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FARMINGTON CITY RESPONDS TO UDOT'S WDC STUDY

Recently UDOT announced the "Glovers Lane" option as its preferred alignment for the West Davis Corridor (WDC) as part of a Draft Environmental Impact Statement (DEIS). This alignment begins at I-15/Legacy Highway south of Glovers Lane and traverses around the west side of the community before bearing to points north. Farmington City has major problems with the DEIS.

Demographic data and transportation models show that it is unclear whether the WDC is needed for the region at all in 2040 and it is clearly not needed at that time in Farmington City. Subsequently, there are questions as to whether or not Farmington City and Kaysville should be part of the DEIS study area. For these reasons it is critical to fully explore an alternative interchange located on I-15 north of Farmington City.

Alternative corridor alignments must avoid "4(f)" properties. Section 4(f) applies to significant publicly owned parks, recreation areas, and wildlife and waterfowl refuges.

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DENVER & RIO GRANDE WESTERN TRAIL COMPLETE

The D&RGW rail trail has become a popular route for walkers and cyclists, and even their four-legged friends on leashes. The 22-mile paved trail runs from Roy to West Bountiful. UTA owns the property rights to the rail corridor and slated completion of the final three miles of the trail was to occur in 2018. The segment running from southwest of the Legacy Center in Farmington to about Parrish Lane in Centerville was the only unpaved section remaining.



City manager, Dave Millheim, gained permission from UDOT for Farmington to act as project lead in completing the final trail section. Farmington City worked with Davis County and Centerville City to obtain the necessary contractual agreements and collect matching funds, accelerating the completion timeline and reducing costs in the process. "This project is a prime example of a positive outcome due to government agencies cooperating for the right reasons," said Mr. Millheim.

Please join Farmington and Centerville City and Davis County officials in a ribbon-cutting ceremony to celebrate the D&RGW trail completion on October 12 at 10:00 am on the southwest side of the Legacy Center.

FIRE & RESCUE OPEN HOUSE

The annual Fire & Rescue Open House is

Wednesday, October 9th from 6:00 - 8:00 pm

at the Farmington Fire Station (82 North 100 East).

You and your family are invited to come and

enjoy treats, take a ride in a fire truck, and see an air medical helicopter.

Donations of canned food items for the Food Bank are welcomed.



MEET THE CANDIDATES ● NIGHT

Come and meet the candidates running for Farmington mayor and city council positions at a "Meet the Candidates Night" hosted by the American Legion.

OCT 4TH
7:00 PM @ CITY HALL
160 SOUTH MAIN STREET

The first half hour will be a formal setting with moderators asking questions of the candidates. An informal session from 7:30 until 8:30 pm will allow the public to meet and talk with the candidates individually.

● EARLY VOTING

On November 5th, polls will be open from 7:00 am until 8:00 pm, or you may VOTE EARLY at the City Hall beginning Tuesday, October 22nd through Friday, November 1st in the mornings from 8:00 am to 12:00 pm. November 1st early voting will be from 1:00 to 5:00 pm.

Polling locations are listed on Farmington's website at www.farmington.utah.gov. Please remember to bring your ID to the polls. Proper identification will be required in order to vote.

PRIMARY ELECTION ● RESULTS

The Primary Election was held on August 13th with an overall voter turnout of 12.11%. The results were as follows:

DOUG ANDERSON 559
KRISTEN HARBERTSON 464
DAVID STRINGFELLOW 334

THE NEW COMMUNITY CENTER WELL UPDATE

As reported in the August issue of Farmington News, the Farmington City Water Department has experienced color, odor and taste issues from water pumped from the new Community Center Well. The water is not harmful and meets all drinking water standards.

Water from this well has not entered the public drinking water system since August 30. Seasonal demands for water are diminishing and the water from this well currently will only be pumped into the public drinking water system if a problem occurs with another city well. Upon successfully minimizing these issues the Community Center Well will once again be used on a regular basis in the public drinking water system.

