



Mayor's Message

Happy Holidays,

I just wanted to take this moment to let you know that I have really enjoyed making a difference in our City and hopefully I'm leaving this City in a little better condition than when I first started. I appreciate all the people in Sunset, especially those within the staff and the citizens who gave it their all in contributing to help improve our City and keeping it moving in a positive direction. Our City has a lot of potential, especially with the Good Landlord Act, Falcon Hill Project and the potential revenue that will come from those acts. Not to mention helping to improve our neighborhoods and living conditions.

I want to wish the City a Merry Christmas and to suggest that during this time please remember your neighbors and those that may need help. You just might be the only one that remembers them and keeps them from a dire situation. May God and his blessings be upon everyone, and may we foster a helping spirit for those that are less fortunate than ourselves. Keep Christ in Christmas.

One last thing, a famous quote: If we fail to plan for our future, we plan to fail.

Sincerely and warmest regards,
Mayor Dan Gotchy

2009 Municipal Election Results

Beginning January 4, 2010 Sunset City will have a new Mayor, Chad W. Bangerter. The City will also have one new Council Member, Brent L. Andrews. Incumbent Council Member Ricky Carlson will be with us for another four years. Congratulations to them all! We're sure to have a great four years!

The City would also like to thank Council Member Ryan Furniss, who ran for Mayor (he will retain his Council seat) and Bradford S. Weller, who ran for City Council. It takes a lot of time and commitment to run for City Office and it is citizens like them who help make our City a great place to live.

Business Licenses

Sunset Business License renewal applications will be sent out shortly and are due by December 31st. Sunset Ordinance 3-1-2 requires everyone who engages in business within the City, whether temporary or permanent, to obtain a business license. Please be aware that you are also required to obtain a business license if you sell 2 or more vehicles, boats, motorcycles, trailers, mobile homes, camper shells or a combination thereof within any 12 month period. If you have any questions, please contact Susan Hale, 801-614-9103. To see the ordinance in its entirety, please come into the office or visit the City website at www.sunset-ut.com.

From the Police Department

Now that winter is here, the Police Department will be enforcing the following City Ordinances. Failure to comply with these ordinances could result in a misdemeanor citation being issued. If everyone will abide by these rules it will help make our streets and sidewalks safer for everybody.

6-1-3: All Night Parking Regulations: (enforced all year)

No person shall park a vehicle on any street for a period of time longer than one hour between the hours of 2:00 a.m. and 7:00 a.m. of any day, except physicians during emergency calls; and further provided, that any resident of the City may request permission for all night parking when the same is required by emergency or other unusual circumstances. The police department, for good cause shown, may grant such permission. The police department shall be the sole judge as to the necessity and requirements for the granting of such permission.

7-2-2.C: Unlawful Deposit of Snow or Other Material on City Streets: It shall be unlawful for any person removing snow from a sidewalk or driveway leading from a business or residence to deposit said snow or other material in a street maintained and plowed for purposes of snow removal by the City.

7-2-6: Removal of Snow: It shall be the duty of the owner or occupant of private property fronting upon a public sidewalk to remove all weeds and noxious vegetation from such property and in front thereof to the curb line of the street and to **keep the sidewalks in front of such property free from litter, snow, ice** or obstructions.



Public Works Items

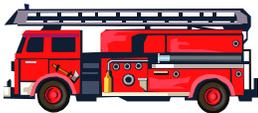
Snow Plowing: When we get snow, we will plow it the same as previous years. First, we clear the main roads. These include 800 N., 1300 N., 2000 N., 2300 N., 2400 N., 2575 N., 250 W. and 475 W. You can usually find a clear path out of town before work and school starts. The roads within the subdivisions are next, followed by cul-de-sacs, dead ends, parking lots and sidewalks around our parks and buildings. When doing subdivisions, we usually make 2-3 passes down each side of the road. You may want to take note of this before you start shoveling out your driveway approach.



