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Happy Spring!

Spring Clean-up Time for Spring Cleaning City Wide Clean Up – Begins April 30-May 8, 2016

Youth Baseball Sign-up sheets were due March 31st. They are still taking a few, but practices need to get underway Sign-up sheets are available on the City website.

The Great Shake Out – Thursday April 21, 2015 at 10:15 a.m. find out more information at <http://www.shakeout.org/utah/index.html>

Sewer Cleaning Project

One of the requirements of maintaining a sewer system is periodic cleaning and having video taken of the insides of the collection lines to detect any blockages, groundwater infiltration or other issues. Willard City has contracted with Val Kotter & Sons to have this done. Some of the main lines run behind houses. They will notify homeowners they will be accessing the manholes. If you have any questions contact the City Office at 435-734-9881

4th of July volunteers needed

We are still in need of volunteers to help plan, prepare, and help during the 4th of July annual celebration. This has been a long standing celebration for the community and residents past and present. Council member Profaizer has some new ideas and is calling for volunteers and ideas to make this year's event even better. Contact the City Office at 435-734-9881 or by email at willardcity@comcast.net to volunteer for the committee.

City Clean-up

April 30 – May 8, 2016 - City Clean-up The City-wide clean-up will be held April 29-May 8th. Dumpsters will be located in the parking lot between the City Hall and the Fire Station. There will be a trailer for metals and batteries and also an area for electronics. The dike area is undergoing construction for a new recreation area and dumping of tree limbs and burnable items will no longer be allowed. Please do not put them in the dumpsters. Alternatives are the green waste area in Brigham City or see information on individual burn permits below. The Box Elder County landfill also offers Pay Once on the 1st, 3rd and 5th Saturdays of every month for public NON-WEIGHABLE loads only. Call 435-744-2275 for hours and more information or go the Box Elder County website: www.boxeldercounty.org .

Burn Permits - NO BURN PERMITS WILL BE ISSUED UNLESS THE CLEARING INDEX IS ABOVE 500 for Airshed 4. Links to check the index are available at www.willardcity.com . The Division of Air Quality regulates this, not the County Fire Marshal. If the Burn Index is not above 500 on the day you want to burn do not call for a burn permit.

- **Agricultural Burn Permits** - Agriculture burning falls into a little different category and permits can be issued year round, ONLY if the [Clearing](#)



Upcoming Events

April 7

Planning Commission

April 14

City Council – 6:30 p.m.

April 21

Planning Commission 6:30 p.m.

April 28

City Council - 6:30 p.m.

April 30 – May 8 City Clean-up

The agendas for the meetings are posted at City Hall and on the State of Utah Public Meeting Notice website at www.utah.gov/pmn.

Important Announcements



March update - UDOT I-15 Project-

The contract was awarded to Geneva Rock Products in January and orange barrel season is in full swing. Residents can expect an increase in traffic along Highway 89 as well as delays on I-15. Residents can sign up for email alerts and more project information by going to the following link:

www.udot.utah.gov/i15boxelder.

They can also be found on Facebook and Twitter:

[@UDOTregionone](https://www.facebook.com/udot)

Index is above 500 for Airshed 4. In order to qualify for an agriculture burn permit, you must be burning natural vegetation, ie: fruit tree pruning, ditch banks and stubble fields, you must be farming as a livelihood, and your property must be in the greenbelt for taxes. If you meet the criteria for Agricultural Burn Permits and the Clearing Index is above 500 for Airshed 4 call 435-734-3345. Burn Permits for Saturday will be issued on Friday and there is no burning on Sunday.



- **Residential Burn Permits** - The "Residential Burn Windows" are March 30-May 30 and September 15- October 30. Burn permits can ONLY BE ISSUED IF THE Clearing Index is above 500 for Airshed 4. State requirements limit burning for only natural vegetation, ie: tree trimmings, leaves, etc., can be burned. This means no construction debris, household garbage, tires, etc. can be burned. Other methods of disposal will need to be used for these items. If the date is between the Residential Burn windows and the index is above 500 for Airshed 4 call 435-734-3345. Burn Permits for Saturday will be issued on Friday but you will have to check the Clearing Index before you start burning on Saturday and there is no burning on Sunday.

DEPARTMENTS

❖ Streets and Water-

- **Streets** Please keep the City right-of-way clear of debris.
- **Sewer-** Property owners are responsible for the sewer line from the home to the clean out at or near the property line. Make sure sewer cleanouts are cut off at ground level and capped or protected to avoid breaking them off and protecting them from debris which can block the line.

❖ Police

- **The I-15 Add A Lane Project** - Many of you have noticed the cones and the contractor is ready to begin construction. The website for specific information on the project is located under important announcements. **THERE WILL BE AN INCREASE IN TRAFFIC, NOISE AND ESPECIALLY TRUCK TRAFFIC. THE POLICE DEPARTMENT WILL DO THEIR BEST TO PATROL MAIN STREET AND ASK THAT RESIDENTS USE EXTREME CAUTION WHEN PULLING ON TO MAIN STREET.**
- **CATS** – The police department has received a number of complaints about cats. If you feed them please take care of them. Make sure they are spayed or neutered and clean up after them. Neighbors often don't share the love you might have of cats and certainly don't enjoy cleaning up after them.
- **Vehicle burglary** – Spring always brings an increase in calls for items stolen out of vehicles. Lock your vehicles, don't leave purses, bags, electronics, coins, personal information or other items in plain view.
- **Door-to-Door Sales** - It's Spring and there are always Door –to-door sales people around. Door-to-Door Sales people are required to have a Willard City Business License. It is ok to ask them. If they cannot show you the license call Box Elder County Dispatch at 435-734-3800 and an officer will check them out.
- **IRS Scams** – A number of residents have received calls threatening court action or a suit against them. These are scams. Please do not give them any personal information. The IRS has a list called the Dirty Dozen listing scams where individuals claim to be the IRS. Their website is www.irs.gov

Upcoming:



Paper Recycling – Green Fiber will no longer be servicing our area. The bins are have been removed, please do not put paper recycling into the 2 city dumpsters. Green Fiber placed the recycling bins in Willard City at no cost to the city and paid a small fee to Willard for the tonnage they collected. We are looking into other alternatives. Please contact us if you have a suggestion of another company that might be interested in placing bins by the City Hall for the collection of cardboard and paper. This has been great for the environment and has helped to keep our landfill fees down as well.

