

December 2015



4150 South 3900 West
801-731-4519

City Council Meetings

1st and 3rd Wednesdays
6:00 p.m. at City Hall

Planning Commission Meetings

2nd and 4th Wednesdays
6:00 p.m. at City Hall

Special Services District Meetings

3rd Mondays
6:30 p.m. at City Hall

The Mayor, Council Members, and Planning Commission welcome your input and attendance at the meetings.

Mayor's Message

City Hall Seminar

The next seminar in the series is scheduled for Tuesday, February 9th at 6:00. It will be a class on CPR taught by Stacie Simpson, a certified CPR/first aid instructor through the American Red Cross, and Anne Kendrick, R.N., an emergency room nurse. Although CPR certification is not available that evening, it is a great opportunity to brush up on or learn CPR skills. The seminar is FREE to the public.

Road Construction Update

Weber County's improvement project on 3500 West is now complete and the road is open. Thank you for your patience during the many delays of this project. Though not in our city, it certainly affected West Haven residents extensively. The Midland Drive project is about to wrap up. The next UDOT project in our city is the improvement of 4000 South.

Commercial Development

Commercial development is a slow process. We are working to bring desirable businesses to several areas within West Haven. Developers have repeatedly expressed the advantages of having the infrastructure in place before commercial development. Our road projects are turning out to be a big draw for businesses.

A large developer just closed on property on the north side of 4000 South near Midland. They hope to break ground in the first half of 2016. As details become available, they will be announced.

Park Vandalism

Parks throughout our city are being torn up by careless drivers. There have recently been several citations given at the Sports Park because a neighbor called to report the vandalism. Please, if you see any vehicles (including ATVs) driving on the lawn at our parks, call dispatch 801-629-8221 and report it.

Huge Thank You

After five and a half years, Mark and Pam Randall have stepped down as directors for the Youth Council. They have spent hundreds of hours working with the youth and serving our community. It is a great thing to see volunteers take an interest in a future generation. Thank you both!

At the beginning of the holiday season, I wish you and your families love, laughter,
and treasured memories.

Mayor Bolos

Community Calendar

December 10: Youth City Council Meeting- 5:00 p.m. @ West Haven City Hall

December 24: Christmas Eve: City Office will be closed all day

December 25: Christmas Day

December 31: New Year's Eve: City Office will be closed all day

January 1: New Year's Day



Winter Weather Reminders

Removing Snow From Sidewalks

Homeowners are responsible, by city ordinance, to remove snow, hail or sleet from the sidewalks abutting their property within 24 hours after it has ceased falling. Here are some tips on how to remove snow from your sidewalks and what to expect during and after a snow storm. Throwing or pushing snow onto a public roadway creates a hazard. Please place snow from your sidewalks and driveways in your yard where the ground will absorb any run-off. If you place snow on your park strip, pile it on the down street side of your mailbox and driveway. Expect snow to be pushed into your drive approach until the streets are cleared curb to curb. Be patient. Not all the streets can be cleared immediately. When driving in the snow, stay back and slightly to the driver side of snow plows so your vehicle can be seen in the driver's mirrors.

Street Parking

Parking on the street is prohibited 12 hours before the time of the projected arrival of an imminent snow storm, and the time it takes for the street to be plowed or otherwise treated by the City from **November 15th to March 15th**. Thanks to the citizens of West Haven who acknowledge our snow removal efforts. If you have any questions concerning snow removal, please call Scott Venstra, Public Works Director at 801-731-8897

Recreation

- Register online now for our new Archery Program. This is similar to the camp we ran last summer. Our Introductory Archery Program is a program designed for youth 10 and up to get basic understanding about archery and the equipment necessary for the sport. Our certified instructors will provide a 50/50 course. 50% instruction and 50% shooting. The program will be held at a heated indoor range (Summit Archery) located at 2698 S 1900 W. All archery equipment will be provided to participants. The program will run 6 weeks every Thursday evening actual time is TBD. Starting January 7.

Heart of the Holidays

- Our Heart of the Holidays event on November 30th was a huge success. Anne Kendrick and a new volunteer, Shelly Steoger, coordinated the event and again did a fantastic job. Our Youth Council members spent the evening there helping Santa, serving refreshments, and hosting hay rides. We had choirs from Fremont, Rocky Mountain, and West Haven. The neighbors on the hay ride route had beautifully decorated homes. Thanks to our drivers - Brian Berg and Bryce Kendrick. The lights at City Hall look amazing! Shout out to Cole Tubbs for braving the roof and to Garrit Harper for spending hours wrapping the trees. Thank you to all who made this event a success. Have a wonderful holiday season!

Congratulations

The "Twin Towers," Lindsay and Lauren Vanderwood, accepted volleyball scholarships at Laramie County Community College. The 6-foot sisters will have the opportunity to continue to play together. Congratulations to both girls!

What is CERT?

CERT stands for "**Community Emergency Response Team**". CERT is a group of individuals who have taken the CERT training and have the basic skills needed to be better prepared in the case of an emergency. CERT training covers many topics including: Personal Disaster Preparedness, Fire Safety - Fire Extinguishers, Disaster Medical Operations (Triage, Medical Assessment, Treatment, Packaging and Transport) Light Urban Search and Rescue, Team Organization, Disaster Psychology, Terrorism Awareness, and Hazmat Awareness. The training takes about 20 hours to complete.

CERT training will be held February 11 – March 24

The class will be held once a week 6:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. at the OWATC in the Business Building Lecture Hall-Room 162, 200 N Washington Blvd. in Ogden. Register at

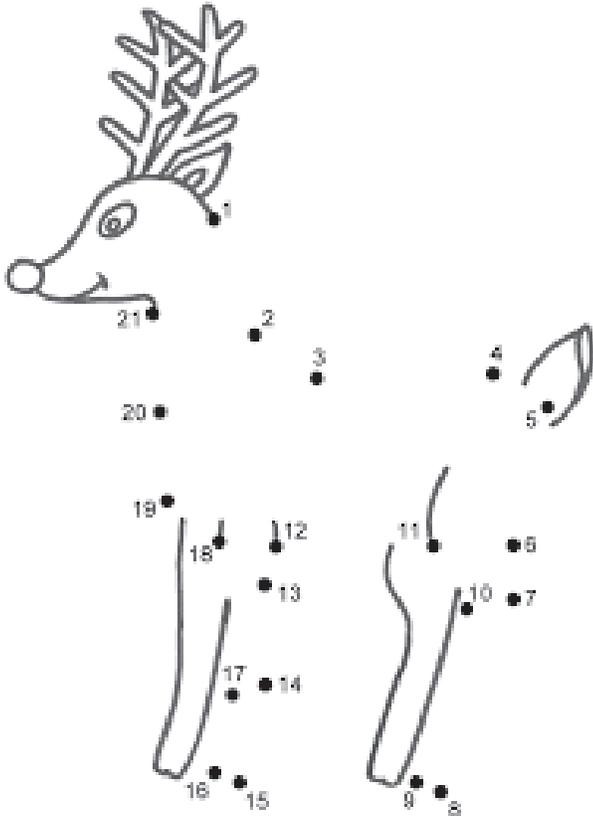
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For more information, contact Lance Peterson 801-778-6682 or email lpeterson@co.weber.ut.us

There is a \$30 participation fee for all new CERT participants. The fee covers the government required personal safety gear which is issued to each participant at the beginning of the class.

West Haven City will reimburse the first 25 residents to complete the CERT training this fiscal year.

Stephanie Carlson
City Council – Emergency Manager



Happy Holidays

Snowman Word Search

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CARROT STICKS
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