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The Lake View

A Bi-Monthly Insight Into Our Syracuse City Community

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Mayor's Message

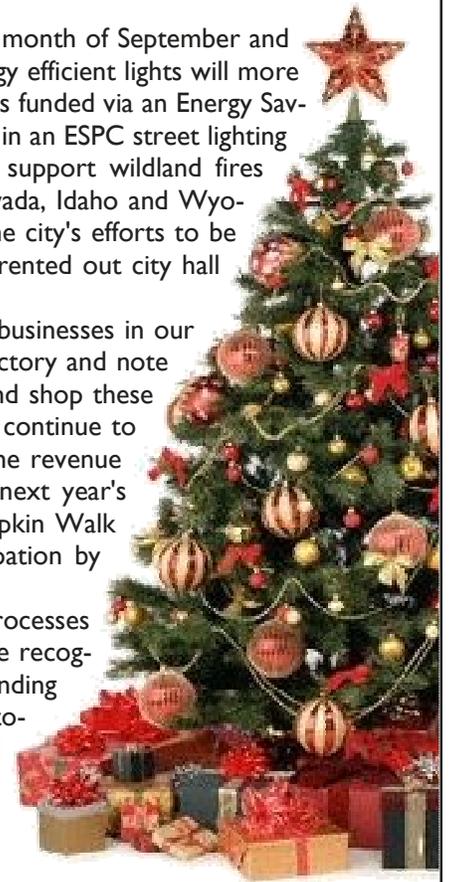
As we head into the Holiday Season I thought I'd reflect on some of the great things that have gone on in the city over the past year. When I ran for Mayor, getting our financial house in order and fixing our roads were two of my top priorities. The City staff have done a remarkable job turning around our finances and stepping up our Capital Improvement Program. Our general fund balance (rainy day fund) for the recently concluded Fiscal Year was up by more than \$400,000 from the previous year, this is nearly tripled from when I took office. This is even more remarkable considering that during the mid year review we transferred more the \$300,000 from the General Fund to the Class C Road Fund. So in essence, we really improved our General Fund Balance by over \$700,000 in one year!

As many people are still struggling in the current economy and most believe that we have yet to turn the corner, our gains are even more impressive. This impressive turnaround has come about due to the efforts of our City Manager who has led staff at innovating and modernizing our services; our city employees are a wonderful, hard working group of people and deserve our thanks and respect for their efforts. We began the budget year with a plan to spend \$3.9M on Capital Improvements but have further refined our plan and intend to now commit almost \$6.7M to Capital Improvements during this fiscal year. Our roads are receiving a lot of attention and the work by our Public Works Department in addressing our Capital needs has been most impressive.

We have achieved our financial turnaround due to many innovative programs. The month of September and October saw the complete changeover of all street lights in the city. These new energy efficient lights will more than halve our energy use, dramatically cut costs and last 15-20 years. This project was funded via an Energy Savings Performance Contract (ESPC) and Syracuse is the first City in Utah to participate in an ESPC street lighting project. In August of 2011 we purchased a new fire tender and configured it to support wildland fires throughout the west. Since this purchase the tender has deployed to Colorado, Nevada, Idaho and Wyoming and generated nearly \$240,000 of revenue for the city while also showcasing the city's efforts to be good partners with our Federal and State Fire Fighting Agencies. We have recently rented out city hall bringing in extra revenue which helps expand our surpluses.

We will deliver, with this newsletter, a Syracuse Business Directory which lists all businesses in our city, including our home based businesses. I encourage you to look through this directory and note how many niche businesses we have in Syracuse. I also encourage you to support and shop these businesses, which helps support our Shop Local campaign. Our recreation programs continue to set new records for participants. Our last Heritage Days was the biggest ever and the revenue we generated from vendors and sponsors will enable us to pay for fireworks for next year's event from event profits vice the City's General Fund. The recently completed Pumpkin Walk and Festival was also the largest ever with record breaking attendance and participation by sponsors.

