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May Flowers!

Spring Clean-up Time for Spring Cleaning City Wide Clean Up –May 15-22 – see below for important information.

Youth Baseball – Games begin May 1st!

4th of July volunteers urgently needed!!!!

Did you know Willard has the longest running 4th of July Celebration in the State? **VOLUNTEERS ARE URGENTLY NEEDED!!!** The theme this year is 'Let Freedom Ring' Get your family or business together for an entry in the **parade**. Food or other **booth rental** space will be available for \$20. Contact the Willard City offices for an application and information. The **Patriotic program** will be Saturday, July 1; contact Helen Jane Lemon. **The Firefighter's dinner/auction and dance** will be Monday, July 3rd; contact any firefighter for dinner or raffle tickets. On the 4th, there will be breakfast, the fun run, foot races, Bingo, games, the muzzleloader/archery shoot, baby contest, baseball games and more. **AND don't forget the fireworks!** A complete schedule of the 4th of July events will be sent out in June.

If you can spare a couple of hours on the 4th to help with one of the games, please contact Marjorie Ross (435) 730-0465. All the supplies for the games will be provided; we just need volunteers to help with the children games between 11am and 1pm. It would be so appreciated. Also, if you or someone you know would like to perform on the stage show in the park, please contact Terry Ross (435) 740-0889.

City Clean-up

May 15-21 - City Clean-up The City-wide clean-up will be held May 15-21. 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 (see below for restrictions). This is a service to the residents of Willard and to continue we need residents to abide by the following:

Dumpsters – DO NOT DUMP THE FOLLOWING

- Stumps, tree limbs, or yard waste. Alternatives are the green waste area in Brigham City or obtain a residential burn permit. 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.
- Concrete or construction debris
- Hazardous waste
- **Electronics – The recycler s will take only newer electronics**
They will accept LED/LCD television and monitors, washers & dryers, printers and other newer electronics. (cont. on back)



Upcoming Events

May 4

Planning Commission

May 11

City Council – 6:30 p.m.

May 18

Planning Commission 6:30 p.m.

May 15-22 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.

May 25

City Council - 6:30 p.m.

May 29 – Memorial Day – City Office

Closed-Garbage will be picked up Tuesday, May 30.

Important Announcements

NEW CITY COUNCIL MEMBER

Resident Brad Robb was selected by the City Council to fill the Interim Vacancy. He will complete the term of Council member Robert Beebe. We wish to thank Council member Beebe for his service to this community.

ELECTION FILINGS JUNE 1-7, 2017

The filing period for the November 2017 Municipal Election is June 1-7, 2017. Positions available are: Mayor and (2) City Council Positions - each are 4 year terms.

Declarations of Candidacy must be filed in person with the City Recorder during office hours 8 am to 5 pm, June 1, 2017 through June 7, 2017 (excluding Saturday and Sunday).

General Election. Qualifications for consideration are:

1. Be a United States Citizen
2. Be a registered voter of the municipality
3. Be a resident of the municipality for a period of 12 consecutive months immediately preceding the date of the appointment.
4. To not be a convicted felon, unless the right to hold elective office has been restored.

DO NOT LEAVE

➤ CRT Monitors or tube televisions.

Burn Permits – The "Residential Burn Windows" are March 30- May 30 and September 15- October 30. 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. For Burn Permits call 435-734-3345. Burn Permits for Saturday will be issued on Friday and there is no burning on Sunday.



DEPARTMENTS

❖ Streets, Sewer, and Water-

- **Streets** - If your house is on a corner, please be aware of bushes, trees, etc. that block the view of oncoming traffic. Trim them to a height that both so passenger vehicles and larger vehicles, such as the City snow plows and dump trucks have a clear view of traffic coming both ways. Please also keep the City right-of-way clear of debris such as yard decorations, rocks, piles of limbs and yard debris, or landscaping or construction materials to name a few.
- **Sewer**- Property owners are responsible for the sewer line from the home to the main line. This means you need to be careful of what goes down the drain. Backups are costly! Also, make sure sewer cleanouts are cut off at ground level and capped or protected to avoid breaking them off and debris falling into the line which can also cause back-ups.
- **Water** –Pay attention to the usage on your water bill. Get a good idea of what your average usage is and compare it from month to month. A leaking toilet caused a 3,000 gallon increase for one customer. Pay attention to noises such as whistling in the pipes which can also be an indicator of a leak. Many residents find their sprinkling systems were not properly drained in the fall and often times a leak will not surface for several weeks. Even with the higher than normal snowpack, we need to protect this natural resource and be accountable for how we use it!

❖ Police

- **CITY PARKS** – Baseball has begun. The Police Chief reminds residents heading to the games the **speed limit** on City streets is **25 MPH**. Watch for kids on bikes and walking to the games. Also, no unauthorized motor vehicles are allowed on the City Parks or walking trails. Vehicles on the parks and trails cause significant damage to the sprinkler systems and lawn which costs all of us to repair. If you see motorized vehicles on the parks or trails, suspicious or destructive activity please contact the Box Elder County Dispatch at 435-734-3800 as soon as you see it. We all want the parks to be a safe place for our families.
- **DOGS** – As the weather warms up there are always an increase in dog complaints. If you are a dog owner, license your dog, keep them on a leash when walking them, control barking and clean up after them if they "do their business" anywhere that is not in your yard!
- **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. We have received complaints regarding asphalt coatings or resurfacing. 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. Don't pay up front and if you suspect fraud contact the Police immediately.

SCHOOL NEWS



Willard Elementary and Three Mile Creek Elementary Student's "Great Artist" Art Show will be held at Three Mile Creek School on Monday, May 15th from 5:30 – 8:00 PM Every student will have a piece of art displayed! The Classical Youth Ballet performing at 6:30 PM and All Strings Attached Orchestra performing at 7:00 PM. In conjunction, Three Mile Creek will be having their 7th Annual Explorer Color Run (Registration 5:30 PM, Run/Walk 6:00 PM, and Spring Celebration 6:30 – 8:00 PM (food, games, and activities). Contact Lori or Kim at (435) 734-4930 to register for the race or for more information. All are invited to attend.