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2015 to 2023





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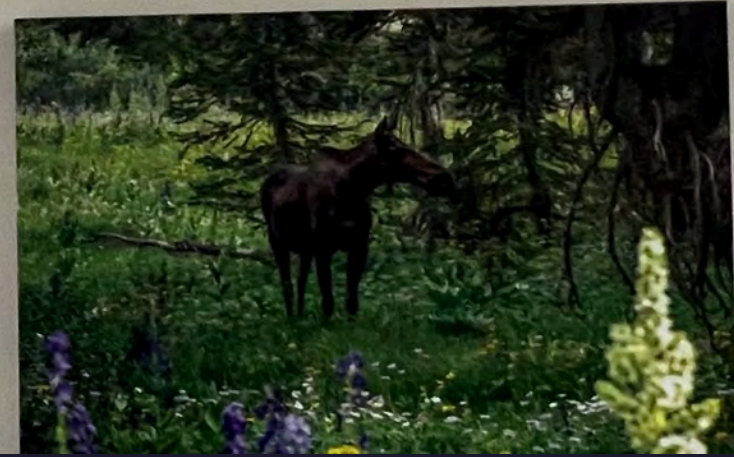
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New Office 3D Sign ...
Defining who we are



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*Highlighting the beauty and uniqueness
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MAYOR'S MESSAGE Dan Peay

To my Magna Family,

We had a lot of fun events in Magna this summer. The 4th of July celebration went well, and I hope everyone had a good time. We just recently held the Magna Arts Festival on Main Street after a two-year hiatus. There were so many booths and a lot of interesting and beautiful artwork created by our local Magna folks.

Legislative Update House Bill 374. As many of you are aware, House Bill 374 passed in the last legislative session and it has forced us to decide how we will receive law enforcement services going forward. We are in the early stages of planning what will be the new type of police services for Magna. We are looking at a new Unified Police Department 2.0 model and at the Sheriff's Department. The bill gives us until July 2025 for this to happen. We expect more legislation on this subject in the coming year. Once we have more information, we will present it to our residents. We would like your input.

Township to City. The legislature has indicated a preference that metro townships should become cities and towns now that there are few remaining differences between them. The existing townships, such as Magna, already perform in every way as a city. The only key differences are metro townships do not impose property taxes directly, but they impose property taxes through the special district. Also, the mayors in metro townships are not elected directly; they are selected from the council.

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does not affect our current function as we already operate as a city. The only change is that residents will vote for a mayor at large in 2026.

Election. We have three seats open in Magna to serve on the Metro Township Council. I won't be running this year, and Mickey Sudbury filed to run for the council in District 3. He is running unopposed. We have Audrey Pierce and Steve Prokopis running for the other two council seats. They are also running unopposed. This means we will not have an election in Magna this fall.

My Time As Your Mayor. The first time I ran for the council, there were 15 people running against me, and I won by about 8 votes or so. The next time I ran for office, no one ran against me. I have enjoyed serving as your Mayor for the past seven years. I am retiring from public service to enjoy some travel time with my wife and to kick back and start being retired. We just got back from a cruise in Europe, and now we are looking forward to visiting Italy and the South Pole.

During my service as your Mayor, I am most proud we established that Magna can become a city and we have the ability to do it. The toughest realization in government is you can't do anything fast, everything takes time. We have the new storm drain project underway. We were able to acquire 5,000 sq. ft. of land from Kennecott. It has been a pleasure serving and I wish more people would get involved in local government.

Best regards,
Mayor Dan Peay



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Introducing ... David Brickey, Magna's new City Manager!

Dear Magna Residents,

I am really excited to be working in Magna. Previously, I have served in both Iron and Summit County as a state prosecutor for nearly 28 years. I served as the Summit County Attorney for 10 years. For the past six years, I have served as a City Manager in two different Salt Lake County municipalities. The past 30 plus years of government experience have helped hone my skills when it comes to code enforcement issues, development rights and conflict resolution.

I recognize the obligations owed to the residents of Magna, and I will work hard to provide direction and guidance to the Magna Metro Township Council as the community grows. Helping Magna with growth and development issues, while meeting the core functions that residents expect, like health and safety issues, makes the job a daily challenge. A challenge that I really enjoy meeting!

Respectfully yours,

David Brickey, Magna City Manager

Magna Summer Wrap-Up

In August, the Long Range Planning team conducted a series of community engagement activities to gather public input for the Magna Neighborhood Park, Magna Historic District Branding, and Magna Historic District Plan projects. The team had tables or a booth at the:

- Kinross Theater
- Music & Movie in the Park
- Magna Main Street Art Festival
- Magna Community Connection Night

The public had the opportunity to engage with interactive posters, take online surveys, participate in Chalk the Walk, and ask the staff questions. Thank you to all the organizations for putting on these events and to everyone who participated!

Magna Music & Movie in the Park

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MAYOR'S MESSAGE Jenny Wilson

Dear Residents of Salt Lake County,

I hope you all had a good summer and are looking forward to cooler days ahead in the fall. At Salt Lake County, we continue to gratefully reflect on the work of our Flood Control teams and the many, many residents who came together – friends and neighbors – to prepare for the spring runoff season. Moving into the change of seasons, there are some events and news I'm looking forward to.