We continue to welcome new businesses to Syracuse as we have streamlined the processes to get new businesses going. Building permits are up significantly, showing that people recognize this is a great community to live, work and play. The Syracuse Fun Center is expanding and will house a pool and indoor Go-Kart track. Ninigret North broke ground in October and we expect the first tenant to break ground in the spring. Really look forward to this development that will bring much needed jobs to our City. All in all it is an exciting time to be in the City. We hope the next year is as productive as the last three.
~Jamie



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Winter Safety Message

With winter just around the corner, here are a few things to consider if any of your recreations will be around water. When water temperature drops to 39.2 degrees the vertical circulation stops and ice starts to form shortly after. River ice is similar to lake ice. However, due to the undercutting current, the ice should be considered 15% weaker. Here are a few ice hazards to look out for. Obstructions - a branch or fence pole frozen in the ice will absorb the heat from the sun and cause the ice around it to become weaker. Cracks - cracks are formed by the expansion or contraction of an ice sheet due to a temperature fluctuation. Avoid cracks if possible; if you must cross a crack always cross it at a 90-degree angle. Open channels - open channels are caused by moving water which degrades the ice from below making it thinner than it may appear to be.



If you fall through the ice, remain calm. Try to pull while kicking to get yourself onto the ice shelf. Once you're on the shelf roll away from the hole. This will disperse your weight and is the fastest way to get you away from the weak ice. If you are unable to get out, keep close to the ice shelf and try not to break it. This will give you something to hold onto until help can reach you. If you see someone fall through the ice, get help immediately, stay calm, and don't go out on the ice. Try talking them through a self-rescue as mentioned above. If they are unable to do so and you have an object that will reach them, extend that out to them and pull them in. If the reach method will not work and a rope is available, throw the rope to them, have them secure the rope around their chest, and pull them in if you can. If not, keep them pinned to the ice until help reaches you.

Hypothermia is defined as the cooling of the body's temperature below 95 degrees. There are two ways hypothermia develops: acute, which is a sudden onset (falling through ice), or sub-acute which develops over a period of time. These are three stages of hypothermia:

- Mild, a victim is conscious, oriented, and shivering.
- Moderate, a victim will have an altered level of consciousness and shivering has stopped.
- Severe, a victim is unconscious and their muscles are rigid.

If symptoms are noticed, the primary goal is to prevent further heat loss rather than rewarming the victim. Depending on the severity of the hypothermia it is possible to cause further injury by over aggressive rewarming methods. Remove the victim from the cold environment, dry them off, and cover them with something to conserve heat. Regardless of the level of hypothermia, avoid the following actions as they may cause further injury or aggravate the condition of the hypothermic victim:

- Never rub or massage the extremities
- Never give alcohol
- Never apply ice
- Never apply external heat sources directly to the skin

There are various ponds and streams in Syracuse and surrounding cities with easy access. Please talk to your children about ice safety. Syracuse Fire Department is trained in ice rescue and assists other cities as well. If there is an ice rescue emergency call 911. If you have any further questions about ice safety you can contact the Fire Department.

Christmas Tree Pick Up

The first week in January, the Public Works Department will be collecting discarded live Christmas Trees. All decorations must be removed prior to trees being placed on the curb.



A HUGE thank you to all our sponsors, and all our residents for the support that we received for this year's Pumpkin Walk Festival.

The success of this event would not have been possible without you!



Newsletter Production Survey

We are asking for residents help to determine the most preferred way to receive your Syracuse City Newsletter, aka "The Lake View". Please choose whether you would like to receive the newsletter:

- A:** The same way as it is delivered now, bi-monthly via mail. (\$2,796.33)
- B:** Digitally, the newsletter will be created as usual but will be posted on the website and emailed to residents who wish to receive it that way. (\$0)
- C:** As a one page column every two weeks in the "Islander" newspaper. (\$400.00)
- D:** Included with your monthly City Utility Bill. (\$605.20)

I would like to receive my City Newsletter via: _____

Please return this survey to City Hall, email mmartinson@syracuseut.com, or call 801-825-1477 with your response.

