

November 2010

WEST POINT CITY

MAYOR'S MESSAGE

West Point Officials

Erik Craythorne, Mayor
 Gary Petersen, Mayor Pro-Tem
 Jerry Chatterton, Councilman
 Andy Dawson, Councilman
 Kent Henderson, Councilman
 Roger Woodward, Councilman

Gary Hill, City Manager



Trash Talk

No, I am not talking about what you might hear when you watch football or basketball...this is serious "trash talk". As you know West Point currently offers once a week trash pick up. Many of our residents have two black cans, some have one, and a few large families might even have three. As a nation we are becoming more concerned about our environment and preserving our resources. As a result, many of our neighboring cities are offering curbside recycling pick up. So it became apparent to us that we need to look into offering some kind of recycling service to our residents. A decision has not been reached by the City Council at this time, but I believe we will have some recycling options to offer in the spring. I would like to outline some of the options we are considering.

Green Waste Recycling

This particular service provides residents with the ability to have a can that is strictly for yard trimmings. It would be dumped weekly with the regular trash pickup during the growing season. This service provides a place for residents to dispose yard waste and the goal is for it to be cheaper than a second black can. During the four months out of the year when we have no yard waste it can then act as an additional regular trash can which could be very useful during the holidays. The contents of the green cans are collected and taken to the Waste Management Facility, where compost is created. This is a very environmentally friendly option, because the green waste does not end up in the Waste to Energy Facility (aka Burn Plant). Have you ever tried to burn grass clippings?

General Recycling

Another program available is known as a general recycling program. If you have ever driven through a city where they have two different colored trash cans (usually blue), that city participates in a general recycling pick up. This particular service is provided as an every other week service and is for most recyclables (such as paper, plastics, cardboard) except glass. This is an easy, convenient way for residents to recycle these items. Well that is a brief outline of the things we are considering. We will have more details available in the near future. Visit the City website at www.westpointcity.org for more "trash talk!"

As always if you have any questions, comments or concerns please contact me by calling our city office.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

City Council meetings:
 1st & 3rd Tuesday
 7:00 pm at City Hall

Planning Commission meetings:
 2nd & 4th Thursday
 7:00 pm at City Hall

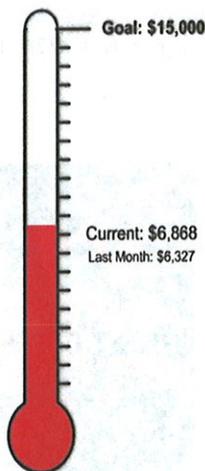
Meetings subject to cancellation

There will not be a City Council meeting on Nov. 2 due to Elections

City Hall will be closed November 11th for Veterans Day and November 25th & 26th for Thanksgiving.

Youth Council Veteran's Day Program at the Cemetery November 13th 9:00am Refreshments served

4th of July Fireworks Fundraiser



Fund the Fireworks!

We're nearly half way toward our goal of \$15,000. Thanks to all of those who have so generously contributed. We need to collect roughly \$7,500 more in order to maintain the annual 4th of July fireworks display that accompanies the City celebration. Check your utility bill for an invitation to donate toward the show. Simply indicate your contribution on the bottom of the statement and include the amount with your payment. Save the show!



UDOT Project Update

Randy Jefferies, UDOT Project Manager for the West Davis Corridor Environmental Impact Statement Study (EIS), will discuss which alternatives have been eliminated and which alternatives will move forward at the City Council Meeting on November 16 at 6:00 pm. In February 2011, the team will present the results of the entire screening process at a series of public open houses and on the study website. These results will show which alternatives will be carried forward for further study and public comment in the Draft EIS.

Please see www.udot.utah.gov/westdavis to see the alternatives and Level One and Level Two screening criteria.

For more information or to comment on the study:

Phone: 877-298-1991

E-mail: westdavis@utah.gov

Mail: 466 North 900 West, Kaysville UT 84037



WEST DAVIS
CORRIDOR

Preserve West Point's History

A committee of citizens is being formed to preserve the rich history of West Point City. If you would like to be a part of this effort to collect or donate stories, artifacts and pictures, please call City Hall for more information.

801-776-0970



Youth Council 2010-2011



Members: Brianne Christensen, Sara Harward, Sarah Zvonkovic, Trent Yeates, Drake Thompson, Bryce Allen, Katelynn Davidson, Michael Russell, Wyatt Hinck, Miranda Christensen, Brandon Davidson, Breanna Walter, Mealanie Huckaby, Rachel Penner, Austin Morris, Rachel Harward, Jarom Hansen, Brad Allen, Noelle Joy Olsen, Caitlin Steed, Kimbree Brower, Austin Yeates, Brianna Irvin, Nathan Seffker, Brandon Swenson, Kyle Irvin, Brayden Bouwmeester, Jared Seffker, Valery Hart, Julianne Orton, Jessica Davidson, Cheyenne Calkins, Kylie Bouwmeester, Hannah Steed, Anika Hansen, Sierra Hart, Zoe Miyawaki, Megan Miyawaki, Mitchell Taurone, Blake Taurone, Avin Checketts, Sarah Wayment, TJ Pehrson, Tyler Foust, and Danielle Parker. Advisors: Harry and Patti Seffker and Tammy Rene'.

News Worth Review

Davis County Ski and Snowboarding School At Powder Mountain

Our registrations will be held on Saturday, Dec 11th and Jan. 29th at Smith's Stores in Layton and Syracuse from 10am to 6pm.

For more in formation, email kim_fleming123@yahoo.com or call

Russ: 801-451-5217 or
Meg: 801-710-3358

BYU's Young Ambassadors November 6th at Syracuse High School's auditorium at 7:30 p.m. Get your tickets early! Discount tickets go on sale October 1 for reserved seating and general admission. Check the Syracuse High calendar at <http://www.davis.k12.ut.us/716/site/default.asp> for ticket details. Or call 801-402-8060.

Senior Lunch News

The Senior Luncheon will be held on Monday, November 15, at 11:30 am. Hope to see you there. Please call to reserve a spot, (801)776-0970.

New Water Rates

Just a reminder that your bill will reflect the water rate increase that went into effect last month. This table shows how fees are calculated.

Culinary Water (monthly)	Effective Oct. 1, 2010	Effective July 1, 2011	Effective July 1, 2012	Effective July 1, 2013
Base (6,000 gallons)	\$20.00	\$21.25	\$22.50	\$23.75
6,001 – 10,000 gallons	\$1.25/ 1000 gallons	\$1.30/ 1000 gallons	\$1.35/ 1000 gallons	\$1.40/ 1000 gallons
10,000 gallons +	\$1.50/1000 gallons	\$1.55/ 1000 gallons	\$1.60/ 1000 gallons	\$1.65/ 1000 gallons

