

Mayor: Bill Wright

City Council Members: Kirk Beecher, Linda Carter, Brett Christensen, Taresa Hiatt, Bob Provstgaard

# Welcome to Payson!

The following information covers questions new residents frequently ask. If you find that you still have unanswered questions or concerns, please contact the city offices at 801-465-5200 ext. 0

#### **Council Meeting**

City Council meetings are held on the first and third Wednesdays of each month, beginning at 6:00 p.m. The Planning Commission meetings are held on the second and fourth Wednesdays of each month at 7:00 p.m. The City Council and Planning Commission meetings are held in the City Council Chambers at the Payson City offices. The agendas are posted at the City Center, on the City website www.paysonutah.org, and the Utah Public Notice website www.utah.gov/pmn.

#### **Utility Payments**

Utility bills are mailed between the 10th and 16th of each month. Payments are due by the last business day of the month. A 5% penalty is assessed on any unpaid balance. If you do not require a receipt, you may use the drive-thru payment drop box located on the north side of the City Center for check or money order payments only. Payments can also be made online at www.xpressbillpay.com. Payments received after 5:00 p.m. will be posted to accounts the next business day.

#### **Deposit Refund**

If you are a **homeowner**, you are eligible for a refund of your deposit once you have made six consecutive on-time payments of the full amount on your account and provided proof that you are purchasing your home. If you are a mobile home owner, you are eligible for a refund of your deposit once you have made twelve consecutive on-time payments of the full amount on your account and provided proof that you are purchasing your mobile home. Once you have met these requirements, a check for the refund will be mailed to you or, if you choose, the deposit can be applied to your utility account directly. If you are a renter, you are not eligible for deposit refund. Your deposit will be applied to the final bill when you terminate your account.

#### **Direct Pay**

Payson City offers "Direct Pay" for payment of your utility account. A utility bill will be sent to you each month showing your charges, but the payment will be drawn directly from your bank account on the last business day of the month. Forms for authorization are available at the city office and on line at www.paysonutah.org.

#### **Equal Pay**

With Payson City's Equal Payment Program, your annual utility cost will be divided into equal payments so you will pay the same amount every month. Your payment will be adjusted twice a year to ensure you are not paying too much or too little. To sign up for equal pay, you must have at least one year of payment history at your current residence and your account must be current with no past due balance. Open enrollment is only available in March and September.

#### **City Offices**

439 West Utah Avenue (801) 465-5200

#### Hours

M-Th 7:30 am-6:00 pm Closed Friday

### **After Hours Emergencies:**

(801) 465-5270

#### Library

66 South Main (801) 465-5220

#### **Chamber of Commerce**

805 S 500 W Ste 7 (801) 465-2634

#### **Recreation Office**

North East Corner of Payson High School 1050 South Main (801) 465-6031

#### Hours

Mon-Thu 9am-6pm

#### **Peteetneet**

10 South Peteetneet Blvd (600 East) M-F 10 am-4 pm (801) 465-9427

#### **Senior Citizens**

439 West Utah Avenue (801) 465-5215

#### **Justice Court**

439 West Utah Avenue (801) 465-5210

#### Landfill

(801) 465-5295 Hours

Mon-Sat 8 am-5 pm Closed Sundays

**Eagle Scout Projects** (801) 465-5200

### Newsletter

(801) 465-5209

### **Volunteer Opportunities**

(801) 465-5200 **Nebo School District** 

## (801) 354-7400

**Mountain View Hospital** (801) 465-7000

### **Dominion Energy**

(800) 323-5517

http://www.paysonutah.org http://www.xpressbillpay.com

#### **Dog Licenses**

Dog licenses are available in one, two or three year time periods and expire on the anniversary date of the license. *Proof of a valid rabies vaccination is required at the time of registration.* 

	Male/Female	Spayed/Neutered
One year	\$35.00	\$15.00
Two year	\$65.00	\$25.00
Three year	\$95.00	\$35.00

#### No Parking on Streets During Winter

Between December 1 and March 1, nothing may be parked on the street that would impede efficient, safe snow removal from our streets including but not limited to: automobiles, trucks, trailers, boats, motorcycles, buses, and snowmobiles.

#### **Pressurized Irrigation Water**

Pressurized irrigation (P.I.) is an untreated secondary water system used for watering lawns and other landscaping materials. The water is **not safe to drink** and **children should not be allowed to swim or play** in the P.I. water. Landscaped areas should be watered a maximum of 20 minutes at a time and not during the heat of the day from 10 am - 6 pm. Due to drought conditions, Payson City has implemented the following restrictions: odd numbered addresses water on Monday, Wednesday, Friday; even numbered addresses water on Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday; absolutely no watering on Sunday to allow the system to recharge.

#### **Solid Waste Collection**

Garbage cans provided by Payson City need to be on the street the night before your scheduled pickup with the handle facing away from the street. If cans are not facing the street properly, are overly full, or have cars or other obstructions nearby, they will not be emptied. Garbage cans are for household waste only. Appliances, televisions, furniture, carpet, construction debris or other similar objects can be disposed of at the Payson City landfill located at the western end of Utah Avenue, at the base of West Mountain. Residents can take their green waste to the landfill at no charge. Payson City will have a week-long Spring & Fall cleanup when residents can take their debris to the landfill free of charge. All loads must be covered or secured, covering the load is best. Attendants on duty will have the final say on whether or not loads are secure. Unsecured loads will be assessed a \$58 fine.

#### **Curbside Recycling**

Payson City participates in curbside recycling. The service is billed monthly and the recycling can is emptied biweekly by Republic Services, a third-party vendor. Residents can opt into the recycling program at anytime; however, you can only opt out of the program once a year during the month of October. The current pick-up schedule for recycling is available on our website at www.paysonutah.org.

#### **Payson City Library**

The Payson City Library is located at 66 South Main. The Library hours are Mon – Thurs 10:00 am to 8:00 pm and Fri-Sat 10:00 am to 5:00 pm. The library will be closed on all major holidays. Payson City residents may obtain a library card at no cost with proof of a current Payson address. Available at the library are: study areas, a copy machine, and a computer room with Internet connection, Microsoft Word, Excel, and many other reference programs. Books can also be borrowed from other libraries through the inter-library loan program; the cost is \$3.25 per book to cover postage. The library holds monthly Friends and Family nights and Teen nights and the following story-time sessions are available between September 1 and May 1:

Baby Laptime ages 0-12 months: Thurs at 10:30 am
Toddler ages 1-3: Tues 10:30 am and Wed 11:30 am
After School Fun ages K-6: Tues at 4:00 pm

Follow the Library on Facebook @ paysonlibrary and on Instagram @ paysoncitylibrary

#### **Building Permits**

Payson City requires a building permit prior to any construction project including a fence, deck, shed, garage, carport, patio cover, re-roof, addition, basement finish, and water heater and furnace replacements. Some of the permits are free of charge, while others have a minimum fee. Please contact the Development Services Department at 801-465-5204 prior to beginning *any* project to see if a permit is required.