

September 2013

North Salt Lake STAR

Letter from the Mayor – Pitching in as a Community

Dear Residents,

People may get tired of me telling them what a great community we live in, but I always admire how we come together to solve our problems. Recently, due to drought conditions, Weber Basin Water was forced to cut back allocations to secondary water users in Foxboro. Rather than mandatory rationing, the City embarked on an education program, and thanks to many residents sacrificing a little, it looks like we should have enough water to make it through the irrigation season.

Our current drought has been well publicized, but there is another shortage that faces many of our neighbors that we don't always hear about. I want to tell you about two recent meetings I had with local organizations that help the needy among us.

The Sisters of Charity have operated the Center of Hope food pantry in our city for several years. They were recently fortunate enough to upgrade their space to a newer building off of Orchard Dr. and Center St. (74 South Orchard Drive). I was able to attend their open house and meet some wonderful volunteers. Although their resources only allow them to open the second Saturday of each month from 10am until 2pm, they do a wonderful work. Unlike other food pantries, they also gather and distribute some non-food items such as clothing. (For more information, contact Sister Germaine: 801-706-3101.)

The second meeting was with Lorna Koci, a resident of our city and manager of the Bountiful Food Pantry (bountifulfoodpantry.org), which is the primary food bank for southern Davis County. During a recent meeting, we discussed the challenges they face in gathering resources and reaching out to the needy. The city has allocated a few unused plots in our community garden to the food bank, and as I was dropping by some fresh vegetables, she reminded me that their annual food drive will be coming up on **September 21st**.

Please join me in coming together to support these fine charities. To quote the Bountiful Pantry's web site "Changing Lives Takes a Community."

Mayor Len Arave

3rd Annual Army Band Concert

This month's Second Sunday Concert, **September 8th**, will once again host the 23rd Army Band of the Utah National Guard. Join them as they perform familiar

patriotic numbers to commemorate 9-11. Please invite the police, firefighters, and veterans in your life to join you for this wonderful concert. It will be held at

6:00 p.m. on the 9th fairway of the beautiful Eaglewood Golf Course. Bring your blankets and lawn chairs to enjoy patriotic music in an idyllic setting.



Construction Update

- **Deer Hollow Reservoir:** Reservoir, pump station, and transmission line to golf course are all operational and saving valuable drinking water daily. The planning and beautification of reservoir site will proceed through the next few months.

- **City Hall Park and Center St. Medians:** Construction of amphitheater is almost complete. Concrete sidewalks, planting areas and other landscaping to follow. Irrigation system currently being installed in the park strip and Center St. medians in front of Hatch Park. Project should be complete by mid-September.

- **Foxboro South Park:** Site grading complete and irrigation system almost entirely installed. Concrete work for picnic areas, playground, and walkways proceeding. Completion date expected in late September.



Did you Know?

In July we recycled 58 tons of aluminum, cardboard/paper, scrap metals, and plastics. Waste Management reports that eleven percent (11%) of the city's solid waste collected was diverted to recycling.

These efforts conserved the following resources:

- 870 mature trees were saved,
- 213 cubic yards of landfill airspace,
- 248,996 Kw-Hrs of electricity,

- 124 barrels of oil,
- avoided 533 metric tons of GHG emissions, and
- 363,209 gallons of water!

Thanks for your efforts!



Road Safety Tips for Back to School

Remember, it is illegal to pass a school bus that is stopped to load or unload children. All traffic in both directions is required to stop on undivided roadways when students are entering or

exiting a school bus. Watch out for children and be prepared to stop. Although you may see them, they may not see you. They are easily distracted and may not

stop to look for traffic before darting across the street. Expect the unexpected. Please help keep the children in our community safe.

