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FROM THE MAYOR'S DESK

THE 2011-2012 FISCAL YEAR BUDGET PROCESS HAS BEGUN. THE CITY COUNCIL AND I, ALONG WITH STAFF, MET TO SET PRELIMINARY BUDGET GOALS LAST MONTH. HERE IS AN OUTLINE OF WHAT WAS DISCUSSED:

2011-2012 Goals & Priorities of Elected Officials & Staff

- 1. ATV/OHV Trails, Horse Trails, etc.
- 2. Reduce City Expenditures
 - a. And make residents aware of reductionsb. Increase reserves revenues over expenditures
- 3. Road Maintenance
 - a. Continued focus on transportation (2100 N. Freeway)
 - b. Left turn lane into SilverLake
 - c. Left turn lane into Plum Creek
- 4. Parks & Trails
 - a. Trees replace, plant new, street trees
 - b. Trail to Library from Eagle Park
 - c. Complete Projects
 - d. Cemetery
 - e. Lighting for Mid-Valley park
 - f. Asphalt triangle at Bobby Wren Blvd
- 5. Economic Development
 - a. Redundant 138kV Power
 - b. Survey existing businesses
 - c. Discussion of Tax Increment Financing w/ County & School District
 - d. Business Incubator
 - e. Revolving loan fund



Mayor Jackson, the fire department, sheriff's department, and community members welcomed home Senior Airman Adam Nelson of the U.S. Air Force Reserves last month (pictured with Mayor Jackson and his wife, Bailey) by participating in the City's traditional welcome home procession for service members returning from deployment. SrA Nelson served in Afghanistan.

- f. Cell Tower analysis
- g. Branding consistency
- h. Increase Lehi Chamber contribution to \$5,000
- i. Additional Natural Gas Tap
- 6. Youth Council increased budget, scholarships
- 7. Public Safety
 - a. SRO / bolster youth crime prevention/ Communities that Care
 - b. AFG Grant ladder truck
 - c. EKG monitor 12-lead
 - d. Defibrillator machine in seniors van
 - e. Oxygen in seniors van
- 8. Personnel
 - a. COLA (cost of living adjustment)

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- 10. Tickville wash clean up
- 11. Sustainability a. Smart metering
- 12. Operations Efficiency
 - a. GIS improvement
 - b. Audit of operations
 - c. Fleet plan
 - d. Fire vehicles fund
 - e. Records Management
 - f. Elections electronic
 - g. General Plan rewrite
 - h. Illustrated master plan
 - i. Water System Analysis
 - J. Website review service & software upgrades (Photoshop & Premiere Elements, & InDesign)
- 13. Facilities Development
 - a. New Energy Building / Remodel of PW Building
 - b. New seniors location/building
 - c. Maintenance of City buildings

Please keep in mind, the goals outlined above are preliminary discussion items only, and the budget process will continue over the next couple of months. The public is invited to attend all City Council budget sessions, which will

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EM CITY NEWS Trivia Contest

What dates will Pony Express Days be held this year?

Mayor's Desk, continued...

 Budget Information, (more discussion & info earlier)

 a. Report
 financials on
 the rodeo



SHERIFF'S Department

Community Safety Program — The City of Eagle Mountain is working with the Utah County Sheriff's Office to get all neighborhoods participating in the Community Safety Program. This is a program that helps to locate missing children, teach about preparing for emergencies, being first responders, notifying and helping during disasters, working with our Sheriff and Fire Departments, and watching out for our neighbors. Many of our neighborhoods still have no representatives. If you would like to get involved, contact Alicia at 789-6712.

Semi Parking — Semi trailers are not allowed to be parked in non-designated areas for more than two hours.

Old Medications — Do you have old prescription medications hanging around that you don't know what to do with? Flushing them is no longer the preferred way to dispose of medications. Bring them to the Public Safety building during city business hours or call 789-6701, we have a drop box here and they will be disposed of safely.