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We appreciate your feedback. If you have any comments or concerns about the newsletter, please email them to mmartinson@syracuseut.com

New Street Lights

In an effort to save money and energy, the city has purchased over 300 street light poles from Rocky Mountain Power and changed the light bulb types in each of them. The city replaced high pressure sodium bulbs with new induction lamp bulbs. The induction bulbs are more energy efficient and will last longer. The induction bulbs are warranted for 10 years and often last for as many as 20 years. The total cost for the project was \$680,000 dollars.



Before the project, the yearly cost of using the induction bulbs and maintenance fees from Rocky Mountain Power was about \$72,000. Since the city purchased the lights and replaced the bulbs, the yearly cost will only be about \$12,000. That means that the city will be saving about \$60,000 a year in street lighting costs. The city purchased the bulbs and conversion kits from Siemens. The company has guaranteed that our long term savings will be more than the cost, and if it's not, they will pay the difference.

Santa Claus is Coming to Town

The Fire Department will be hosting Santa on the fire truck again this year on Saturday December 8th, beginning at 9am. Listen for the siren near your neighborhood throughout the day for a chance to wave to Santa! Watch for more information on the City web site.



Public Works

Fix-It Request

We appreciate our citizens helping us to be aware of repairs and maintenance that need to be done throughout the city. The city website has been a great tool for providing us notification. The "Fix-it Request" link can be found on our home page. Look under "Popular Pages".

SEWER: Fight F.O.G.

Help keep Fats, Oils & Grease from clogging the sewer pipes!

- Wipe dishes, pots, pans and cooking equipment before rinsing or washing.
- Put food waste into food recycling container or trash.
- Collect waste oil and store for recycling.
- Clean up spills *immediately*.
- Keep screens in all drains to catch food waste.

Stormwater 101

In Davis County, any water that enters our storm drain system from rain storms, snow melt, irrigation etc discharges into our creeks and eventually enters wetlands and/or the Great Salt Lake. This water travels over the ground picking up various pollutants. **THIS WATER IS NEVER TREATED.** Everyone should be sure that hazardous materials such as household cleaning products, automotive fluids, paints, solvents, etc need to be disposed of at a hazardous waste facility.

Streets

Snow plow safety is something everyone on or near roadways should be aware of. Operators performing this necessary function are dedicated to providing safe roads for the traveling public. Please be cautious as you commute this winter. Help others during this winter season with your time and equipment to assist the elderly, disabled, a neighbor or friend. We all need a little assistance now and then.



permission is granted by the Syracuse Police Department. Violation of this ordinance shall be a Class C misdemeanor, punishable in accordance with all the provisions of law. (Ord. 11-4-1)

Post Office News

We are located in City Hall, 1979 West 1900 South. Our hours are Monday thru Friday, 9am to 5pm, with the last pick up for packages at 4:30pm.



Extended Holiday Hours:

- December 10 thru 14 (9am to 5:30pm)
- December 17 thru 21 (9am to 5:30pm)
- Saturday – December 8 (9am to noon)
- Saturday – December 15 (9am to noon)

Great News For Mailing Your Holiday Packages:

We have, in stock, a variety of "Ready Post" boxes, ranging from size 8x8x8 to 20x20x20, bubble wrap and packing tape for purchase. Our new inventory, also, includes several decorative mailers in two sizes.

For an excellent resource on questions concerning domestic and international packages visit www.usps.com.

As a reminder, please DO NOT leave packages in the lobby or Post Office unattended.

THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING
YOUR SYRACUSE POST OFFICE
THIS HOLIDAY SEASON!

Contact Information

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Volunteer

Are you looking for a way to volunteer or help our community become a better place in which to live? Below is a list of City contacts who offer volunteer opportunities.

