



Newsletter

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Council Retreat: Expanding our Horizons - Elevating our Service

Herriman City Council

Herriman City Council and Senior Staff spent two days brainstorming and discussing their 2016 goals and priorities during a work retreat held at Jordan Valley Water Conservancy District. Guided by the theme "Expanding our Horizons – Elevating our Service," discussions to plan for the future centered on future needs of the city and thinking outside the box when navigating our city through its adolescence. The goals and priorities will continue to be refined during regular council work meeting sessions.



The purpose of the work retreat was to create a specific, measurable, action oriented, results-driven vision for the city for the year 2016. This was done through the process of reviewing goals set in the past, progress made, evaluating successes and setbacks, and presenting new projects and ideas to benefit the community.

The main discussions centered on Blackridge Reservoir, Budgeting, Economic Development, and Community Engagement. The popularity of Blackridge Reservoir

has created parking issues in and around Blackridge having significant impact on the surrounding community. The implementation of a parking permit program was discussed. An ordinance to allow for parking permit programs was just passed last month, and it could be one solution to provide relief



for those neighboring the reservoir. The council determined that a public meeting will be held with those living in the Blackridge area to discuss the parking permit program. If that neighborhood is in support of a parking permit program, it could be implemented. A paid parking fee could be implemented as well, that would charge visitors to pay to park in the reservoir's lot. A continued communication effort will take place with visitors of the reservoir to remind them of the rules and regulations associated with use of the facility. The Unified Police Department will play a key role in assisting city staff with educating visitors on the established rules. The Blackridge meeting is currently proposed to take place the end of February. Residents in the area will receive information once a time is finalized.

Budget discussions focused around the budget process, the two to five year plan, direction for the 2016 fiscal year, and effective communication to the public

Property Tax Calculation	
Example based on \$400,000 home	
Home Value	\$ 400,000
Less Deduction for Primary Residence	180,000
Taxable Value	220,000
Tax	3,447
Herriman Share	79.42



Meeting Schedule

7:00 PM

City Council Meetings:

March 9, 2016

March 23, 2016

Planning Commission Meetings:

March 3, 2016

March 17, 2016

For the latest meeting schedule updates and agendas visit:

www.herriman.org/events-calendar/

www.herriman.org/agendas-and-minutes/

City Phone Numbers:

Main Number: 801-446-5323

Park Reservations: 801-254-7667

Building Dept.: 801-446-5327

Police Dispatch: 801-743-7000

Fire Dispatch: 801-743-7200

Emergency: 911

Website: www.herriman.org

Herriman City Hall:

13011 South Pioneer Street

Herriman, UT 84096

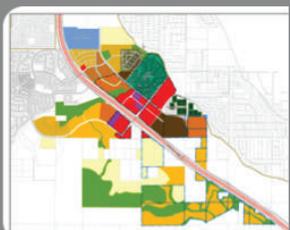
Monday - Friday

7:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.



regarding budget and financial performance. Existing and potential revenue sources were reviewed and dialogue took place regarding how to enhance our sources and continue as a sustainable community throughout our growth. Herriman City receives less than 2.3% of the property tax on each residence. Focusing on our economic development and generating a higher sales tax base will contribute to the financial sustainability of the city.

Economic Development talks detailed information on what projects are underway and what the near future has in store for our economic growth.



There are six major projects that will stimulate our economy by adding to our sales tax base. These projects range from retail centers and commercial business buildings to recreational and destination facilities. The announcement of the new City Hall, which will be completed in mid-2017, has generated a new interest in our City with regard to commercial

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Volunteer Herriman

Bethany Zeyer, Resident Volunteer

"Volunteering is the ultimate exercise in democracy. You vote in elections once a year, but when you volunteer, you vote every day about the kind of community you want to live in" (nestseattle.org). Whether you are looking to teach your children about honoring veterans, a scout hoping to complete an eagle project, a church group looking to make a difference in the community, or see something that you would like to suggest we improve, we would love to have you volunteer with us and build a community full of heart. The fact is, WE NEED YOU!

The city hosts events and celebrations throughout the year, in addition to the maintenance of our many city parks and trails. These venues contribute to the character of Herriman and we need families, groups, and individuals like you, to help get the work done.

