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SUMMER LIFE SAFETY TIPS

a safety message from your Farmington Fire Department

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Summer brings an abundance of activities around Farmington—family and community activities, indoor and out. Along with the increased activity comes an increase of emergencies that affect the well-being of Farmington residents and a loss of property. Listed below are the top five hazard categories, followed by prevention tips. If you have questions or concerns about safety, Farmington's fire service professionals are happy to assist you.

1

PERSONAL HEALTH

- studies show a significant reduction in mortality rates with prompt activation of 911 services
- avoid violating doctor's orders
- never deviate from a prescription regiment without consulting your physician first
- remain hydrated at all times
- know your physical limitations, as well as your family's medical needs
- call 911 if experiencing shortness of breath, chest pains and/or loss of motor function

2

IN THE HOUSE

- test your smoke detector and carbon monoxide detector
- make sure fire extinguishers are accessible and serviced
- check for overloaded extension cords
- ensure 24-48 hour emergency kits are stocked and ready for deployment
- have two ways out of each room in the house
- insure that all windows will open once unlocked
- store chemicals properly with child tamperproof devices

3

AROUND THE HOUSE

- make sure your address numbers are visible from the street
- when possible, maintain 30 feet of defensible space between structures and natural fuels
- keep 100 feet of garden hose (and nozzle) at the ready
- remove leaves and trash from garages and rain gutters
- only use and store yard treatment chemicals as per manufacturer instructions
- allow gas-powered lawn tools to cool for at least 30 minutes before returning to the garage or shed
- perform a walk around vehicles before leaving the driveway
- designate a family meeting point (near your home) in the event of a fire or earthquake

SECONDARY WATER RESTRICTIONS

Mother Nature did a great job of watering our lawns during the month of May and as Division of Water Resources public information officer Joshua Palmer said, "... she does a better job than your sprinklers." Nevertheless, water consumers should prepare for a dry summer. Northern Utah received record-low snow, which means snow accumulation isn't there to help sustain water levels as temperatures increase during the summer and into the fall. "One of the challenges we have with spring rain is people think that spring rain means we'll have enough water through the summer," Palmer said. "But later on in the season we won't have that long-term trickle coming down from the snowpack."

The Weber Basin Water Conservancy District board has approved water restrictions for agricultural and residential consumers, which are now in effect. "Given the extremity of this year's conditions, excessive water of any type will not be allowed," the water district wrote in a statement. Agricultural irrigation deliveries have been cut by 20 percent. All secondary water users are to abide by the following restrictions located on page 6.

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BBQ/OUTDOOR COOKING

- use barbeque grills outdoors only
- check hose and regulator connections before lighting grill
- never leave outdoor cooking appliances unattended
- keep barbeque grill away from buildings, fences, deck railings and trees

always use long grilling utensils for cooking

- periodically remove grease buildup from appliances
- keep garden hose nearby
- keep children away from all hot surfaces
- keep all objects (hot or cold) away from edges of cooking appliances

5

FIREWORKS

- check with fire department for possible fireworks restrictions
- always appoint a responsible person to be in charge
- keep children away from fireworks
- only shoot approved fireworks as identified by the Utah State Fire Marshal's Office

- keep a fire extinguisher or fire blanket handy when attending fireworks events
- carefully read and follow directions on fireworks packaging
- observe wind conditions prior to discharging fireworks and never light fireworks when windy
- always keep a charged water hose or pail of water nearby while shooting fireworks
- discharge fireworks well away from trees, brush and buildings
- light fireworks one at a time as directed on the label
- never try to relight "dud" fireworks
- keep sparklers away from young children
- wait at least 30 minutes before disposing of spent fireworks
- report any reckless discharge of fireworks to the Farmington Fire Department, 801.451.2842



PLEASE JOIN US IN WISHING
JEANINE NILSON
ALL THE BEST IN HER RETIREMENT

TUESDAY, JUNE 30, 2015
2:00 – 4:00 PM
FARMINGTON CITY HALL
160 SOUTH MAIN



2015 MUNICIPAL ELECTION

There will be a municipal election this year for three city council positions. These positions will have four-year terms beginning January 2016 through January 2020.

The statutory filing period is between June 1 and June 7, 2015. Because June 7 falls on a Sunday, the filing period will be extended to June 8, 2015. Interested parties may file for office during normal office hours at the Farmington City Recorder's Office at 160 South Main Street.

