

WE HAVE ALL HEARD THE PITCH AT SOME POINT IN OUR LIVES. PUNDITS SAY, "ELECTION DAY IS COMING AND WE MUST ALL FULFILL OUR CIVIC DUTY, AND GET OUT TO VOTE." SOUND FAMILIAR?

Or perhaps you have heard people say "Voting in your local municipal elections is where your vote has the greatest impact on your life." To both statements, I can only say, I agree whole heartedly because I am a veteran of the United States Air Force. Joining the military was not a decision I made lightly. In part, the decision to serve my country was based on a strong belief in the system of government we have in this country. Our City government is in some ways a shadow of the Federal system of government. It is at its core, a representative form of government in which you elect your representatives.

On August 11, the City will hold a primary election which will narrow the field of candidates from 10 to six. Then, on November 3 the election will take place to elect three City Council members. I believe that every eligible adult should exercise their God given right to speak up in favor of who they would have represent them. We speak with our vote, and nowhere will your vote have so much impact as with municipal elections. Your City Council members are the people that make decisions that impact your neighborhood, your streets, your parks, and your pocket book. Who will represent you?

If you would like additional information about voting, you can visit the City website at [www.eaglemountaincity.com/election](http://www.eaglemountaincity.com/election). There, you will find information about the candidates, their contact information, polling locations and more. You can also contact our City Recorder's Office to ask questions. The staff in our City Recorder's Office love to help. Their phone number is 801-789-6610.

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## 2015 Municipal Election

Primary Election August 11

General Election November 3

Three 4-Year City Council Seats Open

Voter and Candidate Information:  
[www.eaglemountaincity.com/election](http://www.eaglemountaincity.com/election)



## Streetlight Maintenance and Repair

Eagle Mountain City contracts with Black & McDonald for streetlight maintenance and repairs. Black & McDonald has a call center that operates 24-hours, seven days a week to take reports of failures, and investigate and perform any repair, and/or replacement. Please call 800-814-4311 to report a problem.

All calls should be answered promptly but there is an automatic recording backup for periods of multiple calls. Black & McDonald's personnel will return calls to those who leave messages.



## Public Comment Sought for Proposed Soldier Pass Shooting Range

The Bureau of Land Management (BLM) Utah Salt Lake Field Office has tentatively determined that a 160-acre parcel of Federal public lands is suitable for conveyance to Utah County, which proposes to develop a public target shooting range near Highway 68 (Redwood Road) and Soldier Pass Road south of the city of Saratoga Springs.

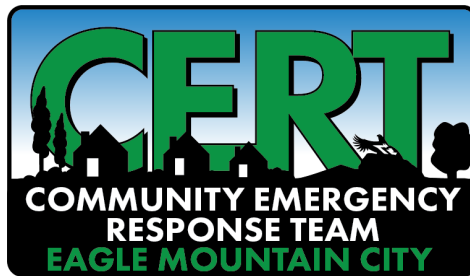
Comments regarding the proposal will be accepted until August 28. Information is available on the BLM website at [http://www.blm.gov/ut/st/en/info/newsroom/2015/July/publiccomment\\_shootingrange](http://www.blm.gov/ut/st/en/info/newsroom/2015/July/publiccomment_shootingrange).

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**Family Fun Night**  
Aug. 28, 2015 • 5:30-8:30 p.m.  
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[cupcakecharity.com](http://cupcakecharity.com)



Get trained to help your community during an emergency. Eagle Mountain needs more trained CERT volunteers to provide support to first responders and give immediate help to victims. Register now for classes each Wednesday night from September 9 to October 7 at City Hall by visiting: [www.beready.eaglemountaincity.org](http://www.beready.eaglemountaincity.org) Classes are \$30. The City will reimburse the fee to those who complete the training.

# NEWS BRIEFS

### Thank You - Road Work

Thank you for your patience during the road work on Pony Express Parkway between Ranches Parkway and Sandpiper Road. We know the closures and detours were inconvenient for adjacent neighborhoods and commuters. With this project completed we have finished repaving the section that was not part of last year's project. We hope you enjoy the nice new pavement.

### Pony Express Parkway Improvements

The Pony Express Parkway Improvements project will provide several enhancements, including widening the road between 800 West and Redwood road, adding a signal at the 200 West intersection and extending the existing area trail.

A stretch of trail will begin near the middle school and will continue to Porter's Crossing. Another trail segment will be added beginning on the east side of 200 West and continuing to Redwood Road.

To receive weekly e-mail updates, please send a request to [ponyexpress@utah.gov](mailto:ponyexpress@utah.gov)

For questions, concerns or updates, contact us at:

Hotline: (800) 948-4002

E-mail: [ponyexpress@utah.gov](mailto:ponyexpress@utah.gov)

### BeWise Services for Women

For women ages 50 to 64, the Utah County Health Department's BeWise program could provide a free blood pressure check, cholesterol, sugar/ glucose screenings, a voucher for a free mammogram, breast exam, pap test, and if treatment is necessary, first visit to medical provider will be paid. Regardless of income or age, the BeWise program also offers classes on health topics such as diabetes, blood pressure maintenance, healthy cooking, weight loss, and even Zumba exercise classes. To learn more, or to see if you qualify, please go to [www.UtahCountyHealth.org/BeWise](http://www.UtahCountyHealth.org/BeWise) or call 801-851-7031.