Syracuse City Museum

Phone: 801-825-3633
 Hours: 2pm - 5pm

Syracuse Arts Council

Email: utahyankees@gmail.com

Syracuse Youth Council

Phone: 801-719-9179

Syracuse Lions Club

Phone: 801-825-7311

Syracuse Lady Lions

Phone: 801-791-7375

Syracuse Eagle Scout Projects

Phone: 801-825-7235

Services

Syracuse City Hall is open Monday through Friday, 8am-5pm, but closed on certain holidays. Community Center hours are Mondays through Thursdays, 6am-9pm, Fridays, 6am-8pm, and Saturdays, 8am- 4pm.

Syracuse City Hall

Phone: 801-825-1477
 Address: 1979 West 1900 South

Syracuse Police Station

Phone: 801-825-4400
 Address: 1751 South 2000 West

Syracuse Fire Station

Phone: 801-614-9614
 Address: 1869 South 3000 West

Syracuse Community Center (Parks & Recreation)

Phone: 801-614-9660
 Address: 1912 West 1900 South

Syracuse Public Works Facility

Phone: 801-825-7235
 Address: 3061 South 2400 West



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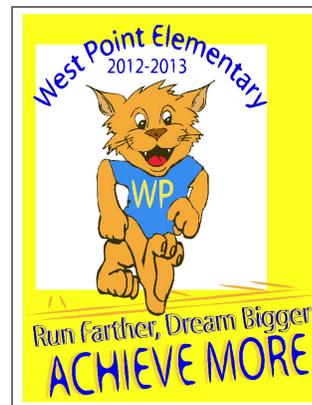
Syracuse City & Wendy's Award for Excellence

This monthly award recognizes the outstanding performance of students who excel in athletics, academics, arts and/or community service.

October: West Point Jr. High's Ashleigh Banks



September: West Point Elementary's Jaden Fackrell



October: West Point Jr. High's Kaison Cotton



September: West Point Elementary's Ava Elmore

Congratulations and Thank You for your wonderful examples!!!

Recreation and Community Center



SENIOR CITIZENS

To learn more about activities for seniors, drop by the Community Center for a Senior Citizen Newsletter or visit www.syracuserecreation.com

SYRACUSE QUILT GUILD

The Guild meets the second Tuesday of each month at 1pm in the Community Center. For more Guild info, visit syracuseutahquilters.blogspot.com.

YOUTH KARATE CLASSES

This program teaches Manners, Behavior, Respect, and Discipline. Cost is \$30 for the first month. For ages 4-Adult. For registration info, call Johnny Aranda, at 801-544-7037. Now offering Muay Thai Kickboxing.

AEROBIC CLASSES

Step-aerobics and sculpt and tone classes are held Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays at 8:45am (step) and 9:35am (sculpt & tone) at the Community Center. The cost is \$8 per month or \$1/day. Come get fit with us!

ZUMBA WITH ANGIE!

Come see what Zumba can do for you. Classes are Tues/Thurs at 8:50am, Tues/Thurs at 7:30pm and Saturdays at 10:30am at the Community Center Zumba Tone (cardio and toning all in one!) is taught during Tuesday evening and Thursday morning classes

Cost: \$36 for 12 Class punch card or \$5 drop in

Happily Ever Signing

Baby Sign Language classes are taught by a Certified Advanced

instructor through the Signing Time Academy. We meet on Tuesdays from 10:30-11:30am. The class is for ages birth-36 months of age. Signing with your child promotes a deeper bond, enhances baby's memory, reduces toddlers' frustration, and benefit's children with special needs. The cost is \$10 per class for 4 weeks plus a multimedia fee. For more info please contact Angela Horsfall @ 801.388.8883 or HappilyEverSigning@gmail.com

SELF-DEFENSE

Age Group: Young Women/Lady Class
Time/Date: November 10th @ 12-1:30 PM
Cost: \$8/person
Call to register (801-544-7337)
Address: 1540 W Gordon Ave, Layton

