! Roads can't handle the load. Boise is very bumpy!</p>
<p>We live on W. Shore Drive by Lake Loveland. The sidewalk on Taft between Eisenhower and 29th St. is used to circle the lake by joggers, bikers, roller bladers, etc. It is dangerous and needs improvement!</p>
<p>Last year we had manageable snow but the year before that we were really lacking in snow removal. This was dangerous at times as I walk a lot. I think Loveland can do much better at times of hard snow.</p>
<p>Make bike path from Medical Center of Rockies to the airport so if you want to bike to work you do not have to go on the Service Road. Make additional entrance roads to airport area.</p>
<p>Yellow lights and green arrows are worthless!! Way too short of timing!</p>
<p>Too much traffic going East on 34 and construction is ridiculous.</p>
<p>Nobody is going to walk more than 2-3 blocks to shop downtown (nor should they) so any parking outside that area should not be considered parking for downtown.</p>
<p>Stop lights are poorly coordinated.</p>
<p>Need better control of motorcycle traffic.</p>
<p>There is a need for improved access to bike trails from neighborhoods.</p>
<p>It seems like most drivers don't know how to read speed limit signs.</p>
<p>Traffic is growing too fast.</p>
<p>Fix/raise manhole covers in streets.</p>
<p>Downtown parking could be better!</p>
<p>We repair streets, then dig them up again and again. Manhole covers always too low, and never brought up.</p>
<p>I drive highway 34 East to work and it has always been a problem.</p>
<p>Street lights for traffic needs to be monitored better. Lights for cars on 29th street and Lincoln are ridiculous. If coming from Orchards and getting on 29th St to turn left need to sit to at least 2 cycles and sometimes 3 - bad for saving gas.</p>
<p>Highway 34 is a mess and accident ready to happen.</p>
<p>Speed limit on HWY 287 should be lowered between Loveland and Ft. Collins. Some people go 70 miles an hour.</p>
<p>34 traffic is a nightmare.</p>
<p>Encourage more bicycle safety and awareness!! HELMETS!!!!</p>
<p>I do not like the road surface you put on Redwood Dr.!!!</p>
<p>The roundabouts are unsafe.</p>
<p>Our street floods when it rains.</p>
<p>Our streets hardly ever get plowed in the winter.</p>
<p>Thank goodness they finally patched the big clip at the corner of W. 48th and Grant. I don't think it will last through the winter though.</p>
<p>When it rains a lot, I've noticed flooding on Eisenhower between Colorado and Taft.</p>

Traffic lights on Hwy 34 are poorly timed and side street based! This is especially evident during rush hours. The worst light is the one at Wal-Mart!
I live on E. 16th St. near McKee Hospital - there are a lot of cars speeding on this street and a lot of children are there.
Manhole covers are still a problem.
Roads need a lot of work (potholes).
Streets are drivable mostly except for pot holes.
I work in Denver and it's a hassle to get out of here in the morning. Let's cut down the traffic.
Lots of stop and go traffic - perhaps lights could be better synchronized.
Some streets could be designated for bikes only - maybe one into town and one out of downtown.
The railroad crossings in the downtown area are very bad.
The potholes in the streets are a disgrace - they would be so easy to fix.
More manholes need to be raised or lowered and/or leveled. Also the city needs to see to it that the railroad companies (or whoever is responsible) fix more railroad crossings as it sure messes up the tire balancing in most vehicles.
The intersection of I25 and Hwy 34 is horrible!! Very dangerous and not a good gateway to our city!
Some business owners need to fill potholes in parking lots.
Love the roundabouts.
Most manhole covers are below grade.
I 25/34 interchange is a disaster.
East Bound 34 from 287 to I25 is awful.
Private streets receive no benefits from City.
There should be more bike paths throughout the city.
The traffic is becoming a nightmare, mostly heading East to Centerra and South to Berthoud. North to Fort Collins is bad on 287, but Wilson and Taft are extremely convenient. The light signaling is terrible on Hwy 34. CR17 should be widened to four lanes all the way to the bypass. Taft Ave between 29th to Hwy 34 is dangerous without turning lanes to residential side streets. Many accidents happen along this stretch (w/ personal experience I might add).
The railroad crossings are disgusting. Whoever decided to narrow Lincoln downtown?
My wife travels to Fort Collins for work every day. She believes more plowing is needed during snow events in the winter.
Biking enthusiasts need to get involved in designing an 'about town' bike route.
Some railroad crossings aren't very drivable. They need to be repaired.
I think Loveland is a wonderful place to live except for the poorly designed flow of traffic. How incredibly short sighted to omit right turn lanes at motor intersections like Taft and 29th St. - it's maddening! The flow of traffic on 29th and Hwy 287 with the additional light at Garfield and 29th is equally frustrating. We desperately need more sophisticated, knowledgeable traffic engineers!
I would like to see the traffic light signals have a shorter interval for the lights at 29th at Madison, Monroe at 29th, 23rd at 287, Silverleaf at Madison. These lights are too long a wait. Thanks
There are good streets and bad streets and all degrees in between, surfaces.

