



HIGHLAND CITY

## Mayor's Message

### Fiscal Year 2019 Budget

Staff has already begun working on the 2018-2019 Fiscal Year (July 1 to June 30) budget. Preliminary figures for the General Fund show that revenue will be flat for next year. Staff has reduced expenses in most departments, however Police and Fire are requesting increases that exceed revenue projections. We will be holding a Budget Work Session on April 10 at 7:00 PM in the Council Chambers and an Open House on May 3 from 5:00-8:00 PM at City Hall. The Final Budget will not be approved until June, but now is the time to be involved if you want to influence the budget or spending priorities. Please come and join the discussion. Following the meeting, we will ensure that the preliminary budget is made available online. Meanwhile, feel free to call or email council members ([council@highlandcity.org](mailto:council@highlandcity.org)) to share your views.



### Call for Stories

*We Rise by Lifting Others*, is our theme for the 2018 Highland Fling. During the week, we would like to share stories about Highland residents who have helped others. You know, those who quietly go out of their way to assist their neighbor. Maybe they started a non-profit or maybe they help in a more subtle way, no matter, we want to hear their stories! Please share a description of the individual or group and examples of how they have blessed individuals' lives with Julie Tapusoa ([Julie@highlandcity.org](mailto:Julie@highlandcity.org)) by April 24.

## City Open House

The annual Highland City Open House is scheduled for Thursday, May 3 from 5:00—8:00 PM at City Hall. Information will be available on the City's budget, road projects, a potential mixed use development at the corner of 6000 West and SR 92, the Arts Council, the Historical Society, trash collection, ways to get involved on volunteer committees, the Dry Creek Lake project, and more. There will be interactive activities and giveaways for both adults and kids. We hope to see all of Highland there!

## Council Brief

In each newsletter we give a brief overview of some stand-out items from Council meetings. For full agendas, minutes, and audio, please visit <http://bit.ly/HC-agendas>. You can also check out [www.HighlandCity.org](http://www.HighlandCity.org) under "News and Announcements" for a full Brief of our most recent Council Meeting. For a voting history of all council motions in 2018 click here <http://bit.ly/HC-CC-Voting-History>.

### March 6

The contract for the road preservation project was approved. See the 2018 Road Projects article for more information.

### March 20

The site plan for the Norton Performance Athletic Training Facility was approved subject to four stipulations recommended by the Planning Commission. The facility will be located west of Arctic Circle and is for athletes to receive personal training on their respective sports. Construction will begin shortly and the owner is planning on opening early July.

## CALENDAR

April 3: City Council Meeting\*, 7:00 PM

April 10: City Council Budget Work Session\*, 7:00 PM

April 11: Meet the Mayor, 7:00-8:00 PM, City Library

April 14: Utah County Household Hazardous Waste Cleanup, 9:00 AM-3:00 PM, Provo Towne Centre Mall

April 17: City Council Meeting\*, 7:00 PM

April 20—21: City Spring Clean-up

April 28: Arbor Day Community Tree Planting Project, 8:00 AM-12:00 PM, Soccer Fields by Lone Peak High School

April 28 & May 5: City Tree Sale, 8:00-12:00 PM, east of City Hall

May 3: City Open House, 5:00-8:00 PM

\*Agendas, Minutes, and Audio at <http://bit.ly/HC-agendas>

## PHONE NUMBERS

City Offices: 801-756-5751

Library: 801-772-4528

Justice Court: 801-772-4525

Police Department/Animal Control: 801-756-9800

Fire Department 801-763-5365

After-Hours Public Works Emergencies (water, sewer, streets): 801-420-2553

Republic Services (pick-up and can repairs): 801-785-5935

## ONLINE

Report a concern, pay your bill, reserve a pavilion, etc. on-line at: [www.highlandcity.org](http://www.highlandcity.org)

Check us out on Facebook and Twitter @HighlandCity

## Celebrate Arbor Day 2018

## Plant a Tree



### Highland City Tree Planting

**Saturday, April 28th**

**8AM - Noon**

**Soccer Fields by**

**Lone Peak High School**

Bring garden tools, work gloves  
and dress for the weather.

For more info contact: [julie@highlandcity.org](mailto:julie@highlandcity.org)

### Highland City Tree Sale

Day 1: April 28th 8am-2pm

Highland Residents only (bring proof). Trees are sold as is. A tree list will be posted at high-

landcity.org by April 23rd. Left over trees will be sold on Day 2: May 5th 8am-12 or earlier if sold out.