JR. JAZZ

For those who have already registered for Jr. Jazz, and are in one of the following leagues draft times are as follows:

Saturday, November 17, 2012 East Gym

9:00 a.m. 3rd Grade Boys
10:30 a.m. 5th Grade Boys
12:00 p.m. 7th-8th Grade Boys
1:30 p.m. 7th-9th Grade Girls

Saturday, November 17, 2012 West Gym

9:00 a.m. 4th Grade Boys
10:30 a.m. 6th Grade Boys
12:00 p.m. 3th-4th Grade Girls
1:30 p.m. 5th-6th Grade Girls

Throughout the month of the November, the Syracuse Community Center will be accepting non-perishable food items to donate to the Utah Food Bank.



Syracuse City is proud to partner with the United States Marine Corps Reserve again for our annual

Toys for Tots drive. Toy collection bins will be located in the lobby of City Hall from the end of October through December 15; so please bring by new, unwrapped toys for this great cause that brings joy to less fortunate children.

WE NOW OFFER ONLINE REGISTRATION!

Online registration is available at www.syracuserecreation.com

Free Wi-Fi at Community Center



The Community Center is in the process of installing wireless routers that will provide free wireless internet to those using the facility. Soon visitors will be able to listen to streaming music on their phone while walking on the track or do some work while watching their son's basketball game, for example. The network will not be password protected and anybody with a device that can receive Wi-Fi can access the service.

Syracuse Guild for Visual Arts

Ian Ramsay creates beautiful images in watercolors. His harbor scenes are particularly striking. In this class Ian will demonstrate how he works by quickly painting a simple harbor scene. He will carefully describe his process and thoughts as he progresses. Once the demonstration is complete, Ian will help students in the class create their own version of the same painting.

An image of the scene will be provided in advance. Participants will be asked to create a pencil drawing of the scene on watercolor paper as pre-work for the class.

Instructor: Ian Ramsay

Date: Saturday, November 10, 2012

Time: 9am-12 Noon

Location: Syracuse Community Center, Arts and Crafts Room

Difficulty: All skill levels

Type of Class: Demonstration, lecture and activities

Class Media: Watercolor

Supply List:

- Watercolor paper fixed to a board (cold pressed Arches or Fabriano)
- Selection of basic watercolor paints in a watercolor palette
- Selection of large, medium and detail watercolor brushes
- Other watercolor materials (such as, containers and paper towels)

Advertise Your Business Here!!!

Prices are as follows:

Full page ad (8 1/2 x 11): \$400 per issue

Half page ad: \$225 per issue

Quarter page ad: \$125 per issue

Eighth page ad: \$60 per issue

If you wish to advertise in the newsletter please contact Marqae Martinson at mmartinson@syracuseut.com or 801-614-9627

VITA PROGRAM AVAILABLE AGAIN

The Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) program will be available again at Syracuse Community Center this coming tax season. If your annual household or individual income is \$50,000 or less, IRS-trained community volunteers will prepare your federal and state taxes free of charge. These tax preparers are especially proficient in getting all the special credits you may be allowed under tax law, e.g., Earned Income Tax Credits, Education Credits, Child Credits and Residential Energy Credits. Syracuse Community Center will be open for free tax preparation each Monday starting February 4 and ending April 15, from 5-8pm. The center will be closed on February 18 for President's Day. If you would like to make an appointment to have your taxes done, call 2-1-1 on or after the third week in January and they will schedule a time for you. Walk-ins are also welcome, but they must be served after those with appointments.

Please bring these items when you come to get your taxes done. (This is not intended to be a complete listing of all possible items needed to complete the return).