Mostly agree that street surfaces are drivable and safe.
The railroad crossings at 10th St., 7th St., 6th St. & 4th St. are horrible! Why are they so uneven with the road? It seems as if the car is going to fall apart every time I drive East and West over these crossings. What can be done about these roads?
Don't feel our streets are in very good repair at all and not clean anymore. See lots of trash in gutter on main streets.
Sometimes the little house in the alley floods. Something changed with the storm sewers or the street level was raised when it was paved??
Need big improvements on neighborhood streets and cul-de-sacs!!!!
Don't build on flood plains.
Safe biking vs. car use could be a better option. Presently safety is very questionable for all using streets.
Hwy 34 is becoming a big parking lot. It seems that widening it is the only solution. Downtown needs a parking structure close to 4th street.
Improve I-25 and 34 interchange to make it safe.
The city does a great job maintaining the recreation trail and expansion - especially to Centerra and beyond would be wonderful.
Implement license plates so bikers can pay their way. Nobody else gets a free ride in this city.
Riding a bike in this town is not always safe due to poor bike lanes and ignorant drivers.
Clean up bike trails - always a lot of gravel and debris.
More trails would be nice.
The city provides too many quality parks and trails.
<b><u>Code Compliance:</u></b>
Alleys need to be sprayed for bugs and weeds and also need to be fixed because of the potholes and bumps.
I live on 29th and there's an awful lot of trash ending up in my yard.
Many homeowners have junky yards.
I'm a Colorado native but moved back a few years ago from one of the largest cities in the nation. Loveland is far superior in many ways, with the exception of code inspection and enforcement. An example is the 3 cars sitting on the front lawn for over a year of a house at 37th and Sheridan. Of course I could be mistaken and it is yard art.
We need rules like Greeley: no more campers, trailers, boats, non-working vehicles - they should all be in the BACK yard.
I believe citizens could do a better job of cleaning their yards and neighborhoods.
We like living here, but we are SICK of all the junk cars, furniture in the yards and just plain junk. The code enforcement is horrible. Weeds are everywhere. More time needs to be spent in enforcement and less on being politically correct.
Excessive weighted commercial trucks parked on residential streets.
Address RVs parked forward of the front line of a resident's house - (zoning violation ignored).
There are far too many run-down properties.
We have problems with barking dogs in the neighborhood. They have been barking for years.
Add phone number for weed control.