Mayor's Book Club on the Solar Eclipse at Clark Planetarium

Join me at the Clark Planetarium on October 14 for a special free event to watch the annual eclipse and learn about the science behind it. To get more details, sign up for my newsletter at slco.org/mayor/.



Youth Winter Sports

Salt Lake County Parks and Recreation offers a variety of winter sports activities for youth including Junior Jazz Basketball,

snowboarding, and other youth sports. Discover the opportunities for your child to stay active and have fun during the winter season. slco.to/rec-your-winter

Elections

Ahead of the November elections, check your voter registration, find ballot return options and other election information at the Salt Lake County Clerk's Office.

RSV Vaccines

People over 60 can now be vaccinated against RSV! Talk to your doctor about whether you should get the RSV vaccine; it is especially important for people who:

- Have heart or lung disease
- Have a weakened immune system
- Live in long-term care facilities

RSV is a common illness that usually causes mild, cold-like symptoms. It can sometimes cause life-threatening problems in some people, especially infants and older adults. The RSV vaccine is available at most pharmacies and doctor's offices. Medicare Part D and most private health insurance plans will cover the cost.



Welcoming Week: September 8-17

Salt Lake County agencies and community partners invite everyone to connect at local events, during the week of September 8-17, to celebrate the contributions of immigrants and refugees. A variety of events and programs are offered throughout the week at locations around the valley.

More Info: slco.org/new-americans/browse/welcoming-salt-lake

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Salt Lake County Budget

In October, I will propose the 2024 budget to the Salt Lake County Council, who will vote on the final budget in December. The budget is a reflection of our top priorities and directs work for the next year. Engaging with the budget process is a great way to advocate for the progress you want to see in your community.

For more updates and news from Salt Lake County, follow me on social media:

Twitter: @SLCoMayor
Facebook: @SaltLakeCountyMayor
Instagram: @SLCoMayor

Thank you,

Mayor Jenny Wilson
Salt Lake County



Parley's Trail Ribbon Cutting

Salt Lake County Parks & Recreation is bridging the gap and connecting communities with the completion of bridge installations and a trail from 300 West to Jordan River Parkway. The new trail section creates a safe path across areas that have previously been inaccessible. The new and final trail section is comprised of two elevated bridges across 900 West and over the Jordan River.

DATE/TIME: Thursday, September 28, 10 am - 11 am
PLACE: Jordan River Redwood Trailhead Park
1055 W 2320 S, West Valley

The Salt Lake County Planning Commission currently has two vacancies and two seats filled by commissioners with expired terms. This means we need to recruit for four vacant seats, all for Unincorporated County seats. To apply: <https://bit.ly/3QXK6K6>



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MAYOR'S MESSAGE Kelly Bush

Hello Kearns – can you believe summer is coming to an end?

Safety for Our Kearns Kids. I want to welcome our Kearns kids back to the 2023-2024 school year and wish them a great year and give a shout out to our AMAZING Crossing Guards! Drivers, please pay attention while driving, we have a lot of kids, buses and crosswalks in Kearns. Crossing Guards have the right of way. For the safety of our Kearns kids, do not go through the crosswalk until they are completely out of the sidewalk.

Summer Events. It was great seeing so many of you at the events this summer. The Kearns Parade and the Fire, Water and Ice Festival events were a lot of fun. Thank you to the Kearns Community Council for all of their hard work and support of the Metro Council and Kearns Community. Watch for upcoming events on the Kearns Community Council Facebook page, Kearns Metro township website and neighborhood watch pages.

Law Enforcement Change. The Kearns Metro Council has been busy. We have a lot going on that will be bringing changes. As many of you are aware, HB 374 passed this last legislative session and forced us to decide how we will receive law enforcement services going forward. The options are to rebuild a service model similar to UPD while allowing more local control or to go with the Sheriff's Department. During several conversations I have had, I emphasized the cost of services and the concern about paying higher costs for less. This is about negotiation. We are working through a UPD 2.0 model that we will be presenting to you for input. Once that is prepared, the proposal plan will be presented at a Kearns Council public meeting. I want to hear from you and answer your questions. So please watch for this.

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Summer Construction. We're driving to the end of asphalt season. You'll be seeing contractors and public works in neighborhoods doing roadwork to get projects completed. 4300 South is scheduled to be completed by November. I want to thank everyone for your patience during the construction of this road. It was a large project that I know tested the patience of everyone. In 2024, Kearns has partnered with West Jordan to do a mill and overlay of 8300 South. This is a much-needed project and we're excited to get underway.

Spreading. Spreading in our neighborhoods is becoming an increasing concern for the council, police and your neighbors. Speed bumps and other methods of speed mitigation is a process that must be approved by UDOT, and unfortunately, not all neighborhoods meet the requirements. Many of our neighborhoods with these safety measures installed are still experiencing speeding. We have implemented the UPD motorcycle squad to conduct widespread traffic patrols in Kearns. I have been working with special officers in your neighborhoods patrolling to give feedback to our engineering department to reduce speeding. Even though we have speed bumps, stop signs, and curve markers, drivers continue to speed through the neighborhoods. Please slow down and pay attention in our neighborhoods. Nothing is more important than another person's life.

