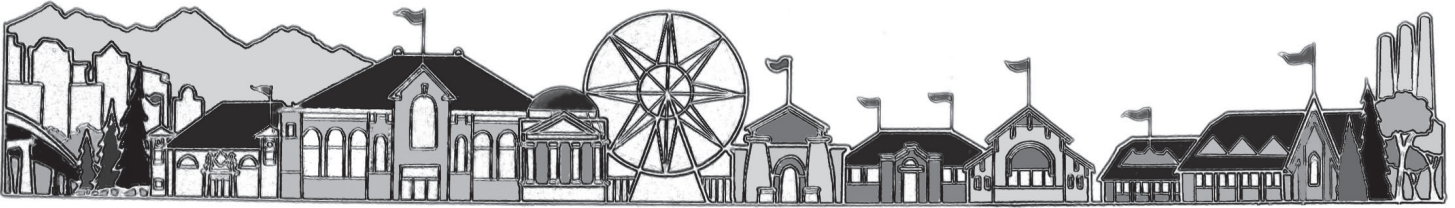


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Tuesday, September 13th Salt Lake City Primary Election

Municipal elections are nonpartisan, held in odd-numbered years to elect city mayors and council members. This year, Fairpark Community voters who live in City Council District 2 can contribute to the future of our community and Salt Lake City by voting in the Primary Election on Tuesday, September 13th.

The Fairpark Community falls within the boundaries of three City Council Districts (Districts 1, 2, and 3); only District 2 is in this year's election. Because there are three candidates for this City Council position—incumbent Van Turner and challengers Michael Clara and Kyle LaMalfa—the Primary Election will decide which two candidates will go on to the general election on November 8th.

The parts of the Fairpark Community in District 2 include the area on the east

side of 900 West to I-15 between North Temple and the south side of 600 North. The residents in the VIP Residential Community on the west side of the Jordan River are also in District 2.

Jackson Elementary (750 West 200 North) is the polling site for voters living between 900 West and I-15. For voters in the VIP Residential Community, the polling site is Backman Elementary (1500 West 601 North). Voting goes from 7 AM to 8 PM.

People can vote early. From until September 9th, voters can cast ballots at the County Clerk's Office, 2001 South State, Suite S1002 from 8 AM to 5 PM. Early voting can also be done at the Salt Lake City Main Library, 210 E 400 S, from August 30th to September 2nd and September 6th to September 9th.

August Community Council Meeting

BBQ POTLUCK DINNER

Come with a side-dish to share and enjoy a BBQ Pulled Pork dinner before the meeting.

(Meat and beverages supplied.)

The Fairpark Community Council is your forum for learning about and addressing issues that affect your life. Please join us the 4th Thursday of every month, except July and November, 6:30 PM, at the Northwest Multipurpose Center. We welcome you to attend and participate.

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Our community's biggest annual event, Utah State Fair, is almost here. From Monday, September 8th through Sunday, September 18th, crowds will throng through the Utah State Fairpark looking at the animals (some of us have a fondness for the hogs), comparing the award-winning fruits and vegetables with the harvest of their own yards, admiring the arts and crafts, and goggling the special displays.

Folks will also be able to enjoy free entertainment throughout each day. And, of course, there will be carnival rides and food and beverages for meals and snacks.

At 7 PM, for the first four days of the Fair (Sept. 8th-11th), everyone, with their Fair admission, can attend the PRCA-sanctioned rodeo with cowboys and cow gals competing for cash prizes.

This year's Fair will again include, on Saturday (September 17th, 10 AM to 10 PM), the Fiesta Mexicana. The Fiesta will offer the sale of Mexican meals, performances of the Folkloric Ballet and musical groups from Mexico, and, at 7 PM, a Grito De Independencia. Admission to the Fiesta Mexicana is included in that day's admission to the Fair.

Fairgoers will also be able to attend seven

free (with Fair gate admission) evening concerts (requires picking up seating tickets on the day of each concert); daily comedy acts and entertaining demonstrations with sea lions, geese, and animals from Australia.

This year's Fair will also offer three evening Grandstand concerts (requires the purchase of reserved seat tickets for each concert that includes admission to the Fair): the David Crowder Band (Saturday,

9/10); Weird Al Yankovic (Monday, 9/12); and Xtreme Music the Tour starring Big & Rich and Gretchen Wilson with special guest Cowboy Troy (Tuesday, 9/13).

The Fair will also note the 10th anniversary of 9/11 with military band concerts and other observances.

Daily admission to the Fair is \$10 for adults (age 13-61); \$7 for seniors (age 62 and older); \$7 for youth (ages 6-13); young children (ages 5 and under) are free. On the first day of the Fair (Thursday, September 8th), admission for everyone is only \$5 (of course, kids 5 and under are still free).

Information of this year's Fair, such as ticket prices for the Grandstand Concerts, descriptions of the free concerts and other entertainment, and additional Fair admission options, is available online at www.UtahStateFair.com



People's Market

Every Sunday you will find... Farm fresh produce, bakery items, local honey and the Millcreek Olive Oil company who makes wonderfully flavored vinegarettes and olive oils. Sometimes we even have fresh eggs and meats.

We will match up to \$10 for People using their Food Stamp/EBT cards to purchase eligible items at the market. So if they take \$10 from their EBT card, we will give them an additional \$10 in tokens to use on food items.

September 18th, we are having our first Health and Safety Day where we will have amongst our other groups, the SLCPD with free kid ID kits (and I will be doing free photo to go with the kits at my booth), as well as a FULL immunization clinic & flu shots from the Community Nursing group. They do accept many different insurance groups as well as cash/credit cards.