Christmas Tree Pick Up: Trees will be picked up on January 6, 2009. Please have your tree out by the curb early Monday morning. Please have your tree cut into 4 foot lengths or it will not be picked up. If your tree is covered with snow or not by the curb, it may get missed. Crews will only go down each street once, so please have your tree out and ready the night before. Residents may take Christmas trees to the Green Waste Recycling Facility located at the Davis County Landfill, 1997 E. 3500 N., Layton, from 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Saturday. This service is provided free of charge. Artificial trees will not be accepted for free disposal, but may be deposited at the landfill for a \$5.00 fee. For more information, call 801-614-5600.

Just a reminder... trash pick up is on Wednesdays, so try to have your can out the night before. For those who have a second can, we ask that you keep the cans 6 feet apart. If Memorial Day, July 4th, Labor Day, Christmas or New Years Day falls on a Wednesday or sooner in the week, pickup will be a day late. We observe these holidays due to the landfill being closed.

A Message from the Fire Department



Carbon Monoxide Safety

Often called the silent killer, carbon monoxide is an invisible, odorless, colorless, gas created when fuel (such as gasoline, wood, coal, natural gas, propane, oil, and methane) burn incompletely. In the home, heating and cooking equipment that burn fuel can be sources of carbon monoxide.

CO alarms should be installed in a central location outside each sleeping area and on every level of the home and in other locations where required by applicable laws, codes or standards. For the best protection, interconnect all CO alarms throughout the home so when one sounds, they all sound.

- Follow the manufacturer's instructions for placement and mounting height.
- Choose a CO alarm that has the label of a recognized testing laboratory.
- Call 911 the CO alarm sounds.
- Test CO alarms at least once a month; replace them according to the manufacturer's instructions.
- If the audible trouble signal sounds, check for low batteries. If the battery is low, replace it. If it still sounds, call the fire department.
- If the CO alarm sounds, immediately move to a fresh air location outdoors or by an open window or door. Make sure everyone inside the home is accounted for. Call for help from a fresh air location and stay there until emergency personnel arrive.
- If you need to warm a vehicle, remove it from the garage immediately after starting it. Do not run a vehicle or other fueled engine or motor indoors, even if garage doors are open. Make sure the exhaust pipe of a running vehicle is not covered with snow.
- During and after a snowstorm, make sure vents for the dryer, furnace, stove, and fireplace are clear of snow build-up.
- A generator should be used in a well-ventilated location outdoors away from windows, doors and vent openings.
- Gas or charcoal grills can produce CO — only use outside.

Recreation Activities

Bingo is held on Mondays at Noon in the Sunset Room.

Senior Exercise is held on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 10:00 a.m. in the Sunset Room.

Community Art Show will be held Monday, February 1-5, 2010. Come see the great art coming out of Sunset. It includes painting, quilting and other crafts. If you're entering items, make sure you have your items at the City Office building no later than 5:00 pm on Friday January 29, 2010.

Sunset Sam will be on Groundhog Day, Tuesday February 2, 2010 at sunset. We'll have hot chocolate, fun and games.

Hunter Education Classes will be held on April 6, 8, 13, 15 and 20 in the Sunset Room. Classes will start on those days at 6:00 p.m.- 9:00 p.m. All classes must be attended.

Visit us on line at www.sunset-ut.com for the forms for the Art Show, activities that we'll be having for Santa Claus coming to town and the activities for Sunset Sam.

Please contact Vicky Gold at 614-9105 or recreation@sunset-ut.com for more information.

Davis County Ski & Snowboarding School at Powder Mountain

Davis County Ski and Snow Boarding School is celebrating our 48th year serving Davis County Cities! We've taught you, your kids, and now even your grandchildren what it's like to experience the thrill of racing down a mountain slope. Our goal has always been to provide the highest quality lessons from certified instructors in a safe and fun atmosphere... at a price that everyone can afford! To date we have taught over 30,000 skiers and snowboarders.



**Registrations will be held on Saturday, Dec. 12th and Jan. 30th
at Smith's Stores in Bountiful (Smiths Marketplace), Farmington, Layton, and Syracuse
from 10am to 6pm.**

The price of 5 lessons only is only \$75.

5 lessons with chartered bus transportation for \$190

Lift ticket prices are reduced for our students! All lessons will be taught on the Sundown lift. The price for students age 7-12 is \$18/day; age 13-adult is \$28/day. Keep your eyes open for flyers coming home with your students the first of December. For more information, email kim_fleming123@yahoo.com or call 801-451-5217.