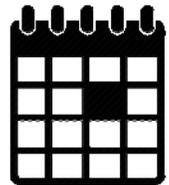


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Mark Your Calendars

- **Sept. 8:** Second Sunday Patriot Day Concert at Eaglewood Golf Course
- **Sept. 9-12:** Fire Prevention Week
- **Sept. 11:** Seniors Lunch Bunch 11:00 am
- **Sept. 21:** Bountiful Food Pantry Food Drive
- **Sept. 22:** Early Voting Begins
- **Oct. 17-20:** Fall Cleanup
- **Oct. 19:** Halloween 3K
- **Nov. 5:** Election Day



Fall Cleanup Dates Announced

The 2013 Fall Cleanup has been scheduled for October 17-20. Dumpsters will be at the following locations:

Hatch Park: 50 W. Center St.
Foxhollow Park: 655 N. Foxhollow Dr.
Eaglewood Club House: 1110 E. Eaglewood Dr.

Please keep regular waste and green waste separate. Thank you.



Is Your Home Safe from WildFire?

Jeff Bassett, Chief of our South Davis Metro Fire Agency, has expressed concern about many homes in our City that are susceptible to wildfires due to choice of landscaping and not maintaining a “**Home Ignition Zone.**” This zone consists of the home and its immediate surroundings within 100 feet

on flat ground. Whether a house burns or survives depends on this zone. “**Firewise Landscaping**” describes how to create and maintain landscapes around homes, cabins and other buildings to reduce fire risks by identifying principles and suggestions for building

placement, plant choice, and landscape maintenance. The key to protecting yourself and your home is creating and maintaining a “Home Ignition Zone” and using “Firewise Landscaping.” Contact www.sdmetrofire.org for more information.



Fire Prevention Week

September 9th – 12th

6:00 – 8:00 p.m.

North Salt Lake fire stations will be holding daily activities from 6 until 8 p.m.

Sept. 11 at Station 85 (836 W. 1100 N.) &

Sept. 12 at Station 82 (701 Eaglewood Dr.)

Bring the kids for cookie decorating, face painting, air med helicopter, and balloons.

www.sdmetrofire.org



September Public Meetings

City Council:	Sept. 3 and 17 (7:00 p.m.)
Planning Commission:	Sept. 10 and 24 (6:30 p.m.)
Uniting Neighbors:	Sept. 11 (7:30 p.m.)
Youth City Council:	Sept. 3 and 17 (5:00 p.m.)



City Elections November 5

Elections for Mayor and two at-large City Council members will be held November 5th. Candidates for Mayor include: Len Arave (incumbent) and Ryan Macfarlane. City

Council candidates include: James Emery Hill, Matt Jensen (incumbent), and Ryan Mumford. Find out more about these candidates at <http://vote.utah.gov/>. Your

vote really does count. Mail-in voter registration forms are available at City Hall or on our website: www.nslcity.org. Early voting begins Sept. 22.



Wild Rose Trail to be Venue for Mountain Bike Qualifiers

The University of Utah Cycling Team will be using the Wild Rose Park and Trail for collegiate mountain bike

cycling races on September 27th and 28th. The trails will be closed to the public from 4-6 p.m.

on Friday the 27th and from 8-4 p.m. on Saturday the 28th. Good luck to our local teams!



City Directory

Mayor: Len Arave
Senate: Todd Weiler
House: Becky Edwards
Council Members:
 Stewart Harman
 Brian Horrocks
 Conrad Jacobson
 Matt Jensen
 Stan Porter
City Manager:
 Barry Edwards

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City Manager	(801) 335-8707	Waste Management	(801) 280-8200
City Recorder	(801) 335-8709	Business Licensing	(801) 335-8701
Planning & Zoning	(801) 335-8729	Justice Court	(801) 335-8640
Utilities	(801) 335-8702	Code Enforcement	(801) 335-8677
Bldg. Inspections	(801) 335-8721	Police (non-emergency)	(801) 335-8651
Park Reservations	(801) 335-8721	Eaglewood Golf Course	(801) 299-0088
Animal Control	(801) 444-2200	Eaglewood Reception Ctr.	(801) 918-0600
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