



Sam Elstun Public Works Director

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Sam Elstun is our Public Works Director. He is a native of Kansas, but spent most of his younger years on the East coast. I moved to Colorado in 1985 and graduated from Florence High School in 1987. Sam was employed by the City of Florence as a refuse collector (a.k.a. trash man) in the summer of 1989. He became a full-time employee in August of 1990. At the time, Martin Duran was his supervisor and trained him in a number of areas. He moved up from refuse collector to the Streets Department and Water Distribution. Now, as the Director of Public Works, Sam does a combination of them all and has been employed with the City of Florence for over 27 years.

In his free time, Sam enjoys spending time with his loving wife, Debi, two sons, Christopher and Timothy and daughter-in-law Katie. They have two dogs, Nay and J.