- Social Security card for you, your spouse and your dependents. If you don't have a Social Security card, bring an ITIN or a letter from the Social Security Administration.
- Correct birthdates for you, your spouse and dependents.
- Wage and earning statements (W-2 or 1099-R).
- Interest and dividend statements from banks, e.g. Form 1099-INT or 1099-DIV.
- If you are itemizing deductions, additional materials need to be furnished, e.g. receipts for medical expenses, charitable contributions, mortgage and property tax information.
- Amount paid for daycare, provider's name and address, plus tax identifying number.
- A copy of last year's tax return.
- If you want to have a refund electronically deposited, bring a check so that the tax preparer can get the routing number of the bank and your account number.
- **Both parties of a joint return must come in to sign the forms, even if e-filing.**

Call 2-1-1- for additional vita site information.



Antelope Island Activities

For information about events at the island call (801) 721-9569.

Great Salt Lake Bird Festival Calls for 2013 Student Art Contest Entries

Utah K-12 students invited to create a picture of a Long-billed Dowitcher

FARMINGTON, UT — October 9, 2012 — The 15th annual Great Salt Lake Bird Festival announces its 2013 Student Art Contest, sponsored in part by a grant from the Davis County Commissioners' Cup Golf Tournament and Rio Tinto Kennecott Utah Copper. All Utah students from kindergarten to 12th grade are invited to submit an original drawing or painting in color of a Long-billed Dowitcher using personal observation, field guides, or Internet resources to research their artwork. An instructional packet with pictures is available at www.GreatSaltLakeBirdFest.com. The Long-billed Dowitcher will be the 2014 Festival Spotlight bird.

Contest entries will be judged in one of four grade categories, with winning artists from each category receiving cash prizes. An overall Best of Show image will also be chosen and featured on the 2014 Great Salt Lake Bird Festival's promotional materials. Entries must be hand delivered or postmarked by May 3, 2013 at festival headquarters in Farmington (Davis County Administration Building, 61 South Main Street Farmington UT 84025 third floor CED).

All artwork will be displayed for public viewing as part of the festival, to be held May 16-20, 2013. The event is expected to draw more than 3,500 local and out-of-state participants for numerous field trips, workshops, free family activities, and special speakers. Although Utah's incredible array of wild birds is the focus of the festival, attendees will have the opportunity to learn about a range of topics including local geology, reptiles, botany, mammals, and insects.

For more information about the Great Salt Lake Bird Festival's Student Art Contest, Contest entry forms or other activities, please visit <http://www.GreatSaltLakeBirdFest.com>.

Deliver contest entries by May 3, 2013 to:

Great Salt Lake Bird Festival
Attn: Student Art Contest
61 S. Main Street, Third Floor CED
Farmington, UT 84025



EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS FAIR

In the event of an emergency, will your family be ready?

There will be an Tri-City Emergency Preparedness Fair on Saturday November 3rd. It will be held at the Syracuse Rec Center, 1912 West 1900 South, from 9am-1pm. Anyone interested in being a vendor contact cert@syracuseut.com.

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Green Waste Can



Please remember that Green waste cans must be used for GREEN WASTE ONLY until November 30th. This includes yard clippings, tree trimmings, and old produce. From December 1st through March 30th your green waste can may be used for regular trash.

West Davis Corridor



**WEST DAVIS
CORRIDOR**

The October 2012 alternative refinements and updated wetlands information are now available on the West Davis Corridor EIS project website: www.udot.utah.gov/westdavis. We are continuing to study both Alternatives A and B as part of the Draft Environmental Impact Statement (Draft EIS). Currently, we are drafting chapters of the Draft EIS document and conducting a detailed analysis on impacts such as noise, water quality, and air quality. The result of this in-depth analysis will be reflected in the Draft EIS, which is expected to be released in spring 2013. A final decision is not expected until 2014. For the latest information, including maps, data, and project schedule, please visit the project website at www.udot.utah.gov/westdavis.

UDOT encourages you to submit your comments and ask questions. Please contact the study team at 877-298-1991 or westdavis@utah.gov.