Kearns Baby Showers. I decided to hold a Kearns-wide baby shower at the Kearns Hometown Night. We had an incredible turnout and received donations of diapers, wipes, formula, clothes, blankets, and more to help our Kearns little ones. These donated items help parents all over Kearns who need a helping hand. They have all expressed how

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Kearns says "Thank You!" to those who give and spend a lot of time taking care of the community.

Laura – just a friendly teacher helping another teacher

Dorina – So happy after working towards completion!

Ployd improving his tennis

Blessed they feel to be part of such a compassionate and loving community. I couldn't agree more. I have been asked to do another baby shower soon. I will work on getting one arranged.

Pacific Islander Heritage Month. I had the privilege to open the event for the Pacific Islander Heritage month. The Pacific Islander community makes up a conservative 30% of the Kearns Township family. Thank you PKIAR for allowing me to share in such beautiful traditions.

No family Without a Turkey. As most of you know, every Thanksgiving I ask residents to donate a turkey so no family goes without Thanksgiving dinner. Maybe we could do this next baby shower in December and expand it to children's gloves and hats. If you have ideas or thoughts, please let me know.

It is always good to hear from you. I am available to all of you by phone, text or email. Stay safe and take care!

Respectfully yours,

Mayor Kelly Bush

GUIDING TRANSPORTATION PROJECTS FROM CONCEPT TO COMPLETION

Kearns is Selected to Participate in the National Thriving Communities Program

Earlier this year, Kearns received exciting news! It was the only municipality in Utah to be selected for participation in this year's cohort of the U.S. Department of Transportation's Thriving Communities Program. The program offers Kearns two years of technical assistance with planning for and executing large transportation projects. The community is particularly interested in working to address challenges on 3400 S and with the railroad that bisects Kearns.

This summer, Kearns staff and partners began meeting with the technical assistance team, which includes members from Arcadis and The Ray. Arcadis is an international firm specializing in engineering, planning, and urban design. The firm is a growing U.S. Company looking to re-imagine national transportation systems for greater sustainability and safety in the next month. Kearns staff will be working with these two firms to finalize a work plan which will be active through June 2025.

There will be opportunities for residents and stakeholders to engage in these efforts as the work gets underway. We look forward to bringing transformative transportation projects to your community. Congratulations to Kearns and the project team (MSD Long Range Planning, Wasatch Front Regional Council, and Kearns Community Council) for this exciting achievement!

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Deputy MAYOR'S MESSAGE Tessa Stitzer

Hello Coppertonians!

Thank you to Eddie Walden with Unified Fire Authority (UFA) for his dedication and service to the Copperton community. Eddie has been with our Copperton fire station for 10 years. He has dedicated his time to many of our Copperton events and has been an integral part of our community. We wish Eddie all the best in his future endeavors.

The National Day of Service will be held on September 9th, 2023. This year we will have several volunteers dedicating their service at the Bingham Cemetery. We will be painting the gate and fencing, cleaning and much more. We are very happy to have our Bingham Cemetery as part of this special event. The National Day of Service will run from 9:00 am until 1:00 pm. I hope to see you there!

The arborist has been busy planning and planting several new trees to complete our canopy in the Copperton Park. The dead trees have now been removed. Many new projects for the park have been discussed and we hope to have a list of tasks ready for 2024. A special thank you to our new caretakers at Copperton Park.

As the children return to school, please watch for the kiddos crossing the roads as they walk to the bus stops in town. UPD will be patrolling during pick up and drop off times to help ensure the speed limit is being followed.

Our website is up and running! It has been updated to include important phone numbers, upcoming events and much more. Check it out at Coppertonutah.org

Regards,

Tessa Stitzer
Copperton Metro Township Councilmember

Copperton Active Transportation Plan Underway

Copperton is in the process of completing its Active Transportation Plan, which will address three key issues:

1. Active transportation connections, infrastructure, and promotion within the community
2. Street and pathway connectivity for future growth in Copperton and annexation areas
3. Regional active transportation connections, especially for regional trails and to lay destinations such as the TRAX Red Line in Daybreak

This plan is being funded through the Wasatch Front Regional Council's Transportation and Land Use Connection Program. You can learn more by visiting www.wasatchfront.org. All Copperton residents and stakeholders are invited to participate in this planning process. If you are interested in joining the steering committee, please email or call Blanca Paulino, Long Range Planner (BPaulino@msd.utah.gov or (385) 377-1147).

Thank you to everyone who joined us for the Copperton Active Transportation BBQ on July 17th! We had a great time getting to know you all and enjoying lovely Copperton Park.

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MAYOR'S MESSAGE

Paulina Flint



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White City: Mayor Flint's Message

2023 SE Township Days was so amazing! 48 Retail Vendors, 14 Food Vendors, 10 Municipal Services Providers, 1 Political, 1 County Council Representative Dea Theodore, 1 Candidate, and 107 Most gorgeous vehicles on the planet.

The volunteers, support staff, and agencies need to be commended for their passion to serve. An Amazing Group and Community!



Legislative Update HB 374 Our Policing into the Future!

It is important to understand our Police service for Metros, Town of Brighton, and the remaining Unincorporated is brought to you via an Independent Service District, much like White City Water District.