Very poor noise enforcement, motorcycles and loud pipes need to be addressed.
Gutters could be cleaned more often or homeowners should be encouraged to do so.
Code Enforcement and police need to keep strong control over un-kept property and junk cars. No safety at stop signs because of overgrown trees, bushes etc. Junk on porches, people fixing up cars and selling them, camper on street for long periods of time. Please-Please-Please! Police have been called as well as code enforcement from many neighbors in the area. Something needs to be done! Please help!
Weeds and grass need work in many neighborhoods.
It seems like there are some laws that the City of Loveland does not intend to enforce such as: fire crackers (it's the ninth of July and they are still exploding nightly) and loud motorcycles. Firecrackers and loud motorcycles are annoying and it makes me angry when I call the police or fire to report it and nothing is done.
Too many cats running free!
I recently applied for a permit to put up a flag pole in my yard. I still can't believe the restrictions. I felt like I was under a HOA. I know permits are necessary, but sometimes they're a little out of line!
The city needs to enforce ordinances to make homes cleaner and keep their lots free of trash, junk cars and junk trailers, especially in the downtown areas south of 3 c and north of 402.
The city should enforce the problem of trash, used cars, broken fences and general clutter that too many neighborhoods have to put up with. EYESORES!!! Need to clean up dead branches, shrubs, weeds etc.
<b><u>Growth/Development:</u></b>
Every piece of nice property and land is being grabbed and developed into huge housing developments. If people want that - let THEM pay the extra taxes and growth fees - not us Loveland natives who've been here over 70 years. Just let us live in our beautiful un-developed land! No more overbuilding.
Loveland is getting too big. Too much building. Not the size town I found when I moved here, it was so nice then.
I live in the NW part of Loveland and shop here. I find it much less frustrating than driving to Centerra, with the added benefit that I don't have to pay sales tax. I'd like to see more shopping development to the North. The North Wal-Mart has been wonderful and feels more like Loveland than the Centerra area.
I'm a handicapped senior. Many of the newer stores don't have an electric cart to use to go shopping so I have to use my limited walking to be able to get life's necessities.
I miss the Shopko store. Seldom go to Sam's or Wal-Mart.
We've been here for 30 years. Don't let the growth keep us from having a "small town" feel.
I am disappointed with the massive urban sprawling approved with the Centerra Developments. This is what I didn't want to see Loveland do.
PURCHASE THE STAPLES FARM PROPERTY!! Every year the city has a budget to purchase land that is historical to Loveland, right?? Use that money now, and not for the expansion of the already huge Centerra and eastern part of town.
Some of these things are great but unaffordable such as building so many Wal-Marts. We don't need that many Wal-Marts!!!!
Way too much development east of I-25 while older outlets look rundown and empty.
Too much growth + development reduces our quality of life. Bigger is not actually better. Do we really want to be another Denver with increased crime, increased pollution etc.? A good motto is Quantity does not equal Quality.

This used to be a nice farming community.
I am upset with the City Council catering to special interests that don't seem to help the city grow in a positive direction.
Need more stores on West end of Loveland on HWY 34 like dollar stores and restaurants.
Loveland needs more/different restaurants - not just those at Centerra.
Too much congestion on East 34. I do not go East 34 anymore for at least the last 3 years, and I use 402 to get to the interstate. I shop in town.
No good shopping in town.
Too much residential development. Loveland is beginning to feel like a bedroom community and not the small town it was.
Loveland is growing too fast. I've lived here for 63 years and recently there are too many houses going up, and new people moving in.
We really would like a Vitamin Cottage or Whole Foods store. It would save us going to Fort Collins. If it happens, please have it in town, not out east!!!
City getting too big and traffic bad - not fond of round-a-bouts.
Loveland has enough residential development, enough retail development and more than enough pizza restaurants.
We think Loveland is getting too big and when that happens, quality of life goes down and means more expensive homes and higher taxes.
Loveland also needs to consider the shopping needs of the West/NW part of town.
Several years ago the Loveland community voted to not grow past 65,000 people. What happened? So much for listening to constituents.
Shut down McWhinney, and quit giving them the farm!!!!
I wish Loveland didn't feel the need to duplicate the same shopping malls or stores that can be found in Ft. Collins and Greeley.
I think Loveland is investing too much at Centerra and not contributing quality shopping opportunities nearer the core of our city. This is especially necessary as transportation costs rise.
Centerra has driven business away from the Outlet mall - very sad!! I think Centerra will follow after the newness wears off. Let's protect what we have, not spread out more.
Too much development!
Loveland is feeling growing pains and our future will tell how well we handle it. Are we going to be like Lafayette (dead) or Longmont (thriving)?
Too much going out east (34). Too bad the theater moved out there. It's easier to go to Fort Collins for movies.
We need to do something fun with the old Metroulux theater by Sonic.
There is nothing for the youth to do period!! The movies have all been moved out to McWhinney-ville, the fair is gone. Where do the young people and seniors go?? That is why we have so much crime!! The City Council thinks only about dollars and the friends they're winning. They could care less for the kids - poor excuse for a City council.
Loveland is too big.
Do we really need so many shopping opportunities?

