

WELCOME TO WINTER

2020 has been full of a diverse smattering of events, COVID-19, earthquakes, elections and, with any luck, winter weather.

Every year, winter weather brings happiness, excitement, looking forward to holidays (then again, maybe not) and maybe even uncomfortable cold, snow and, yep, you guessed it, WINTER DRIVING, SNOW REMOVAL and SNOW ROUTE PARKING.



WINTER DRIVING

Did you know this little fact? Snow tires are uniquely designed to improve traction in snowy and icy conditions. The rubber is designed to stay soft and pliable when the weather cools so your tires can maintain adequate grip and traction. The rubber in regular tires (even all-season tires) stiffens in the cold, which reduces traction. Even though you drive on snow tires following and stopping distances need to be increased, and, no, "I have a 4X4" doesn't give you the extra stopping power or the right to travel the speed limit when roads are snow covered or icy.

Do yourself a favor and leave a little earlier than normal, slow down and provide distance between you and the vehicle ahead. Nothing says a bad day more than having to call into work "wrecked" or dealing with an inoperable vehicle around the holidays. No one needs that extra expense around the "happiest time of the year".

SNOW REMOVAL

The City Streets Department works tirelessly during snow storms to clear major arterial/collector streets so all of us can still get to work, day-care providers, the store, ski resorts or where ever you desire to go. Help the streets department to easily and more effectively clear the streets of snow by honoring "Snow Route" and twenty-four (24) hour street parking.

SNOW ROUTE PARKING

The Springville Police Department has a new position in the police department, the Code Enforcement Officer. Some may have met him already. During the summer his focus was on certain code violations, parking, weeds, and other various code violations, but with winter upon us there will be a slight change of focus... "Snow-Route Parking". The City web site under "Maps" has a section called "Snow Removal Parking Restriction". The map outlines the streets where "snow removal" parking enforcement has time restrictions.

The parking restriction hours on these streets are 11:00 pm – 6:00 am. Your help in these areas will decrease the chances of a snow plow hitting a parked vehicle and will also reduce the chance of a citizen getting an invitation to visit the city for a parking violation.

WINTER AIR QUALITY

Utah State Law prohibits vehicles from emitting excess visible contaminants. If you see such a vehicle being driven in Utah County, please note down the following:

DATE AND TIME
VEHICLE LICENSE PLATE NUMBER
VEHICLE MAKE
VEHICLE DESCRIPTION
LOCATION

You can report a smoking vehicle by calling 801.851.7608 or go on-line to utahcounty.gov/Dept/HealthEnvirAir/SmokingVehicle. Visual documentation of a violation is helpful. Send an image or video of an event, to marka@utahcounty.gov. Please include information about the time and place the image or video was taken in your email.

BASKETBALL REFEREES



The Springville Recreation Department is hiring Adult Commissioners and Youth and/or Adult Referees; part-time evenings and Saturdays with flexible scheduling, and training provided. Apply on-line at springville.org/jobs. In the Skills and Qualifications area please list all sports you have played, officiated, or are familiar with. Must be age 14 and up. If you have previously completed the Recreation Department hiring process for other sports, please contact the Recreation office.

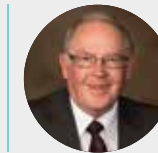
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MAYOR RICHARD J CHILD



MAYOR'S MESSAGE

This year is finally coming to an end! I don't think many of us are too sad to see 2020 go! We have experienced many challenges this year and looking back on previous years we have seen many disruptions to what we all once considered normal. I know that this Holiday Season has been especially tough for many in our community and many family traditions have suffered as we try to celebrate the best ways we can.



Despite these challenges, I am confident that we can come together as a community and still find ways to support one another

and embrace the true spirit of the Christmas season. I am very grateful for all of our amazing city staff who are trying their best to contribute to making these holidays special. The Christmas lights are beautiful and I love driving down Main Street and seeing all of the amazing trees lit up.

There are so many hard working employees that have put in many hours making our town look great and many others who are diligent in making sure our roads are plowed, our facilities maintained, and our city utilities taken care of.

Things may continue to be difficult for the coming months but I'm optimistic that 2021 will be a better year! I love the citizens of Springville

and have always been impressed by the amazing people who make our town the special place it is. As the mayor, and on behalf of the city council, city administrators, and all of our city staff, we want to wish everyone a Merry Christmas and a Hopeful Happy New Year!

—Mayor Richard J. Child

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THE SEWER IS NOT A GARBAGE CAN



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TOILETS ARE NOT TRASHCANS™

Only Flush the 3 P's: Pee, Poop, & Toilet Paper

Everything that you send down the drain eventually gets to the Treatment Plant through a network of pipes (126 Miles). The Springville City Wastewater Treatment Plant treats an average of 3.5 million gallons per day.

WHETHER AT HOME OR WORK, DO NOT PUT THESE ITEMS DOWN THE DRAIN—

CIGARETTE BUTTS	BAND-AIDS
DENTAL FLOSS	COSMETICS/MAKEUP
CONDOMS	PRESCRIPTION DRUGS
RAGS	FOOD SCRAPS
BABY WIPES	CHEMICALS
TAMPONS	WOOD
SANITARY NAPKINS	LEAVES
DISPOSABLE DIAPERS	GREASE
HUMAN OR PET HAIR	OIL
COTTON SWABS	PAINT

Garbage disposals are a great invention, but too many of us assume they will grind solid foods into liquid that easily flows down the drain pipes. Make it a habit to scrape plates and peel vegetables into the garbage can, not the sink.