Agenda for Upcoming Community Meeting

Thursday, August 25th

Northwest Multipurpose Center, Party Room,
300 North 1200 West, 6:30 PM

- 6:30 PM** Welcome to the Potluck, Approval of Minutes, and Announcements –Gordon Storrs
- 6:45 PM** Bylaws and Articles of Incorporation Revisions –Steve Johnson
- 6:50 PM** Fairpark Community Council Presentation as presented at the Mayor's Breakfast –Jordon Jones and Gina Zivkovic
- 7:00 PM** Meet the Candidates. Salt Lake City Council District 2 Questions from the Council –Gordon Storrs
- 7:30 PM** Input from Community Council Members
- 7:40 PM** Salt Lake City Mayor's Office Update –Michael Stott
- 7:50 PM** Salt Lake City Police Department Report –Det. Gil Arenaz
- 8:00 PM** Adjourn

FAIRPARK COMMUNITY COUNCIL:

Meeting Minutes for June 23rd

Executive committee in attendance: Gordon Storrs, Marialice Jones, Steve Johnson, Brad Hart and Michael Barnes.

- 1 Marialice welcomed everyone.
- 2 Gordon S. moved to approve the minutes from May's meeting. Bryce G. seconded, the motion carried.
- 3 Follow up: Parole Violator's Facility- the North Temple site was not chosen. The facility will be located at approximately 1700 S and 900 W. Discussion followed.
- 4 Gordon Storrs summarized the work done at the Community Council Board retreat that was held in May. He presented a list of goals that were identified by the board. Discussion followed, including the following suggestions: Prioritize the goals, and work collaboratively with other community groups to achieve the goals, including local churches, the Fairgrounds staff, and the Department of Agriculture.
- 5 Community Input and suggestions: Ann P. would like to see us work with the Fairgrounds more, help the space become more utilized, as a park or community gathering place. She suggested volunteering to help the staff keep the place up, perhaps by adopting a spot and helping with litter and graffiti removal. A member of the Fairgrounds staff was present at the meeting and he said they need help with landscaping and weeding. He said they would like to see the public use the space for picnics, dog walking, etc. The gates are open from 6:00 am to 11:00 pm six days a week, and it is a public space. The staff plans to put some picnic tables around, they are looking at a plan to allow restaurants use the food court space when North Temple TRAX opens, and they are working on cleaning up and opening the Jordan River section of the Fairgrounds. On another topic, Mary W. suggested printing part of the Gazette in Spanish, even a simple invitation to come out to our meetings.
- 6 City Council update: Carlton Christensen and Van Turner provided a joint update on the city budget that was approved in June. The budget is a little more robust than the past few years, allowing funds to give city employees pay raises, and to pay for cameras and signs along the Jordan

Landlord/Tenant Initiative

Salt Lake City is proud to introduce the Landlord/Tenant Initiative, sometimes referred to as the Good Landlord Program. The goal of the program is to address aspects of property management that help eliminate code violations and public nuisances while controlling and preventing illegal activity on rental properties that impact the quality of life within our neighborhoods.

Under the new program, all residential rental properties, including single and double family homes, boarding houses and fraternities/sororities, require a business license. Participation in the Landlord/Tenant Program, however, is voluntary.

Go to www.slcgov.com/landlord/ for a copy of the complete ordinance, which takes effect September 1, 2011.

River Parkway to help curb crime. There was no general tax increase. However there is a proposal to raise property taxes to help fund the new Marmalade and Glendale libraries, which would amount to a \$5.00 a year increase on a \$260,000 house. The city will also be implementing a Good Landlord Program, and requiring licenses for one and two unit rental properties. 75% of the fee will be waived if the property owner signs up for the program.

- 7 Mayor's Office update: Michael Stott- A reminder about Open City Hall, available on the city's website; slcgov.com, with more topics recently added. Michael is working with a subcommittee to write a guide for public engagement, to be used by city departments. Their goal is to help the various city departments engage the public well, and he asked for suggestions and feedback. A discussion followed.
- 8 SLC Police Department report: Detective Gil Arenaz- The police department did a service project to clean up transient camps along the Jordan River and above Victory Rd. They kicked out three people that were living under the bridge over the Jordan at 500 N. Crime is down city wide, and in this area.
- 9 Board Member reports: Gina Zivkovic made a suggestion to leave extra copies of the Gazette at various locations in the neighborhood, like coffee shops, community centers, stores and restaurants.
- 10 Time was up, so Marialice called for a motion to adjourn; Mary W. made the motion, Gina Z. seconded, and the motion carried. All of this happened in less time than it took to type it.

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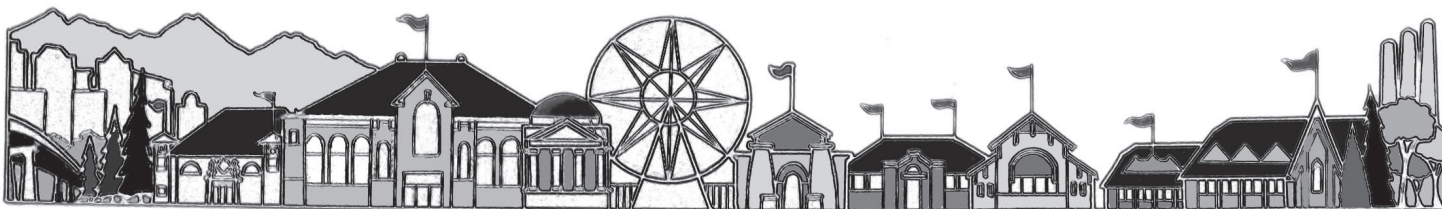
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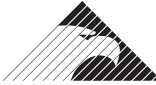
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