10700 North 5400 West (Town Center, East of Police Station & City Hall)

## Spring Clean Up

The annual Spring Clean Up is set for April 20-21 from 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM at the parking lot one block east of Highland City Public Works Building located at 4066 W 11000 N. Bring your excess waste and recycling to dispose for free. Proof of Highland residency must be shown (ID, utility bill, etc.) Please follow directions for entering and exiting the area. No Green or Hazardous Waste will be accepted. Green Waste can be taken to Timpanogos Special Service District <http://bit.ly/2FP1Txd>. Hazardous Waste should be taken to the Utah County Household Hazardous Waste Collection Day <http://bit.ly/2ICsoDN>.

## Youth Council Corner

This past month, the Highland Youth City Council went to the Utah State University campus to participate in the Utah Leadership Retreat for youth councils. We had a great time getting to know one other and had some amazing speakers talk to us about their hard experiences and what they had learned. We also participated in different kinds of service activities including reading to children, cleaning stadium chairs, painting horse stalls, packaging donated items, doing random acts of kindness, and much, much more. We had an unforgettable time and learned a great deal. —Brianna Burt

## 2018 Road Projects

Road patching projects will begin April 1 and continue through May 31. Expect minor travel delays on 5950 West, Canterbury Ln, Lone Rock Rd, Skyline Dr, 6960 West, 10150 North, Park West, Ashby Ln, Canterbury Place, Sunset Hills, and Ithica Dr. For more information about upcoming road projects and the Transportation Fee, visit <http://bit.ly/HC-road>.

## I-15 Tech Corridor Construction

The project began in March and will continue through 2020. Expect reduced speed, noise, dust, vibration, moderate to heavy delays with lane restrictions overnight and on weekends. More information, text alerts, and email updates at [udot.utah.gov/techcorridor](http://udot.utah.gov/techcorridor).

## City Watering Schedule

Pressurized irrigation water will be ready for use by April 15. Please keep your stop and waste valves shut off until then. This helps prevent flooding. Please remember the City's watering schedule based on street addresses:

- Even Numbers: Monday, Wednesday, & Friday
- Odd Numbers: Tuesday, Thursday, & Saturday
- No Sunday Residential Watering. This allows the storage facilities to fill.
- Recommended watering hours 6:00 PM - 10:00 AM

This schedule not only helps us conserve water, but also to help with the functionality of the PI system city-wide as it helps ensure everyone has enough pressure to water. See water conservation tips at <http://bit.ly/HC-water conservation>.

## Hooked on Fishin'

The Hooked on Fishin' program is a 6 week course for youth ages 6 and older at Highland Glen Park Thursdays from April 26 through May 31 from 5:30 – 7:00 PM. Cost is \$25 for residents or \$30 for non-residents. Class includes instruction, bait, tackle, and a t-shirt. Poles may be rented for \$5 for the 6 week course. Parents of paid participants are welcome to attend and participate for no charge. Register online at: <http://bit.ly/HC-fish>.

Volunteer instructors are needed and will enable more youth to register! Volunteering for this program can count for Designated Hunter hours. Contact Julie today to volunteer: [julie@highlandcity.org](mailto:julie@highlandcity.org) or 801-772-4507.

## Canyon Road Reconstruction

The entire length of Canyon Road is getting repaved from State Street in Pleasant Grove to SR 92 in Highland. Road work began March 19 and will continue through mid-October. Expect closures and lane reductions throughout the project. More information at <https://www.canyonroadconstruction.com/>.



**To Register** for Arts Council classes or for more information, visit [www.HighlandCityArts.org](http://www.HighlandCityArts.org) or call Shauna at 801-756-9614. Classes are held at the Community Center, 5378 West 10400 North, unless otherwise noted.

**Utah Valley Chamber Players Concert** Monday, March 26 at 6:00 PM. Free Admission.

**Summer Youth Theater Workshop 2018** Presenting *Thoroughly Modern Millie* the first three weeks in June. Registration May 23. Registration Fee \$85.

**Calling All Artists** - Highland Fling Fine Arts Show on Friday August 3 from 2:00-6:00 PM and Saturday August 4 from 11:00 AM-4:00 PM. Accepting Art on Tuesday, July 31. \$6.00 each for adults. \$3.00 each for youth under 18 years. May submit up to three pieces of art.

**Beginner Watercolor Class** for those who have always wanted to learn watercolor, but don't know where to start. You will be taught the basics as a prerequisite to Sharon Cannon's intermediate and advanced classes. Registration \$15 a week. Classes Mondays at 10:00 AM.

**Kids Art Classes** Mondays 3:00-4:00 PM. \$10 per week. Explores different art forms, art history, and mediums.

**Sharon Cannon's Watercolor Class** ongoing class for intermediate or advanced students. Mondays at 10 AM.

**Highland Hand Chimes** open to individuals 12 and up. Collaborative group where each person plays a few notes. It's easy to learn, and so much fun. Students learn counting, note reading, musical terms, and cooperation. Mondays from 3:15-4:30 PM. \$75 per semester. Contact Paige at 801-830-0927 or [Paige@EricksonFamily.com](mailto:Paige@EricksonFamily.com).