No more fee waivers to developers of any sort.
Need a Sunflower Market, Whole Foods or Country Buffet.
As communities grow so do their problems. We are getting too big!!!
I would like to see an Indian restaurant in Centerra.
The City Council is approving too many developments.
Small-town atmosphere is GONE.
SLOW DOWN the growth - way too congested!
Shopping opportunities are too far away.
Loveland is too sectioned off (all really good shopping is 8 miles away.) Movies are far away. Need to get HP filled with commercial industry and shopping.
I am concerned about too much development - building houses that go unsold, more people than we can provide water for.
Put zoning manager to work, or remove from job.
The City Council approves development if it benefits them.
Cut down on growth.
My only gripe would be the housing developments going up west of Wilson. They look cluttered, crowded - no view and take up all that beautiful open space between Wilson and the foothills. They are an eyesore. That space should have been left open. We look like Golden - taking over every inch we can build a house on. Blah!
With the growth of Loveland, traffic and schools are a concern to me. The schools seem so crowded.
Loveland is growing at such a high rate that well paying jobs are not here. There are too many vacant business offices in Loveland because everything is moving out to Centerra. Too many houses are being built at such high prices and now there are tons of Foreclosures! We need to elevate the housing industry around here!
I would like to see a sidewalk or bike trail to the new Wal-Mart.
I work for the city. I love this town but it is getting pretty darn busy!
All of the development seems to benefit McWhinney - not the citizens.
STOP MAKING McWHINNEY'S RICH!
We have too many people in Loveland and too many cars.
Why do we not have an indoor mall like in Fort Collins or Boulder etc?
<b><u>Computer/Website:</u></b>
I don't have a computer or a cell phone.
Most Front-range cities offer free internet for residents - why doesn't Loveland?
Not familiar with city website.
Have never used Loveland's website but will start. Thanks.
You send out plenty of info with bill and the R-H covers city activities pretty well, so I do not look at your website.
Some of us don't have access to the internet.
Put a Reporter-Herald link on the city Website.

Now that I know the web address, I'll check it out.
I never thought to look at the website before but I will now.
Have old computer, but don't know how to use it.
I can put 'recycle' and 'trash' in the search box on the City website but it seems I have too many articles to sort through to find out if it's a holiday pick-up schedule.
When I use the internet, it is at the Library.
I find it difficult to find things on the website.
Didn't know the city had a website.
Website is not user friendly and I am very computer savvy.
I do not own a computer.
The city's website is weak compared to other Northern Colorado cities.
Do not have internet service.
I have no computer.
Do not have a computer at home - use Library computer on occasion.
I am 91, retired, and don't have internet.
The website is very informative; good information is always provided and always relevant.
I do not have a computer.
Everything seems to be geared to the computer. Many people do not have a computer.
Publication on the internet of activities such as the summer concerts is difficult to locate on the web site. How about an easy to navigate activities area?
Also don't have internet. Have used one at library - although not real good at it - takes up too much time and they only give you so much. If I knew how and had more time at computer - would use it more a lot more. Always people on computer too.
<b><u>Housing:</u></b>
Not enough affordable housing for disabled veterans, which I am. I feel my town is letting veterans down.
I have a problem with the homeless people who live in the ditch banks by the softball fields on Cleveland. It is not safe with all the kids that play down there, but the police don't do anything. I know that it is private property, but it is not right. There are always parties down there.
I would like to see a commitment from the city for affordable housing.
Affordable housing for low income seniors is sadly lacking. \$200,000+ is not affordable to me and many others I know.
<b><u>Transportation:</u></b>
The city needs to become part of a robust regional transportation system.
City bus should pick up around 37th and Taft, go to Fort Collins to Horsetooth and E. to Timberline where so many businesses are.
Bus service from Loveland to Longmont would be great! I would take it! Loveland to Fort Collins too.
Better public transportation would be helpful within town and more frequent shuttles to Fort Collins.
As a handicapped senior, transportation is fine with Saints but if a medical condition occurs within a 24 hour period, we have a problem. Cab service is bad and inadequate.



