



New travel options take flight with airport innovation



Travelers depart the inaugural Avelo Airlines flight from the Hollywood Burbank Airport in California to the Northern Colorado Regional Airport in Loveland on Oct. 6, 2021.

With spring break and summer travel around the corner, Loveland residents have new flight options through the Northern Colorado Regional Airport (FNL) to save time and money for their next vacation.

Thanks to the airport's commitment to making travel more accessible through innovation, both affordable airline Avelo Airlines, and United Airlines, with its wingless flight option through Landline, launched commercial service out of FNL in 2021.

Avelo Airlines, one of the country's first new airline startups in 14 years, brought affordable air service back to northern Colorado late last year. Roundtrip flights to both Las Vegas and Burbank, California, near Los Angeles, are available mainly on Mondays and Fridays, perfect for weekend getaways or weekly business travel.

United Airlines' Wingless Flight travel option out of FNL is the first of its kind in the country and helps passengers avoid I-25 traffic and parking costs at Denver International Airport (DEN). Passengers check in to their flight at DEN from FNL, receive boarding passes and check bags to their final destination. Then, they take a United bus to DEN to complete security screenings and connect to their outbound flight. The service offers five daily round trips to connect to 160+ United destinations, increasing options for northern Colorado travelers.

In the future, Wingless Flight passengers will be able to complete their security screening at FNL and have the United bus take them directly to their next flight. This phase is expected to move forward in 2022, pending regulatory approvals.

Over the past two years, the airport has focused on innovative practices and new consumer flight options

to drive growth and accommodate regional travel demands. In addition to new flights, the airport is one of only two airports to deploy a Remote Tower for air traffic control.

The remote tower allows air traffic controllers to have greater visibility by using multiple camera arrays and technology instead of a single-raised building with no technological support. The scalable option can expand as the airport grows and is scheduled for phase one testing (the first step for certification) with the Federal Aviation Association this spring.

A new, larger terminal building is slated for completion in 2024. The building will offer several improvements to the travel experience, including more concession and retail opportunities, convenient baggage claim areas, improved check-in facilities, better ADA accessibility, charging stations for electronic devices, and more.

"Focusing on innovation gives us opportunities to bring more travel options to benefit travelers in and around the Loveland area," said Jason Licon, airport director for the Northern Colorado Regional Airport. "We recognize that northern Colorado travelers are looking for convenience and value, and we can do that right here in Loveland while also supporting our local economy."

Begin your travel experience through FNL today

- Book Avelo or United airline flights— bookfnl.com
- Read about the Terminal project — terminal.flynoco.com
- Learn more about the airport — flynoco.com



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Construction Hotline is available for residents who experienced network construction during the winter months: 970-962-2011

As the weather warms up and sprinklers come back on, Pulse wants to remind residents who experienced network construction during the winter months of our Construction Hotline. Pulse's locally owned and operated directional boring partner - Colorado Boring - is committed to leaving neighborhoods in as-good-as, or better condition than when they

passed through. An informational video about the process is available online at LovelandPulse.com/PulseInProgress.

Lovelanders who have not yet experienced network construction are encouraged to sign up to receive emails to learn when construction, and later service, becomes available in their area: LovelandPulse.com/EarlyInterest.



Yard waste collection starts in April

Yard Waste service will begin Monday, April 4 and run through Thursday, Dec. 1. Residents who order the service will receive a 96-gallon cart to use for weekly collection of yard debris. The cost for use is \$9.25 per month.

The following items can be placed in the green yard debris cart:

- Grass clippings
- Leaves
- Flowers
- Garden trimmings
- Twigs, less than 1" in diameter (must fit into cart)
- Shredded paper (with specifications)

Please do not include:

- Dirt
- Pet Waste
- Plastic bags
- Trash, rocks or metal
- Ashes (hot or cold)
- Oversized logs, stumps or lumber
- Sod

Get A Yard Waste Cart Now

Order via phone: 970-962-2529

Get more information: lovgov.org/solidwaste

Help keep a lid on City trash costs

The City's volume-based "pay-as-you-throw" rates provide residents with a financial incentive to reduce waste and recycle. The more you recycle, the more you save!

To keep costs down for residents across the city, open-lid trash carts will not be collected. Help keep a lid on costs and make sure your trash lid closes every time. Residents that have extra bags on occasion, can affix a City trash stamp (sold at all King Soopers, Safeway and Wal-Mart locations in Loveland) to the extra bag and place it near the trash cart. City trash stamps cost \$3.50 per stamp. Each bag must be no more than 32 gallons and weigh no more than 50 pounds.

If extra trash is a weekly problem, consider ordering a larger cart by contacting Solid Waste at 970-962-2529.



WANTED

★ HIGH WATER AND ENERGY USERS IN YOUR HOME ★

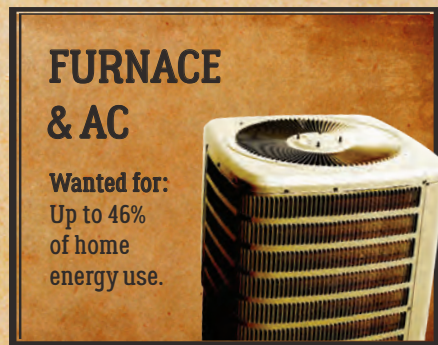
REWARD: Understanding how your home uses water and electricity makes it easier to identify opportunities to lower your bill.