Salt Lake Valley Law Enforcement Service Area (known as SLVLESA) Population over 85,000 people. When combined with the three municipalities of Mill Creek, Holliday, and Midvale, as the Unified Police Department, our population exceeds 220,000 people. All our attorneys are in the process of working together to preserve the excellent service.



Unified Police Department Precinct Chief of Police Services
Unified Police strives to make your community a safe place to live and work. The UPD Officers that serve have extensive law enforcement training.

designed specifically to meet the needs of each community. Our diverse group of professionals serve with integrity and respect. White City Metro Township contracts with UPD in partnership with Midvale City, as well as the "South-East Islands" of Salt Lake County. The partnership is unique, even within the Unified Police Department. Each partner supports the other based on call volume (emergency and non-emergency). The partnership provides significant savings based on economy of scale. Unified Police provides outstanding police services with a wide variety of specialty units. These units are built to support all UPD partners in what is called "shared service" units. The costs of these units are shared on an agreed upon formula that is updated annually. Examples of specialty units:

- K9 Unit - Dedicated
- K9 Teams
- SWAT
- Violent Crimes Unit
- Special Victims Unit
- Forensics Unit
- Aerial Drone Unit

Though White City currently contracts for 4.5 UPD Officers, they partner with the 4.5 UPD Officers from the South-East unincorporated, and 46 UPD Officers assigned to Midvale City. This allows policing customized to fit your community, regardless of the request for police services.

Recent legislation passed in the State Session (HB374) requires the Salt Lake County Sheriff to separate from UPD and resume statutory duties. Those duties include all non-incorporated areas. The bill effectively negates substantial economy of scale and will impact UPD and Sheriff's Office budgets. Unified Police is actively amending their service model to continue with shared economy of scale.

Contact:

- 385.468.9350
- 7912 South Main Street, Midvale, UT 84047
- To report a crime or request to speak with an officer, call Dispatch at 801.840.4000
- For all emergencies, call 9-1-1

Lobby Hours: • Monday-Friday: 8am to 5pm
• Saturday: Closed
• Sunday: Closed

Rumble On Car Parade In
Midvale City

Sept. 9TH Meet @ 5pm
Rollout @ 6pm
Staging @ Ward House
9824 Flint Drive

See route map: <https://whitecitycc.org>

White City Plant Swap

Big Bear Park
Saturday Sept. 23
9:00 am - 2:00 pm

[www.whitecitycc.org](https://whitecitycc.org)



Election Information. We have three open seats on the White City Metro Township Council. There are five candidates that have applied to run for office:

- Tyler Huish
- Nick J. West
- Paulina Flint
- Howard F. Van Horn II
- Greg Shelton

<https://slco.org/clock/election>

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New Zoning and Subdivision Ordinances are now in effect for **Copperton, Kearns, Magna, and White City Metro Townships**. You can find these new ordinances by visiting the Municipal Library and searching for your municipality. Completing these ordinance updates was a huge feat for the Metro Townships and our staff. When the Metro Townships incorporated, they inherited Salt Lake County Ordinances. Many of the ordinances were not specific to each unique community. The goals of the ordinance update project were to:

- Maintain consistency with state code requirements (UDMA)
- Conform with each municipality's General Plan
- Increase ease of use for staff and the public
- Meet the unique needs and preserve the character of each community

With the help of the Planning Commissions, Councils, and Legal Team, MSD will soon be able to complete this project in just shorter months. The new ordinances consist of more than 350 pages of text. A few highlights that staff are most excited about include:

- The creation of new **residential zones**
- The creation of new **park and open space zones**
- Updates to site development standards to improve development quality
- Revised definitions and updated use tables
- A new water-efficient landscaping ordinance
- Reductions in off-street parking requirements

We look forward to seeing how these new ordinances will impact development in the Metro Townships. Staff will continue to keep an eye on development patterns and bring adjustments to the Planning Commissions and Councils, as needed. The Town of Brighton is currently in the process of updating its Zoning and Subdivision Ordinances, and Emigration Canyon will be starting its updates in the near future. Congratulations to Copperton, Kearns, Magna, and White City, and to the MSD project team (Brian Tucker, Curtis Woodcock, Kayla Mauldin, Erin O'Kelle, and Matt Stanley).



What is the Greater Salt Lake Municipal Services District (MSD)?

HISTORY

In the November 2015 General Election, voters in Copperton, Emigration Canyon, Kearns, Magna, and White City voted to become metro townships served by the MSD. Voters in unincorporated islands voted to remain in unincorporated Salt Lake County and receive services from the MSD. The Town of Brighton incorporated in January 2020 as an MSD member. The total population served by the MSD is approximately 65,677.

The MSD is governed by a Board of Trustees made up of five mayors and two council members from the member communities.