Need better public transportation within the city as well as to Denver, Greeley, and Fort Collins needs a light rail.
Tried using bus system for work but it is set up for school kids. Needs to be done like other cities to try to reduce traffic.
Bus system stinks - needs to run E and W, N and S like other cities.
Why no bus service on Sundays?
The bus service is wonderful.
Need to expand hours for bus service.
I work in Fort Collins. Bus schedule to Fort Collins could be adjusted so those who report to work at 7:00 a.m. could ride the bus.
We need bus service more often, and between Loveland and Berthoud.
Is there a senior van to transport seniors to doctor visits etc. for Loveland residents?
Should be better service for the handicapped!! Especially with your new system, being tested this month! Have to use walker at all times!
I don't feel the bus service is accessible for senior citizens. I would have to walk 8 blocks to catch it.
We need commuter rail from Cheyenne to Pueblo down the middle of I-25! That would triple my trips to Denver.
My only comment would be to the city transportation just isn't convenient enough for my traveling because I have no use of a vehicle it is very limited. Doesn't operate early enough or late enough and the connections are impossible. Just not a good service for someone without a vehicle.
<b><u>Jobs:</u></b>
Need better quality jobs - not just retail at I-25/Hwy 34.
City Council should no longer give huge incentives/give-aways to bring in large business w/ low wages.
Loveland needs jobs (blue collar) that pay a living wage and benefits. \$15.00 per hour and up is what I consider a living wage. Loveland does not need any more service sector or other low paying jobs. Not everyone is qualified to work in the medical field. We have plenty of medical jobs already. We need blue collar union jobs.
No good Jobs.
Bring more good jobs to Loveland.
Jobs for 40hr/wk for low skilled workers are in poor supply. Working 2 part time jobs affords few benefits (if any).
Need more jobs with better pay and benefits.
We need more high-tech jobs/industry to employ local people and cut down on commutes to other communities like Denver and Greeley.
I would like to see better quality jobs brought in.
Can't support families on retail jobs.
City Council does not really take into consideration telling enough details to the citizens - only developers around us - secret meetings with developers to make themselves richer.
We need to encourage our community to keep spending our dollars in Loveland.
The job pay here is lower than in surrounding areas (Fort Collins). I think we should keep up with surrounding

areas in pay rates.
Where are the good jobs?
Jobs that are brought in pay no more than \$8.00 hr.
Too few jobs paying enough to survive.
More good jobs please! All else is great.
The Centerra developers have too much power over the council and development in Loveland. Low-paying retail jobs with little or no benefits do not count as good jobs. All my 5 children have to work outside Loveland.
City provides incentives and opportunities to encourage big businesses, but not small businesses. Too many downtown committees trying to encourage/develop business growth. Why not form one strong alliance/coalition and work together for one common goal instead of each group being ineffective?
I'm unemployed right now - was close to Ft. Collins when I was working.
Too many stores - outlet empty spaces - bad sign.
Growth keeps costing me. Remove sales tax on food!
As I see it the majority of development approved by the council is retail. While those do/will increase the city's tax base, they are not directly "enhancing the quality of life" nor do they provide quality jobs. I would like to see alternative grocery options, like a Whole Foods store.
What about incentives to get good businesses into the empty storefronts downtown? I've talked to the city repeatedly and they tell me that they will fix it in the next five years.
Looking for Employment! I am a 63 year old female with an M.A. and a great work (and salary) history. I moved from Denver to Loveland last year to be close to my daughter, but had I known how few challenging and well paying jobs there are here, I don't think I would have made the same decision. I love living here otherwise!
City needs industry and good paying jobs. New "box" lumber hardware stores drove out locals. We are a poor town - too many part-time, low-income, no-benefit jobs in stores, restaurants, sales etc.
No more Wal-Marts in Loveland!!!
The librarians need to be paid more money.
Loveland definitely needs to attract more employers - large corporations, not fast food joints or stores.
<b><i>Recreation/Arts &amp; Culture:</i></b>
We don't golf and not into arts except enjoy Benson Park. We would like to see an inexpensive mini golf course. Most of the activities we would enjoy are too expensive for us to attend.
Plowing snow for senior residents is needed.
Need more for younger teens to do in Loveland.
Regarding youth activities: we need more for the 12-18 year old range.
We need a pool for seniors to do water exercising. Chilson's pool is too cold for arthritis sufferers.
My kids want to have a laser tag arena – it's fun for all ages.
Loveland could do more for the seniors. We came from California and the seniors have more services there.
Need more youth oriented business and activities. Loveland has no viable activities for teens. Rec Center has Saturday night events but for 14 & under. I would like to see more businesses for teen activities, ie. skating, video games, movies (other than Centerra), get-togethers. It is hard for teens and parents or grandparents to get out of town for activities.