Youth City Council Members and Assistant Advisor Needed

The Sunset City Youth Council is looking for more members who attend 9th through 12th grade. The Youth Council provides an opportunity for youth to acquire a greater knowledge of the political system through participation in the system. The Youth Council also plans and implements social, educational, cultural and recreational activities for the youth of Sunset. They are also looking for an assistant for their new advisor. You would be working with the talented youth that serve Sunset through being on the Youth Council.

Contact Council Member Ray Chapman, 801-390-0028, for more information.

Senior Companion Program

Senior Companions are healthy adults over the age of 55 years, who help other adults live independently by assisting with daily tasks and providing encouragement to remain active. To qualify your income must be under \$1,805 per month for a single household and under \$2,428 with two in the household. You must also have your own transportation. Senior Companions receive a stipend of \$2.65 per hour and mileage reimbursement.

Foster Grandparent Program



Foster Grandparents are role models, mentors and friends. They serve in area schools, Head Start Centers and youth facilities helping children learn to read, providing one on one tutoring and guiding children at a critical time in their lives.

To join the program you must be over the age of 55 years, willing to serve 15-40 hours a week and living on an income below \$1,805 a month for a single person and \$2,428 a month for a couple and pass a background screening. For their service, Foster Grandparents receive a stipend of \$2.65 an hour, mileage reimbursement and training.

For more information or to join the program call 801-625-3865 or 1-800-209-2503.

Holiday Gift Donations Sought for Senior Citizens

Davis County Health Department's Senior Services is holding a gift drive to help make the holidays a little brighter for senior citizens who may be isolated or not have the financial resources to celebrate this year.

The deadline to turn in gifts is Friday, December 18th, by 5:00 p.m. to the Davis County Health Department or at one of the County's three senior activity centers.

- **Autumn Glow Senior Activity Center**, 81 E. Center Street, Kaysville.
- **Golden Years Senior Activity Center**, 726 S. 100 E., Bountiful.
- **Heritage Senior Activity Center**, 140 E. Center Street, Clearfield.

For more details or to receive your gift request contact Jessica Hardcastle at 801-451-3335 or email her at jhardcastle@daviscountyutah.gov. Gift request will not exceed \$50.00.





Watch for Santa Claus riding around in a fire truck on the morning of Saturday, December 5th!

After that, he'll stop in the Sunset Room of the Sunset City Building for picture taking and fun between 1:00 p.m. and 3:00 p.m.

Pictures - \$1.00

Activities - making snowflakes and tree ornaments, coloring Christmas pictures, "hanging the ornament on the tree" (i.e. pin the tail on the donkey) and watching the movie "Polar Express".

2009 Sunset City Council

Mayor

Dan Gotchy

2491 N. 250 W., 801-725-6369

(Administration, Police,
Wasatch Integrated Systems Board)

Council Members

James Bridges

2547 N 300 W, 801-825-3740

(Donations, Emergency Preparedness, Fire)

Cheyrl Budge

2034 N 450 W, 801-773-8439

(Court, Beautification)

Ricky Carlson

388 W 930 N, 801-825-9374

(Mosquito Abatement, Property Management,
Public Works, Recreation, Senior Program,
Development Review Committee for MIDA)

Ray Chapman

836 N. 250 W., 801-390-0028

(Housing, Youth City Council,
Planning Commission Liaison)

Ryan Furniss

1831 N. 200 W., 801-773-3580

(Economic Development, North Davis
Sewer Board, MIDA Representative)

**Senior Christmas Luncheon
Dec. 7, 2009 at Noon
in the Sunset Room**

The entertainment will be music by "Men of Song" and the catering will be done by the Golden Corral.



**If you're 55 or older,
please RSVP by
calling 801-614-9105.**

**Sunset City: 801-825-1628 - Hours: 9 am to 5 pm
Police: 801-825-1620 - Hours: 8 am to 5 pm
Emergency: 911
Court: 801-825-3303 - Hours: Thurs. 1 pm to 5 pm
Council Meetings: 1st & 3rd Tuesday at 6:30 pm**