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BUILDING A CULTURE OF CONFIDENCE STARTS WITH PREPARING FOR HARD THINGS.

It is always better to be prepared versus not prepared when disaster strikes.

In modern society we have a lot of resources to tap into when a small scale crisis hits but what happens if a large scale disaster strikes and overwhelms those resources? What if a major earthquake hits the Wasatch Front?



Mayor Westmoreland

Long ago tectonic plates shifted and created the mountains around us. That fault line still exists and can even be seen along the western base of the Wasatch Range. In 2018 Utah experienced about 300 earthquakes. We are only half way through this year and have already experienced over 1,000 earthquakes. This is a reminder that the fault lines remain active and the potential for a major event is very real.

In analyzing this threat there is some good news. Eagle Mountain City is preparing for disruptive disasters by installing backup generators for our wells, insuring that water can be supplied to households even if electric power is lost. The city also sponsors emergency preparedness programs for our residents.

More good news for Eagle Mountain residents is there are no fault lines under our city nor are there any areas of the city that are susceptible to liquefaction (liquefaction is ground that becomes unstable during an earthquake).

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Contact the City

www.eaglemountaincity.com

1650 Stagecoach Run
Eagle Mountain, UT 84005

Utility Bills:	801-789-6609
Report an Issue:	801-789-5959
Request Records:	801-789-6611
Business Licensing:	801-789-6634
Sheriff/Fire Dispatch:	801-794-3970



BRIEFS

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However, though Eagle Mountain is on stable ground that does not mean that we are as ready as we need to be. If there is a major earthquake along the Wasatch Front, the mostly heavily populated areas of the state will be the worst hit, potentially rendering homes uninhabitable. I-15 and other roadways could be broken up, and emergency responders and hospitals may be overwhelmed. This means that not only will Eagle Mountain need to be prepared to care for its own but we will need to be prepared to care for the needs of our neighbors to the east.

The city currently has a wonderful group of volunteers involved in emergency preparedness programs, along with the city's emergency manager, Jeff Weber.

Anjanel Larsen administrates the [Be Ready Eagle Mountain Facebook page](#) and regularly shares emergency preparedness tips. She is also a member of the Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) and Volunteers in Police Service (VIPS). Be Ready Eagle Mountain offers free classes for the community that are typically held the second Thursday of each month at City Hall. Information about these events is posted on the Facebook page.

Bill Lindsay is a long-time volunteer overseeing the CERT program. Information about CERT training is available on the [Unified Fire Authority website](#).

Dave Becar recently joined our volunteer team as the HAM radio coordinator. HAM radio courses, including licensing and exam are offered periodically and posted on the Facebook page.

Eagle Mountain City appreciates the efforts of volunteers in helping our community be more prepared in the event of any large-scale emergency. I encourage everyone to be involved to the extent they can, whether it be attending classes, completing training, or simply following the Facebook page for tips and awareness of what we can all do to be better prepared.

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Food Drive

Eagle Mountain City's Employee Wellness Committee is hosting a food drive to benefit the Tabitha's Way local food pantry. Donation bins located inside the library doors. Desired items include canned meats, boxed and canned meals, pasta, rice, cereal, peanut butter, baby food, etc.

Library Survey

The library would like residents' responses to the following questions: (1) My hope is to live in a community where... and (2) Right now, the challenges we face in reaching these aspirations are... Please email responses to library@emcity.org.

National Guard Website

The Utah National Guard has launched a new-and-improved public website, available at ut.ng.mil. This site is designed to be the one-stop-shop for all public information.

Water Safety Fair

Miss Eagle Mountain Roxanna Mortensen is hosting a Water Safety Fair July 13 at the Lehi outdoor pool from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Cost is \$3 (ages 12+), \$1.50 (ages 4-11), and free for ages 3 and under. Games, activities, demos from college swimmers, lifejacket relays, face painting, basic first responder skills, and more!

EMERGENCY PREPARATION TIP

Managing a Disaster at Home

Although you may not be asked to evacuate – and even if you are – disasters can isolate you from outside help and make it necessary for you to care for yourself for days at a time. Your disaster supply kit will contain many of the tools and supplies you need.

Here are other ways to use and manage the resources you have at home.