We over provide for seniors - do not invest in our youngsters.
It seems as though Loveland has always forgotten about their future - the teenagers. Many teens already plan to move away from Loveland after high school because they don't have enough to do around here. Also, youth baseball used to be for everyone - now it's only for the rich. Could we lower the prices please?
Being low income right now, it seems opportunities for my children to participate in cheer leading, gymnastics, etc. are not very affordable.
I'd like to see more opportunities to interact with local artists. The sculpture fair is great but something smaller with a more local feeling would be a great addition like foundry tours or ART walks like in Denver.
We can't afford the Chilson Center - it's too expensive.
Went to the Cherry Pie celebration for the first time last night, looked poorly coordinated. Lines were unreasonably long and I turned away as many others did. A significant amount of business seems to have been lost.
Need more activities/places for teens to go to keep out of trouble.
On a recent visit to Benson Park encountered too many goose droppings.
More indoor swimming needed.
Our section of Loveland is in short supply of many activities - rec pools, etc.
Publish the schedule for the Hammond Amphitheater and put Tues. concerts on the same flyer as the Foote Lagoon and Rialto concerts. That would be most convenient.
Renting park shelters rent is too costly.
Chilson should be private.
Teen services are lacking.
Loveland parks are beautifully maintained and plentiful but we need to have swings in the parks.
Loveland needs a building for community events and activities - 20,000 sf or more.
Activities/Services offered are unavailable to those on a stricter budget.
There are no public swimming pools north of US-34.
I would like to see the city provide more activities for High School youth (ie. basketball teams, golf (current program is not the best), etc.).
In-town activities for youth that are affordable are not available or easily accessible. Need roller skating, ice skating, movies, skateboarding parks, swimming.
Put a decent disk golf course somewhere in Loveland.
We love the summer concerts and all the art around town.
Do whatever it takes to keep Lake Loveland full and have state provide better fishing to keep lake occupied.
There is little for our teens to do in this town (age 13-18).
There are not enough indoor facilities for winter adult or kid activities.
No activities for kids on NW side.
Sports complex too far for most Loveland kids to ride bike to.
The Senior Centers age requirement of 62 years discriminates against those of us that are retired at age 60 due to health reasons.
Where are the recreational activities and opportunities to gather as a community?

Where are the quality youth activities?
Need a Newcomers group to create opportunities for dinners, wine tasting, tours of interesting things nearby and within city, bridge, book groups - I am a widow and it's difficult to create a social life as a senior.
You provide activities and services for "retired but not all seniors." Virtually all events and activities that are targeted at senior citizens are held between the hours of 9am-4pm (such as the senior expo and activities at the Chilson Senior Center. These activities and events are really targeted for retired seniors. I am a "senior" but I still work a full day and thus these activities are not available to me or others in my same situation. When will the city recognize this fact?
Need bocce ball and lawn bowling for us older folks who need recreation and sociability.
Need more Fri & Sat night social events downtown. Maybe dance music and bands. People like to have a chance to walk around and meet friends, eat, shop, etc.
Need awesome roller rink or an indoor type of Fort Fun (laser tag). Add more fun activities for younger generations. Change the old Metrolux theater into something younger people could enjoy such as a cheaper theater and concert hall - possibly an arcade room.
Would like maps of trails.
Move more events to south side of town. The north side seems to have most the events - sculpture show, triathlon, 4th July, marathons.
Need another outside pool.
There are maybe 30%-40% senior citizens in Loveland and we need activity.
Would like to have a good disc golf course.
I would like to see all kids be able to participate in sports, music, arts, without financial restrictions, thus developing strong values for our kids.
Need Mexican Fiestas and Cinco de Mayo Parties.
The movie theater and some youth activities such as 4-H are too far away from the city.
More big names at the Rialto - less local choirs.
Music events are many and quality.
I am nearly 80 years old so don't participate in lots of things mentioned.
I would like to see more alcohol free bars for 14-18 year olds with maybe a dance/skate hall. Why do we have only 1 bowling alley?
We spend way too much money on art.
The arts are not a priority.
Too many sculptures - getting boring.
RE: one of the great summer activities, the Loveland Art Show – it would be nice if Loveland provided services accommodating the artists making the show possible such as overnight parking.
Loveland parks are beautiful, plentiful, and well maintained.
The amenities offered by Loveland are wonderful! The Chilson Center is great although getting a bit crowded. Art walks, museum, concerts - all are absolutely fantastic. Thanks for all the time and planning.
<b><u>Downtown Redevelopment:</u></b>
Downtown and the historic neighborhoods in Loveland continue to need lots of help, especially on the East side of town. Can you help people fix up their older homes with grant money?