SERVICES

The MSD provides the following Municipal Services:

- 1) **Planning and Zoning** - addressing, building & grading permits and inspections, plan review, land use and zoning, current and long-range planning, floodplain permits, stormwater management planning and economic development (coordinate with Salt Lake County Office of Regional Development)
- 2) **Animal Control Services** - contracted with Salt Lake County Animal Services
- 3) **Parks Maintenance and Operation** - contracted with Salt Lake County Parks & Recreation and/or a third party
- 4) **Public Works** - construction and maintenance of rights-of-way - constructed with Salt Lake County Public Works Operations and Engineering, including curb & gutter, sidewalks, streets and roads, storm drains, street lighting, traffic lights and safety signals, street lighting and engineering
- 5) **Business Licensing**
- 6) **Code Enforcement**

The MSD does not provide police, fire protection or sanitation services.

**May be provided by MSD employees or under contract with Salt Lake County or a third party*

MEMBER COMMUNITIES

The MSD is a special district providing municipal services to five metro townships, a town and unincorporated Salt Lake County. The member communities consist of:

- Town of Brighton
- Town of Copperton
- Emigration Canyon City
- Kearns City
- Magna City
- White City
- Unincorporated Salt Lake County

STAFFING & ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT

The MSD provides the following Staffing and Administrative Support for the Member Communities:

- Human Resources
- Finance and Budgeting
- Information Technology
- Communications
- Legal



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Take the MSD's Accessory Dwelling Unit (ADU) Survey Today

There's still time to participate in the MSD Accessory Dwelling Unit (ADU) Survey. Your input is needed to help staff understand barriers to ADU construction and work to improve related permitting processes. These efforts are part of the state-required Moderate Income Housing Implementation strategies for Kearns, White City, and Unincorporated Salt Lake County. However, the survey is open to all residents of the public and can benefit each of our communities. Questions may be addressed to Morgan Adlan, Planner (morgana@msd.utah.gov or 888-468-6716). Take the survey online: <http://bit.ly/480YQvp>. Or, scan the bar code below.

Accessory Dwelling Unit (ADU) Survey

Your input on the ADU process and your experience with ADUs will help us better address the housing needs of our community.

To learn more, visit: <http://msd.utah.gov/480YQvp>

Accessory Dwelling Unit (ADU) Survey

Scan the QR code to take the survey



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As a part of the Moderate Income Housing efforts for Kearns, White City, and Unincorporated Salt Lake County, staff completed additional analysis of local permit risk.

Go online to learn more: <https://bit.ly/480YQvp>

- Kearns Lead Paint Risk Mapping
- White City Lead Paint Risk Mapping
- Unincorporated Salt Lake County Lead Paint Risk Mapping

Encuesta de ADU (Unidad de Vivienda Accesorio)

Si usted desea el proceso de establecer un ADU (unidad de vivienda accesorio) su experiencia nos ayudará a abordar mejor las necesidades de vivienda de la comunidad.

Para saber más visite: <https://msd.utah.gov/480YQvp>

Encuesta de ADU (Unidad de Vivienda Accesorio)

Escanee el código QR para realizar la encuesta



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Sign up for Notify Me and Be More Informed About Your Community

Would you like to receive news about your community?

What about upcoming events? Construction notices? Meeting notices?

Would you like to be alerted if there is a closed road? Winter storm? Or an emergency in your community?

The MSD has a "Notify Me" tool on its new website.

www.msd.utah.gov/notifyme

Here you can sign up to receive text messages and/or email notices and select the categories that suit you.

• Agenda items (upcoming or past meeting agendas and minutes)

• Alert Center (emergency notifications, new code information, office closures, construction notices, etc.)

• Bid postings

• Event Notices

• Government Jobs



Notify Me!

Construction Projects

Completed and Current Projects

6200 South (Kearns) - In 2024, Kearns partnered with West Jordan to do a mill and overlay of 6200 South. This is a much-needed project and we're excited to get it underway.

Via Road Sidewalk Project (Unincorporated County) - Curb, gutter, and sidewalk have been constructed on the north side of Via Road (8475 S) from 700 East to 871 East. This fills a gap in the sidewalk network and now provides a safe walking route for the area residents and students walking to East Sandy Elementary School. The project finished in August 2023.

Redhaven Drive Sidewalk Project (White City) - A new ADA-compliant sidewalk and pedestrian ramp have been constructed from 5400 South to connect to the sidewalk to the north. The project finished in August 2023.

White City Canal Trail Lights (White City) - Canal trail lights have been added from 106th South to Carleton Drive. This will increase safety along the canal trail in the twilight hours. The project finished in June 2023.

5615 South Concrete Repairs and Overlay (Kearns) - The project repaired areas of worn concrete gutters and sidewalks and repaved the road from Northwest Avenue to 4015 West. A raised pedestrian school crossing was built at 4430 West. This project finished in early summer 2023.

4700 South Roadway Reconstruction (Kearns) - Roadway reconstruction is underway on 4700 South from 4000 West to 5600 West. The project includes widening in areas, new curb, gutter, and sidewalk, full-depth pavement reconstruction, improved signals at intersections and will include bike lanes. The portion of the project between 4000 West and 5400 West will be complete by around November 2023. Construction on the portion of the road near the rail crossing (5400 West to 5600 West) will take place starting in spring 2024 and go through summer 2024.

Upcoming Projects

Flanada Way and Farah Drive (Kearns) - This project will upgrade the intersection of Flanada Way / Farah Drive, including rebuilding some of the sidewalk and pedestrian ramps at the corner. Some delivery trucks can't get through this intersection without getting high-centered. This work will fix that issue. We expect work to begin mid to late September and be complete by mid-November 2023.

