



# Update

## News from West Valley City Hall

May 2008

### City Council Members:

- Dennis Nordfelt, Mayor
- Corey Rushton, At-Large
- Mike Winder, At-Large
- Carolynn Burt, District 1
- Joel Coleman, District 2
- Russ Brooks, District 3
- Steve Vincent, District 4

### Public Meetings

City Council – first four Tuesdays of the month at 6:30 p.m. in the Council Chambers.

Planning Commission – second and fourth Wednesday of the month at 4 p.m. in the Council Chambers.

### City Phone Numbers:

- Main Number..... 966-3600
- City Manager..... 963-3220
- Police Department..... 963-3386
- Police Dispatch..... 840-4000
- Fire Department..... 963-3336
- Emergency .....911
- Family Fitness Center... 955-4000
- Garbage Questions ..... 955-3720
- Storm Water Utility..... 963-3334
- Housing Authority ..... 963-3320
- Parks and Rec..... 955-4000
- Harman Home ..... 966-5540
- Stonebridge Golf Course... 957-9000
- West Ridge Golf Course... 965-5800
- Graffiti Hot Line ..... 963-3467
- Animal Services..... 965-5800
- Victims Services ..... 963-3223
- Ordinance Compliance ... 963-3289
- Utah Cultural Celebration Center ... 965-5140

### Web Site:

[www.wvc-ut.gov](http://www.wvc-ut.gov)

West Valley City Hall  
3600 S. Constitution Blvd.  
WVC, UT 84119

City Hall Hours:  
Monday – Thursday  
7 a.m. – 6 p.m.

### Springtime in the City

*A message from Councilmember Corey Rushton*

Springtime is upon us and with the changing of seasons the evidence of rebirth surrounds us. Warm mittens are exchanged for baseball gloves as a new optimism swells within every player and fan alike. Industrious we retire our snow shovels and blowers to their designated spots in the garage or shed, and replace them with our lawn mowers and weed whackers. Flowers bloom and the birds sing as the ground is tilled and seeds are planted in gardens with hopes of a rewarding and bountiful harvest in the future.

There are many instances citywide with that same spirit of optimism and industry. As of late, groundbreaking has occurred for Phase One of the Valley Fair Mall remodeling project. The renovation to the mall not only means additional restaurant and retail options, but will be an attractive destination within our City Center. Also, construction has begun on the 201 Commerce Center, which is the largest and most advanced commercial park in the Western United States. This Commerce Center will bring new business opportunities, good jobs and bolster our local economy.

There has never been a better time to be involved in the West Valley City community. I urge everyone, regardless of what their springtime preferences are, to take advantage of the many programs and activities that our city offers. Use the neighborhood cleanup and new recycling program to keep our community and environment healthy and clean. Get out and get some exercise at the Family Fitness Center or golf a round at Westridge or Stonebridge. Explore our parks and trails and participate in the West Valley City Walking Tour. Attend special festivals and events at our own Utah Cultural Celebration Center or listen to some of your favorite music artists as they perform at the E Center or the USANA Amphitheater. There are so many fine opportunities to be involved with that I cannot list them all.

Recently, I attended a West Valley City Arbor Day celebration where I joined with some of our youth to plant some new trees in Westview Park. I could sense the unity, pride and progress of all those that participated in this project and therefore I gained a renewed sense of optimism in the future of our City.

### Fire Academy Classes Available

The West Valley City Fire Department is offering a Fire Academy Class in September, and is accepting applicants now. For more information, contact Lee Monsen at 558-2492 or by email at [lee.monsen@wvc-ut.gov](mailto:lee.monsen@wvc-ut.gov).

### Sanitation Reminder

West Valley City and ACE Disposal strive to provide the residents of West Valley City with the best sanitation services possible. West Valley City has many resources for residents who want to help keep our neighborhoods and city clean. In addition to regular garbage pickup, the City offers many programs to help get rid of waste. Here are some helpful reminders:

- The overall cost of sanitation services in West Valley City is \$13.30. This includes regular pickup, recycling, bulky waste removal and the neighborhood dumpster program.
- For any problems regarding missed pickups or for other customer service needs, please contact ACE Disposal at (801) 363-9995.
- Remember to have containers and waste on the curb by 7:00 a.m. on your scheduled pickup day. If you do not know when your scheduled pickup day is, please visit [www.wvc-ut.gov/bulkywaste](http://www.wvc-ut.gov/bulkywaste).
- Residents are responsible for the care and maintenance of the containers. There is no charge to replace containers that have been damaged by normal use.
- To order a replacement container or to order additional containers, please contact the West Valley City Sanitation Division (801) 955-3720.
- Garbage collection will not take place on New Year's Day, Thanksgiving Day and Christmas Day. If your regular pickup day falls on or after a holiday, your pickup day will be one day later in the week.
- Containers should be placed within 2 feet of the street and the front of the container facing the street. Containers should be at least 4 feet apart and 8 feet from mailboxes, poles, fences, trees or parked vehicles for easy access.