Frozen Water Pipe Prevention

The winter months mean freezing outdoor temperatures which can cause water lines to freeze. Frozen pipes can burst and cause extensive water damage. An eighth-inch (three millimeter) crack in a pipe can emit up to 250 gallons (946 liters) of water a day. Both plastic (PVC) and copper pipes can burst. By taking a few simple precautions, you can save yourself the mess, money and aggravation frozen pipes cause.



Before the cold hits

- **Insulate** pipes in your home's crawl spaces, garage, unfinished basement and attic. These exposed pipes are most susceptible to freezing. Remember, the more insulation you use, the better protected your pipes will be.
- **Disconnect** garden hoses and insulate all outdoor faucets (hosebibs). This reduces the chance of freezing in the short span of pipe just inside the house.
- **Heat tape** or thermostatically-controlled heat cables can be used to wrap pipes. Be sure to use products approved only for the use intended (exterior or interior). Closely follow all manufacturers' installation and operation instructions.
- **Seal** leaks that allow cold air inside near where pipes are located. Look for air leaks around electrical wiring, dryer vents and pipes. Use caulk or insulation to keep the cold out and the heat in. With severe cold, even a tiny opening can let in enough cold air to cause a pipe to freeze.

When the temperature drops

- **A trickle** of hot and cold water might be all it takes to keep your pipes from freezing. Let warm water drip overnight, preferably from a faucet on an outside wall.
- **Open** cabinet doors to allow heat to get to uninsulated pipes under sinks and appliances near exterior walls.

Before you go away

- **Set** the thermostat in your house no lower than 55°F (12°C).
- **Ask** a friend or neighbor to check your house daily to make sure it's warm enough to prevent freezing or
- **Shut off** and drain the water system. Be aware that if you have a fire protection sprinkler system in your house, it will be deactivated when you shut off the water.

If your pipes freeze

Don't take chances. If you turn on your faucets and nothing comes out, leave a faucet turned on for water to drain from and so you can see when the water starts to flow again. You may be able to thaw a frozen pipe with a hair dryer, heater or heat tape. Apply heat for up to 45 minutes if there is still no water contact the Water Division at 801-825-7235 or after hours at 801-643-5775.

If your water pipes have frozen and burst, turn off the water at the main shut-off valve in the house (usually in the basement); leave the water faucets turned on. (Make sure everyone in your family knows where the water shut-off valve is and how to open and close it.)

*****Never try to thaw a pipe with a torch or other open flame. Do not use electrical appliances in areas of standing water because you could be electrocuted.*****

Welcome New Businesses

JN Designs(801-728-4781).....Online sales of wood crafts and Vinyl
Casing Gio Tires(801-882-9455).....Online Tire Sales
Forte Engineering(801-815-7403).....Engineering Services
ISS, LLC(801-882-2412).....Sales and Installation of Security Systems
Peak Preschool, LLC(801-643-9119).....Preschool
Evara Studios(801-623-2915).....Photography

For more information about businesses or opening a new business please call 801-614-9627 or visit the "Doing Business" page at www.syracuseut.com.

Utilities



As the close of the summer season approaches, there are just a few reminders that we wanted to bring to your attention:

- October is the last month that we will read meters for the season. The bill that you receive in November will reflect this final read. Meters will be read again beginning in April of 2013.
- Between the months of November through March, residents are charged \$16.50 for water. The May 2013 bill will reflect charges for any water that is used over 8,000 gallons each month.
- Secondary water is turned off in October however the secondary water charge is a flat rate year round charge so that we may avoid rate increases in the summer months.
- Our green waste season will continue through November 30th and resume again April 1, 2013. During the months of December-March you may use your green can for regular household waste.

We appreciate our residents and your contribution to making Syracuse such a great place to live.

