

More Fun for Utah

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Truston Brook < To: public-comment@sgcity.org

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Michele Randall

Mayor, St. George

Dear Mayor Randall,

My name is Truston Brook. I am a student at Desert Hills High School and a resident of St George City, Utah. You are a great Mayor and have done a lot for this city but you could do something great. I believe that a theme park should be built in St George. St George gets as boring as watching paint dry (Simile), but a theme park could keep it entertaining.

A theme park in St George will make so many people happy. It could bring families closer together and give us a place to gather for city events.

Building a theme park in St George would have many benefits including bringing more job opportunities. The Disneyland website (Allusion) has a section where it talks about the construction of the park and how it affected Anaheim, It states the following.

"Enabling More Firefighters, PoliceOfficers, Park & Road Improvements each time Disney invests \$1 billion in creating new theme park and entertainment experiences, it provides new incremental revenue to the City that would be available for new services and programs that directly benefit Anaheim residents. While ultimately these are City decisions, to understand the magnitude, the tax revenue from each \$1 billion investment is equivalent to the following:" (Anaheim)

This shows that the job opportunities skyrocketed right from the point that the park was announced from needing construction builders to police officers.

Another example of how building a theme park would benefit St. George is that a theme park would grow the economy. The following evidence to support my claim is gathered from a post dedicated to showing the economic benefits of parks.

"Depending on their size, parks can draw visitors from near and far, bringing tourism revenue to local restaurants, hotels, snack shops, and stores. Parks can host festivals, concerts and athletics events, bringing additional boosts to the local economy. Parks decrease health costs and support productivity, both through encouraging exercise and reducing air pollution. A park's plants absorb air pollutants such as nitrogen dioxide, sulfur dioxide, carbon monoxide, ozone, and some

particulates, reducing the impacts they have on peoples' cardiovascular and respiratory systems. Parks provide low or no-cost recreation and encourage exercise. They bring people into nature, make outdoor recreation more accessible, and provide safe and attractive places for individuals and families to exercise and play" (*Economic Benefits of Parks Contents*)

This evidence shows that simply building a theme park will cause a chainchane reaction growing the area it is built in:, you build a park and people come;, those people buy food and places to stay putting money into the area;, some of those people like it here so much that they move here;, meaning more workers to build their house and then they get a job here also. In conclusion, growing our economy.

I know what you might be thinking. "A theme park would be too expensive to build, and not worth the money." I have evidence that supports the idea that the revenue you make from the theme park would heavily outway the cost of building it, found on a post made by Amir Hashemi, an "Expert in Leisure & Entertainment, Marketing & Branding, Trading & Transportation, and Construction & Renovation"

"They generate revenue through admission fees, merchandise, and nearby.accommodations, benefiting the host communityAmusement parks create a diverse range of job opportunities, offering employment to.local residents and seasonal workers" (Hashemi)

This proves that in reality, building a theme park in St George would greatly benefit St George with the amount of revenue it would gain. Here is a graph further proving this point.

In conclusion I strongly believe that you should build a theme park in St. George to bring further entertainment, more job opportunities, grow the economy, and further the profit for the city.

Sincerely,

Truston Brook

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Request for Pickleball Court at New Neighborhood Park

1 message

Jennifer Anderson

Wed, Dec 10, 2025 at 2:02 PM

To: public-comments@sgcity.org, reccentermanager@sgcity.org

To whom it may concern,

My name is Jen Anderson, and I live in the Divario community and recently learned that a new park is planned for our neighborhood. I am writing to request that the city consider including at least one pickleball court in the park's design.

Pickleball, as I am sure you know, is popular and accessible among both youth and older adults. A dedicated court could encourage physical activity, foster neighborhood connections, and provide a valuable amenity that serves a wide range of residents. Because pickleball requires relatively little space compared to many other amenities, I believe it would be a cost-effective and high-value addition.

I appreciate the work the city does in creating public spaces, and I hope that this suggestion will be taken under consideration before final plans are submitted.

Thank you for your time and for considering this request. Please let me know if there is a way to express neighborhood support as a group (petition, survey, or other) to strengthen this suggestion.

Sincerely, Jen Anderson