

Heber City News

April 2017

NOTICE OF MUNICIPAL OFFICES



The Heber City Municipal General Election will be held November 7, 2017 for the following positions: Mayor and 2 City Council Members - 4-year term each.

Candidate filing period is June 1, 2017 through June 7, 2017. Declaration of Candidacy forms or Nomination Petitions must be filed in person with the City Recorder at 75 North Main, Heber City, Utah, during the normal business hours of 7:30 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

In accordance with Heber City Code, individuals filing as candidates for the Heber City Mayor or Council shall pay a \$50.00 fee at the time of filing their candidacy with the City Recorder. This filing fee shall be refundable only if it is determined that the person filing is not qualified to be a candidate, or who is found to have improperly filed. (Ord. 2003-25, 2003)

Please contact Michelle Vest, City Recorder, with any questions or concerns at 435-657-7886.



SPOT THE TOT

Submitted by Chief Dave Booth

The Heber City Police Department requests your assistance in, “Spot the Tot”.



Prevention Steps:

- Before driving, check the street, driveway, and area around your vehicle
- Drivers of SUVs and trucks should be extra careful
- Children should be taught not to play in, under, or around vehicles
- Supervise children when a driver is leaving the home
- Adjust the driver’s seat as high as needed to see clearly out the rear window
- Roll down windows to hear children
- Adjust side and rear mirrors to reduce blind spots

Major Risk Factors:

- Children under 5 years of age
- High profile vehicles such as SUVs, vans, and trucks
- Vehicles traveling in reverse
- Rushed and distracted driving

“Every six days a Utah child is run over in a driveway or parking lot. Please remember to take a few simple steps before you back up.”



CITY BEAUTIFICATION

Submitted by City Council Member Kelleen Potter



Recently Heber Valley Tourism and Chamber of Commerce hired Roger Brooks, a prominent consultant, to come and “secret shop” Heber Valley. Brooks has decades of experience and has worked with over 1,500 communities throughout the United States. His job was to spend a week in Heber Valley and give an honest assessment of his experience. He shared many positive comments about Heber City but I am troubled by his observations of our Main Street.

When you pull into this valley it's stunning, just stunning.

In economic development, tourism, and community development there is absolutely nothing more important than your downtown.

The setting is world class. Highway 40 is a mess.

*The worst of the entire valley is Main Street. And every single resident and visitor has to “endure” it.
– Roger Brooks*

Our Main Street, Hwy 40, is a state highway so admittedly it is difficult for our city to make changes. Nevertheless, I believe it is time to be proactive and do what we can to make our downtown more appealing and ensure the heart of our city is a place we can be proud of.

One suggestion came recently from long-time resident Diane Duke Turner. She has been attending our meetings and sharing her compliments and concerns with the city. She asked why we haven't planted flowers around our city building and offered to do so herself if it isn't done this year. This is a simple, inexpensive thing but will make a difference in the beauty of our Main Street.

As we look carefully at this issue in the coming months feel free to share your opinions and suggestions with the Mayor and City Council. Heber is an incredible city and with some effort and community input, we can make changes to our Main Street so it is more representative of our beautiful surroundings.

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April 12
Airport Advisory Board, 4pm

April 13
Planning Commission, 6pm

April 20
City Council Meeting, 5pm

April 27
Planning Commission, 6pm



All public meetings can be listened to live at <http://ci.heber.ut.us/government/citycouncil/index.html#>

HEBER FARMERS' MARKET



The Heber City Farmers' Market will be back before you know it! The Market runs every Thursday from 4:00 p.m. until 9:00 p.m., June 8 through August 24. Vendor applications

are now being accepted through May 22, 2017. **VENDOR APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED AFTER MAY 22. NO EXCEPTIONS.**

You may download a copy of the application at <http://ci.heber.ut.us/community/events/farmersmarket/documents/VendorApplication2017.pdf>, or stop by the Business Licensing Department in the City offices, located at 75 North Main Street to pick up an application. If you have any questions, call Suzanne Hansen at 435-657-7899.

SPRING IS HERE!



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