

## **Jeannie Simmonds**

A passionate citizen, 30-year downtown resident and current council member in Logan, I am excited, with your support, to continue working on behalf of all citizens. I work hard and am prepared to address the challenges of growth and change, while protecting the character of Logan and its resources for future generations. I have served on committees that touch every aspect of the city. I have been elected Chair of the Council four times. Prior to being on the Council, I was on the Planning Commission for 6 years. I continue to attend planning commission meetings to understand the growth happening in the city. I also serve on the Audit Committee, the Economic Development Committee, the Airport Authority Board, and the Fine Arts Committee. I also serve on the executive committee with the Utah Department of Transportation on the redesign of Highway 89/91 through the core of our downtown, actively participate with the Utah Leagues of Cities and Towns on water and land use legislative issues and am an active member of both the Cache Valley Transit District Board and the Cache Water District Board.

My feet are on the ground and running. My goals in the next four years are to strengthen our neighborhoods and neighborhood councils, to complete and celebrate our new public library and fire station, to put policies in place to use all our resources responsibly, to help create neighborhood parks and trails, and to serve the community through active participation in planning and execution of quality projects which enhance our city, including a new general plan.

I have a B.A. in English and a second degree from USU in Accounting. I retired from Utah State University where I worked in every aspect of fund raising, was a business manager and worked extensively in University Archives and State Documents.