Contact Info — We often get questions about what number you should call for what circumstance. For a life threatening emergency or crime in progress, call 911. If it is not life threatening but you need to report something or talk to a deputy or Fire/EMS, call dispatch at 851-4100. If you need fingerprints, Community Safety Info., a police report, or to schedule a tour, please call 789-6701 during city business hours. If you see something suspicious, call non-emergency dispatch. Many crimes could be prevented or solved by people paying attention and reporting their suspicions.

If you can correctly answer this city news trivia question, you may win a certificate for **<u>\$50</u>** off your utility bill.

E-mail an answer with your name, address, and phone **after 8:00 AM on March 10 and before 5:00 PM on March 11** to news@emcity.org. All correct entries will be included in a drawing for the certificate.

Congratulations to last month's winner, Stephanie Newbold!

Winners and family not eligible again for one year. City employees and immediate family not eligible.



Over 50 little princesses attended the Princess Academy event, hosted by Miss Eagle Mountain Hartley Lojik. The princesses were treated to stories, manicures, a visit from the Fairy Godmother, crafts, and lunch.

2011 EM CITIZEN SURVEY

Eagle Mountain City invites you to participate in our annual citizen satisfaction survey. The survey is located on the city website (eaglemountaincity.com), on the main page, under News, and is available through March 18.

The survey should take about 5 minutes to complete. All complete surveys will be entered into a drawing, and three winners will be selected for a credit of either \$100, \$75, or \$50 on your utility bill.

City employees and immediate family members not eligible for utility credit.

Mayor's Desk, continued...

be posted on the events calendar on the city website as they are scheduled. If you would like to receive City Council meeting agendas via email, you may register for agenda notifications on the City Recorder's office page of the website.

In next month's issue, we will provide you with an update on the budget process and some information on how municipal government budgeting works.

Mayor Heather Jackson

NEWS BRIEFS

Opt-out Recycling Period — The City's annual opt-out period for the curbside recycling program will be April 1—April 15, 2011. Residents will receive a hard copy of the opt-out form in your utility bill. If you choose to opt-out, you may return the form to the utilities office, or submit the online form on the Utilities page of the city website (available April 1). Once you submit the form, the fee change will appear on your utility bill no later than June 1, 2011.

Saratoga Springs Pipeline Construction — A

groundbreaking ceremony for the Central Utah Water Conservancy District's (CWP) North Shore Aqueduct's West and North Pipeline will be held Wednesday, March 30 at 9 a.m. at 800 West 600 North in Saratoga Springs. A brief explanation of the project will be given, along with remarks from area leaders. This project will provide approximately 53,000 acre-feet of water to Saratoga Springs, Eagle Mountain, Lehi, and the Jordan Valley Water Conservancy District. Initial water deliveries are scheduled to commence by mid-2014. For more information, visit www.saratogapipeline.com.

Kindergarten Registration — If you have a child turning five years old on or before September 1, 2011 who is not registered for kindergarten, please contact your neighborhood school to register. Alpine School District is in the process of determining how many teachers they will need in the Fall. They will base this decision on how many students are enrolled now, so please do not wait until August.

Mountain Trails PTA Board Members Wanted

The Mountain Trails PTA is in need of board members for the 2011-2012 school year. If you are interested, please email mountaintrailspta@gmail.com. Many positions are available. Nominations will be accepted through March 15.

Preschool Registration — Children who are 4 years old on or before September 1, 2011 are eligible for the preschool program at Eagle Valley Elementary. The Preschool is 4 days per week, 2 hours and 45 minutes a day and includes a snack. Morning and afternoon sessions are offered. The rate for 2011-2012 is \$145 a month. There are reduced rates for those who may qualify. Go to www.alpine.k12.ut.us. Scroll down to "Tuition Preschool Registration", or call Cristi Carter at (801)610-8541.



A group of little princesses enjoy story time at the Princess Academy event.

