



Providing a Voice for Northeast Colorado

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The Briefing

Progressive 15 Updates:

- Make sure we have your name for any committees you are interested in. You will be receiving an e mail to see if you wish to stay on a committee. If you don't get one, I don't have your name on the list. Committees will start reviewing bills next week.

[Progressive 15 2013 Report & 2014 Leadership](#)

Local Updates:

State Updates:

Colorado Small Business Lending Programs Awarded Additional \$5.7 Million

For the entire press release from CHFA, visit:

<http://bit.ly/1bUEQdl>

Colorado Launches Second Round of Grants for Advanced Industries Accelerator Programs

For the entire press release from the Office of Economic

Development & International Trade, visit: <http://bit.ly/1c7PKxT>

5th Annual Procurement Expo for Colorado Businesses to be Held Jan. 22, 2014

For the entire press release from the Office of Economic

Development & International Trade, visit: <http://bit.ly/19O5L6f>

Nominations Open for 2014 Governor's Creative Leadership Awards

For the entire press release from the Office of Economic

Development & International Trade, visit: <http://bit.ly/1fknhTK>

Connect for Health Colorado and Colorado Medicaid Update: Enrollment Deadline Approaching

For the entire press release from Connect for Health Colorado,

visit: <http://bit.ly/ISXYNX>

Governor Hickenlooper Welcomes Hamon Deltak Inc. to Colorado

For the entire press release from the Governor's Office,

visit: <http://1.usa.gov/Jxxr90>

Colorado Awards Nearly \$3 Million to Support Innovation through Advanced Industries Accelerator Grant Program

For the entire press release from the Office of Economic

Development & International Trade, visit: <http://bit.ly/Jo2fIY>

Governor Hickenlooper Announces \$30 Million Award to Increase State's Natural Gas Fueling Infrastructure

For the entire press release from the Governor's Office,

visit: <http://1.usa.gov/1cvIps1>

Colorado Health Foundation Hosting Application Information Webinar in January for Prospective Grant Applicants.

For more information, or to register, visit: <http://bit.ly/19nvHvj>

Governor Hickenlooper Appoints Larimer County Court Judge

For the entire press release from the Governor's Office, visit: <http://1.usa.gov/1a65f3F>

Colorado Tourism Office on Amendment 64

For the entire message regarding Amendment 64 from the Colorado Tourism Office, visit: <http://bit.ly/Jo4MCP>

State Board & Commission Openings

Federal Updates:

Bennet Cosponsors Bipartisan Bill to Clarify Volunteer First Responders' Status in Health Care Bill

For the entire press release from Senator Bennet's office, visit: <http://1.usa.gov/K2yy1n>

Membership:

New Members

Member Renewals

Colorado Tourism Office
Randy Grauberger
SourceGas
Ports to Plains
Governor John Hickenlooper
Town of Hugo
Mountain View Electric
Lucile Bledsoe
Colorado Rural Health
Mountain View Electric

Northeast Colorado Housing
PC Telecom
Colorado Asphalt Association

2014 Calendar:

(Progressive 15 events in Blue)

January

10 - Colorado Health Foundation Application Information Webinar
22 - 5th Annual Advance Colorado Procurement Expo - Denver

February

26 - Legislative Day at the Capitol - Denver

27 - Governor's Forum on Colorado Agriculture

March

14 - Transportation Summit

April

May

16 - Summit TBD

June

July

18 - Committee Planning Summit

August

September

18-19 - Fall Conference

October

November

December

8 - Annual Leadership Retreat

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