Water

- Water is crucial for health and survival. If a disaster is imminent, fill pitchers, jars, buckets, water bottles and your bathtub in case your community water is cut off.
- If your drinking water supply is running low, use water from ice cube trays, the water heater and toilet tanks (not bowls). It is not safe to use water from radiators, waterbeds or swimming pools.
- Each person should drink at least two quarts of water each day and look for more water for the next day.

Food

- Ration food supplies for everyone except children and pregnant women. Most people can survive easily on half the normal amount.
- Avoid eating food from dented or swollen cans or food that looks or smells abnormal.
- Use pre-prepared formula for babies.

In Case the Power Goes Out

- Practice energy conservation to help your power company avoid rolling blackouts.
- Always keep your cars fuel tank at least half full.
- Know how to manually release your electric garage door.
- Protect your computer with a surge protector.
- If the power goes out, check your fuse box or circuit breaker, or contact neighbors to see if the outage is limited to your home.
- Turn off computers, stereos, televisions and appliances you were using when the power went off. Leave one light turned on so you know when power is restored.
- Avoid opening the refrigerator and freezer doors. Food will remain fresh for up to four hours after the power goes off. If you know power outages may happen, freeze water in plastic bottles to keep food cool longer.
- If the outage is expected to last for several days or more, consider relocating to a shelter or a friend's house.

If you plan on using a generator, operate it outside only – not in the basement or garage. Do not hook it up directly to your home's wiring. Instead, connect the equipment and appliances you want to power directly to the outlets on the generator.

MAYOR'S BOOK RECOMMENDATIONS

Mayor's choice for mature readers this month: *Five Days at Memorial: Life and Death in a Storm-Ravaged Hospital* is a 2013 non-fiction book by the American journalist Sheri Fink. The book details the aftermath of Hurricane Katrina at Memorial Medical Center in New Orleans in August 2005, and is an expansion of a Pulitzer Prize-winning article written by Fink and published in *The New York Times Magazine* in 2009. It describes the events that took place at Memorial Medical Center over five days as thousands of people were trapped in the hospital without power.

Mayor's choice for family reading: *The Swiss Family Robinson* is a novel by Johann David Wyss, first published in 1812, about a Swiss family shipwrecked in the East Indies in route to Port Jackson, Australia.



Eagle Mountain Symphony Orchestra Performance



The Eagle Mountain Symphony Orchestra rehearses prior to their performance "Under the Stars and Stripes."

The Eagle Mountain Symphony Orchestra held a performance as part of Pony Express Days - "Under the Stars and Stripes." Due to weather it was relocated from SilverLake Ampitheater to the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints building nearby. The concert included pieces of classical music, such as "Fur Elise", and film scores including "James Bond" and "The Pink Panther." This performance concluded the EMSO's second season. They are seeing a lot of growth with membership and will start their third season in the fall.

For more information visit their page on [Facebook](#) or email eaglemountainsymphony@gmail.com.

UTA YOUTH RIDER'S LICENSE

Your ticket to everywhere this summer

For just \$49 you can purchase a UTA Rider's License for youth ages 6-18. It's an affordable way to reach summer events and activities in the area. It can be used through August 31 on FrontRunner, TRAX, streetcars and buses to reach destinations like Lagoon, Real Salt Lake games, Salt Lake Bee's games, City Creek Center, concerts, libraries, The Leonardo, the Utah Arts Festival and more! Rider's License may even help you conveniently get to your summer job.

Purchase your Rider's License [here](#).



Services

Unused or expired prescription medications are a public safety issue, leading to potential accidental poisoning, misuse, and overdose. Proper disposal of unused drugs saves lives and protects the environment. Bring your expired, unused or unwanted medications to the Eagle Mountain Sheriff's Office for safe medication disposal in their permanent drop box. Office Hours: Mon.-Thurs. 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.



How NOT to dispose of medications

Many people aren't aware of this, but most medications should NOT be poured down the sink, flushed down the toilet, or thrown directly in the trash in their original packaging.

Here's why:

- Small amounts of medication can enter the water system when medication is poured down the sink or flushed down the toilet, even after the wastewater is treated.
- Children or pets can find bottles of pills when they are thrown in the trash. They can also be found by thieves who go through trash cans to find pain medication or get your personal information from the bottles.

For more information, contact Caryn Nielsen, Communities That Care coordinator, at 801-888-9147.

