



# Hyrum City

Newsletter

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**January 1**

Happy New Year!  
City Offices CLOSED

**January 2**

City Council Meeting  
6:30 p.m.

**January 9**

Planning Commission  
6:30 p.m.

**January 16**

City Council Meeting  
6:30 p.m.

**January 20**

Martin Luther King Jr. Day  
City Offices CLOSED

**January 22**

Hyrum City Ski Night  
Beaver Mountain

**January 31**

Business Licenses Renewals Due



**Mayors Message** – Hyrum's wastewater treatment facility was designed to last 15-20 years. We have exceeded that time by several years. We are meeting and exceeding all the requirements for high quality water after the wastewater has been treated. However, the plant is in need of significant planned upgrades which should be done by spring. We have \$1,200,000 in the city reserves to go towards this project. We also have been approved for a USDA loan of \$2,402,000. A federal grant has been awarded to the project for \$1,569,000 for a

combined total of \$5,171,000. The city was required to obtain an interim construction loan to be repaid by USDA at the end of construction. There is no penalty for early payoff of the loan which we plan to do.

This upgrade will increase our capacity from the current on paper 1.5-million-gallons a day to 3.6 million. We are currently only able to process about 1.2 due to the aging of the facility and worn out plates. Running the plant on a lesser load will extend the plant's life and allow for high water events. The new upgrade will save some on power use, also. Sewer rates have held steady for ten years. A small sewer rate increase has been approved by the City Council that will help pay for the loan.

It has been my pleasure to serve as your mayor. We live in a great community! I hope you enjoy living here as much as I do. Happy New Year!

Sincerely,  
Mayor Stephanie Miller

**Indoor Walking** - Spend some time walking or jogging in the Elite Hall. The Elite Hall will be open to the public Monday thru Friday mornings from 7:00 to 10:00 a.m. for walkers and joggers. Everyone is welcome, but please remember that children must be supervised at all times and please no food or drinks other than water.

**Winter Parking Restrictions** – Parking is not allowed on city streets or within ten feet of roadway pavement in any municipal right-of-way between the hours of 12:00 midnight and 8:00 a.m. unless such vehicle is in a driveway approach or otherwise parked behind the curb where curb exists. This law allows for snow removal and is in effect between November 1<sup>st</sup> and April 1<sup>st</sup>, even when there is no snow.

**Business Licenses** – All current business licenses need to be renewed. If renewal is not made by January 31<sup>st</sup> a late fee will be assessed. If you are starting a new business, please come into the Hyrum City Office and pick up an application. There is a \$10 application fee plus the following: home occupation business \$20; and commercial business \$75. If you have any questions, please contact the city office.

**Dog Licenses** – Any dog(s) four (4) months or older is required to be licensed with Hyrum City. Dogs are required to be licensed even if they stay inside your home or never leave your yard. The license fees are as follows:

Neutered/Spayed dogs - \$12

Male/Female dogs - \$22



A veterinarian certificate is required to verify rabies vaccination and the dog being neutered or spayed. All dogs must be licensed by Friday, February 28<sup>th</sup>. After February 28<sup>th</sup> a \$5 late fee will be assessed in addition to the regular license fee. Owners will be issued a citation for failure to have his/her dog properly licensed. Also, please remember that City Ordinance permits a maximum of **two dogs per household**.

**Snow Removal Policy – Snow removal from driveway and sidewalks:** Section 12.04.010 of the Hyrum City Code requires property owners or occupants to remove snow from sidewalks abutting their properties within a “reasonable time” after the snow stops falling—the code stipulates 9 a.m. for snow accumulating during the night. This is especially critical for sidewalks used by school children and other pedestrians.

Section 10.20.095 prohibits the practice of depositing, blowing, or pushing snow removed from parking lots, driveways, or sidewalks onto the roadway. This includes pushing it across roadways to neighboring park strips, borrow pits, or vacant properties in such manner as to leave a residue or otherwise increase the amount of snow on the roadway.

We ask that you place the snow on your side of the property line behind the sidewalks, allowing us to push the snow from the roads onto the park strips or borrow pits.

**Priorities for snow removal:** Snow removal priority is based upon the amount of traffic and the number of homes, businesses, and schools serviced by a particular road. Please keep in mind that the length and intensity of the storm influences plow routes and frequency of plowing.

Major storms require us to remain on primary roadways until the storm subsides.

**Garbage cans in the road:** We also ask that you put your garbage and recycle cans out the morning of collection day and remove them as soon as possible following the collection. These containers do not need to be placed on the asphalt portion of the roadway but rather set back several feet from the asphalt to reduce chances of damage by plows and flying snow.

**Be aware of our equipment:** A loaded snowplow weighs as much as 14 tons. The drivers need room to stop, especially while plowing. Even if you have the right-of-way, let the plow come to a stop before pulling out in front of it. We also ask that you remain more than 50 feet away from the plows so your vehicle is not damaged by flying snow or ice removal materials.

## Business Spotlight –



# HYRUM MEDICAL CLINIC

26 W. Main, Ste 3A

Hyrum, UT

**Office Hours: Monday-Friday  
9:00 A.M.- 6:00 P.M.**

## Now Open! Walk-ins welcome

- Family Practice
- Women's Health
- Diabetic Management
- Pediatric Care
- Physicals
- Hypertension
- Hormone Therapy
- Cold & Cough
- Men's Health
- Immunizations

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**Senior Center News** – ALL seniors are invited to join us at the Hyrum Senior Center located at 675 East Main, Hyrum. We are open Monday – Friday from 9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. with lunch at noon Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Please call by 10:00 a.m. to reserve your spot for lunch. The cost is \$3.