**Friends of Art** for the greater community of art and art appreciation. Held September through May. Second Wednesday of the month from 10:45 AM – 1:00 PM is a guest artist. Third Wednesday of the month 11:00 AM – 2:00 PM is bring your own projects and paint and mingle with potluck lunch. Membership: \$25 a year or \$3/ meeting. First visit is free. Hope to see you there!

**Highland Choral Arts** yearlong community choir with performances in spring and Christmas with adjournment over summer months. A brief voice check will be done with each member to determine range, choir suitability, and section assignment. Practices Tuesdays from 8:00-9:30 PM. Visit [HighlandChoralArts.org](http://HighlandChoralArts.org) for more information. \$100 annual dues to offset music, venue rental, accompaniment, and conducting costs. For more information, contact Michael Jemmett at 801-664-6063.

**Stitchery Group** will meet the first Tuesday of every month, 11:00 AM – 1:00 PM. Bring your favorite project to work on. Everyone is welcome. Contact Sue Davis at 801-367-8704 or [CSDQuiltWork@yahoo.com](mailto:CSDQuiltWork@yahoo.com).

**Modern Quilt Group** held the third Saturday of each month at 11:00 AM. This group shares, creates, and sews together. Membership dues \$30 for 12 months.

## Highland Historical Society Monthly Story—Donald R. LeBaron

One day, when I was about five years old, my dad took our family on a vacation to the United States. We stopped at the International Border between Canada and the United States of America. There I saw two flags – the Canadian flag and the flag of the United States. My dad said, "That is the most beautiful flag in the world." To my surprise, he was referring to the flag of the United States. My father had never lost his love for his native country, for he was born in Arizona. It was at this time that I decided that I wanted to live in the United States. Continued at <http://bit.ly/Hc-history>.

## Adopt a Patch Program

Looking for service opportunities for your family? Have a couple extra hours per week to spend on a worthy cause? Want to start planning a group service project? Look no further! The Beautification Committee would love to have you join their team. There are small flower beds around Highland that would love some extra attention. Just a quick weeding every week will make the difference and help our City stay beautiful. If you are interested, or have a larger project in mind, please contact Ashlee at (801)895-9551.

## Household Hazardous Waste Collection Day

For Utah County Residents  
~ NO COMMERCIAL OR MUNICIPAL WASTE ~

**April 14, 2018**     **9 am - 3 pm**

**What TO bring:**

- Medications
- Gasoline/ fuels / motor oil
- Antifreeze
- Batteries (auto, ATV, laptop, tools, hearing aids, sealed lead acid/SLA)
- Solvents / paint thinners
- Aerosol cans / paints / stains
- Pesticides / herbicides
- Glues / adhesives
- Fluorescent light bulbs
- Mercury thermometers
- Glass bottles and jars
- Photographic chemicals
- Paper for shredding

**What NOT to bring:**

**ELECTRONICS**

- Ammunition
- Containers over 5 gallons
- Explosives
- Compressed gas tanks / propane tanks / oxygen tanks
- Asbestos materials
- Gas cans (no exchange)
- PCB-related materials
- Medical / biological waste
- Business / commercial / construction / municipal waste
- Radioactive waste
- Fire extinguishers
- Tires

**FREE ELECTRONICS DISPOSAL AT NORTH POINTE & SOUTH UTAH SOLID WASTE DISTRICT**

**APRIL 9 - 13 & 16 - 21**

Do not mix wastes. • Bring waste in original containers, if possible. • Waste must be capped or sealed.

For more information: 801-851-7525 or [www.utahcountyhealth.org/hhw](http://www.utahcountyhealth.org/hhw)





# BEYOND THE BOOKSHELF

highland city library



It's amazing what happens when the community comes together!



It began as an empty room that needed lots of love... thanks to staff & Jenny Baker, the walls came to life with color! Add new carpet (thank you anonymous friend!) and we're ready for more...



So many created sock animal friends to live in the new Story Room



Almost 100 hours alone were volunteered by teens in our community to hold fun art classes, puppet shows, Pokemon tournaments, and more!



## HIGHLAND CITY LIBRARY STORY ROOM



Storytime has already doubled in size! (Don't worry, the book-shelves are mobile so there's room for lots more of you!) Our Toddler Nook and fun weekly activities are a HIT—come try a few. And a record number (400+) attended our Grand Opening with special guest, Brandon Mull.

Check the website for April event details



All of this means, more space for YOU and the things YOU love, close to home with quiet space to read a book, study, or find a new friend.