The constitutional and statutory qualification requirements for municipal office are:

- 1 The person is a United States citizen.
- 2 The person is a registered voter in the municipality.
- 3 The person will be at least 18 years old at the time of the next election.
- 4 The person has been a legal resident of the municipality for twelve consecutive months immediately preceding the date of the election.
- 5 Any mentally incompetent person, any person convicted of a felony, or any person convicted of treason or a crime against the elective franchise may not hold office in this state until the right to vote or hold elective office is restored as provided by statute.

OUR HOMETOWN HEROES

During Festival Days, our community wishes to honor those who have served our country. All Farmington residents who have served in the military, OUR HOMETOWN HEROES, are invited to ride on a float in the Festival Days parade. If you are interested in participating, please contact Kristen Harbertson, this year's Festival Days' chair, 801.721.2222.

FESTIVAL DAYS VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Want an "up close and personal" seat at the Festival Days parade this year?

Sign up to be a parade volunteer. Volunteers are needed from 8:00-11:00am for all aspects of the parade. It's always a great time. Contact Megan Gibbs: megangibbs04@gmail.com or 801.726.4923.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

June 2015

June 4	THURS	Planning Commission Meeting 160 South Main Street	7:00 pm
June 16	TUES	City Council Meeting 160 South Main Street	7:00 pm for agenda see farmington.utah.gov
June 18	THURS	Planning Commission Meeting 160 South Main Street	7:00 pm
June 18	THURS	Farmington Trails Committee Meeting 160 South Main Street	7:00 pm
June 25	THURS	Historic Preservation Commission 160 South Main Street	7:00 pm public welcome
June 30	TUES	City Council Meeting 160 South Main Street	7:00 pm for agenda see farmington.utah.gov
July 3	FRI	Independence Day Holiday City Offices Close	
July 6-11		FARMINGTON FESTIVAL DAYS!	see insert for event details
July 14	TUES	NOTE: There will be only one City Council meeting in July	7:00 pm for agenda see farmington.utah.gov

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City Phone Numbers

Main Number.....451-2383
Police Department.....451-5453
Fire Department451-2842
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 Control444-2200
Garbage825-3800
Benchland Water District.....451-2105
Weber Water District.....771-1677

After Hours Emergency

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

Farmington City Hall
160 South Main
P O Box 160
Farmington, Utah 84025



FARMINGTON FESTIVAL DAYS Committee 2015

BIG thanks goes out to the 2015 Farmington Festival Days chair, Kristen Harbertson and her committee. It is a colossal job, done by volunteers to benefit our community. If you see one of these people during the festival, be sure to give them a high-five.

Wendy Toole Kids Bike Parade Brianne Call Little Miss Kevin Hixson 3-on-3 Basketball
Kristi Jarman Tennis Tournament Tyler Servoss & Dave Preszler Bike Races Kris Hanson &
Rob Glance Charity Motorcycle Ride Mark Carlile 5K, 10K & Flag Rock Races
Harv & Nanette Jeppson Breakfast in the Park Megan Gibbs Parade
Mark & Kathy Pozzuoli Vendors/Concessions Sarah Hale Entertainment Emily Pace Farmington Youth City Council

PARKS & RECREATION

Parks & Recreation 720 West 100 North 801-451-0953

swim lessons

who? 6 months+
cost? residents \$32
nonresidents \$37

register now until full

cheer clinic

who? 3-12yrs
cost? resident \$25
nonresidents \$30

register june 15th-july 17th

football

who? 7-15yrs
cost? residents \$115
nonresidents \$150

\$50 sign up fee
register june 15th-july 17th

art camp

who? 5-11yrs
cost? resident \$65
nonresidents \$75

register now until full

archery

who? 7-15yrs
cost? residents \$30
nonresidents \$40

register now until full

adult tennis league

who? 18+
cost? residents \$15/nonresidents \$20

register now until full

summer super sport

who? k-6th grade
cost? \$20 a week
when? tues,wed, thur

sessions go through beginning of August

youth tennis lessons

who? 5-15yrs
cost? residents \$35
nonresidents \$45

Register now until full

adult tennis lessons

who? 16+
cost? residents \$35/nonresidents \$45

register now until full

uk elite soccer camp

who? 5-9yrs & 9-14yrs
cost? residents \$120
nonresidents \$135

register now until full

boy scout merit badge

who? 11-17yrs
cost? residents \$5
nonresidents \$10

register now until full

lego camp

who? 5-6yrs & 7-11yrs
cost? residents \$135
nonresidents \$150

register now until full

upcoming events

festival days — see insert for more information
mary poppins — july 28th-aug 3rd



BARBARA AND FRANK FRODSHAM

2015 FESTIVAL DAYS PARADE GRAND MARSHALLS



Frodshams are an integral part of Farmington, and have been for decades. Frank and Barbara moved here in 1958. Their original property was a bare hill scattered with old cars and junk. Working together they cleaned it off, dug it out, and pushed it west to create level ground. Their home is now part of a lush compound complete with an arena, barn, tack house, water features, decks, flowers and of course horses. It has been the home where they raised seven children, made countless friends, hosted annual events to help those less fortunate and created a beautiful life together. Barbara and Frank love Farmington. They love life.

