



CITY OF OREM
Orem Neighborhood Commission
August 8, 2024

Recording Link: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=o-9KcmPIPzw>

5:30 PM REGULAR SESSION - Meeting was held in person in the Orem City Council Chambers, 56 N State Street, Orem, UT 84057.

ATTENDING:

Commission Members - Kim Anderson, Margaret Black, Carolyn Blossil, Reed Farnsworth, Amy Green, Debbie Lamb, Karen McCandless, Tami Moore, David Moulton, Linda Parkinson, Mark Seastrand, Jenny Scribner, Truman Van Cott

City Council - LaNae Millett

City Staff - Keri Rugg, Jennica Jones, Heather Cox, Pete Wolfley

ABSENT/EXCUSED:

Commission Members - Sydney Dameron, Rachele Holmberg, Sunday Meservy, Cinzia Noble, Rob Shaw

0:00 - Jenny Scribner called the meeting to order and attendees introduced themselves.

2:44 - Pete Wolfley presented an overview of the City Communications Division's responsibilities and strategies to communicate with the City's various audiences. He discussed the "Key Communicator Network" and invited the commission members to be part of the network to help distribute targeted information to our neighborhoods and provide feedback to the City. Staff and commission members discussed ideas to enhance communication within their neighborhoods.

28:33 - Jennica Jones provided an overview of upcoming City events that the Neighborhood Commission will be involved in, including serving the community breakfast at the Orem Come Together Festival and staffing booths at the myHometown Grand Opening Celebration and the Harvest Festival.

35:05 - Jennica Jones provided an update on the myHometown Initiative which will officially launch in Orem in the Geneva Heights Neighborhood in September.

41:23 - Heather Cox provided an overview of the City's strategies for seeking grants, and solicited input from the commission members on potential locations for EV charging stations for a current grant application.

57:50 - Jenny Scribner led a discussion about planning for neighborhood events for each neighborhood district in the summer of 2025 that would provide an opportunity for residents to engage with their neighbors, neighborhood commission representatives, elected officials, and City employees.

1:09:52 - Jenny Scribner reminded commission members to review their individual neighborhood plans and provide feedback on the plans.

1:13:38 - Motion to approve minutes from the April 24, 2024 meeting unanimously passed.

1:15:06 - Meeting adjourned.