



Pleasant View News

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Mayor's Corner



I wish to express a heartfelt thank-you to each of you for all that was accomplished this past month during and after the big wind storm. Never have I seen a larger storm with as much damage. It was with mixed emotions as I toured the City to survey the damage. I witnessed destruction that was almost beyond my ability to comprehend. I also witnessed the greatest community in full swing and it was truly an amazing sight. Literally, and I hate the term literally and yet it sure applies here, there were 1000's of people with hundreds of saws, trucks, and trailers going to town on the downed trees. What a sight! It truly lifted my spirits and It was at that moment that I knew that not only would we survive the giant wind storm, but we would also survive the giant storm we have come to know as 2020. As I returned home to work on my own damaged trees, I found my neighbor there with a saw and trailer already at work cutting up the carnage. You are amazing citizens of an amazing community. People that not only know but understand and live to love thy neighbor.

As most everyone knows, we as a City opened up the property at approximately 3000 N 1050 W as a temporary green waste dump site to handle the green waste generated from the storm. We have a pile that is about 4 acres by 20 feet tall packed tight by heavy equipment. It is a tremendous amount of waste and we are working on a solution to dispose of it appropriately. Our intent is to chip/shred all that we can and make it available back to the community. Any larger logs we hope to make available for use as firewood. The City did declare a state of emergency to be able to help get some assistance from the State. We are hopeful that some of the necessary equipment will be available to accomplish our plan. We must all realize that we are not the only community that was affected by the storm. We will need to be patient in waiting for our turn to use the equipment. The temporary green waste was meant to be just that "temporary". We have closed this site and it will no longer be available for dropping off your green waste. That said, it did drive home the need for a green waste facility somewhere in the city and we are looking at possible sites that could and would work well into the future. Sounds easy, but it is proving to be very challenging.

Lastly, the City Council in a spilt vote decided to not enter into a contract with *Connections Magazine*. They opted instead to boost up production of our own City Newsletter. So hopefully, this message found its way to the new format.

As always, thanks for caring, thanks for all you do, and thanks for being good neighbors. I am committed to doing whatever it takes to ensure that we remain the best place to not only grow up, but the best place to grow old.

Mayor Leonard Call

Message from the Police Department

The Pleasant View Police Department would like to remind you to lock your vehicles and not leave valuables inside vehicles, even when locked.

Taking the time to be proactive now could save you time and money and possibly prevent you from becoming a victim of theft.

Don't be the next easy target for thieves. Take an extra few seconds and lock up every time.

Calendar of Events

- October 8: Planning Commission
- October 10: Pumpkin Palooza
- October 12: Columbus Day, Offices Closed
- October 13: City Council
- October 20: City Council & Planning Commission Joint Meeting
- October 22: Planning Commission
- October 27: City Council



Meet Our New K-9, Kai

As you may know, our K-9 officer, Bryn had to recently medically retire from police work.

We're pleased to introduce Kai, our new K-9 officer. K-9 dogs require extensive training so we're currently seeking monetary donations to help offset the unexpected hit to our budget.

Donations are accepted at City Hall, and by credit card (via telephone). We'll also have a location for donations at the Pumpkin Palooza event happening Saturday, October 10th @ Henry J. Barker Park from 4:00—8:00 pm.

Special thanks to those who have already donated, we greatly appreciate your help!

Mark Your Calendar for Pumpkin Palooza

Coming your way this month, Pleasant View Pumpkin Palooza! Saturday, October 10th from 4:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m. at our Henry J Barker Park (520 W Elberta Dr). Games and crafts start at 4:00 p.m. and go until 7:00 p.m., Food trucks will be from 4:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. Come in your costumes (or not) with the entire family for a fun filled night! Pleasant View Police Department will be accepting monetary donations (check or cash) towards our new police dog, a great cause!

Social Distancing and masks are required!



Follow the Flag North Ogden's 2020 Field of Honor ® will be displayed at the Pleasant View City Offices this year from Monday November 2nd through Veteran's Day November 11th.

Dedications are being accepted from now until October 23rd at <https://www.healingfield.org/event-list/>

This amazing display represents our local Veterans and Active Duty Service Members by individualized dedications on each of the 500 flags displayed. We need your support! When you sponsor a Veteran's flag for \$25 you will get a beautiful flag with your personalized dedication displayed for these 10 days and then pick it up on November 12th to keep. Next year, you can bring your flag back to be displayed again without purchasing another flag.

Storm Water Update

If you have a natural waterway on your property, it's your responsibility as a landowner to keep it cleaned out. There are a multitude of items that can cause issues such as aquatic weeds including watercress and common cattail, yard clippings, sediment and garbage. With winter weather heading our way we don't want debris to clog up the stream and cause issues not only with your property but those around you.

Winter Street Parking Regulations



Remember parking on the street is not allowed when snow is falling and for at least 24 hours after snow fall. The plows need to be able to do their job and clear the streets. Citations can be issued for failure to comply with this important safety regulation. Thank you for your cooperation.