Downtown Loveland is in desperate need of revamping, and remodeling. New parking, railroad tracks repaired, and new stores.
Need more shopping in downtown Loveland. Everything seems to be out at Centerra.
Too much emphasis is put on downtown (important, but so are the rest of us).
Continue to invest in downtown redevelopment.
How about more parking for the people who work downtown?
Would like to see development of downtown continue.
There is a lack of support by city council for the downtown area.
I wish Loveland would bring back some real stores downtown. I would like to see some small businesses come back; a clothing store, a hardware, drugstore with soda fountain, a convenience store, a nice place to do some window shopping and pick up a few things without driving miles.
Need parking facilities for downtown.
Is there any way McWhinney can be involved in revitalizing old downtown? I'm in walking distance of 4th street shopping district and would love for some of those old stores to be bought and beautified.
We need to spruce up downtown and I see nothing happening there. It has the potential to be charming... but it's not. I don't want to have to drive to I-25/Centerra to shop - most of us don't live there. Bring the businesses into downtown where we are.
We've got too many stores downtown, ie. clothing stores, etc.
Downtown needs a multi-story parking lot like the one in Fort Collins!!
I would love to see continued efforts to improve downtown.
Would like to see downtown merchants benefit and stay in business.
FOCUS on Downtown Loveland business and incentives.
I strongly feel that the City of Loveland should focus on its downtown area, not just primarily Centerra. Although Centerra is beautiful and new, I feel reviving downtown would generate more business and a feeling of togetherness. Not everyone is always willing to drive out to Centerra. We have a lot to focus on right here in the heart of Loveland.
Downtown is my biggest concern. The city needs to be more proactive by claiming downtown as a priority and dumping money and leadership into making it the hub of community pride, tourist destination, and economically stable. The feed and grain, the odd fellows hall and so much more - offer tremendous possibilities towards this end. In our 35 years here, Loveland government has failed downtown. Studies come and go over the decades. Make decisions and invest in them please.
Downtown Loveland needs to be revitalized in the restaurants/shopping area. Adding one half empty apartment complex chain retail stores is simply not enough. There is a lot of potential and character in the downtown area; this should be built on. See Old Town Fort Collins for many suggestions.
<b><u>Noise:</u></b>
Reduce noise from train whistles.
How come we can't go back to the older, duller train whistles? These are OK, but they seem to let them go longer. I live 1 block away from the tracks. I disagree with them totally shutting them down - the whistles are life savers.
I have resided by railroad 40 yrs. and do not find noise abusive. Quite the opposite.
More control on industry noise in and near residential communities/areas. How were they approved? Reasonable levels for noise needed.