Farmington City has hired Advanced Environmental Engineering to analyze the well issues and make recommendations for solutions. The analysis phase has been completed. Advanced Environmental Engineering is now designing pilot programs to test several processes. Upon completion of these pilot programs Advanced Environmental Engineering will present their findings to the city.

Other engineering firms have also approached the city with ideas to solve well water issues. The city has and will continue to explore options, which include bench testing or pilot programs with definitive results.

The well will pump water for all of the pilot programs; however, the water will not be placed into the public drinking water system as this takes place. The city expects to have a clear direction to proceed in solving the water problems of color, taste and odor in the next sixty to ninety days. Thanks for your continued patience during this process.

Autumn is here, and one of the signs is the beautiful hues that appear in the trees as the weather gets cooler.



Those vibrant leaves eventually fall to the ground, however, and collecting them can be a challenge. Farmington City takes responsibility for picking up collected leaves from street trees along State and Main streets as follows:

- MAIN ST FROM 100 S TO 500 N
- STATE ST FROM 400 W TO 300 E
- 200 W FROM STATE ST TO 200 S
- 400 N FROM MAIN TO 100 E

The sweeper will be in these areas on a regular basis. Please do not put any sticks or twigs over 6 inches long in the gutter, as such debris plugs the vacuum hose. If you do not live along one of these areas, please do not rake your leaves into the street. More information is available on the website. Farmington Public Works appreciates your help and cooperation.



COMMUNITY CALENDAR

October 2013

Oct 1	TUES	City Council Meeting 160 South Main Street	7:00 pm for agenda see farmington.utah.gov
Oct 10	THURS	Planning Commission Meeting 160 South Main Street	7:00 pm
Oct 12	SAT	Extra Garbage Day	beginning at 6:00 am
Oct 15	TUES	City Council Meeting 160 South Main Street	7:00 pm for agenda see farmington.utah.gov
Oct 17	THURS	Farmington Trails Committee Meeting 160 South Main Street	7:00 pm public welcome
Oct 24	THURS	Town Hall Meeting at City Hall an open discussion with Mayor Harbertson and a City Council member	7:00 pm
Oct 24	THURS	Planning Commission Meeting 160 South Main Street	7:00 pm
Oct 24	THURS	Historic Preservation Commission 160 South Main Street	7:00 pm public welcome
Oct 29	TUES	City Council Meeting 160 South Main Street	7:00 pm for agenda see farmington.utah.gov

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Police Department.....451-5453
Fire Department.....451-2842
Public Works Department.....451-2624
Storm Water Maintenance.....451-2624
Parks & Recreation.....451-0953
Building Inspection.....451-2383
Water Department.....451-2624
Planning & Zoning.....451-2383
Historical Museum.....451-4850
Animal Control.....444-2200
Garbage.....825-3800
Benchland Water District.....451-2105
Weber Water District.....771-1677

After Hours Emergency

Davis County Sheriff.....451-4150
Emergency.....911

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160 South Main
P O Box 160
Farmington, Utah 84025



KEN KLINKER'S PUMPKINS

WED, OCT 30TH 10AM-8PM
FARMINGTON CITY HALL



THURS, OCT 31ST
1288 SOUTH 15 EAST

Is a visit to Ken Klinker's pumpkin patch one of your October traditions? Then you'll be interested to know that this year, Ken's pumpkin designs will be open to the public to coincide with the Davis County Library Spooktacular.

If you're new to Farmington you may not know that Ken is Farmington City's storm water official and zoning administrator. He is also a talented pumpkin carver. Each October Ken displays his artistry for the public's enjoyment. The pumpkins will also be displayed at his home on Halloween night beginning at dark.



PARKS & RECREATION

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WHO? 3RD-12TH GRADERS
COST? 3RD-6TH GRADE
RESIDENTS \$50
NONRESIDENTS \$65
7TH-12TH GRADE
RESIDENTS \$55
NONRESIDENTS \$75

REGISTER OCT 7TH-25TH

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will receive delicious
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1k run/walk.