Misty Way Intersection at 6200 South (Kearns) - Waterway removal and intersection upgrade of Misty Way and 6200 South. We do not have a set date for this work yet, but we hope it will be late fall 2023 or spring 2024.

Sego Lily Road Improvements (White City) 700 East to 1300 East - The work includes constructing a sidewalk from 700 East to Flint Drive, a raised crosswalk at the White City Canal Trail crossing, several traffic calming features, adding street lights, repaving the road, and restriping the road to include bike lanes. This project is expected to begin in early summer 2024 and be complete by late summer or early fall.

8800 W Storm Drain (Magna) - Storm drain improvements along 8800 West to increase overall system capacity between 2700 South and 3100 South in Magna are progressing, with construction going into Fall 2023.

3100 S Storm Drain (Magna) - Storm drain improvements along 3100 South between 8400 West and Driver Drive in Magna will start in Winter 2023 with pavement work in Spring 2024. The project will improve system resiliency and stormwater capture along 3100 South.

SR-48/ SR-205 Sidewalk (Copperton) - Curb, gutter, and sidewalk construction along the north side of SR-48/ SR-205 between 8626 West and 8480 West will be starting in Fall 2023 with an expected duration of one to two months. Improvements will fill sidewalk gaps along the state highway.

Winter Snow Removal Reminders

Salt Lake County: Snow Removal

The Salt Lake County Public Works Operations takes pride in keeping you safe. Their experienced snowplow drivers are ready to move snow from November 1 to April 30, 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

The first pass by a snowplow driver removes the snow from driving lanes. After the storm has passed and all driving lanes are cleared, the drivers push the ridges back to widen the road for future snow storage. Pushing the snow back creates a row of snow along the side of the road, which is unfortunately left in front of recently cleared driveways.



Snow Plowing Road Order

There is a priority schedule to determine what roads are plowed first.

Priority #1: High-traffic roads, school zones, hills and arterial and collector roads receive top plowing priority. As long as the snow keeps falling, Salt Lake County prioritizes these roads. Once these streets are clear, crews proceed to the 2nd and 3rd priority streets.

Priority #2: Streets through residential subdivisions, including roads that connect to a collector street.

Priority #3: Cul-de-sacs, circles and dead-end streets. Please note this could take up to 48 hours after a major snowstorm ends. If the snow event is larger, they might do a quick straight pass into a cul-de-sac and come back later after more streets are cleared to clear more from the whole cul-de-sac.

Note: Salt Lake County Public Works Operations Crews do not plow private lanes or streets.

Winter Parking and Clearing Snow

Parked vehicles on streets can prevent snow plows from clearing the roads and parked vehicles are at risk of being hit by the snow plow trucks. We might not be able to plow your street if cars are parked on it for safety reasons.



- Please, no parking a vehicle on streets during a snow event from November - April. Parked vehicles on streets can prevent snowplows from clearing the roads. If a snowplow clears next to parked vehicles, the parked vehicles are at risk of being hit.
- Clear sidewalks adjacent to your property within 12 hours after snow stops falling for the safety of school children, the elderly and the general public.
- When you clear your driveway, do not blow, throw or push snow into the street or gutter. Shoveled snow should be placed onto landscaped areas. The snow blown on roads can refreeze and cause ice build-up on the street.
- Please keep a safe distance from snowplows. Be aware that snowplows may back up at any time. Do not pass snowplows while they are plowing.
- If possible, refrain from driving during snow events. This helps us clear roads more efficiently and safer.

Your patience during snowstorm events is very much appreciated!

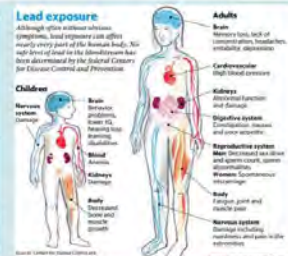
For 24-Hour Dispatch for Street Maintenance, Sidewalk Repair, Snowplows, Storm Drain Maintenance, and Traffic Signals, please call: (888) 468-6101. Or email us at: pwops-online@slco.org



Free Assistance Mitigating Lead Paint in Your Home

If your home was built prior to 1978, you may be at risk for lead paint exposure. Long-term exposure to lead paint has several negative health effects and can be particularly harmful to children and those who are pregnant. Fortunately, if you are a resident of Salt Lake County, you may qualify for free lead paint testing and mitigation services. These services are offered through Salt Lake County's Lead Safe Housing Program. In addition to being completely free, the services are available whether you rent or own your home. Visit the website to learn more and get help today.

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Potapalooza, an Adoption Extravaganza!

Salt Lake County Animal Services



Sept 23, 2023 8AM-4PM at Wheeler Historic Farm

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Join Salt Lake County Animal Services for Potapalooza, a pet adoption event on Saturday, September 23 from 9 AM - 4 PM. This is a Pet Adoption Extravaganza you won't want to miss. This is a FREE, family and dog-friendly event at Wheeler Historic Farm which is located at 6351 S 900 E in Murray. Celebrate your pets with us!

