

THE MAYOR'S NEWSLETTER

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GRANTSVILLE CITY

October 2020

EVENTS

- Oct 7th - City Council Meeting at 7:00 p.m. at City Hall.
- Oct 8th - Planning Commission Meeting at 7:00 p.m. at City Hall.
- Oct 12th - City Hall will be closed for Columbus Day.
- Oct 21st - City Council Meeting at 7:00 p.m. at City Hall.

FOR YOUR INFO

October will be the last month of bulk garbage pick up. It will be picked up on Monday, Oct. 12th and Monday, Oct. 26th, depending on your weekly garbage day. The City Council may approve the 2% increase in garbage pick-up fees (effective Jan 1st, 2021) and increase the rate of the recycling can to \$6.50. If approved, the raised recycling cost will be effective next month.

Countdown to College & Careers Night will be on Mon. Oct. 5th from 5:30 – 7:30 pm at GHS in the gym. College reps from all colleges in Utah will be there to help students explore degrees, admissions, scholarships etc. There will also be information on apprenticeships, military opportunities and other career options. Students in all grades and their parents are welcome. Free Aggie Ice-cream!

REMINDERS

Grantsville's Police Department is holding their annual Trunk or Treat event on Saturday, October 31st, from 5:00 pm to 8:00 pm at the GHS parking lot. Donations are welcomed at this event, with every dollar going toward the "Shop with A Cop" program. There will be free hot dogs, chips, and drinks provided by Walmart-DC and Franz Bakery. Please come support this event and help a needy child have a very Merry Christmas. Social distancing and masks (scary ones) will be encouraged.



Medicare Open Enrollment is from October 15 to December 7, 2020. Tooele Aging Services will be providing one-on-one sessions with a trained Medicare counselor. Please call 435.277.2420 to make an appointment for a free Insurance checkup.

The Tooele County Housing Authority wants to help you own your own home. Their Mutual Self Help Program allows owners to use 'sweat equity' as a down-payment. Call 435.882.7875 ext. 126 for more information.

The orders for street trees are due on October 9th by 5:00 pm. Tree orders must be picked up on Oct. 16th from noon to 5:00 pm at the City Hall parking lot.

Elections are next month. All ballots will be mailed to registered voters by mid-October. You can drop off your ballot at the ballot box in the parking lot of City Hall by 8:00 pm on Tuesday, Nov. 3rd., or mail it, but make sure it's postmarked before Nov. 2nd.

This year Grantsville residents have the opportunity to vote for or against a bond for the Tooele County School District. The bond plan is to build three new schools, one which will be a new elementary school for Grantsville; the others are a junior high in Stansbury Park and a new high school in Tooele. Because some old bonds are being paid off, and this bond will take their place, it is estimated that there will be no tax increase. This bond can only be used for brick and mortar (buildings).

I, Mayor Marshall, support the school bond. As parents, grandparents, and even great-grandparents, money spent on educating our children and grandchildren is money well spent. This is the best gift we can give our posterity. Spending money on creating an educated workforce, brings in more businesses and therefore contributes to our local economy; benefiting everyone.