



River Heights City News

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Mayor's Message

Dear Fellow Residents,

It is both an honor and a privilege to serve as your mayor. I appreciate the faith and trust the City Council has placed in me to fill the remainder of Mayor Jason Thompson's term. I enjoyed working with him and appreciated the effective leadership he provided for the city. We wish him well serving in the state legislature.

It has been a wonderful experience working with the Planning Commission for several years. It is now a pleasure to work with our City Council, the staff, our city attorney, and city engineer. The City Council are the eyes and ears of our community. Please contact them or me if you have questions about our city. Besides adopting laws and ordinances used to govern our city, each councilmember has accepted responsibilities to help me as mayor monitor and direct our city's activities. You may find a list of responsibilities and our contact information online at riverheights.gov.

River Heights is a great place to live, work, and raise our families. I am deeply committed to working alongside you to continue the legacy of our community – a legacy where we appreciate, support, and help each other.

Youth Ambassador Events

April 19 - Easter Celebration at 9am prompt. Meet near the City Office Building.

June 3 - Summer Reading Program Kick-Off at 3pm. Meet at the pavilion.

June 20 - Movie in the Park at 8pm in the City Park.

July 18 - Movie in the Park at 8pm in the City Park.

Pavilion in Heber Olson Park Funded by RAPZ

As the weather warms up, cement will be added to the floor and sidewalks around the perimeter of the new pavilion at Heber Olsen Park. Shortly afterward, the picnic tables will be moved back in.

The city was fortunate to receive a \$120,000 grant from RAPZ, covering about 85% of the structure's cost. RAPZ has been a tremendous supportive resource for the park and recreational funding. Over the years RAPZ has helped fund the tennis courts, new park on Stewart Hill as well as the pavilion. The city also receives a yearly Population Grant from RAPZ of 4 to 5 thousand dollars which lately has been used to replace broken picnic tables.

Notice of Election!!

It's a municipal election year. The following seats are up for election:

Mayor	4 year term
2 Council seats	4 year terms
1 Council seat	2 year term

Filing dates are June 2-9.

Please consider running for office. The City could use your talents!

Dog Licensing

Dog tags are past due. The late fee goes up to \$20 April 1 and to \$30 May 1 so please hurry and take care of it to prevent additional fees and a possible citation. Don't forget to send in proof of rabies, if it expired in the last year.

Reminder: **No dogs in city parks, except the area north of the cemetery.**

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.