SENIORS' CORNER

Group Activity To Be Announced Monday, March 28 at 5 PM City Council Chambers

Monthly Activities:

Dominoes — first Wednesday at 1:30 PM; more info, contact Lee at 789-6326

Lunch Bunch — first Thursday; meet at Chevron in The Ranches at 11:00 AM to carpool to a restaurant; more info, contact Pat at 801-623-2214.

Craft Class — second Monday at 1 PM; basement training room at City Hall; more info, contact Joye at 789-7544

Bunco — second Thursday at 1 PM (bring \$5 prize)

Bingo — third Monday at 5 PM

Book Club — third Tuesday at 5 PM; city council chambers; contact Diane at 789-8663

Mahjongg — third Thursday at Noon; bring a sack lunch and drink

Canasta — fourth Thursday at Noon; bring a sack lunch and drink; for more info, contact Pat at 801-623-2214.

All activities are held in the city council chambers unless specified. Check the city website for updates. Questions? Call Carroll at 801-318-1595.



EM FIRE Department

Boy Scout Merit Badge Clinic — The merit badge clinic scheduled for Saturday, March 12 and Saturday, March 19 is full. Because of the great amount of interest in this clinic, the fire department will schedule another clinic soon. Earn three merit badges in two days (fire safety, emergency preparedness, and first aid). You must attend both days to complete the requirements for the three badges. Contact Fire Captain Steve Conger at sconger@emcity.org or (801) 420-2897 if you are interested in participating in a future clinic.

Community Emergency Response Team Classes —

Eagle Mountain Fire Department will be offering CERT classes starting in March of 2011. Classes are held at Fire Station # 2 in The Ranches. Classes include topics such as Emergency Preparedness, Fire Suppression and Safety, First Aid and Disaster Triage, CPR, Search and Rescue, Terrorism, and Disaster Psychology. There are approximately 21 hours of training, with a simulated disaster drill to finish the class. The next class will start on March 15 at 7 p.m., and will run Tuesday and Thursday evenings for four weeks. (March 15, 17, 22, 24, 29, 31, April 5, 7.) A disaster drill to practice the skills learned will happen on Saturday April 23 from 8 a.m. – 12 p.m.

Cost is \$20 for the series of classes. A CERT backpack with safety equipment including a helmet, vest, gloves and other accessories is available to purchase for \$42. Information for CERT is located on the city's website and at the library. Sign up by contacting Steve Conger at 801-420-2897 or <u>sconger@emcity.org</u>. A minimum of 10 people is required for the class to carry.

Mar 15 th	Disaster Preparedness
Mar 17 th	Fire Suppression
Mar 22 nd	Disaster Medical Ops Part 1 (Triage)
Mar 24 th	Disaster Medical Ops Part 2 (Basic 1st Aid)
Mar 29 th	Heart saver CPR
Mar 31 st	Search and Rescue
April 5 th	Disaster Psychology
April 7 th	Team Organization, Documentation, Terrorism
April 23 rd	MOCK Disaster Drill 8 a.m12 p.m.



Craft time with Miss Eagle Mountain First Attendant Anna Barnum was one of the fun activities at the Princess Academy.

For your information

Hazardous Waste Collection Day — Utah County residents with household hazardous waste items such as old gasoline, paint, and fluorescent light bulbs will be able to dispose of these items safely at a Household Hazardous Waste Collection Day Saturday, April 9th from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. The collection will take place at the Orem Public Works Facility (1450 W 550 N). For details, please visit www.UtahCountyHealth.org/HHW or call 801-225-8538 (north) or 801-489-3027 (south).

Food Pantry — The Adventure Church is opening the "Jesus Feeds" Food Pantry in partnership with the Utah Food Bank. We are able to provide household resources such as personal care items and cleaning products, as well as perishable and non-perishable food to those in need. The food pantry is located at 55 East 400 North, in American Fork. Hours for pickup are Wednesday evenings, 5-7 p.m. and Saturday mornings, 10 a.m. –Noon. Food is available to anyone in need without any charge. For more information, go to <u>www.adventureaf.org</u>, or call the church office at 801-492-9179.

