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North Logan City NEWS

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MAYOR'S MESSAGE:

On Tuesday November 6, we will be holding elections to fill three council seats. There are four candidates who have filed. They are: Kevin Dustin, Lloyd Berentzen, Al Moser and Pat Northernor. Bryon Geddes has also filed as a write-in candidate. All the candidates are highly qualified.

In addition, there will be two countywide issues on the ballot. One is the ROAD TAX PROPOSITION and the other is the TRANSIT TAX PROPOSITION. Both of these propositions have been discussed in public forums for several months. We have included in this newsletter a copy of a document prepared by the Cache County Mayors in cooperation with the Cache Metropolitan Planning Organization with basic information on these two propositions. (See page 2).

Casting a **vote** is the most important expression of freedom that we enjoy. Every **vote** is important, and I urge everyone who is registered to take a few minutes from your busy schedule and cast your **vote**.

If you have any issue you would like to discuss, please call my on my direct line at 760-4615 or e-mail d.carywatkins@gmail.com

Cary Watkins

What's Happening in City Council?

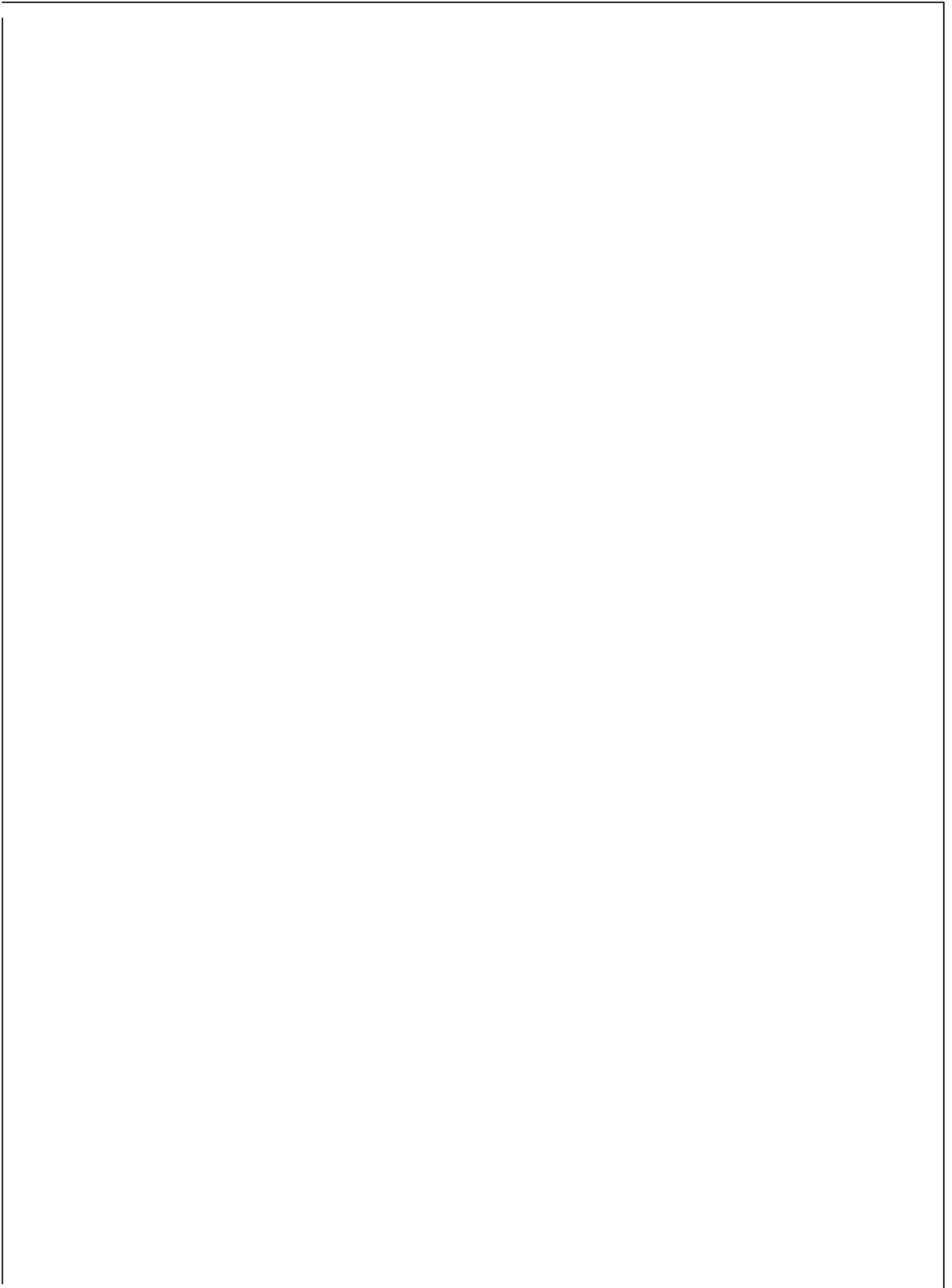
The City Council will meet twice during November – on the 1st and the 15th.