UPCOMING EVENTS

Youth Theater "Fame, Jr."

Nov 13th-16th
Tickets on sale Oct 14th



Cori Connors Christmas Concert

Nov 29th, 30th & Dec 2nd
Tickets on sale Oct 15th

WANT TO KNOW THE LATEST PARKS & REC INFO?

text "REC" to 801-430-9866
'like' on Facebook at
www.facebook.com/farmingtoncityparksandrec
or visit
www.farmington.utah.gov

5K FUN RUN

Saturday, October 26th
Register by Tuesday, October 15th
\$10 for kids 12 & under
\$15 for adults
Race held at Farmington Elementary
Check in 8:30

Put on your running shoes
and join Miss Farmington
to help raise money for the
Children's Miracle Network by
participating in a
Halloween-themed fun run.

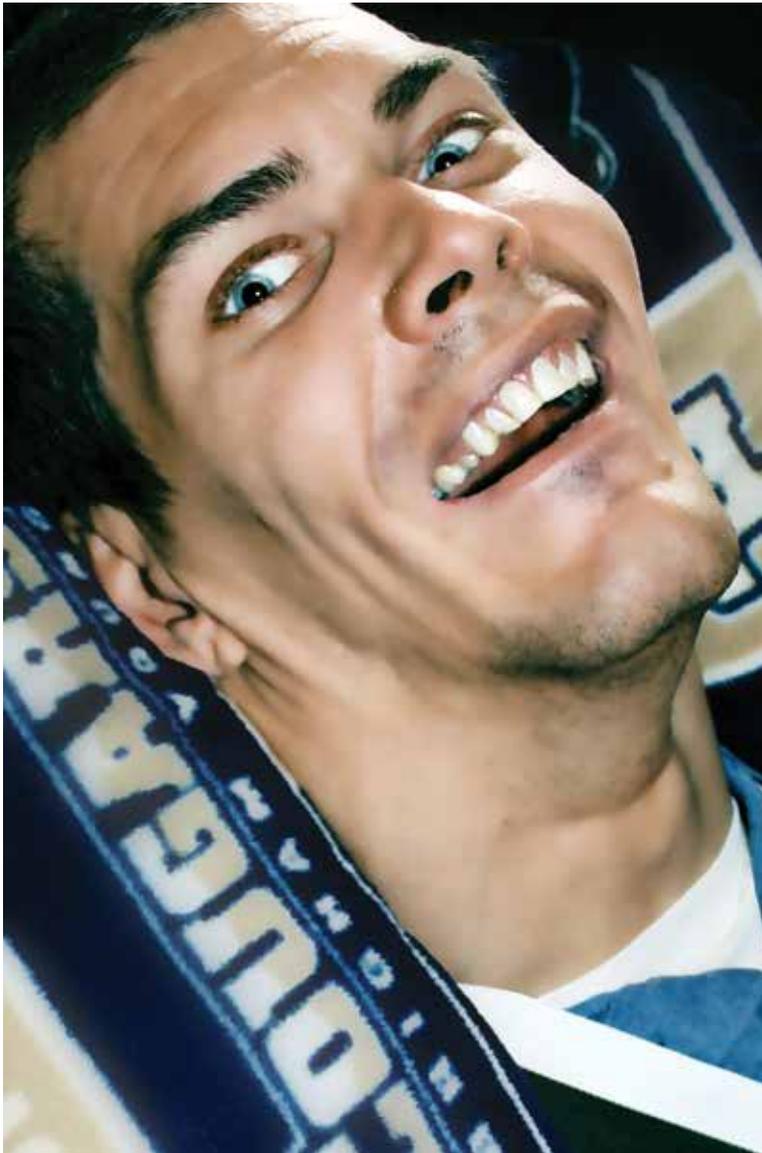
Don't miss out on this fun
opportunity to dress up, run,
and most importantly donate
to those desperate families
who benefit from
Children's Miracle Network.

