

Huntsville Happenings

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Town Council Meetings 1st and 3rd Thursdays each month at 6:00 PM
Planning Commission Meetings 4th Thursday each month at 6:30 PM
The Public is always welcome!

Huntsville Waterworks Annual Meeting

The Huntsville Waterworks Corporation will hold its annual meeting of Shareholders (including those entitled to become Shareholders prior to the annual meeting) on Tuesday, **April 8, 2025**, at the Huntsville Town Hall, 7474 E. 200 S, Huntsville, Utah at 7:00 p.m. The order of business at the annual meeting of the Shareholders will be as follows:

- (a) Reading of Notice and Proof of Mailing.
- (b) Minutes of the last annual meeting will be available for Shareholders to read.
- (c) Report of the Treasurer.
- (d) Report of the President or other elected officer.
- (e) Elections
- (f) Such other business as may be introduced by any Shareholder.

There are three positions on the Board of Trustees open for election:

- One position is for a two-year term.
- Two positions are for a three-year term.

Huntsville's Culinary Water System Update

In last month's post we mentioned that the Town will have to make decisions on how to deal with our aging culinary water infrastructure. The next step in this process will be determining the steps to take and then budgeting appropriately for the Water Fund portion of the Town budget for Fiscal 2026 to fund them. At the May Town Council meeting the Council will review the water system cost data from the past couple of years and the estimated costs for various remediation steps, to aid in the evaluation of water rates for the new fiscal year which starts July 1st. Due to numerous leaks in the first half of our fiscal year (July through December 2024) we have already spent 81% of our maintenance budget. And this did not include the costs from the Great Leak

of December 2024, which were covered out of our Water Emergency Reserve Fund. We have had several more leaks in the second half of our fiscal year and are currently still losing water from yet to be discovered leaks. Finding leaks is not easy with buried plastic piping, especially in the rocky soil sections between the treatment plant and the Town. Leaking water flows directly down into the rocky soil, leaving no surface indication of the leak. This Spring we will be utilizing sounding, electronic, and drone detection technologies with volunteers walking the transmission paths searching for any visual clues that might indicate a leak. As the data is collected, it will be shared on the forthcoming Culinary Water System information page on the Town website. If anyone notices pools of water or soggy ground areas where surface water doesn't seem to be the cause, please report it to the Town clerks. We encourage everyone to keep their eyes open for leaks, to review the data we're compiling, make comments, and become engaged.

Town Clean-Up Day

Saturday, May 3, is our annual Huntsville Town Clean-Up Day from 8 AM to noon. Please come to the southwest bowery at the Huntsville Park at 8 AM with your work gloves and rakes. We will form teams and be assigned to the scheduled clean-up jobs. Thanks for your help with this project.

Mayor's Message

As we turn the page of our calendar over to April, Mother Nature seems to think it is finally December. We hope this message finds you and your family doing well. It seems as though water will be plentiful this summer thanks to the late season storms and, hopefully, the risk of summer wild land fires will be minimal.

FREE Pickleball Clinic

Mark your calendars and join us:

Saturday, April 19, 2025, 10:00 am

Huntsville Hall (New Community Center)

Free pickleball clinic for both beginners and experienced players.

Thanks to our Resident Professional Instructors, Jenny and Rex Harris, who will guide us in the rules of the game.

Dog Licensing and Vaccinations

Huntsville's ordinances require that all dogs be licensed, and it is time to renew your pet's license. You may do it online at:

<http://www.co.weber.ut.us/animalshelter/licensing.php>

NEW LICENSE APPLICATIONS MUST BE BROUGHT IN PERSON OR SENT BY MAIL ONLY RENEWALS CAN BE DONE ONLINE:

- **Online:**
<http://www.co.weber.ut.us/animalshelter/licensing.php> - fill out the application and use your Visa, Discover, or Mastercard to pay. Credit Card fees may apply.
- **In person:** Visit the Shelter at 1373 N. 750 W. with proof of rabies vaccination and spay/neuter surgery. Licenses must be paid in cash, debit, Visa, Discover, or MasterCard.
- **By mail:** Payment must be made by check. Print and fill out the application from the website: https://www.webercountyutah.gov/Animal_Shelter/ and mail to: Weber County Animal Services, 1373 N. 750 W., Ogden, UT 84404

That's all for now. Have a great spring.

Richard L. Sorensen
Mayor