There will be adoptable dogs, cats, and other small mammals from more than 15 pet rescues across Utah! There will also be local pet product vendors, a pet psychic, "tattoos" for pets, food trucks, and a chance for your pup to run through our new Agility Run.

Potapalooza is an incredible opportunity to adopt a new forever friend, spoil your pet while supporting local businesses, and get connected with the animal welfare community. Animal Control Officers will be on hand to microchip, and license pets in our jurisdiction as well. Remember all pets in Salt Lake County with a pet license can get a FREE microchip. For more information visit slcoanimal.org or email events@slco.org.

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The MSD serves one town, five metro townships and unincorporated Salt Lake County.



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Messages

September 2023

Dear Team,

Day of Service: On the morning of September 11, 2001, I dropped my children off at school in our old beat-up pickup truck and heard the news about the Twin Towers as I passed the gas station at Jeremy Ranch. Soon after, we hosted the Olympics and had the support of the President of the United States who opened the games at the University of Utah football stadium. Now we commemorate the tragedy and support the affected families through a national day of service. I haven't yet decided what I am doing this year, if it is planting a tree or volunteering in another way. I encourage each of you, if so inclined, to do some volunteering in commemoration of those lives were lost and those who responded to this attack.

Quote of the Month: From Hawa'i: "e lauhoe main a wa'a; i ke ka, i ka hoe; i ka hoe, i ke ka: pae aku i ka 'aina" "Everybody paddles the canoes together; bail and paddle, paddle and bail, and the shore will be reached."



Managing Time. Time can be our friend or our enemy depending upon how you use it. A few tips for a more productive day are:

1. Use a handwritten to-do list.
2. At the end of your work day, think about what needs to be done the following day and update your to-do list.
3. Have a morning routine.
4. Start your work day with three easy wins.
5. Identify the most important item on your list and work on it.
6. Give yourself a reward when you accomplish something important.
7. Keep a list of your ideas in a separate notebook.
8. Document your progress on the bigger projects.
9. Stay hydrated!

Leadership training: I have been asked to share with you my strategic plan for the leadership training.

"Treat people as if they were what they ought to be and you help them to become what they are capable of being." JOHANN WOLFGANG VON GOETHE



Vision: My vision is to create a culture and a reputation that attracts, nurtures and retains quality employees by developing a leadership team that will support the MSD's goal to provide long-term quality services and an environment that attracts and retains quality staff.

Mission: Create a dynamic, capable, self-aware and supportive leadership team that provides strong and sustainable performance through disciplined and dynamic execution of their respective roles. Seek team leaders who have the ability to anticipate and adapt to unforeseen events that can disrupt the functions of the MSD. Develop a talented, diverse and motivated team through continuous learning, certification, development training and an engaged succession plan. Create a trust-based and risk-tolerant culture.

Goals:

1. Create and support an ongoing leadership development program that includes all employees.
2. Create an internal career development plan for building inspectors and plans examiners during 2023.
3. Support all employees in creating their individual career development plans.
4. Conduct 360 reviews on each staff member.
5. Conduct MBTI training within work groups focusing on communication and ways to improve harmony, communication and productivity.
6. Create a succession plan to help guide the training and development of staff.

Values:

1. Self-awareness
2. Courage
3. Respectful
4. Empathetic
5. Agile
6. Grateful
7. Desire to learn

our values

Strategic Plan: In November, members of the leadership team and board of trustees will be meeting to review the existing strategic plan. I encourage all of you to let me know what you think needs to be included, changed or improved.

Board of Trustees: We are moving forward with the budget which will be approved in October. Creating the budget is a lengthy process as we consider what didn't work, what needs to be done and how we can improve our services. We will be formally approving the relationship between Brighton and the MSD through a separate agreement.

Save the dates: September 12th is the MSD's birthday party at Big Bear Park from 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. December 21st will be the MSD annual Christmas breakfast and gift exchange. November 15th is the tentative date for our Thanksgiving feast.

MARLA HOWARD

GENERAL MANAGER



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Refugio Jose Rivas, Cotopaxi volcano at 16,000 ft



Near Mindo, Ecuador



Cascada Hola Vida near Puyo, Ecuador



Banos, Ecuador



View from the Basilica del Voto Nacional, Quito, Ecuador



Mirador Indichuris, near Puyo, Ecuador



Photos by: Brian Hartsell

Pumpkin Bread -- Recipe from Brian Hartsell

Here is a recipe for pumpkin bread—since fall is almost here!

Ingredients

- 2 cups sugar (or reduce by 1/8 to ¼ cup if preferred)
- 1 cup canola oil
- 4 eggs
- 1 29-ounce can pumpkin
- 3 ½ cups flour
- 2 tsp salt
- 2/3 cup water
- 1 tsp cloves
- 1 tsp cinnamon
- 1 tsp nutmeg
- 1 tsp allspice
- ½ tsp baking powder
- 2 tsp baking soda
- Chopped pecans (optional)
- Chocolate chips (optional)

Instructions

Combine oil, eggs and pumpkin. Mix and add sugar and water. Combine dry ingredients and add to pumpkin mix. Grease 2 large loaf pans or 4 small loaf pans, or use muffin pans with muffin papers.





