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City Council Public Hearing – February 11, 2016

The Willard City Council of the Willard City Corporation will hold a Public Hearing at the Willard City Hall, 80 West 50 South, on February 11, 2016 at 6:30 p.m. The hearing will be to take public comment on the proposed changes to the Willard City Future Land Use Map to incorporate a Commercial Neighborhood Zone along Hwy 89 from 1450 North to the south city limits and 220 ft. east and west of said corridor.

This does not change the current use of the property. The change in the Future Land Use Map allows property owners in this area an additional option in the future to rezone their property to Commercial Neighborhood to allow for some light commercial uses of property. A public hearing on this change was held by the Planning Commission on November 19, 2015, which many residents attended. The Willard City Land Use Ordinance requires a public hearing for a change in the General Plan, including the Future Land Use Map, by the City Council also. This allows residents adequate opportunity to provide input. A copy of the map is available on the Willard City website, the State of Utah Public Meeting Notice website and at the city office during regular business hours (M-F 9am-5pm) Please contact City Planner Bryce Wheelwright if you have any questions at 435-734-9881.

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 watch for blockages and groundwater infiltration. Willard City has contracted with Val Kotter & Sons to have this done. They will begin mid to late February. 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



Dog Licensing – Dog Licenses have now expired and a \$5.00 late fee has been added. The cost of a license will now be \$10.00 for dogs that are spayed or neutered and \$20.00 for those that are not. Please contact us if you no longer have your dog or dog has passed away so it can be removed from our list.

Business Licenses – Business licenses also expired on December 31, 2015. Reminders were sent to 2015 licensed businesses. Business licenses are required for anyone doing business within the Willard City limits. If you have any questions, contact the City Offices at 734-9881.



Upcoming Events

February 4

Planning Commission – 6:30 p.m.

February 11

City Council – 6:30 p.m. (see public hearing information)

February 15

President's Day City Office Closed (garbage will be picked up)

February 18

Planning Commission 6:30 p.m.

February 25

City Council - 6:30 p.m.

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



February update - UDOT I-15 Project-

The contract was awarded to Geneva Rock Products in January and they expect to begin construction activities as early as February. 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)

DEPARTMENTS

- ❖ **Streets and Water-** Winter is here and we have experienced snow and cold temperatures.
 - **Streets** – Thanks to our Maintenance Department for keeping our streets clear. Please help by keeping vehicles and obstacles from the sides of the streets.
 - **Water** – The temperature has dropped and we experienced a number of days below freezing. Even as the temperature rises above freezing be aware of the possibility of frozen water lines. A slow drip is all it takes to keep your lines flowing. This is especially important if your meter or water line is in an area that is shaded.
 - **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**

- **OHV's (Off Highway Vehicles)** – The Police Department has been requested to provide information regarding the use of OHV's on city streets. To help provide the information and answer any questions, a training and safety session has been set up for **March 1, 2016 at 6:00 p.m. at the Willard City Hall – Multipurpose room.** The Division of Parks and Recreation and the Willard City Police Department will provide you with information regarding OHV use and safety as well as answer questions. For now Chief Loveland has provided portions of the Utah State Code that address OHV use. These can be found by searching in your browser for Utah Code Annotated. These sections are:



- 41-22-5.5 Off-highway husbandry vehicles.
- 41-22-37 Off-highway vehicle operator responsibilities.
- 41-22-10.3 Operation of vehicles on highways-Limits.
- 41-22-10.1 Vehicles operated on posted public land.
- 41-22-10.7 Vehicle equipment requirements –Rulemaking-Exceptions
- 41-22-3 Registration of Vehicles –Application
- 41-22-10.6 Requiring compliance with traffic laws
- 41-22-10.8 Protective headgear requirements
- 41-22-30 Supervision, safety certificate, or driver license required.
- 41-8-1 Operation of vehicle by persons under 16 prohibited-Exceptions for off highway vehicles and off-highway implements of husbandry.

The Police Department's main concern is the safety of our citizens. Basically vehicles on the roadway must be licensed, registered, insured and have a licensed driver. Drivers must also abide by all traffic laws. Officers are happy to answer any particular questions you may have. **WE HOPE TO SEE YOU ALL ON MARCH 1ST!**

Upcoming:

CERT - It's never too early to plan for emergencies, but it is all too often too late. CERT Classes will be offered again this Spring. The dates are March 2, 5, 8, 10 and 12. Weekday classes are from 6:00 pm -9:30 pm and Saturday classes are from 8:00 am – 4:00 pm. This is great information to help your family become prepared when an emergency hits. An emergency can be as little as the power being out for more than a couple of hours or the water turned off because of a line break to a major disaster such as an earthquake. Are you prepared??? Contact Sue Anderson at 435-723-8903 to sign up or if you have any questions.



Kindergarten Roundup – Children who will be 5 years of age BEFORE September 2, 2016 are about to start a wonderful and exciting adventure. At this time the school is trying to locate incoming kindergarten students in the Willard/Perry communities. If you have a child who is eligible please contact the school by calling 435-734-4934 or stop by the school located at 40 W 50 S between 9:00 am and 3:00 pm. The actual school roundup for Willard School will be held on March 9, 2016 at the USU Brigham City Campus, Milton P. Miller Building 195 W 1100 South in Brigham City. More information will be sent by the school a little closer to March. Please spread the word.