

THE MAYOR'S NEWSLETTER

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GRANTSVILLE CITY

April 2021

EVENTS

- April 7th - City Council at 7:00 pm at City Hall.
- April 8th - Planning Commission at 7:00 pm at City Hall.
- April 15th - Tree Orders due.
- April 21st - City Council at 7:00 pm at City Hall.

FOR YOUR INFO

There will be a "Stop the Bleed" class held on April 13th in the conference room at the Justice Center. The class will begin at 7:00 pm. Any resident of Grantsville is invited to attend. Preregister by calling or texting 801-836-8598. For more information on the "Stop the Bleed" campaign, visit their website at www.stopthebleed.org.

April is Child Abuse Prevention Month. The Grantsville City Council will issue a proclamation in support of child abuse prevention during the next City Council meeting.

Looking for an opportunity to volunteer? Call the Grantsville Senior Center at 435-884-3446 for more information.

REMINDERS

April is Arbor Day month! Grantsville City wants to celebrate **Arbor Day** by offering trees at a low cost. Tree applications are due on April 15th and trees must be picked up on Friday, April 30th between noon and 5:00 pm. Grantsville City will pay for 1/2 of your STREET tree (limit of 2). These trees will cost residents \$42.50 each. All trees purchased for inside your yard will cost \$85.00. Visit our website for an application or pick one up at City Hall.



Tree Sales 2021

If residents decide to hook into culinary water for outdoor use, a cross connection inspection is required to make sure there is a back flow preventer. Please call 435-884-3411 to make an appointment for a free, but mandatory, inspection. A back flow preventer is essential to keep our city water clean and not contaminated. **Culinary and Irrigation water cannot be connected to a sprinkling system at the same time.** Any resident contaminating city water will be held responsible for the costly procedure to disinfect the water.

After discussion with the City's insurance carrier, they will not allow anyone to ride on our fire engines. State law requires everyone be properly restrained in a seat belt. Insurances have had to pay on lawsuits in other cities when a person has been hurt. It is sad and unfortunate that it cannot continue, however, **fire trucks will be allowed to escort teams into town.**

UDOT (Utah Department of Transportation) has also given us the requirement that during parades, all candy must be distributed from a person walking with the float/parade entry. Candy will no longer be thrown from vehicles during parades. This prevents children from having close calls with vehicles when they run into the middle of the road. Candy CAN STILL BE DISTRIBUTED, but from a person walking with a parade entry. Other cities have already adopted these requirements. Let's keep our children safe.

Grantsville City would like to encourage citizens to be mindful of their water usage. Gov. Cox has issued a state of emergency due to the drought. The Grantsville Reservoir is strictly irrigation water. The City does not take any of that water for culinary purposes. The City Council encourages residents to look at xeriscaping for their yards (if you live in an HOA, check their regulations.)