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Pikes Peak United Way to Host Mayoral Debate

Runoff Candidates for Mayor to Speak at the Ent Center for the Arts

Colorado Springs, Colo. — Pikes Peak United Way’s Public Policy Council will host one of the few debates featuring the two candidates for Colorado Springs mayor on Monday, April 24, from 6:00-7:00 p.m. at the Ent Center for the Arts’ Shockley-Zalabak Theater, 5225 N. Nevada Ave. Doors will open at 5:00 p.m. - attendees are encouraged to arrive by 5:30 p.m.

The debate will feature both candidates in the run-off election slated for May 16, Yemi Mobalade and Wayne Williams. KKTV evening anchor Adam Atchison will serve as moderator and emcee for the event.

The debate is free and open to the public. Topics include affordable housing, public safety and jobs in Colorado Springs. Questions will come from the moderator, in partnership with the UCCS Center for the Study of Government and the Individual.

It is the policy of Pikes Peak United Way to invite all candidates on the ballot to its forums. United Way takes a nonpartisan, non-ideological approach to advocacy, and leverages its convening power to bring stakeholders together to fight for the health, education, and financial stability in every community.

“United Way has a long history of involvement in public policy,” said Cindy Aubrey, Pikes Peak United Way President and CEO, “We believe in the power of respectful discourse and the opportunity to give residents a chance to hear directly from candidates.”

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About Pikes Peak United Way: The mission of Pikes Peak United Way is to enhance youth success and family stability in the Pikes Peak region by leading and lifting the most vulnerable in our community with mentorship, life resources, and real job opportunities. Our signature programs and partner agencies focus on connecting youth and their families to resources at the front end of their life journey to ensure access to fundamental needs of food, shelter, and learning resources. Pikes Peak United Way is celebrating its 100th year and will be hosting a series of celebratory events in 2022 and 2023. Visit <https://www.ppunitedway.org/> for more information. #LiveUnited