Vegetable and animal grease, fats and oils should also go in the garbage can, not the sewer. Even if you rinse with hot water, the grease, fats, and oils will eventually cool and solidify and potentially plug up your system. Make it a habit to pour grease, fats, and oils in an old tin can or cup, and once solidified, put it in the garbage can.

Chemicals do not belong in the garbage or the sewer – they need special handling. Do not dump chemicals down the drain. Our wastewater treatment plant will not be able to remove them; they can end up in the river, harming fish and other aquatic life.

Dumping chemicals down the drain may also damage the sewer in your home and the city system. Please call the SUVSWD Transfer Station 801.489.3027 to find out where to recycle harmful chemicals.

2021 PARK RESERVATIONS



Reservations for Canyon Pavilions (Kelly's Grove, Rotary Park, Jolley's Ranch), Jolley's Ranch Campground, City Park Pavilions and Wayne Bartholomew Park Pavilions will be open to Springville residents on Monday, January 4, 2021 at 8 a.m. Reservations will be made on-line or in person at the Parks and Recreation Office at 443 S 200 E. Reservations will not be taken over the phone. To reserve on-line, please log onto springville.org and click on Campsite & Pavilion Rentals under SERVICES.

Reservations for Springville/Mapleton church groups will be by scheduled appointment on January 19th & 20th.

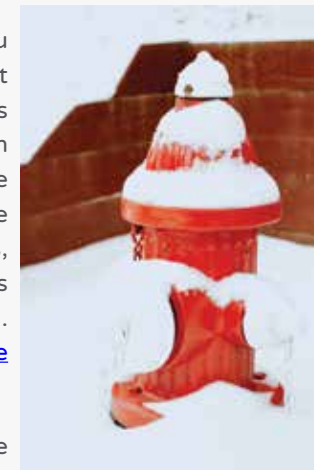
WOMEN'S VOLLEYBALL



For age 18 and up; divisions range from recreational to competitive. Registration will be open from December 2, 2020 through January 3, 2021 or until filled. Registering a team, cost is \$275.00 per team with a minimum of six players and a maximum of ten. Each division is limited to eight teams, so sign up early! A late fee of \$10.00 will be added after the deadline.

CITY CODE NEED TO KNOWS

How many of you know winter on-street parking restrictions are in effect from November through the end of March? Please move vehicles, trailers, etc. off public streets to aid in snow removal. ([Springville City Code §9-2-104\(6\)\(8\)](#)) [MAP](#)



Please remove garbage cans from the street as soon as possible after they have been emptied to help with snow removal.

As a special safety note, please keep snow and ice from building up around fire hydrants. Property owners or occupants are to keep sidewalks clear of all ice and snow. ([Springville City Code §8-4-106](#)).

Please do not plow snow from your driveway into the streets as it freezes and damages the snowplows as well as creates a hazard for motorists and pedestrians. ([Springville City Code §8-4-105\(2\)](#))

CHRISTMAS TREE PICK UP



Live Christmas tree pick up begins on Monday, January 4, 2021 and continues through January 15, 2021. Please make sure that the tree is on the curb, visible, and accessible for the crews to pick up. Also make sure that all decorations have been removed from the tree.

If you would like, you can also take your tree to the Yard Waste Disposal Center. The gates will be open during those same dates; Tuesday through Saturday from 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. The Yard Waste Disposal Center is located at approximately 600 West and 700 North. Call Springville City Public Works at 801.491.2780 if you have any questions.

TIME TO SIGN UP FOR XPRESS PAY

Springville City offers on-line payments to our residents through Xpress Bill Pay. This is a secure payment service that you can automate from home. You can see current and past statements, set up auto-pay, manage your account, receive information emails and receipts, and go paperless.

Here are some frequently asked questions and answers:

Q: Does it cost anything to sign up for on-line bill payment?

A: No. It's free to sign up for on-line bill payment and to use the Xpress Bill Pay service.

Q: How do I create a new login account?

A: From the [Xpress Bill Pay home page](#), just click on the "GO" button below "Start Paying Bills Now." This will take you to the Account Setup page, where you simply provide some contact information and choose a password. Once you've created your Xpress Bill Pay login account, you can log in to start managing your billing accounts.

Q: Do I need a separate Xpress Bill Pay login for each billing account?

A: No. You can manage all your merchant and service provider billing accounts from a single Xpress Bill Pay login.

Q: What payment choices do I have?

A: You can typically pay your bills with a credit card, debit card, or you can transfer funds directly from your banking account using electronic funds transfer (EFT).

Q: Do you offer automatic bill payment?

A: Yes. When you set up your account you can choose automatic bill payment, so you don't need to do anything to pay your bills. Payment is automatically deducted from the credit card or banking account you specify, on the day of the month you choose.

Q: Can I pay my bills from my computer or smart phone?

A: You can pay your bill from any computer located in the US or Canada. All you need is internet access using any web browser. Log in to your account using your e-mail address and password. Because you can pay when you are away from home, there is no need to worry about late payments when you're out of town and your bill is due.

Q: How do I know the payment went through?

A: After you complete the transaction, you can receive an e-mail receipt to confirm your payment transaction.

If you have any further questions or concerns please contact Springville City utility payment line at 801.489.2706