Eagle Mountain City
1650 Stagecoach Run
Eagle Mountain, UT 84005

EAGLE MOUNTAIN CITY PRIMARY ELECTION AUGUST 13

MAIL BY AUG 11

HOW TO VOTE

- Register to Vote**
By July 23 to receive a mailed ballot
- Receive Ballot**
Ballots will be mailed July 25-30
- Do your Research**
Visit emcity.org/elections and vote.utah.gov
- Complete Ballot**
Follow all instructions
- Mail your Ballot**
Or drop ballot off at City Hall or the County offices

Positions on the ballot are three Councilmembers. All are 4-year terms.

vote.utah.gov

emcity.org/elections

VOTE BY MAIL

Ballots must be postmarked the day before the election to be counted, or may be hand delivered to the City Recorder's office or Utah County.

Community

NEW: Bike Repair Stations

Eagle Mountain City is now home to five bike repair stations thanks to the efforts of Eagle Scout Gabe Garrido of Troop 1010 and Eagle Mountain City staff who designed and built the bike repair stations themselves to keep costs low.

These repair stations have the necessary tools and an air pump at each location to perform basic repairs on your bike should you require it.

We hope these bike repair stations are useful to anyone biking the numerous miles of trails in Eagle Mountain City.



If You See a Swarm of Bees...

Should you happen upon a swarm of bees, the Utah County Beekeepers Association has beekeepers in our area who will come (free of charge) and remove the swarm. They will collect them in a safe container and transport them to a new hive where they can begin their new colony. Since the bee population is experiencing a decline, mainly in the United States and Europe, and because they are crucial for the pollination of crops and flowers worldwide, this is a way to ensure the bees are handled protectively.

Please feel free to call upon any of the following individuals, who are all members of the Utah County Beekeepers Association:

- Matt Beardall 801-400-4068
- John Forsgren 801-358-4629
- Timothy Gardner 801-530-9020
- Mike Shaffer 801-633-1887
- Blitch Shuman 385-539-7520



Rebate for Eligible Smart Sprinkler Controllers

According to the Utah Division of Water Resources, “water future is one of the most significant challenges facing us today.” To encourage conservation, the state recently began offering residents rebates to install eligible smart sprinkler controllers at home and cut back on water usage.

What’s a Smart Sprinkler?

Instead of a timed sprinkler system that the homeowner must set to go off at a specific time on certain days, a smart sprinkler system is connected to the cloud and can be controlled from an app on the homeowner’s phone. It is connected to weather data and keeps tabs on rainfall amounts as well as hot weather. The smart system can change the amount of water used based on the type of plants you have in your landscaping, using data based on the amount of sunshine, temperature, wind and humidity in your area. Homeowners that are in the habit of watering frequently can cut back the amount of water usage by about 50% with the use of a smart system.

Eagle Mountain is part of the Central Utah Water Conservancy District (CUWCD). They will pay for 50% of the purchase price of the system up to \$1500*.

Installation is fairly simple, involving removal of the old sprinkler timer box and hooking up the new one. Installation costs are not included in the rebate offer.

Do we really need to conserve water?

Utah has been suffering through a drought during the last few years that was, in part, to blame for recent wildfires. Although we now sit a little more comfortably, we are encouraged by state leaders not to become complacent. We’re in a period of climate change and seven of the last 10 years have been below average in terms of precipitation that ends up in our reservoirs.

For more information on the rebate program go to the following website and follow the link for the Central Utah Water Conservancy District: conservewater.utah.gov/rebates

There you will find details for the 2019 Commercial Smart Controller Rebate Program and items needed for the online rebate application form. The controller must be installed in order for the rebate to be applicable.

*The rebate program is subject to available funds; CUWCD reserves the right to modify or discontinue the rebate program at any time; any changes will be posted at rebates.cuwcd.com.



WHAT'S HAPPENING?

Following is a snapshot of some upcoming community events. Please visit the city website calendar at www.emcity.org/events for additional events, more details and updates as warranted.

JULY 11



Seniors Lunch Bunch

Time: 11:30 AM - 1:00 PM
Location: Sizzler South Jordan
 The Seniors Bus will pick up passengers at the Senior Center at 10:45 a.m. and behind the Chevron in The Ranches at 11:00 a.m.

JULY 13



Farmer's Market

Time: 9 AM - 1:00 PM
Location: Wride Memorial Park
 The EM Farmer's Market will run each Saturday through October. Additional vendors wanted. Visit their [website](#) for more information.

