



Town Hall Conference Room - First Floor 551 Hot
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Pagosa Springs, CO 81147

AGENDA
Main Street Advisory Meeting
June 18, 2026 @ 4:00 PM

REMOTE PARTICIPATION

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I. PARTICIPATION

- 1. The Pagosa Springs Main Street Heritage & Culture Committee will meet in person for a regular work session on June 18, 2026, at 4:00 PM in the first floor conference room at Town Hall.**

II. DISCUSSION ITEMS

- 1. Work Session Priorities**

Public comment and agenda comment item sign-up sheets are available at the meeting
Copies of proposed Ordinances and Resolutions are available to the public from the Town Clerk



The Heritage & Culture Committee continues advancing projects aligned with Colorado 150 and America 250, with a focus on preserving and sharing local history in ways that are public-facing, family-friendly, and tied to long-term downtown sense of place and economic vitality.

Two near-term initiatives are now in active implementation, and this work session is intended to help the committee make timely decisions, confirm next steps, and keep summer projects moving forward.

Work Session Priorities

The primary focus of this meeting will be to:

1. Review proposed verbiage for the history-themed scavenger hunt, identify photo needs for each confirmed stop, and confirm next steps for completing the content package for Tourism and the Visit Pagosa app.
2. Review the current status of *Color Pagosa's Past: Colorado 150 Commemorative Coloring Book*, including contributor assignments, remaining gaps, the June 28 artwork deadline, and next steps for production.

The Oral History Project remains an important Heritage & Culture initiative, but it will remain tabled until the scavenger hunt and coloring book move through their immediate production deadlines.

History-Themed Scavenger Hunt

The Heritage & Culture Committee has been developing a history-themed scavenger hunt through the Visit Pagosa app as part of Pagosa Springs' Colorado 150/America 250 work. The hunt is intended to give residents, families, and visitors a fun, self-guided way to explore local history while encouraging movement through the downtown/Main Street district.

The scavenger hunt stops have been confirmed, and Tourism is setting the coordinates in the Visit Pagosa app. The focus of this work session is to finalize the content and photos needed to bring the hunt to life in the app.

The immediate goal is to complete a final content package for Tourism that includes short app-ready blurbs, photos, and any completion or prize instructions.

Color Pagosa's Past: Colorado 150 Commemorative Coloring Book

The Heritage & Culture Committee is developing *Color Pagosa's Past*, a Colorado 150/America 250 commemorative coloring book celebrating Pagosa Springs and Archuleta County history, heritage, landscapes, wildlife, and sense of place.

The project has moved into a curated community-created format using assigned subjects and contributor packets. The focus of this work session is to review the status of assignments, identify any remaining gaps or duplicate subjects, and confirm follow-up needed before the June 28 artwork deadline.

The immediate goal is to collect enough usable artwork to move into production, including review, scanning, cleanup, caption writing, layout, and preparation for printing.

July 4 History Activity

For July 4, Heritage & Culture will not staff a separate history tent or table this year. The day's programming already includes history-based storytelling and cultural content on stage as part of Pagosa's Sesquicentennial "Party in the Park" at Yamaguchi Park, with a ceremony hosted by the American Legion featuring historical stories, cultural performances, and local musicians. Festivities are listed as beginning at 10:00 AM.

Main Street's Heritage & Culture contribution will focus on the history-themed scavenger hunt through the Visit Pagosa app, which is also listed as part of the Party in the Park activities. This approach keeps the committee's effort aligned with the larger event schedule while still offering families a fun, self-guided way to engage with local history throughout the day.

History Vault and Colorado Day Planning

The committee finalized the History Vault content purchase list, and the designated publications have been purchased. Planning continues for the community "Seal the Vault" event on Colorado Day, August 1, 2026.

This item may not require a full discussion during this work session unless there are updates or decisions needed. It remains an important part of the committee's Colorado 150 and America 250 project calendar.

Current Schedule

4th of July Parade

July 4, 2026

10:00 AM

Hot Springs Boulevard

Party in the Park at Yamaguchi Park

July 4, 2026

Begins at 10:00 AM

Includes historical stories, cultural performances, music, scavenger hunt, and other activities.

Colorado Day / Seal the Vault Event

August 1, 2026

10:00 AM