



River Heights City News

April 2019



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Mayor's Message

Dear River Heights Residents,

It's another exciting spring in wonderful River Heights. As our yards start to sprout and bloom, please remember to give equal attention to weeds and unsightly growth. Unkept and weed filled yards and properties effect the whole community by lessening the value of adjacent homes and neighborhoods. Thank you for your efforts in keeping our city attractive and a place others want to call home.

Also, we are at the beginning of another period of growth. The property east of the elementary school (recently annexed by Providence) is likely to start the development process soon. As none of us like to see our open spaces taken, these coming years are sure to be difficult and often emotional. We will continue to work on lessening the impact to our residents as much as possible. Please keep in mind that these future residents are going to be our neighbors and eventual friends. They will attend our schools and our church meetings. As the time for legal and democratic criticism and reform come to a close, my hope is that River Heights will be the place they will feel loved and accepted--a valued part of our community.

Sincerely, Todd Rasmussen

T-Ball Sign-ups

- ◆ For girls and boys ages 3-5
- ◆ Sign up online at **riverheights.org** beginning April 1.
- ◆ Cost is \$20 for River Heights residents, \$25 for non-residents
- ◆ Games are played on Tuesday and Thursday evenings in June at 5:30 and 6:30.
- ◆ Space is limited to only 80 players.
- ◆ Volunteer coaches are needed.

As American as Apple Pie!

Apple Days plans are in the works! Mark your calendar for August 24, 2019!



Dog Licensing

Dog tags are late but are still due. The late fee is **\$10 each month** so please hurry and take care of it to prevent additional fees and a possible citation. Don't forget to bring in proof of rabies if it expired in the last year.

Lions Easter Egg Hunt

Saturday, April 20, 2019

9:00 am

500 East 400 South

(Old Church parking lot)



For children (ages 0-11) who live in River Heights and their guests.

85 Years of River Heights History

1934-2019

The first name given to River Heights was "Dry Town." This was because there was no natural flowing streams or springs in the area. Even after the town was named River Heights, the old timers in Providence would still refer to it as Dry Town. This made the people of River Heights pretty upset and it nearly came to fist fights on more than one occasion.

Sewer Rate Increase: As of April 1, 2019 sewer rates will increase by \$6/month, based on current costs associated with the new Logan City wastewater treatment facility.

Spring Clean-Up

Take advantage of the following dumpsters for River Heights residents only during the month of April.

- ◆ green waste north of the cemetery
- ◆ trash north of the cemetery
- ◆ trash behind the city offices

The city is providing these dumpsters to assist youth or volunteer groups, families, and individuals, not commercial businesses.

If containers are full please do not place the materials on the ground. Logan City's Green Waste Facility at 153 N 1400 W in Logan is available for free. The green waste dumpsters are emptied daily Monday-Friday. Thank you for your cooperation.

Protection from Wildfires

Come learn from firefighters how landscaping techniques can protect your home or cabin from wild fires on Saturday, April 13 from 8 a.m. to 9 a.m. at the Cache County Council Chambers, 199 N. Main, Logan. Sponsored by Cache County.

Storm Water

The primary purpose of storm drains are to carry rainwater and snowmelt away from developed areas to prevent flooding. As water flows over the ground it picks up a variety of pollutants which then flow to local storm water ponds, ditches and rivers.

River Heights City is committed to improving water quality and reducing the amount of pollutants entering waterways.

To keep your monthly storm water fee from rising, please help the city by keeping your gutters free of dirt and debris.

Solicitor Ordinance

Remember, each door-to-door salesperson must wear a RHC issued permit/badge to identify they have gone through the city's application and approval process. **Please call the City with the company name and location if they cannot show they are licensed.**

South Towns Talent Show

Auditions



The South Towns Talent Show is a community talent show, which includes residents 12 years old and up from the 10 south Cache Valley cities.

Earn a chance to compete in the 2019 South Towns Talent Show by sharing your talent on April 26th or 27th at the talent show auditions. Everyone who auditions will be invited to participate in a special group number at the Talent Show on June 1st! Cash prizes will be awarded to top performers. All contestants must pre-register for auditions. Registration ends April 12th.

Sign up online at: tinyurl.com/SouthTownsTalent

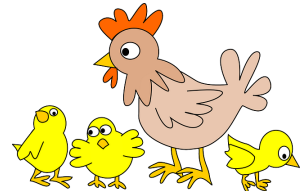
Planning to Build Something on Your Property?

Don't forget to get a Zoning Clearance Permit before you build. Applications are available at the City Office or website. Codes are in place to protect you, as well as your neighbors and future property owners. Some projects that must have a permit before building are: fences, sheds, decks, storage buildings, home additions, porches, garages (attached and detached) and free standing solar panels.

Baby Animal Days

April 3, 4, 5, 6 * 10am - 5pm

- ◆ American West Heritage Center, 4025 S Hwy 90-91, Wellsville
- ◆ Buy tickets at: AWHC.ORG
- ◆ \$9 adults, \$7 children ages 3-11, \$8 USU students
- ◆ Volunteers needed



Consumer Confidence Report

The United States Environmental Protection Agency and the Utah Division of Drinking Water requires the city to perform many tests on our culinary water to ensure that it is safe for you to drink and use. A copy of the Consumer Confidence Report is available for review on the city's website.