TOILET

Wanted for:
Up to 30%
of indoor
water use.

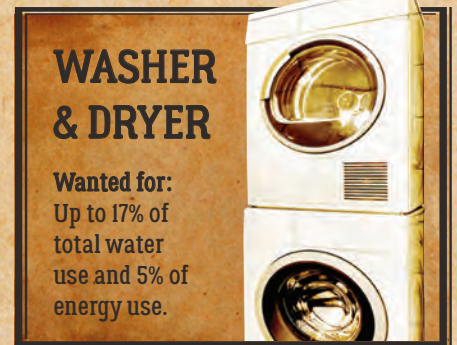
Consider upgrading if your home was built before 1994 since newer toilets use nearly 1/3 as much water. Don't ignore a constantly running toilet because that toilet can waste up to 6,000 gal/month.



FURNACE & AC

Wanted for:
Up to 46%
of home
energy use.

Keep costs under control by changing your air filter regularly, using ceiling fans to move air (you can reverse the direction in winter) and setting your thermostat to 78F in the summer/ 65F in the winter.



WASHER & DRYER

Wanted for:
Up to 17% of
total water
use and 5% of
energy use.

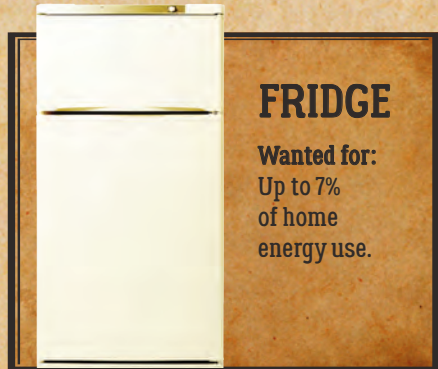
Maximize efficiency by always washing full loads of laundry with cold water. Clean lint filter to improve air flow and consider drying on a drying rack or clothes line.



SPRINKLER SYSTEM

Wanted for:
Up to 50% of
total water use -
seasonally.

Minimize water use by upgrading sprinkler heads to rotary nozzles and following the Cycle-N-Soak method (shorter but more frequent watering intervals). In most cases, water consumption above 6,000 gallons/month during the summer is almost entirely outdoor water use.



FRIDGE

Wanted for:
Up to 7%
of home
energy use.

Save by upgrading to ENERGY STAR appliances. Refrigerators are more efficient than ever before. Recycle your spare fridge (lov.gov.org/RFR) and keep the back and bottom of your fridge free of obstructions to improve the efficiency of your compressor.



**Now that you've
identified the bandits...**

go to lovelandwaterandpower.org/Efficiency for more tips, rebates and programs that will help you wrangle your utility bill or give us a call at 970-962-3000 to speak to an efficiency specialist.



UTILITY NEWS



Loveland Water and Power

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MARCH SPOTLIGHT



Do you need a new furnace or need to install insulation? Check out our home upgrades tab to find rebate opportunities. lovelandwaterandpower.org/rebates

Larimer County Conservation Corps are providing FREE home assessments through May. Visit: larimerworkforce.org/Energy or call 970-498-6081 to sign up.

Learn how to upgrade your lawn or garden to save water and increase satisfaction with your yard's appearance. FREE webinars are available March and April. Loveland hosts March 24th and April 1st! Sign up at: resourcecentral.org/waterwise-yard-seminars-2/

Are you a local business owner? LWP offers free energy advising and access to rebates. Check it out at: lovelandwaterandpower.org/Business

LUCKY NUMBERS AT LOVELAND WATER AND POWER

Here at LWP, our lucky number is **40,000** - that's about how many households and businesses we provide with reliable water, power and wastewater services - **365** days a year, **24** hours a day! Just in case you're feeling lucky, here are a few more of our favorite numbers from 2021.

121 visits to the new Water Quality Online Tool. Do you have questions about your water? Check out the new online tool at lovelandwaterandpower.org/WaterQuality

1,011 visits to the FAQ webpage. The answers to your most common questions are available online! lovelandwaterandpower.org/LWPFAQ

190 Homes given FREE efficiency assessments and **4,039** light bulbs replaced with LEDs in partnership with the Larimer County Conservation Corps. Claim your free home assessment at lovelandwaterandpower.org/LCCC

1,400+ Water-saving native plants distributed through Garden-in-a-box. 2022 boxes go on-sale in March. lovelandwaterandpower.org/resident

198 residential e-newsletter sign-ups. Get breaking news from your utility by signing up for emails. lovelandwaterandpower.org/resident

211 old refrigerators recycled. Refrigerators can cost \$200+ per year in electricity. Ditch that extra fridge in your garage or upgrade your main fridge to a newer, more efficient unit. We will haul it away for free and give you a \$35 rebate for your trouble. (terms apply). lovelandwaterandpower.org/RFR



HYDRANT FLUSHING UPCOMING IN APRIL 2022



Hydrant flushing keeps the interior of pipes clean, maintains excellent water quality and ensures hydrants are operating properly. Flushing can cause brief water discoloration. Although it is not recommended to use for laundry due to possible staining of clothes, LWP water still meets or exceeds all state and federal standards of the Safe Drinking Water Act. **QUESTIONS? 970-962-3720**

NEW! Visit lovelandwaterandpower.org to see an interactive hydrant flushing map along with the flushing schedule! Flushing will take place from mid-April to mid-May. Technicians will start on the west side of Loveland and work eastward.