

EVENT ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING
11 JUNE 2026

PRESENTED BY
CAROLINE JOHNSTON

EVENTS SUMMARY

FEBRUARY-JUNE 2026

DEQ EARTHDAY



April 8 – Cleanup Kit Assembly
15 Volunteers – 114 Cleanup Kits

**April 22 – Canoe + Trail Cleanup – Cornell
Wetlands to Riverview Boat Ramp**
60 volunteers – 1,940 lbs of trash

Total Volunteers = 75
Total Volunteer Hours = 255



LHM SERVICE PROJECT



**April 28 – Canoe + Trail Cleanup – North Temple
to 500 N, Salt Lake City**
80 volunteers - ~ 200 volunteer hours

Total Trash Weight: 2320 lbs



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CITY NATURE CHALLENGE



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CNC Events

Friday – Millcreek Earth Day Event

Saturday – Party for the Planet at the Tracy Aviary's Nature Center at Pia Okwai – South Salt Lake

Sunday – Bioblitz at the Jordan River Migratory Bird Reserve with the Natural History Museum of Utah – South Jordan

Monday – Bioblitz around Day-Riverside Library with SLC Public Lands, Salt Lake Public Library, and Salt Lake City Mosquito Abatement District – Salt Lake City



Total Number of Observations: 7,887

Total Number of Species Observed: 1,116

Total Number of Observers: 458

Total Number of Identifiers: 719

Most Observed Species: *Mallard, Seven-Spotted Lady Beetle, Garden Snail*

GOLDEN SPOKE





Golden Spoke Ride 2026



2026 ROUTE

Total Number of Registrants: 650

Total Registrants Checked In: 449

+ Provo Mayor's Ride

Total People on Waitlist: 86



End of Ride Event

- Yard games
- 3 prize drawings
- DJ
- Yoga flow
- Bird watching with Audubon
- Planting activity with Tracy Aviary
- Food trucks (\$10 vouchers for registrants)
- Tabling booths



THANK YOU



PARTNERS