Please follow us on Facebook for service opportunities that arise (<http://www.facebook.com/volunteerherriman/>), or you can email us at volunteer@herriman.org. Countless volunteers have contributed to the building of the Herriman we know and enjoy today and that spirit of service still remains as a part of our culture. We are thrilled to get this "official" program up and running and look forward to interacting with many of you. Herriman City values our volunteers. Their willingness to give back to their community is one of the things that make Herriman great! Interested? Email us today!



Day at the Legislature

Rachel Hale, Youth Council PIO

In January, the Herriman City Youth Council was able to attend the Local Officials' Day at the Legislature at the capitol in Salt Lake City. While there, we were able to participate in a mock committee hearing, tour the capitol and Daughters of the Utah Pioneers Museum, speak to our state representatives, and listen to motivational speeches given by paralympic gold medalist Mallory Weggemann and bestselling author Dan Buettner.



One of the major events of the day was the mock debate of the proposed bill to require police officers to wear body cameras. Two of our own youth council members were able to participate as committee members and speak in the debate, in front of various youth councils, city legislatures, and police chiefs from throughout the state. State Representative, Marc Roberts even personally applauded the claims our members made, saying they brought valid concerns that he himself shared as vice chair of the law enforcement committee.

As we toured the Daughters of the Utah Pioneers Museum, Herriman City Youth Council members were invited to play a pump organ brought across the plains to Utah. The tour of the capitol was also impactful. Between seeing each of the rooms of the three main branches of our government, members were taught about how bills become laws, the process of holding a meeting, and how to lobby your own representative. One member took this new knowledge to heart and was able to submit a comment slip to the speaker of the house on a topic they were concerned about.

To finish the day, we were joined by our state officials to attend a lunch at the Salt Palace. Eating alongside our district's representative, John Knotwell, and other various officials directly working in the state government, many notable topics were discussed. They were able to offer insights on how to run for office and what life as a public servant would entail. Overall, the event showed each member more fully what the responsibilities of their positions will entail and offered hope in the joy of seeing a job well done.



Come join us at the Herriman City building for one of our upcoming improv nights! March 4, April 8, and May 13 at 8:00 p.m.

For more information, contact the Herriman Arts Council Facebook page or the Herriman City Website!

Recreation

2016 Herriman Youth Lacrosse

Online Registration www.herrimanboyslacrosse.com

In-Person Registration:
March 5th 1:00pm-4:00pm
Herriman City Offices



K - 8th grade

Spring Thaw Lacrosse Tournament
April 1st and 2nd @ Butterfield Park

2016 Oquirrh Mountain Girls Softball



Online Registration www.omgsoftball.org
In-Person Registration:

February 27th 8:30am-12:30pm
Herriman City Offices

2016 Herriman Youth Baseball

Online Registration www.herrimanbaseball.com

In-Person Registration:
March 12th 9am-12:00pm
Herriman City Offices



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Community Fisheries

The Cove at Herriman Springs

Monday Nights - April 11th - May 16th
Cost: \$15
(Pre-Registration-Includes free T-Shirt)
Space is limited.



For Children
Ages 6-13

Register online @
www.herriman.org/events/
or call (801) 254-7667



World Championship Blacksmiths

Herriman City is proud for the second year to have the WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP BLACKSMITHS competition as part of Fort Herriman Days, June 16-18, 2016. The schedule of events for the competition is currently being finalized. The competition will begin each day at approximately 6:00 AM and will run until late evening. A clinic will be held on Wednesday evening. Class competition will take place on both Thursday and Friday all day, with the live shoeing being held on Saturday.

The following is information about the WCB, if you are interested in becoming part of the competition or would just like to come and watch, please follow the WCB website at



<http://www.worldchampionshipblacksmiths.com>.

The World Championship Blacksmiths, LLC is a group with a lot of energy that is moving forward at a constant pace. We go all over the United States with our production of horseshoeing competitions. The WCB was formed in the spring of 2006 as a membership based organization born from an idea that company CEO, Craig Trnka had been kicking around for years. It began with a small core of people who brainstormed and gathered information then pulled the trigger with the WCB officially launching on June 19, 2006. The WCB founders wanted to produce horseshoeing competitions at venues where there was horse owning public to show and educate that a well educated farrier is a powerful tool - the only equine professional who sees the horse on a six week rotation in a non-crisis situation.