Diabetes Health Fair — The Utah County Health Department, in partnership with other local health partners, will be sponsoring the Diabetes Health Fair on March 17 from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Prevention, treatment, nutritional, and other educational materials and displays will be available free of charge. For details, please see the UCHD web site at www.utahcountyhealth.org/hhw, or call 801-851-2222.

LIBRARY NOOK

Board Opening — There is an open position on the City's library board. If you are interested in being considered, please contact Michele at 789-6623.



Storytime — Story time is held on Monday afternoons at 1:00 p.m. through April 11. We also offer a Wednesday session at 11:00 a.m. through April 13. The theme for these sessions is : "The World of Make-Believe".

Summer Reading — We are looking for sponsors to help with our Summer Reading Program. If you are interested, please contact Lori at the library (789-6623).

All Fools Day Faire — On Saturday, April 9, the library is sponsoring the second annual All Fools Day Faire. This year it will be held at Nolan Park from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Activities include chess, crossbow and jousting tournaments, a period photo shoot and other medieval events. Affordable lunch items will be sold, including hot dogs, chicken legs, and soda. Admission is free.

Seedling Trees and Shrubs Available — The Timp-Nebo/Alpine Conservation Districts, a non-profit organization for the conservation of our natural resources, is sponsoring a sale of seedling trees and shrubs adapted to our area. Prices are \$1.50-\$3.50 per seedling, sold in bundles of 5 or 10, depending on the species. There are 12 tree species and 6 shrub species to choose from. They must be pre-ordered and pre-paid and are available on a first come, first served basis. Order forms can be accessed on the web at uacd.org. Be sure to click the icon that says "Timp-Nebo/Alpine Seedling Tree sale", or call 801-377-5580 x121. The seedlings will be available on April 15-16, 2011 and can be picked up at two distribution points in Utah County.

Free Gardening Classes — Central Utah Gardens' 2011 gardening classes are about to begin. Classes are free of charge. Class instructors are university, industry, and

water-wise landscaping experts. This year we are featuring series of classes, including landscape design, food production, and yard care. To view class dates, times, instructors, and registration information, please visit: www.centralutahgardens.org



PONY EXPRESS DAYS 2011

Pony Express Days will be held May 26-June 4. Following is a preliminary schedule of events. There are great tax-deductible advertising opportunities available for local businesses—contact Angie at angief@emcity.org for sponsorship information. Most event registrations and tickets are available online at: www.eaglemountaincity.com/ped

PED 2011 Tentative Schedule (subject to change)

Co-ed Softball Tournament

May 21 – June 4 \$75 Proceeds benefit Westlake High Track Team Nolan Park & Westlake High School

Veterans Cemetery Service Project

May 26 Volunteers & Scout Troops needed Veterans Memorial Park

Mutton Busting Preliminaries

May 26 \$10 contestant entry fee – audience admission free Pony Express Rodeo Arena

Charity Quilt Show & Silent Auction (The Cure Starts Now)

May 26 – May 28 \$15 per item City Hall

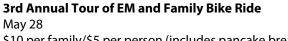
Men's 3-on-3 Basketball Tournament

May 27 – 28 \$40 per team (up to 4 players) Proceeds benefit Rockwell Charter High School Rockwell Charter High School

Opening Night PRCA Rodeo

May 27 Pre-sale: \$10 Adults/\$5 Children under 12 At the door: \$10 for all ages (Toddlers & babies in laps are free) Pony Express Rodeo Arena

May 27 \$5 in advance/\$8 at the door Mountain Trails Elementary School



\$10 per family/\$5 per person (includes pancake breakfast) Starts at City Hall

Pancake Breakfast

Youth Council Dance

May 28 \$1 per person City Hall



Motorcycle Charity Ride

May 28 \$25 Starts at City Hall

Skate Tournament

May 28 Registration info coming soon Proceeds benefit Hidden Hollow Elementary Pony Express Skate Park

