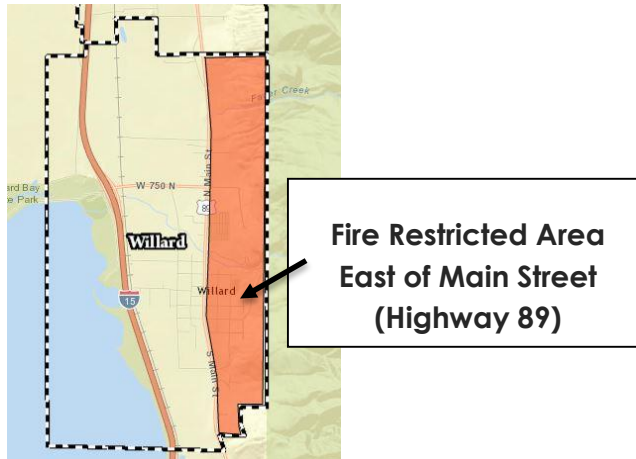


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## Hot Summer!

Thanks to all who participated in the 4<sup>th</sup> of July!

**Due to the extreme fire danger the City Council has placed the following Fire & Fireworks Restrictions in effect  
June 23, 2016 – Sept. 15, 2016**



**The following restrictions are in effect for the area shown above.**

1. Setting, building, maintaining, attending or using open fires of any kind, except campfires built within the facilities provided for them in permanently improved places of habitation.
2. Discharging, or using any kind of fireworks, tracer ammunition or other pyrotechnic devices including explosive targets
3. Cutting, welding, or grinding metal in areas of dry vegetation.

**The following persons are exempted from the above prohibitions:**

1. Persons with a permit specifically authorizing the prohibited act at a specific location.
2. Any State or Federal Fire Officer or firefighting forces in the performance of an official duty

**Violation of the above prohibited acts is punishable as a class B misdemeanor.**

### EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS

What will you do in an disaster or an emergency? What if cell phones, computers and electronics don't work? What if you were ordered to evacuate in minutes? Are you ready? These are all good questions and "That will never happen here" is not a plan nor is "We can wing it" The general rule is you need to be able to survive on your own for at least 72 hours. Are you ready? To help you prepare for such emergencies, Sue Anderson, our CERT Coordinator, has planned some summer activities in preparedness.



## Upcoming Events

### July 4

Happy 4<sup>th</sup> – City Office Closed

### July 5

Garbage Pick-up

### July 7

Planning Commission 6:30 p.m.

### July 14

City Council –CANCELED

### July 15

Building Blocks Workshop 7:00 p.m.

### July 21

Planning Commission 6:30 p.m.

### July 25

Pioneer Day Holiday – City Office Closed

### July 28

Planning Commission 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](http://www.utah.gov/pmn).*

## Important Announcements



**Update - UDOT I-15 Project-** 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](http://www.udot.utah.gov/i15boxelder).

They can also be found on Facebook and Twitter:

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

## Attention All Community Members – “BLOCK PLANS” Update, Regenerate Goals and Upcoming Activities

As Community Emergency Prep Personnel, we are working hard to update our Area Block Plan Systems. Some of our existing Emergency Response Trainers, Block Captains, District Supervisors and many new folks - interested in helping with our Community Block Plans have been asking for training helps and guidance. We are ready to move this program forward. These ERTs, Supervisors and Block Captains are tremendous individuals who have been great about doing their part in the planning and preparations for some upcoming activities.

Having a Block Plan System in place is one thing, having an operational Block Plan System, established and ready to initiate, is the vision we are looking forward to making a reality.

The Block Plan System within our community is based on LDS Ward Boundaries. Within each of these Ward Areas there is an Area Emergency Response Trainer(s) – also known as ERTs. Their job is to set-up the Block Plan within their home Ward Area boundaries and to recruit the man power to make it a practical, sustainable system. This is a big task. Each Ward Area ERT is in a different phase of organizing their Area Block Plan. All of these ERTs need help to accomplish this task. Some Monthly Goals have been established for the upcoming summer months in hopes of helping community members better understand their role in the system and offer opportunities to become involved. We need YOUR help, as citizens of this great community, to help accomplish these goals.

**JULY:** Our goal for July is for **EVERY FAMILY TO BE VISITED BY THEIR BLOCK CAPTAIN**. All District Supervisors are being asked to visit with each of their Block Captains. In turn, Block Captains are asked to visit with the families on their "Blocks." The Block Captain will give each family a **DISASTER RESPONSE RESOURCE SURVEY**. As a Family, we ask you to complete this survey to the greatest extent possible. As you fill them out; remember that the information you share will be kept confidential and only used for Block Plan purposes. Fill the form in with as much info as you are comfortable to share and return the form to your block Captain. Your Block Captain will also ask you if you have a "FAMILY EMERGENCY TAKE ACTION PACKET." Let them know whether or not you need one. (Block Captains – contact your District Supervisor or Area ERT for copies of these Survey Forms and Packets)

**AUGUST** Goal: **EVERY BLOCK TO HOLD A "BLOCK PARTY."** At these Block Parties, Block Captains will be sharing information; families can turn in their completed surveys and receive a "Take Action" packet if they need one. AND you'll have a great time mingling with your neighbors.

Our goal for **SEPTEMBER** is to **JOIN IN A DISASTER RESPONSE ACTIVITY**, similar to the Great Utah Shake Out event we participated in during April. More information for this activity will be forthcoming.

To aid with volunteer signups and to offer training helps, we will hold a Community wide **“Building Blocks” Work Shop on Friday, July 15<sup>th</sup>, 2016**. This workshop will be held at Willard City Hall. (80 West 50 South Center, Willard) A “What You Need to Know About Effective Block Plans” class will begin at 7 P.M. This class will be followed by a model “Block Plan Party” training class beginning at 8 P.M. There will be time for Questions and Answers during both sessions.

All Community members are invited to attend. If you are willing to volunteer your help as a Block Captain or District Supervisor – this is the place to be! Existing District Supervisors and Block Captains, please plan to attend this great activity. More information and reminders will be coming!

Looking forward to seeing you on **FRIDAY, JULY 15<sup>th</sup>**

Your Community Emergency Response Planning Personnel

### DEPARTMENTS

#### ❖ Streets, Sewer and Water-

- **Water –Be Water Wise!** Utah is the 2nd driest state in the nation with one of the highest rates of water consumption. Living in the desert requires us to be responsible stewards of our precious natural resources. Utah is growing and all residents can help make water wise choices – be part of the ripple effect for water wise change! There are many tips on the internet for conserving our water resources.
- **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.



(Right) Pipe covered but could easily be damaged. Consider putting a barrier to avoid damage or cutting down and covering with a sprinkler valve box for example. (Left) Properly covered clean out.



#### ❖ Police

- **Vehicle Burglaries-** There were 10 reported vehicle burglaries last month. Keep your vehicles locked and valuables out of sight. Electronics, loose change, purses, wallets left in vehicles are what they are looking for. If you have a theft, see something suspicious, or a suspicious person, etc. call 911 or for non-emergency call 435-723-6890.