Fond and vivid memories are a rich part of their lives. They remember the old drug store on the corner of State and Main. And the little market they frequented where the Davis School District ad-

ministration building now stands. Barbara remembers going to a movie in Salt Lake City one pre-I-15 winter when their car tracks were the only ones on the snowy road. Frank remembers a particular time when he had a yearning for a Pepsi, so he and Barbara saddled up the horses and rode north to Neumann's bakery for a drink and a goodie. Frank remembers that Miller Floral was important to the economy of Farmington. "Davis County Bank was a big asset to the community. If you were okay with Davis County Bank, you were okay. They were so conservative."

Frodshams have been a part of the Farmington Festival Days parade for years, riding their horses with their children and grandchildren. This year, they will be the parade's grand marshalls. When you see them at the parade, be sure to tip your hat and shout out howdy.

FRANK'S FUN FACTS & WISDOM

It is 17 miles from Farmington to Temple Square and 17 miles from Farmington to the heart of Ogden.

Lund Lane is the narrowest spot between Farmington Bay and the mountains.

Farmington was blessed early by the mountain streams.

The curse of Farmington is the east wind.

WHAT FARMINGTON MEANS TO ME

by Barbara Frodsham

Tucked against the mountain and nestled between the Great Salt Lake, with a great view of both.

Not a thoroughfare, but a quaint little town with Main and State Streets crossing each other in the center with tree-lined streets inviting you in. The crossroads of the west, nestled away from busy freeways, noise, congestion and yet close in access to entertainment (Lagoon), shopping (Station Park), and recreation. Mountain trails for hiking, biking, horseback riding, orchards and mountain streams. A refuge, yet the county seat.

Hometown traditions, friendly people, community pride, less than an hour from snow skiing, water skiing, mountain camping and trails in our own backyards, bird watching, hunting, fishing, wildlife, solitude and sunsets.

Dotted with churches like guards watching over our families, and traditions protecting our American way of life with safety, peace and respect for all.

That's Farmington. My home of 57 years.

water no more than 2 days per week from now until June 15th

water no more than 3 days per week from June 15th to Labor Day

water no more than 2 days per week from September 7th to October 1st

The district will shut off all irrigation and secondary water deliveries on October 1st to help conserve water for next year. **The district also prohibits any outside watering between 10:00 am and 6:00 pm.** Officials with the water district will patrol service areas and the new policies will be strongly enforced. Households that fail to comply could face additional charges and losing their secondary water service.

With these reductions, the district invites you to learn some basic landscape management principles that will assist you in maintaining your landscape with less water. Resources are available at weberbasin.com/conservation. Check out the resources and links to research and self-help information and apply these principles which will provide a landscape you enjoy with less water.

The district has committed, along with other members of the Governor's Water Conservation Team, to reduce per capita water use 25 percent by the year 2025. All water users are encouraged to learn how to manage this resource wisely every year regardless of the type of water year we are experiencing. 🌱

COMING TO FARMINGTON

Are you curious about the new commercial construction you see popping up in Farmington? Listed below are some of the businesses starting construction this summer.

— Cabela's site development has begun and the improvements are underway. Projected opening is early 2016.

— McDonalds is expected to begin construction west of the Park Lane Village apartments.

— U of U Medical plans to break ground directly west of Station Park.

— Two medical offices are underway on Park Lane west of Chevron.



Collectibles & Gifts

58 No Main
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Monday-Saturday 10-6



www.lagoonpark.com

DAVIS COUNTY WALKS 5k RUN/WALK AND MUD RACE

When: Saturday, Aug 15
Run/Walk starts at
7:30 am
Kid's Mud Run Starts at
9:00 am

Where: Legacy Events Center

Cost: Free for individuals 60+
\$20 for pre-registered
individuals 59 and under
\$12 for pre-registered
individuals 14 and under
Free Kid's Mud Race
(12 and under)

Pre-registration required

How to register: Pick up a
form at Davis County Health
Department or register online at
daviscounty.utah.gov/dcw

Questions? call 801.525.5050

TOUR OF UTAH

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