Topsoil For Sale

Syracuse City currently has topsoil available for purchase. Interested parties may contact the Public Works Department at 801-825-7235 to schedule pick-up or delivery of soil. 20 mile delivery limit, minimum purchase of 6 yards for delivery. The City will load topsoil onto each recipient's truck when picked-up. Prices are as follows:

	<u>You haul</u>	<u>Delivery</u>
Resident:	\$20/yard	\$20/yard +\$30 delivery
Non-resident:	\$25/yard	\$25/yard +\$40 delivery

Community Workshop

Living Well with Chronic Conditions



UTAH DEPARTMENT OF
HEALTH

Want help keeping your New Year's resolution? The free community workshop **Living Well with Chronic Conditions** can help you achieve your goals to manage your ongoing health conditions by teaching you different self management tools that can help you take your life back and control your health again. A new six week workshop begins Jan. 9th at 2:30pm at Davis Hospital's Diabetes Care Center in Layton. Call Jessica at 801-525-5087 to register to attend or for more information.

Holiday Gift Donations Needed

Davis County Health Department's Senior Services is holding a gift drive to help make the holidays a little brighter for senior citizens who may be isolated or not have the financial resources to celebrate this year.

The deadline to turn in gifts is Friday, Dec. 14, by 5 p.m. to the Davis County Health Department or at one of the county's three senior activity centers.

Autumn Glow Senior Activity Center, 81 E. Center Street, Kaysville

Golden Years Senior Activity Center, 726 S 100 E., Bountiful

North Davis Senior Activity Center, 42 S. State Street, Clearfield

For more details or to receive your gift request contact Jessica Hardcastle at 801-525-5087 or email her at jhardcastle@daviscountyutah.gov. Gift request will not exceed \$50.



(CERT) Training

Syracuse Community Emergency Response Team

CERT is a group of every day citizens in the community who want to know what to do in a disaster and how to help others. They are taught basic fire, first aid, search and rescue and Incident Command. Come join our Winter CERT Class and make a difference! Classes are Tuesday nights: Jan 15, 22, 29, Feb 5, 12, 19, 26, from 6-9pm at the Syracuse Fire Station located at 1869 S 3000 W. There will also be a final class mock disaster on March 2, from 9am – noon.

The cost of the class is \$25.00 for safety equipment To sign up for the class you will need to call the Fire station at 801-614-9614 or send an e-mail to cert@syracuseut.com





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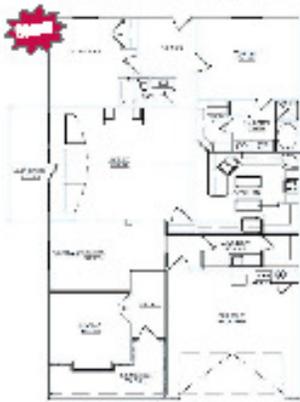


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November



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1	2	3 Emergency Preparedness Fair 9am-1pm
4	5	6 Planning Commission @ 6pm	7 Court	8	9	10 SGVA Art Class 9am-noon Self Defense Class 12-1:30pm
11 Veterans Day	12 City Offices Closed In observance of Veterans Day	13 City Council @ 6pm	14 Court	15	16	17
18	19	20 Planning Commission @ 6pm	21 Court	22 City Offices Closed In observance of Thanksgiving	23 City Offices Closed In observance of Thanksgiving	24
25 Utility Payments Due	26	27 City Council @ 6pm	28 Court	29	30 Last Day Green Waste Containers must be used for green waste only	

December



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						1 Green Waste Containers may be used for regular trash
2	3	4 Planning Commission @ 6pm	5 Court	6	7	8 Santa on Fire Truck Post Office Open 9am-noon
9	10	11 City Council @6pm	12 Court	13	14	15 Post Office Open 9am-noon
-----Post Office Holiday Hours 9am-5:30pm-----						
16	17	18 Planning Commission @ 6pm	19 Court	20	21	22
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23	24 City Offices Closed Comm Center Closes @ 2pm	25 City Offices Closed In observance of Christmas Utility Payments Due	26 Court	27	28	29
30	31					