



Hyrum City

Newsletter

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October 4

City Council Meeting
6:30 p.m.

October 8

City Offices Closed
Columbus Day

October 11

Planning Commission
6:30 p.m.

October 18

City Council Meeting
6:30 p.m.



Mayors Message – Did you know that Hyrum's electrical utility is community owned not for profit power utility? Because of this we are able to provide public power at the lowest rates. Public power utilities are owned by the community and governed by our city council.

Hyrum's electricity is generated from coal-fired, steam electric, hydroelectric, gas fired, solar and wind facilities. The electricity comes through a transmission line to our four sub-stations. Occasionally, there will be a disruption in the transmission line which brings the power to the city. There is nothing we can do to control that. Once electricity reaches our sub-stations it is distributed to homes and businesses throughout the community. Birds landing on power lines, fallen tree limbs, severe weather, and failed equipment can disrupt service.

We have a crew of five of the best linemen you can find that respond to power outages in all kinds of weather, day and night, to restore power as quickly as possible. Working with high voltages is dangerous and requires intense training. Our linemen's safety is our first priority. They continue to work on the system to replace aging infrastructure and have been looping the system. That provides a way to get the power back on by bringing it in from another sub-station until they are able to repair the problem.

If your power goes out you can call the city office, 245-6033 or the electrical on-call pager, 881-0563. If no one answers (they are probably working on the problem) please leave a message with your address and phone number in case someone needs to contact you. All messages will be checked to insure that power is restored to all areas. You can find updates on power outages on the Hyrum City Facebook Page.

Sincerely,
Mayor Stephanie Miller



Left to Right: Nate Wilcox, Heath Cullimore, Matt Draper and Kurtis Johansen.
Not pictured: Quentin Voth

Meet Our Hyrum City Lineman – Matt Draper: Matt is Hyrum City's power superintendent. Matt has 29 years of experience in the power industry as a journeyman lineman and power superintendent. Matt worked for Mt. Pleasant for 25 years and has been with Hyrum City for 4 ½ years. Matt has been a UAMPS Board Member for 10 years and is responsible for managing our present and future power as well as our current system upgrades.

Quentin Voth: Quentin was born and raised in Hyrum and was hired by Hyrum City when he was only 16. Quentin now has 16 years of employment with Hyrum City as a journeyman lineman and journeyman meterman. Some of Quentin's responsibilities are: maintaining and caring of the hydro plant; sub-stations and meters. Quentin dislikes power outages more than any citizen of Hyrum.

Kurtis Johansen: Kurtis has been employed by Hyrum City for 20 years. Previous to working for Hyrum City he was employed by Mt. Pleasant for 10 years. Some of Kurtis' responsibilities are: line foreman and construct as well as maintain high voltage overhead & underground power systems.

Heath Cullimore: Heath has 13 years of experience. Before working for Hyrum City, Heath worked all over Utah, Colorado, Wyoming and Idaho. Some of Heath's responsibilities include: performing everyday line building; maintenance; troubleshooting and training apprentices. Heath cares about Hyrum City and wants the best most reliable power for residents.

Nate Wilcox: Nate is a Cache Valley native, he was raised in Petersboro. Nate is currently 2 years into his 4 year lineman apprenticeship with Hyrum City. Nate attends class once a week in Salt Lake and is required to log 8,000 hours of on the job training. Before coming to Hyrum City, Nate worked for Logan City Street Department, and has a degree in business management.

Hyrum City Youth Council – Hyrum City Youth Council is a service-based group that has provided over 2,500 hours of service this past year. We are accepting applications of youth that are in 9th – 11th grade, and live in Hyrum City or the immediate unincorporated area that surrounds Hyrum City. Applications are available online www.hyrumcity.org through the month of October. If you have any questions, you may send an email to hyrumyouthcouncil@gmail.com.

Senior Center News – ALL seniors are invited to join us for some summer fun 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.

Friday, October 12th from 10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m., and Saturday, October 13th from 9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. is our Fall Craft Fair with some very fun vendors. Free admission and everyone is invited.

- Mondays – 1 Breakfast & Bingo for a Buck, 10:30 a.m.
Board Meeting, 1:00 p.m.
22 Breakfast & Bingo for a Buck, 10:30 a.m.
29 Craft Fair Work Day.

- Tuesdays – Chair Yoga, 9:30 a.m. & Games, 12:30 p.m.
16 Tip Class, 11:00 a.m.

- Wednesdays – Programs, 12:30 p.m.
3 Music by Diane Hardy.
10 Health Fair, 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Vendors, treats & flu shots.
17 Teryl Warner/Cache County Attorney's Office: Deserae Turner Case.
24 Music by Sherid Petersen.
31 Halloween Party.

- Thursdays – All hands welcome to help- lunch will be provided.
4 Craft Fair Work Day.
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25 Craft Fair Work Day.

- Fridays – Bingo, 12:30 p.m.
5 Adam's Family Musical/Smithfield.
12 Craft Fair.

- Saturdays –
6 Chitty Chitty Bang Bang/Old Barn leave at 6:15
13 Craft Fair.



Museum News - Don't miss our annual Trick or Treat Back in Time children's activity on October 23rd, 24th and 25th from 1:00 -1:30 p.m. each day. Bring your little monsters, princesses, and super heroes to trick or treat around the museum plus get a little taste of history! All children are invited to attend, however due to the popularity of this month's event, sign-up is required to ensure we'll have enough treats.

Elite Hall Restoration Committee - The USU Big Band Swing Club invites you to dance the night away at the Elite Hall on Saturday, October 27th. Enjoy the live music of the Cache Community Big Band as you experience the bounce of a spring-loaded dance floor. The dance starts at 8:00 p.m. and instruction is available starting at 7:00 p.m. They will also host a dance on Friday, November 30th.

Library News – Library hours Monday thru Friday 10:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m., and Saturday 10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Family pumpkin carving contest. October 1st thru 10th turn in your carved pumpkins and we will display them at the library. Your creations will be voted on from the 11th thru the end of the month. Pumpkins can either be real, or foam. Winner will be announced on Halloween.



Mondays: Musical Monday's 10:30 & 11:00 a.m. for ages 0-3.
Tuesday: October 9th, 4:00 p.m. Release day showing of Hotel Transylvania 3.
October 16th, 4:00 p.m., 4th & 5th graders. Creative Tuesdays.
Wednesdays: Wacky Wednesday's 2:00 & 2:45 p.m. ages 3-5.
Friday: October 5th 3:30 p.m., Magic Tree House Club, 1st – 3rd graders.
Don't forget to pick up your copy of "Ghost Town at Sundown."

Teen Activities: Follow @hyrumteens_themannequin on Instagram for teen activities and announcements.

October 12th: Quidditch Game, Elite Hall, bring your own brooms. Snacks provided.
October 26th: Harry Potter Night, Library, 7:30 – 10:30 p.m. Sign-up is required, we will have dinner, make potions, and a fun surprise.

Like us on Facebook, Instagram and Goodreads @hyrumlibrary and @hyrumteens_themannequin. 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 and sign-up for your online library account today.

The Family Place – Join The Family Place for the "Hyrum Harvest Carnival" on Monday, October 15th, 5:30 – 7:30 p.m. at Norma Miller – The Family Place, 10 North 600 East, Hyrum. There will be trunk or treating in the parking lot from 5:30 – 6:00 p.m. (costumes encouraged), along with games and activities for the whole family. Free hot dogs, drinks, popcorn and cotton candy will be served in the backyard. Come and see our wonderful facility and learn about all that The Family Place has to offer you and the community.

