

CHAPTER 4 PUBLIC FACILITIES

4.1. Introduction

Huntington City public facilities and services include administrative offices, library, public works, public safety, cemetery and parks and recreation. Parks and recreation ~~is~~ **are** treated in Chapter 6.



4.2. City Administration

The administrative offices of Huntington City Corporation are located in the City Hall at 20 South Main Street. The facilities include the mayor's office, city council chambers, administrative and finance offices, a conference room, and restrooms. The City Hall is equipped with a back-up electrical generating system to maintain services in the event of an emergency outage. The City also has a maintenance shed and equipment yard at 395 North 100 West.

4.3. Library

The Huntington Library, located at 70 South Main, is a branch of the Emery County Library System. In addition to books, the library offers movie rentals and free internet access. The library also has reading programs and activities for children and adults.

4.4. Public Works

Huntington City provides residents with culinary water, pressurized irrigation water, sewer collection and treatment, storm drainage, and waste disposal systems. The culinary water system and the sewer system are maintained by the Castle Valley Special Service District (CVSSD). Future expansion and improvement plans for these systems are developed by CVSSD and are designed to support Huntington City's growth as outlined in this General Plan. Waste disposal is provided on a weekly basis by a third-party contractor. Huntington City also operates a transfer station with roll-off dumpsters for larger refuse items, for transport to the county dump, as well as a disposal yard for garden organic waste. A City-maintained RV dump is conveniently located on the North Loop Road just off Highway 31 for the use of residents and visitors.

4.5. Public Safety

Police and emergency services are provided by the Emery County Sheriff's Office. The Huntington City Fire Department is located in a spacious new building at 360 North Main, which is equipped with several ambulances and fire and emergency vehicles, plus additional equipment and supplies and meeting and training rooms. The department is staffed by state-certified "Volunteer Call Fire Fighters." The Fire Department is also equipped with a back-up emergency electrical generating system.

4.6. Cemetery

The Huntington City Cemetery is a well-maintained, attractively-landscaped facility in the northwest part of the City. The City provides burial plots, grave-opening and-closing services, a directory and map, and general maintenance of the facility. In addition to individual burials, the cemetery includes a monument listing the names of residents who have served in the United States Armed Forces. The adjacent Memorial Park is the site of monuments to those who have lost their lives in area coal mines.

4.7. ADA Compliant Restrooms/Visitor Information Center

Huntington City offers an ADA compliant restroom/visitor information center located at 50 East Main Street. The restroom/visitor information center is in a convenient location for anyone passing through Huntington or heading down Center Street out to the desert area. The heated and air-conditioned restroom/visitor information center ~~will be~~ is open 365 days a year and will be stocked with maps and other visitor information.

CHAPTER 4 – PUBLIC FACILITIES GOALS				
GOALS	STRATEGIES	ACTIONS	TIME	AGENCY
1: Continue to provide necessary public services efficiently and effectively.	A: Provide a sufficient water supply for community growth and development.	Acquire additional Huntington Cleveland Irrigation Company shares as the opportunity arises.	0-5 years	City Council, P&Z Comm.
		Continue to stress water conservation through improved irrigation practices.	Ongoing	City Council, P&Z Comm.
	B: Make long-term improvements at cemetery.	Expand cemetery to the south as needed to meet demand.	Ongoing	City Council, P&Z Comm.
		~~Complete~~ Extend fence on the West side of cemetery as needed.	~~0-5 years~~ 0-20 years	City Council
		Continue to improve drain system.	Ongoing	City Council
	C: Build a modern community center on the present site of the town hall.	Build community support and pursue funding opportunities.	0-20 years	City Council, P&Z Comm.