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- Winter Storm
- Emergency

The MSD has a “Notify Me” tool on its new website. A resident can sign up to receive text messages and/or email notices. They select the categories.

www.msd.utah.gov/notifyme

- Agenda Center (upcoming or past meeting agendas and minutes)
- Alert Center (emergency notifications, new code information, office closures, construction notices, etc.)
- Bid Postings
- Event Notices
- Government Jobs



Training Classes Attended



Your registration status is **pending**

Pending On-Site - Classroom course or workshop ID 1011053 Skill level: Intermediate 16h

★★★★★ (5)

Basic Public Information Officers (PIO) (G290)

This 2-day classroom course is an updated, shortened, and revised version of the previous G290 course. The revised course emphasizes skills development, addresses the impact of technology on emergency public information, and offers options that allow States to tailor the instructional methodology to suit their needs while consistently meeting the course learning objectives. Selection Criteria: The primary audience for this training is individuals who have pub-

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Magna MAIN street arts festival

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COLOR A SPOT AND ENTER TO WIN
A \$25 OR \$10 GIFT CARD

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Summer Events



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MSD Staff Members Attended 14 Summer Events

Metro Township	Name of Event	Date	Location of Event	TIME	Admin Staff Attended Event	P&D Staff Attended Event	Partners Attending
KEARNS	Kearns Town Center Business Block Party	Saturday, May 13, 2023	Valley West Shopping Center 4090 W 5415 S	11 AM - 3 PM		Kayla, Bianca, Mike Milne, RJ	Kearns Community Council, Healthy Kearns, County Library - Kearns, Kearns High Latinos in Action, Chamber West, Antojitos y Nieves Jaqui, Panaderia Dulcinea, Mom's Café, Pacific Island Chamber of
	Armed Forces Day	Saturday, May 20, 2023	KVMP	10:00 AM			
	Night Out Against Crime	Friday, June 9, 2023	Kearns Library Plaza, 4275 W 5345 So.	6-9 PM		Kayla, Wendy, Bianca	
	Hometown Celebration	August 4-5, 2023	Kearns Library	6-9 PM		Bianca, Curtis, Tiffany, Mike Milne	
	Fire, Water and Ice	Saturday, August 5, 2023	Kearns Oquirrh Park Fitness Center	Saturday Parade 9 am			
	Stan's Car Show	Saturday, August 5, 2023	Stan's Market	5-8 pm			
	Community Health Fair	Saturday, August 19, 2023	Kearns Library	10:30 to 1		Kayla	Lead Safe Housing Program, Moderate Income Housing Program
	Kearns Take Back Drugs Event						
WHITE CITY	White City Plant Swap	Saturday, May 20, 2023	Bear Park	9 am - 2 pm			
	White City 5K Run/Walk	Saturday, June 17, 2023	Bear Park	8:00 AM			
	Southeast Township Days	Saturday, August 26, 2023	Bear Park	2 to 10 pm	Brian, Izabela, Marla, Maridene	Trent, Jeff	
	Car Parade	September, 2023	Glacier Hills	5:00 PM			
	Plant Swap	September, 2023	Bear Park	9:00 AM			
MAGNA	Biggest Little 4th of July Celebration - 5K/Fun Run, Fireworks	Tuesday, July 4, 2023	Magna Copper Park, 8975 West 2600 South and Parade on Main Street				
	Magna Community Connection Night	Monday, August 21, 2023	Copper Park	5 PM - 8 PM		Bianca, Morgan	
	Take Back		Magna Main Street	Noon to 2 pm			
	Magna Car Show		Downtown Magna				
	Magna Main Street Arts Festival	Saturday, August 19, 2023	Magna Main Street		Maridene	Matt, Bianca, Tyson	
	Empress Theater	Thursday, August 10, 2023	Empress Theater			Matt, Bianca, Tyson	
	Music & Movies in the Park	Friday, August 11, 2023	Pleasant Green Park	8 PM - 11 PM		Matt, Tyson	
COPPERTON	Cemetery Clean-up	Saturday, May 13, 2023	Cemetery	9:00 AM			
				11 am to 4 pm; set-up as early as 8 am.			
	Copperton Town Days & Car Show	August 25-26, 2023	Copperton Park - Tessa Sitzer		Maridene	Bianca, Lea, Herman	
	Active Transportation Plan BBQ	Monday, July 17, 2023	Copperton Park pavilion	6-8 pm		Bianca, Kayla,	
EMIGRATION CANYON	Fire Day	Saturday, June 17, 2023	UFA Station 119 - Greg Rudowski	9 am to noon		Matt	
TOWN OF BRIGHTON	Firewise Community Kick-off Meeting	April, 2023					
	4th of July Breakfast and Parade	Tuesday, July 4, 2023		8-10:30 am breakfast at Milly's; 10:30 am parade			
	Brighton Town Days 2023 Wasatch Wildflower Festival	July 8, 2022 (Brighton) July 9, 2022 (Solitude)	Brighton Parking lot - Barbara Cameron	10 am to 2 pm	Maridene	Erin	
SANDY HILLS							
GRANITE							
Unincorporated	Community Connection event	Friday, September 16, 2023	Sandy Library - Darin Butler	11:00 am to 5:00 pm		Erin	

Thank You



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