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Arapahoe County honors citizens for serving on Boards, Committees *Annual event thanks volunteers for helping shape their community*

Littleton, Colo. — On Oct. 23, the Arapahoe County Board of County Commissioners recognized 147 citizens who serve on the County's 26 boards and committees.

Hosted by the County Commissioners, this annual event thanks citizens who dedicate their time and energy to serve on advisory boards and committees and participate in their county government.

"The citizens who serve on these boards and committees are essential to making Arapahoe County a great place to live and work," said Commissioner Nancy Sharpe, who serves as Board chair. "We value and appreciate the time they contribute to making Arapahoe County an efficient and responsive government."

Anyone interested in serving on an advisory board or committee can complete an application form located on the County's web site at www.co.arapahoe.co.us or by calling the Commissioners' Office at 303-795-4630. Unless there is a mid-year vacancy, term lengths expire the second week in February with the majority of appointments made shortly thereafter.

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To download photos of the Oct. 23 event, please click on the link:

<ftp://www.co.arapahoe.co.us/pub/CM/Photos/CitizenAppreciationReception/>

CitizenBudgetCommittee.JPG: Members of the Arapahoe County Citizen Budget Committee were recognized by Arapahoe County Commissioners at an appreciation reception on Oct. 23.

CitizenEthicsCommittee.JPG: From left, Arapahoe County Commissioners Nancy Sharpe and Nancy Jackson, Ethics Committee members Candy Figa and Arvin Michel, and Arapahoe County Commissioner Bill Holen at an Oct. 23 citizen appreciation reception.

FairgroundsRegionalParkCommittee.JPG: From left, Arapahoe County Commissioners Nancy Sharpe and Nancy Jackson, Fairgrounds and Regional Park Citizen Committee members Raylene Owen and Cindy Knox, Arapahoe County Commissioner Bill Holen, and Fairgrounds and Regional Park Citizen Committee member Mary Madsen at an Oct. 23 citizen appreciation reception.