### West Valley City Walking Tour

Dust off those walking shoes and get ready to explore the parks and trails throughout West



Valley City! Beginning April 19th, West Valley City Parks and Recreation will host a walking tour of the City, visiting a different trail area every month. Additional "fun walks" will also be hosted throughout the summer. To participate, just show up! Walk leaders will present trail information and a brief instructional presentation. Walking Tour 2008 T-shirts will also be available for \$10.

West Valley City Walking Tour Schedule (All walks are free of charge and begin at 8AM unless noted otherwise):

#### May 17

Utah and Salt Lake Canal Trail (Meet at canal near Kennedy Jr. High School Seminary building)

#### June 28

West Fest 5K (entry fee applies, visit [www.westfest.org](http://www.westfest.org) for more information)

#### July 19

Lake Park Trail System

#### August 16

Night Walk at West Ridge Golf Course (Meet in parking lot of club house at 5055 South West Ridge Blvd.)

#### September 20

Decker Lake Trail (Meeting place to be announced – call 955-4000 for more information)

#### October 11

Hunter Village & Sugar Plum Trails (Meeting place to be announced – call 955-4000 for more information)

#### November 22

Turkey Trot 5K Run/Walk at Centennial Park (entry fee applies, call 955-4000 for more information)

#### December 1

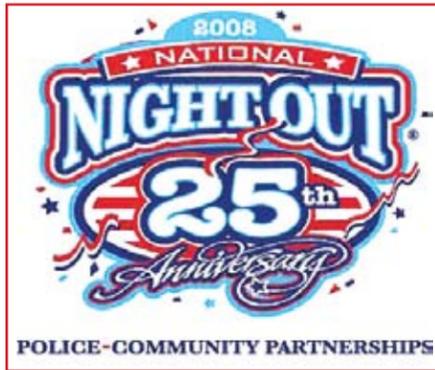
Walk With Santa at Centennial Park (Meet at Family Fitness Center entrance at 6PM)

## National Night Out 2008 Plan Your Neighborhood Block Party Now!

The 25th annual National Night Out will be taking place on August 5, 2008. Traditionally, participants in the National Night Out put on a display of outdoor lights and front porch vigils. In addition to the symbolic light display, other events and activities can be incorporated into neighborhood block parties such as:

- Cook outs, BBQ's & pot luck dinners
- Service projects
- Visits from WVC Police and Fire
- Talent shows, parades & music
- Contests & games

West Valley City residents have been participating in this event since its creation. Last year, the event included safety fairs, concerts, events, and dozens of block parties throughout the city.



We hope to make 2008 even bigger and better, truly making a statement against crime and drugs in our neighborhoods.

Anyone can participate... please plan to join us!

For more information, contact the Neighborhood Services Office at 963-3258.

## Harman Senior Recreation Center Activities

4090 South 3600 West  
965-5822

The Harman Senior Recreation Center is a recreation and activity center for active seniors, offering a variety of fun and exciting classes, outings, and adventures. The Harman Center also offers a variety of informational seminars specifically for seniors.

### May

- 14 (Take Yourself) Bowling, 12:30 PM
- 16 Klowns at Draper, 11 AM
- 16 Living With Chronic Pain (1 of 6), 1 PM
- 19 Movie Monday
- 20 Earwax Clinic, 9 AM
- 21 Wildflower Entertainment, 11 AM
- 22 Honoring Memorial Day, 11 AM
- 23 McCurdy Doll Museum, 11 AM
- 23 Living With Chronic Pain (2 of 6), 1PM
- 26 Closed for Memorial Day Holiday
- 27 Podiatrist, 10AM
- 27 Shingles Presentation, 11AM
- 28 Choir at Magna, 11AM
- 29 Wii Bowling, 10AM
- 30 Spaghetti Momma's, 10:15AM
- 30 Living With Chronic Pain (3 of 6), 1PM

For a complete calendar, visit [www.wvc-ut.gov/harman](http://www.wvc-ut.gov/harman).

### Weekly Activities

- Line Dancing – Mondays, 9:30 AM
- Hats, Etc. – Mondays, 9:30 AM
- Ceramics – Thursdays, 10:00 AM
- Railroad Club – Tuesdays & Thursdays, 10 AM
- Swimming – Thursdays, 12:45 PM.
- Tai Chi – Thursdays, 9:30 AM, \$1 per class
- Chair Exercise – Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays, 10:30 AM
- Bingo – Tuesdays and Thursdays, 12:45 p.m., Fridays, 10:30 AM
- Choir – Tuesdays and Wednesdays, 10:00 AM
- Scrapbooking – Mondays, 1:00 PM
- Bowling – Wednesdays, 12:30 p.m.
- Billiards and Cards – Daily
- Oil Painting – Mondays, call for time

## Clean & Beautiful Committee

The West Valley City Clean and Beautiful Committee is seeking additional members. Help make our City better than it already is by volunteering for the committee. Contact Jan White at (801) 963-3448 for more information or to find out when the next committee meeting will be held.