AUDITIONS

HERRIMAN LIVE TALENT SHOW

April 9th

Herriman City Building

9:00 am to 12:00 pm



Sign up for auditions at

<http://www.herriman.org/arts-council/>

EASTER EGG HUNT

March 26th, 2016

10:00am Sharp

Ages 12 & Under

Hunting areas are divided into the following

Age groups: 0-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-9, & 10-12

Designated area for children with special needs!

The Hunt is on when the Siren Sounds!

Bring your own baskets for gathering treats!



Happy Easter!

W&M Butterfield Park

6212 West 14200 South Herriman, UT

Visit www.Herriman.org for other event information



Winds in the East, There's a Mist coming In.
Like Something is Brewin' and 'Bout to Begin!

Announcing: Herriman Arts Council
Summer Musical 2016:

JOSEPH PATRICK PRESENTS WITH MAURICE GALPERN
Disney and CAMERON MACKINTOSH'S

MARY POPPINS



Auditions March 18th & 19th

For details and to sign up go to: Herriman
Arts Council on Facebook or
herriman.org/arts-council/



Mary Poppins will be performed at the
Butterfield Park Pavilion on
July 7,8,9,11,12,14,15,16,18,&19



HERRIMAN Arts COUNCIL

Be Ready Herriman

Bethany Zeyer, Resident Volunteer

We are excited to begin a new year with new opportunities. We know your time is valuable, so we will be having less meetings, but the trainings we will have will be informative and unlike any others we have had in the past. Here is the schedule for the year:

April 21- Responding to an active shooter training (by Craig Tischner and the Salt Lake County Sheriff's Department). 6:30-9:30 pm.

May 26- Examining how we have utilized our CERT teams in the past during missing person's cases (by the Unified Police Department). 7:00-8:30 pm.

August 25- Leadership for success training (by the Unified Fire Authority). 7:00-8:30 pm.

September Date TBD- Herriman CERT teams drill.

All are welcome and we hope that you will join us. All of our classes are free and will be held at Herriman Fire Station 123 located at 4850 W. Patriot Ridge Dr. You can visit the city's website for more information about our organization with maps, links, and helpful resources (<http://www.herriman.org/be-ready-herriman/>). Please follow us on Facebook for information about city emergencies and for additional training opportunities (<https://www.facebook.com/BeReadyHerriman/>). While we hope that this year is void of real emergencies, we know that our CERT teams stand ready to serve as they have for many, many years. Thank you for participating in our organization.

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retail development. The City Council will work with economic development staff to generate a plan of action for the upcoming ICSC conference in May. This conference is an opportunity to meet with major retailers regarding the many locations that Herriman has to offer to businesses, and the unique experience they will have when working with us.



Channels of communication were a focus, as well as, the high volume of social media traffic that the city has. Currently the city has 6,360 Facebook followers with 3,000+ actively visiting the page each week. Twitter is the second most popular means of communication with 3,719 followers. The newsletter and the website are next in line regarding the most common ways our community receives information. The city will work to stay on top of communicating important information to our community. It will be posted throughout social media, including our website, and will be published in the newsletter. The city will also look for ways the public can suggest hot topics in order to receive information on conversations buzzing through neighborhoods. Community engagement is of great importance to the City Council and city staff. Informing the

public on top issues by using the most effective avenues for communication based on our demographics will be key.

Other items covered during the work retreat included an overview of our city events, neighborhood meeting schedules, City Council committee and board assignments and city volunteers. The Council also agreed to add additional Wednesday meetings to discuss our recreational goals, our economic plan and other important topics that warrant additional attention. Overall, the retreat was a success. It was one of the more fluid retreats we have held, with involved discussion between City Council and Senior Staff. A lot was accomplished during the meetings as we set our sights on reaching city goals to make our city better and elevate our service to our community.



We encourage our community to attend City Council Meetings held the 2nd and 4th Wednesday of each month at 7pm.