Don't waste money on train noise.
Loveland needs to enforce noise ordinance concerning loud pipes/no muffler and boom boxes.
Railroad crossings create sound pollution!
\$4.25 million for train noise - that is asinine! A total waste of my taxpaying dollars. Would be better spent to assist families struggling after losing their jobs because employers outsource jobs overseas. Let the whiners deal with minimal train noise that occurs every day. I feel safe when the trains announce their presence. Would hate to think the whiners will start to complain about fire engine and ambulance sirens.
Sound pollution is lousy; ie. Railroad crossings and train horns.
Don't let the minority control the train whistles and end up spending tax payer \$\$ on things we can ill afford now.
Please enforce noise ordinance!
Trains (you know the deal).
What is happening with the train horns at 4 a.m.? I know they need to be loud but this is crazy. What will come of this?
Fix the train horn so I can sleep again. Or maybe go back to the way it was before the change.
Train noise very bad!! 41 long blasts at 3am is too much!!
I didn't make it to the city council meeting about the unnecessary increase in noise due to train's new electric horn, but I'll be moving a.s.a.p. because it is very loud and is decreasing property values in the N. Garfield area.
Force railroads to reduce train noise.
<b><u>Recycling Services:</u></b>
Recycle and trash services are great.
Thank you for working so hard on the recycling efforts.
I love the mandatory recycling.
Loveland is awesome! Keep expanding the recycling efforts!
Loveland is a wonderful place and we are appreciative of all the amazing city programs, especially the recycling. I praise it all the time. Thanks for all the hard work and always trying to make improvements.
The city provides great recycling.
Love the recycling program but it's hard to recycle at the recycle center.
You eliminated the \$.40 trash stickers- I was told nobody uses the small bags. I actually go two weeks and still use the small bags. The small stickers are what single and older citizens need. They should be re-instated.
Need to have a recycle cart (take out every 2 weeks) like Longmont has - more convenient!
Residents need more than one allowable load of large drop off items at the recycle center per year.
I like the current recycling better than the big carts. I probably won't recycle any more if big carts are implemented. It would take me a long time to fill a big cart and then it would be hard for me to handle it. I am a 74 yr. old widow and do not generate much trash except the daily newspaper!!!
Recycling needs to be expanded to include all plastics.
We should not have to show a pass to recycle.
Expand the recycle large wheeled bins program to the whole city.

<b><u>Police Services:</u></b>
I would rate the police as pretty much worthless. Not helping at all.
The use of the community officers is in question due to their lack of consistency about who and where they right situations and under which statutes they issue tickets. If they write one ticket in an area for a violation two, three, or four doors down the street. Treatment is to be the same for all residents of Loveland not a pick and choose event!!!
Stop ticketing people for parking unless it's in a handicap zone.
The towing service the police use is outstanding!!
I am retired law enforcement. My experience and that of many I have spoken to in the community with the P.D. has been extremely negative. Many officers are very "badge heavy" and have poor people skills. The department itself appears poorly managed and is focused more on reaction to criminal activity than preventing and solving it. It's sad to hear that some officers within the department hold similar views to my own and other citizens I have spoken to.
Too many unfair policemen.
Stop the police from driving city cars home. This is NOT good for the Loveland police dept. with the price of gas. The mayor & police chief fired!!!
Loveland Police are overstaffed with high ranking officers and not enough patrolmen. They also harass the young people and kids.
I want to know why our parks are not being regulated very well. The police do nothing about minors drinking and doing drugs in them, and refuse to when asked, saying, "The other department takes care of that." - What other department??
I've noticed law enforcement has taken to being more and more critical of petty things.
Police need to start serving the community instead of picking on drivers for revenue.
Police force is stretched too thin.
Police dept. is very over reactive - stopping cars while police car is in two lanes. Reasoning known but unacceptable.
There is no traffic enforcement by Loveland Police (Loveland is one big race track).
Police have not patrolled our street in over 6 months according to my sensor.
Some police officers make the entire department look bad.
Police seem more oriented to "gotcha" than to education (e.g., warning ticket rather than ticket).
We found the Loveland Police unhelpful on two occasions: the first: Neighborhood data, and the second with auto VIN verification. Loveland police department sent us to Fort Collins for their police to verify our out-of-state car VIN. Both occasions we found Loveland P.D. to be lazy and not willing to try and help us. OUR police department told US to go to ANOTHER police department...we live in Loveland, right??
The police service has too many macho egomaniacs.
It is an ongoing irritation that police funds, resources and time are taken to help traffic out of the church on Taft and 57th. I can only hope that the church is providing monetary reimbursement for these services.
Would be nice to see the police patrol the bike path/parks!!
Police should have their budget cut. Too many with nothing to do hence questionable traffic stops.
I wish the police enforced speed limits more often. That along with bike lanes that were in better shape would make riding to work on bike feel safer.

We've had problems with slow police response for recovering problems behind orchards Shopping center.

*End Comments*