Scavenger Hunt (ages 4-17)

May 28 Free

PRCA Rodeo – Tough Enough to Wear Pink Night May 28

Pre-sale: \$10 Adults/\$5 Children under 12 At the door: \$10 for all ages (Toddlers & babies in laps are free) Pony Express Rodeo Arena

Special Needs Games at Eagle Mountain

May 30 Registration info coming soon Mountain Trails Elementary

Family Fun Night

May 30 Free Pony Express Memorial Park

Final Night PRCA Rodeo – Patriot Day May 30

Pre-sale: \$10 Adults/\$5 Children under 12 At the door: \$10 for all ages (Toddlers & babies in laps are free) Pony Express Rodeo Arena

Health & Wellness Fair

May 31 Free Nolan Park



Baby Contest

May 31 \$5 in advance/\$8 at the door Proceeds benefit Rockwell Charter High School Rockwell Charter High School

Community Hero Award Reveal

May 31 Information to be announced

City Clean Up

May 31 Area to be announced



Geocache Treasure Hunt

June 1 Free

The Ranches Golf Club Kids Golf Clinic June 1 \$3 The Ranches Golf Club

Golf Date Night at The Ranches Golf Club June 1 \$9 per couple The Ranches Golf Club

Demolition Derby

June 1 Information coming soon Proceeds benefit Westlake High Football Pony Express Rodeo Arena

Eagle Mountain City Arts in the Park

June 1 Free Nolan Park



Carnival June 1 – 4 Ticket information coming soon Nolan Park

Vendor Booths

June 2 – 4 Free Nolan Park

Karaoke Talent Night at the Park June 2 Free Nolan Park

Golf Tournament AM

June 3 \$400 per team The Ranches Golf Club

The Music Stop Talent Showcase

June 3 Information coming soon Nolan Park

Bike Tournament

June 3 \$20 for ages 13+ and \$10 for 12 and under Proceeds benefit Westlake High Soccer Mountain Ranch Bike Park

Movie in the Park

June 3 Free – Title TBA Donations accepted for Mountain Trails Elementary Silverlake Amphitheater



Spring Street fair

Saturday, april 16 12 Pm to 4 Pm

Peregrine road (Chevron to Nolan park)

Any business with an active Eagle Mountain City business license is invited to participate at no cost. To reserve your spot, please contact Lianne at (801) 789-6601 or lpengra@emcity.org.

Helicopter Rides

June 2 – 4 \$30 per 10 minute ride Nolan Park

2nd Annual Pony Express Century Ride June 4 \$30 - \$45

\$30 - \$45 Starts at Eagle Valley Elementary School

5K and Family Fun 1K Race

June 4 Registration info coming soon Proceeds benefit Eagle Valley Elementary

Dutch Oven Cook-Off

June 4 \$20 Nolan Park Pavilion

Parade June 4 \$45 to enter, Free to watch Starts at Hidden Hollow Elementary

Talent Showcase

June 4 \$25 entry fee Nolan Park

Pony Express Concert and Fireworks with Clint Black June 4 \$15 in advance/\$20 at the door (kids 2 and under free) Silverlake Amphitheater





CLINT BLACK Concert & Fireworks

Pony Express Days 2011 June 4 7 p.m. Silverlake Amphitheater Gates open at 6 p.m.

Tickets: \$15 Pre-sale OR \$20 at the door Buy online now at: eaglemountaincity.com or at City Hall

Some proceeds will be used for funding a City activities program for children with disabilities.



Míss Eagle Mountaín 2011 Scholarshíp Pageant

Saturday, April 9 7:00 pm

VISTA HEIGHTS MIDDLE SCHOOL 484 west pony express pkwy

TICKETS: \$5

You may purchase tickets the night of the event at the door or from any of the contestants two weeks prior to the pageant.

Come support these young women and enjoy some family-friendly entertainment.

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