

**COMMUNICATIONS MEMORANDUM**  
**#6-2023**

**DATE:** July 24, 2023  
**TO:** Honorable Mayor Meredith Leighty and City Council Members  
**THROUGH:** Heather Geyer, City Manager *Hmg*  
**FROM:** Diana Wilson, Director of Communications *Dmw*  
**SUBJECT:** Good Neighbor Award – July 2023

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**PURPOSE**

To honor the residents nominated for the Good Neighbor Award.

**BACKGROUND**

In 2019, the City of Northglenn created a Resident Recognition Program to honor residents who made a difference in the community. The program was implemented during the 50th anniversary of the City, and the goal of honoring 50 residents was exceeded. The success of the Resident Recognition Program spurred the “Good Neighbor Award.”

The Good Neighbor Award is presented by City Council to individuals, families, or other groups who better the community. Nominations are made by current or former Northglenn residents. Residents of any age are eligible, and though the award is intended for City residents, if a nominee resides somewhere else yet has a regular “neighborly” impact in Northglenn, they may be eligible. Nominations are accepted year-round; recognition is three times a year. Details and the nomination form are at [www.northglenn.org/goodneighbor](http://www.northglenn.org/goodneighbor).

In addition to the recognition at a City Council meeting, honorees receive a mini yard sign, Northglenn logo items, and a gift card to a local restaurant.

The July 2023 Good Neighbor Award honorees are:

- Nick and Nicole Cobb
- Steve Meyer
- Mike O’Dwyer
- Grace Smith
- Jay and Ashley Travers
- Brian Waselko

Henry Vargas was also nominated, though he is not eligible for the award since he is a previous recipient.

**BUDGET/TIME IMPLICATIONS**

Funds for the program are included in the General Fund. There are no time impacts to the City. The deadline for the next round of nominations is Sept. 15, 2023.

**STAFF RECOMMENDATION**

This item is for informational purposes only.

**STAFF REFERENCE**

If Council Members have any questions, please contact Diana Wilson, Director of Communications, at [dwilson@northglenn.org](mailto:dwilson@northglenn.org) or 303.450.8713.