## Calendar

### May

- 1 China's Cultural Revolution Exhibit (through June 16) Cultural Celebration Center
- 16 Fiesta! Cultural Celebration Center, 6 PM
- 17 Family Fitness Festival Family Fitness Center
- 17 Dave Ramsey: Total Money Makeover Live! The E Center, 1-6 PM
- 19 Shot Clinic Animal Shelter, 3-6 PM
- 23 The Cure The E Center, 7:30 PM
- 26 Memorial Day Holiday City Hall Closed
- 31 Salt Lake Capoeira Batizado Cultural Celebration Center, 3 PM

### June

- 1 China's Cultural Revolution Exhibit (through June 16) Cultural Celebration Center
- 9 Kanye West The E Center
- 11 Stone Temple Pilots The E Center
- 14 WWE Raw Presents SummerSlam Tour The E Center
- 26 Face of Utah Sculpture Exhibit (through June 16) Cultural Celebration Center
- 26 WestFest (through June 29) Centennial Park

**THE BIG FIX ON TOUR**  
MOBILE SPAY/NEUTER CLINIC

**DISCOUNT Spay/Neuter Clinic coming to you.**

**Date: June 30, 2008 (Monday)**  
**Place: Magna - West Valley City Animal Services**  
**Address: 4063 S. 7200 W.**

**First come - first served!**  
**Arrive early! Space is limited!**  
**Intake is from 8:00 am until full.**

*Walk-up microchipping & vaccinations available to anyone while veterinarian is on the premises! A \$5 processing fee applies to clients getting vaccinations only.*

- Discharge time will be determined during intake. Late pickup will result in a small boarding fee.
- Do not feed your pet after 9 pm the night before surgery if pet is older than 4 months old. Water okay.
- Do not feed your pet after 6 am the morning of surgery if pet is younger than 4 months old. Water okay.
- All cats must be in a carrier that is labeled with identification. All dogs must be on leashes.
- Vaccinations: Dog or Cat: Rabies \$10; Cat Leukemia: \$10; Cat Distemper Combo: \$10; Dog Distemper Combo: \$10.
- Dog microchip \$20. Cat microchip \$15. Comes with national registry.
- We are unable to perform surgery on sick animals. We have limited abilities to treat certain conditions such as umbilical hernias and cryptorchids (retained testicles). Treatment for these conditions is offered on a restricted basis and requires additional fees. Cat cryptorchids \$60, dog cryptorchids \$90.
- All dog & cat surgery prices include pain medication.
- All dog neuter prices include an elizabethan collar to go home.
- For spay / neuter surgery, animals must be between 8 weeks and 6 years of age. Cash and Checks accepted.

**NO MORE HOMELESS PETS IN UTAH** Want to help animals in your area? Become a Community Coordinator! Need a trap to fix a feral (wild) cat? For more information on the Big Fix or the Feral Fix Call toll-free 1-866-PETS FIX or [www.utahpets.org](http://www.utahpets.org)

**Discount Prices!**

*"While pediatric spay/neuter on animals between 8 & 16 wks of age is widely accepted as safe, your pet is best protected from communicable disease transmission when it is at least 18 wks old & has received its full vaccine series from a veterinarian a week or more prior to surgery."*

Female dog. . . . .	\$55	Male dog . . . . .	\$45
Female cat. . . . .	\$35	Male cat . . . . .	\$25
Pregnancies & Dogs over 60lbs . . . . .			\$10 extra
Cat family plan . . . . .	\$100 (Mom & kittens, all kittens must be from one litter and less than 5 mos. old)		

Brought to you by No More Homeless Pets in Utah with the Support of Best Friends Animal Society.

## 3600 West Reconstruction Project

3600 West will be reconstructed this year from 3500 South to 4100 South. Although 3600 West is a West Valley City road, the project is being funded by Federal funds and therefore must be overseen by Utah Department of Transportation. Construction is slated to begin in June and will be completed near the beginning of October.

With the road being completely re-

constructed, 3600 West will be closed except to residents who live on the street, those attending school or those conducting business in the area. Alternative routes from using 3600 West are 2700 West and 3200 West or Bangert-er Highway.

More information will be available once the bidding process is complete and construction has begun.

## Vote By Mail Permanently

Call

**GOT-VOTE**

**468-8683**

or go to

**[www.clerk.slco.org](http://www.clerk.slco.org)**



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