

# CITY NEWSLETTER

## Moving Ferward on New Public Works Facility

West Bountiful City Council recently took several significant steps to construct a new public works facility on 1200 North

Under a construction method known as CM/GC (Construction Manager/General Contractor), the city has selected an architectural firm and general contractor to move forward with the design and construction of the facility. This method allows the general

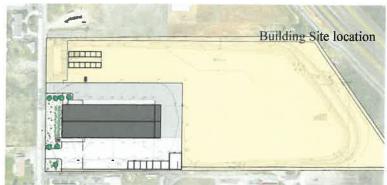


contractor to participate in the design to help control costs.

- The architectural firm is CRSA out of Salt Lake City, and the CM/GC is Gramoll Construction out of North Salt Lake. Some residents may know that Mayor Ken Romney is an employee of Gramoll Construction. With the help of the State of Utah, the city took many precautions to ensure that no one connected to the firms (including the Mayor and the Public Works Director) were involved in the value-based selection process. The City Administrator is happy to talk to any resident with concerns about how contractors were selected.
- The current budget for the project is between \$5-\$6 million. This is significantly below the original estimate of \$7 million from the original master plan. This will fund an 18,000 sq. ft. building to include vehicle/equipment storage, workspace, and minimal office area, as well as other space for road salt and other material storage.
- A Sales Tax Revenue Bond of \$6 million was issued to fund the project. The city's sound financial stand-

ing helped the city secure a 1.822% interest rate on the bond, and the city will return any unspent funds to lower the principal balance.

The current schedule is to have the new facility open by late summer 2022.



#### What Is Public Works?

For West Bountiful City, the public works department oversees many of the services residents use every day. including drinking water, streets maintenance, snow removal, parks, storm drains, and garbage can management.





## **Community Highlights**



## Arts Council News & Events

The Arts Council has resumed it's 7:00pm face to face concerts at City Hall on the 2nd Friday of the month as in the list below.

Where possible the concerts will continue to be streamed and can be viewed at YouTube.com by searching West Bountiful Arts Council. Also note the link to the streamed concerts from the city web page by clicking on Community/Arts Council/Arts Council Events.

Oct - Cowboy Poetry

Nov - Susie Carter's Christmas Concert

Jan - Andy Leger at the Keyboard

Feb - Romance In the Air Couples Concert

Mar - Sisters Susie Carter & Julie Peterson Favorites

Apr - The Annual Young Artists Concert

May - Sherry Meidell Presents Her Art

Introducing the 2021 / 2022 WBC Youth Council

Nicole Wood—Mayor

Ryan Wood-Treasurer

Bo Bartholomew

**Cosette Curtis** 

Claira Halling

Jack Kagie

Becca Parker

Decca Fairei

Daniel Peterson

Ella Rodabough

Elsie Buck—Mayor Pro Tem

Tyson Wood—Historian

Cooper Buck

**Drew Farley** 

Clara Kagie

Spencer Lewis

Lindsey Packer

Noah Peterson

Public Works Facility cont.

# What Are the Current Facilities and Why Aren't They Good Enough?

To provide these services, the city has the following buildings and land: A 6,000 sq. ft. shop behind city hall on 800 W. that acts as the main location for equipment and employees, and an outdoor yard at the end of Jessi's Meadow Dr. with materials like salt and gravel and various types of equipment. Unfortunately, the current public works shop is much too small to fit the current equipment needed to provide services like fixing water breaks and snow plowing. The current setup of having the equipment, materials, and employees separated also costs time and money. Finally, because it is behind the city hall, the public works shop is very difficult to access during the school year.



## FALL CLEANUP October 16th — 23rd

The city will provide large bins in the north parking lot of the city park for Spring Cleanup again this year. West Bountiful residents will be allowed to dispose of yard waste, scrap metal, and miscellaneous cleanup materials from their primary place of residence. Driver's Licenses will be checked.



### **Community Highlights continued**





## Mark your Calendar

December 11, 2021, Christmas on Onion St Santa will parade through town and end at the City Park where snacks and games will be waiting.

## **NEW Adopted Regulation**

ALL new front yard fences will require a building permit. For details go to <a href="https://www.WBCity.org">www.WBCity.org</a> – Recently





# The Pavis County Caregiver Academy

The Caregiver Academy is a free series of six workshops that assist family and community caregivers in developing the skills needed to manage an In-home care environment. Each participant receives a free Managing Care Guide.

\*Virtual Workshop: Tuesdays from 2:00-3:30 pm starting October 5th

\*In-Person Workshop: Tuesdays from 11:00 am-12:30 pm at Central Davis Senior Activity Center (81 E Center St. Kaysville) starting October 5th

#### The Six Workshops for Fall 2021:

Oct 12: Building Caregiver Resources
Oct 12: Building Caregiver Resilience
Oct 19: Setting Good Care Boundaries
Oct 26: Involving Family and Others
Nov 2: Managing Difficult Behaviors
Nov 9: Understanding Care Options

Call 801.525.5050, Option 5 to sign up—Space Limited

Davis County Retired & Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP) CALL 801.525.5052



\* TUTORS NEEDED \*

AmeriCorps Seniors



# West Bountiful Residents Appreciation Day

Lakeside Golf Course would like to show appreciation to our Residents with FREE GOLF

Tuesday, November 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2021!!

Interested West Bountiful residents are entitled to one 9-hole round of golf with a cart. Golfers will need to show driver's license or proof of WB City residency.



Call 801/295-1019
or visit
Lakesidegolfcourse.com to
book a tee time





What better gift than the gift of Golf ?!

Special Holiday Hours.

If the Golf Course is unplayable due to weather, these will be our following hours for Holiday shopping. Monday – Saturday 10am – 2pm on December 6<sup>th</sup> to December 24<sup>th</sup>

West Bountiful City 550 N 800 W West Bountiful UT 84087

PRSRT STD U.S. POST-AGE PAID Bountiful UTAH Permit 1011

## **POSTAL CUSTOMER**

West Bountiful, UT 84087

Notes from the Chief

## Have a gun? Get a lock!

- The West Bountiful Police Department is giving away FREE pun locks!
- Must be a resident of West Bountiful
- The locks are available at the police department, 550 North 800 West West Bountiful
- Office hours are Mon-Thurs 8AM-5PM, Fri 8AM-3PM

Buying a firearm means accepting the responsibility that comes with it. The best approach to prevent firearm-related mishaps is to ensure that firearms are always appropriately locked and stored away in the home.









Utah is an avid outdoorsman state which includes various shooting sports. As fall approaches, for many this means hunting season! The West Bountiful Police Department would like to encourage residents who are gun owners to come in and get a free gun lock for their firearms. Gun locks are an effective tool to secure your firearms during this upcoming hunting season!

Chief Brandon Erekson West Bountiful Police Department

The West Bountiful Police Department
Is committed to excellence in law enforcement
And dedicated to the people, traditions,
And diversity of our city.
In order to protect life and property,
Prevent crime, and improve quality of life,
We will provide service with understanding,
Respond with compassion, and perform with integrity.