JULY 16



City Council Meeting

Time: 4:00 PM - 9:00 PM
Location: City Hall
 Work session: 4 p.m. Policy Session: 7 p.m. Live stream link and meeting documents available on the [city website](#).

JULY 17



Online Safety for Kids and Families

Time: 10:30 AM - 1:30 PM
Location: Library
 NetSmartz, an educational program that utilizes games, animated videos, lesson plans, activities, and much more to help empower children to make safer choices online. Multiple sessions based on age. [Details](#)

JULY 23



Planning Commission Meeting

Time: 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM
Location: City Hall
 Agenda and supporting documents typically posted on the City website by the Friday prior.

JULY 24



City Offices & Library Closed

Time: All Day
 The city offices and library will be closed in observance of the Pioneer Day holiday.

SUMMER MOVIE | July 12

SHOW STARTS AT 9:00 PM | FREE ADMISSION | FREE POPCORN | BRING CHAIRS & BLANKETS

SENIOR CITIZEN FRIENDLY | EAGLE MOUNTAIN CITY

you're invited to
MEET THE CANDIDATES
 FOR EAGLE MOUNTAIN CITY COUNCIL

July 10th
 7:00 - 9:00 PM
 @ Frontier Middle School

Get to know the candidates running for three seats on City Council.
www.emcity.org/election

UTAH COUNTY FAIR 2019

Become a Commercial Vendor
 At the Utah County Fair!
 Apply at utahcountyfair.org



Eagle Mountain Arts Con

August 9th and 10th, 2019

Blackridge Elementary
 9358 Sunset Dr.

Classes include

- Intro to Photoshop
- Sculpting
- Cover Design
- Social Media Marketing
- Self-Editing and many more!



Dennis Gaunt



Will Terry

Special Guests

Learn more at www.eaglemountainartscon.com

1st annual Cedar Valley Fire Department 5K

Saturday July 20th, 2019
 Check In/Registration will be day of at 5:30AM to 6:30AM

Race starts at 7AM!

Race costs: \$10 per person
 kids 5 and under are free

See you there!!



FREE
SUMMER CONCERT JULY 20



Great Scott Magic
7pm - 7:45pm

7 PM - 9:30 PM

FOOD TRUCKS
SILVERLAKE AMPHITHEATER
BRING CHAIRS & BLANKETS



Art Contest

What does it mean to be an Aviator?

CALL FOR ENTRIES

HAVE YOUR ARTWORK ON DISPLAY AT THE CEDAR VALLEY HIGH GRAND OPENING CELEBRATION!

- FUN PRIZES
- YOUR INTERPRETATION ON WHAT IT MEANS TO BE AN AVIATOR.
- THREE AGE GROUPS: GRADES 4-6, 7-9, AND 10-12
- ALL SUBMISSIONS MUST BE ORIGINAL ARTWORK/PHOTOS

TURN ARTWORK IN TO EAGLE MOUNTAIN CITY OFFICES AUGUST 7-9, 2019
ARTWORK WILL BE JUDGED AND PRIZES AWARDED THE FOLLOWING WEEK.
EMAIL QUESTIONS TO KRISTINDEAN@ME.COM




PLEASE SUBMIT WITH ARTWORK AS IT WILL BE ON DISPLAY WITH ART. THE PARENT/GUARDIAN INFO WILL BE REMOVED.


AVIATORS
CEDAR VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL

TITLE OF ARTWORK _____

ARTIST NAME _____ GRADE _____

SCHOOL _____

PARENT/GUARDIAN NAME _____ PHONE _____



EAGLE MOUNTAIN

CITY HOTLINE
801-789-5959
(AFTER HOURS OR URGENT)

OPTION 2: PARKS

OPTION 3: WATER

OPTION 4: SEWER

OPTION 5:
STORM DRAIN
(street flooding or illegal dumping in drains)

OPTION 6: STREETS

METALS 101

Aluminum and Tin cans only in your curbside recycling bin!

No scrap metal, car parts, other metals, or electronics!






To stay up-to-date with City news, events, and more - follow Eagle Mountain City on Facebook, Twitter, YouTube, and Instagram. You may also subscribe to email/text notifications, including emergency alerts at www.emcity.org/notifyme.