■ Those who register early will receive
an awesome Halloween run t-shirt.



Chad Orison

UNDEFEATED



Chad Orison is a 37-year-old Farmington resident. He is a son, a nonjudgmental friend, and a good listener. He is a sport enthusiast and a positive influence on everyone he meets. Chad has a spirit of adventure. He has ridden in a WWII open-air biplane and recently went on a simulated sky dive (IFLY). He also completed the Ogden Valley triathlon with the help of a great support team. He has accomplished much by anyone's standard, but his enthusiasm and energy are even more impressive when you consider that

Chad has a neurological disorder called dystonia.

Dystonia affects the nervous system's ability to control voluntary muscle movement. Chad's form is generalized and involves multiple muscle groups. He has no other neurological symptoms. He was born with no problems, but at about five years of age his parents noticed some abnormal speech and he started to drag his foot slightly. Over the next few years, his symptoms worsened and Chad was eventually confined to a wheel-

chair. At the time, generalized dystonia was relatively unknown and misdiagnosed. His parents, Randy and Shauna, traveled with Chad from Los Angeles to New York and points in between to seek answers and possible cures. Chad now has a Deep Brain Stimulator or DBS implanted in the movement part of his brain to lessen and help control muscle movements.

Throughout, Chad has amazed his family and friends with his positive attitude and his desire to help others who may be going through rough times. His great sense of humor is another of Chad's qualities. Recently, his mother was wearing her "Team Chad" t-shirt, which has his picture printed on it. Chad beckoned her to come close and in his soft voice said, "Wow, I'm really good looking!"

Chad's aide, Christina Whitecar, introduced him to painting. Chad tells her which brush and colors to use. He holds the paintbrush in his teeth and Christina holds up the canvas as he moves his head to create his art. He is a prolific artist and has created beautiful paintings that are rich with movement and color. Chad has sold a number of his original paintings and is considering the idea of an art show later this year. The public is welcome to attend the showing to meet the artist in person. Chad hasn't decided what to do with the proceeds from his art, but lately he has been thinking about sending it to the Dystonia Research Foundation.

Ralph Waldo Emerson said, "What lies behind us and what lies before us are tiny matters compared to what lies within us." Chad Orison clearly has undaunted strength within. His current theme is "undefeated." He is a Farmington resident who shines brightly.

The date for Chad's art show has not been finalized. Watch for an announcement in a future issue of Farmington News.

RECYCLING RATE CHANGE



Did you notice a change in your August utility bill?

Your recycling rate went down. The city recently put the contract for recycling pickup and disposal out for competitive bids. Robinson Waste Services lowered the cost to \$3.00 per month, per container, and was awarded the contract for the next five years. The city is passing the savings on to you by lowering your cost to \$3.00 per month per container.

UDOT'S WDC Study Continued

Farmington City owns conservation easements which permanently preserve hundreds of acres of open land next to the Great Salt Lake for wildlife habitat, recreation and other purposes. The Glovers Lane alternative passes through this property and represents a direct impact. Moreover, UDOT's preferred alignment may compromise long held goals of the city to manage development patterns in certain areas of west Farmington as per its General Plan and conservation easements.

With these and other significant and far reaching problems with the DEIS, the city is asking that a new or revised DEIS be done before a final EIS may be undertaken. For those interested in reading the city's full response, it is available at www.farmington.utah.gov.

DID YOU KNOW?

You can cast your GENERAL ELECTION vote early by going to Farmington City Hall between Oct 22nd & Nov 1st



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October 12

Farmington residents can enjoy an extra garbage collection day. Garbage will be collected from black roll-out containers positioned at the curb line by 6:00 am.

Non-processable waste such as rocks, dirt, appliances, hazardous waste, etc. is not permitted.



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