Mondays – Pool & Quilting.

- 6 Board Meeting, 1:30 p.m.
- 13 Breakfast & Bingo, 10:30 a.m.
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Tuesdays – Chair Yoga, 9:30 a.m., Games, 12:30 p.m.

- 21 Tip Class, 11:00 a.m.

Wednesdays – Programs, 12:30 p.m. Pool & Quilting.

- 1 CLOSED, Happy New Year!
- 8 Jeopardy with Vicky.
- 15 Snowflake Party, 12:00 p.m.
- 22 Singing by Ana Anawalt.
- 29 Singing by Lezlee Monroe.

Thursdays –

- 9 Lunch Bunch - Bluebird, 11:30 a.m.

Fridays – Bingo, 12:30 p.m. Pool & Quilting.

- 10 White Elephant BINGO.
- 24 Wear Blue BINGO.



**Library News** – Hours Monday - Friday 10:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m., and Saturday 10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Mondays - Musical Monday's 10:30 & 11:00 a.m. for ages 0-3.  
January 27<sup>th</sup>, 4:00 p.m., Lego Club.

Tuesday - January 21<sup>st</sup> Terrific Tuesday, 4:30 p.m.

Wednesdays - Wacky Wednesday's 11:00 a.m. & 1:00 p.m. ages 3-5.

Fridays - January 3<sup>rd</sup> Magic Tree House Adventure Club  
Book #18, Buffalo's Before Breakfast, 3:30 p.m.

Movie Days – January 22<sup>nd</sup> Family Movie "The Addams Family," 4:00 p.m.

Teen Activities - Join us every Friday in the Teen Zone from 3:00 – 5:00 p.m. for ages 12-17.

January 8<sup>th</sup>, Writers Workshop 5:30 – 6:30 p.m.

January 24<sup>th</sup>, Snowball Fight 3:00 – 5:00 p.m.

Adult Activities - January 16<sup>th</sup>, Service Book Club: Discussing "Skipping Christmas," by John Grisham.

Like us on Facebook, Instagram, and Goodreads @hyrumlibrary. Social media is where you will find up to date information on programs and so much more about the library. Also, visit [www.hyrumlibrary.com](http://www.hyrumlibrary.com) and sign up for your online library account today.

**Museum News** – Did you know that Utah women were at the forefront of the national suffrage movement including being the VERY FIRST women to vote in the United States? 2020 marks three significant women's rights anniversaries. First, it's the 150<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the first American women to vote under an equal suffrage law when twenty-five Utah women cast ballots in Salt Lake City on February 14, 1870. Second, 2020 is the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the ratification of the 19<sup>th</sup> Amendment, which extended voting rights to women throughout the United States. Third, it's the 55<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Voting Rights Act of 1965, which ensured suffrage to all citizens regardless of race. Kick-off this year of celebration at the museum by visiting in January to experience the traveling exhibit, "Utah Women Making History," which includes illustrations of Utah women (and a few men) who worked throughout the 20<sup>th</sup> Century to advocate for women and advance their communities. The exhibit will run from January 4<sup>th</sup> through January 29<sup>th</sup>.



Also, be sure to drop by the museum before the end of January to see student artwork from Lincoln Elementary and South Cache Middle School, which were Reflections winners and runners-up.

We will be showing ABOMINABLE at our FREE Family Movie Night at the Elite Hall on Friday, January 10<sup>th</sup>. Doors open at 6:30 p.m. and the movie will begin at 7:00 p.m. Wear your cozy clothes and bring your comfiest pillows, blankets, bean bags, camp chairs, etc. You are welcome to bring your own dinner and/or treats, plus the Elite Hall Restoration Committee will be selling popcorn and other goodies. This is a free event and everyone is welcome!

In honor of the annual commemoration of the Bear River Massacre we will be re-opening our exhibit on the Northwestern Band of the Shoshone Nation on January 25<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 a.m. Plus, our Back in Time children's activity on January 21<sup>st</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup>, & 23<sup>rd</sup> from 1:00 - 1:30 p.m. each day will focus on Shoshone Celebrations so children can learn more about the first people that lived in our beautiful valley. Join us for learning, a fun project, and a treat! Sign-up is preferred, please visit, email, or call the museum.

**Elite Hall Restoration Committee** - Don't forget to welcome the new year with us in style at the Elite Hall's New York New Year's Eve "Roaring into 2020" party on Tuesday, December 31<sup>st</sup>! It will be like walking back into the roaring 20's at our "Great Gatsby" themed event. All tickets are \$10 and include a delicious catered dinner from Firehouse and dancing on the Elite Hall's famous spring-loaded floor. Dinner and dancing start at 7:00 p.m. and you'll want to dress to impress since prizes for the best costumes will be awarded at 9:00 p.m. Then the evening will end by watching the ball drop live from New York as we celebrate the New Year at 10:00 p.m. with a massive balloon shower. Tickets are available online at Eventbrite or at the door.

Also, if you're looking for a year-end donation opportunity that will have a long-term positive effect on the community, please consider donating to the Elite Hall restoration, which will begin in the spring. Contact Jami at the museum for more information or find the donation form on the city's website or at elitehall.org.

Finally, be sure to SAVE THE DATE for Jazz Nights at Elite Hall February 13--15! It's become one of the best annual events at Elite Hall where you can experience the magic of the historic spring-loaded dance floor, top-notch music, and a delectable dinner. Look for more details in next month's newsletter or at elitehall.org.

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