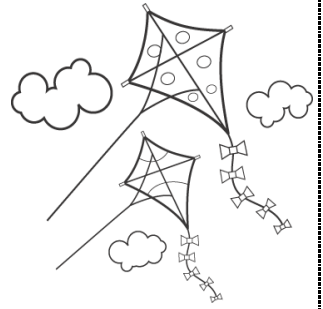




Heber City Newsletter

April 2013



MAYOR'S MESSAGE

By Mayor Dave Phillips

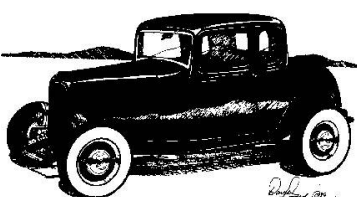
The Veteran's Memorial for the city cemetery is well underway. A rendering of the memorial will be revealed in the near future. Although



the city has appropriated significant funding for the memorial, we're still about \$120,000 short of the funding needed to complete it. An account has been

set up at Zion's Bank for anyone wishing to donate to this beautiful memorial.

The "shop at home campaign" has resulted in increased sales tax dollars to Heber City. As we support our local grocery and other stores, sales tax dollars stay in the local area and help finance the services Heber City provides to the public. Local stores and businesses provide meaningful jobs, and are an integral part of Heber City. We encourage everyone to shop locally and support your local businesses!



The annual car show will take place in the City park this year on June 22nd. Members of Wasatch Chevy's recently presented the City with a check for

\$500. Mark your calendars for this fun event and bring your families down to the park and see the cars you grew up with, and listen to some oldies music.

WARMING WEATHER BRINGS OUT MORE PEDESTRIANS

As the weather conditions improve, individuals from our community will be walking, jogging, or cycling in the neighborhoods. Please drive cautiously and be observant of your surroundings.



If you're using the crosswalks on Main Street, remember to use the bright colored flags when available and wave them in front of you to alert drivers. This will help them to observe your movements, so you can cross the street safely.

ALWAYS REMEMBER! When you're obeying the traffic laws it makes for a safer community.

NEW CULINARY WATER AND SEWER RATES IN EFFECT

This month's utility billing reflects new culinary water and sewer rates that were formally adopted by the City Council on March 7th. The rates that were adopted are consistent with the recommendations made by a consultant the City engaged to evaluate City utility rates. The City Council spent approximately one year studying this issue before the consultant's findings were presented at a public hearing that

was held on February 21st. Based on usage, residential culinary water users will see an average monthly increase of 5% - 12% in their bill. The amount of increase will vary with usage. With regard to sewer rates, citizens will see a 3.75% increase in your monthly bill. To see the new rate structure, please visit the Heber City website at www.ci.heber.ut.us.

Lastly, the City Council will make a decision at the April 4th City Council meeting on modified rates for pressurized irrigation. Any approved changes to the pressurized irrigation rates would be implemented on the May 1st billing.

SPRING INTO ACTION WITH VOLUNTEERING

Volunteer today with Mountainland Aging and Family Services Department! We have a variety of volunteer opportunities for people with



different skills and interests:

Volunteer Ombudsman: Is dignity important to you? It is to the elderly, also! The ombudsman program is a voice for the elderly in nursing homes and assisted living facilities. Ombudsman volunteer staff does a variety of things to help assure the residents in long-term care facilities receive the quality of care and quality of life which protects their dignity and well-being. For more information, call [801-229-3807](tel:801-229-3807) or email Nancy Madsen at nmadsen@mountainland.org

Be a **Friendly Visitor Volunteer** and provide respite (a break) to family caregivers. By providing a few hours of companionship each month to an elder, you can preserve the well-

being and quality of life for both the caregiver and the elder they are caring for. For more information, call [801-229-3818](tel:801-229-3818) or email cwheatley@mountainland.org.

Make a difference one hour once a week! **Meals-on-Wheels** need volunteers to deliver meals to homebound seniors in our community. For more information, visit www.mountainland.org/volunteer or call [801-229-3821](tel:801-229-3821).

IRRIGATION WATER

The following are the anticipated dates for your irrigation water to begin for 2013:

Ditch Water: First week of May 2013.

Pressurized Irrigation: Week of April 15, 2013.

As these dates get closer, additional information and any changes will be sent by phone message to the citizens via the City's Community Messaging System to those who have registered for the Messaging System. If you have not yet registered, please visit the City's website at www.ci.heber.ut.us or contact the Treasurer's office at 435-654-0757, ext. 7887.