During the meeting on Nov 1st the council will hold a public hearing on an ordinance changing how the Mixed Use Zone is used as it relates to the city center initiative. Rezoning of the area around the proposed City Center will also be part of the public hearing. The re-zone and the ordinance change will probably be considered by the Council during the Nov. 15th meeting.

A related re-zone request may also be considered on Nov. 1st for a development being proposed on approximately 6.7 acres of commercial property. The area is currently zoned General Commercial (CG) and being proposed to be re-zoned to the Mixed-Use Zone (MX). Being proposed is a development with multi-story office, retail and residential (condos) above commercial located at approximately Main and 2200 North. This issue may be considered either on its own or as a part of the larger re-zone which would include this area.

Another issue that is planned to be on November 15th meeting is that the council will discuss financial assumptions and goals to guide the Budget and Finance Committee in the preparation of the FY2009 municipal budget. The newly elected council members will be asked to join in on the discussion.

Look for the official council agendas as they are posted at the city offices, at the library and on the city's website. These postings are normally done the Monday prior to the scheduled city council meeting. The Herald Journal is given a copy of the official agenda as well. They normally print it in the newspaper a day or two before the meeting.



COMMUNITY CALENDAR



NOVEMBER

- * 1st - City Council 6:30 p.m.
- * 6th - Election Day
- * 8th - Planning Commission 7:00 p.m.
- * 12th - City Offices closed for Veterans Day
- Senior Citizens luncheon 12:00 p.m.
- * 15th - City Council 6:30 p.m.
- * 22nd & 23rd - City Offices closed for Thanksgiving
- * 29th - Planning Commission 7:00 p.m.



REMEMBER: Daylight Savings ENDS on Nov. 4th, Sunday, 2 a.m., (turn the clocks back 1 hour) and it also means it is time to change the batteries in your smoke detector.

Commercial Building Permits

LSI Properties
Home Businesses
None

Commercial Businesses
Timeless Mortgage

GROWTH CORNER

Permit Type	2007 to date	2006 to date
Single Family Residence	49	69
Multi-Family (Apt.)	0	0
New Commercial (Retail)	10	9
Office	7	7
Remodel (Existing Comm.)	0	0
Industrial	2	4

From the Chief's Desk



Getting ready for winter travel

As we approach the winter season I would like to take a minute and talk about winter travel preparedness. First, take the time to winterize your vehicle(s) now before the first winter storm hits. Put together a Disaster supply kit in the trunk of your vehicle(s). This kit should include blankets, extra set of dry clothing, a shovel, sand, tire chains, jumper cables, a first aid kit, a flash light with extra batteries and a brightly colored cloth that can be attached to your vehicles antenna. You can check local road conditions by calling 716-9440. A winter storm watch means a winter storm is possible in your area. A winter storm warning means the storm is headed for your area. Let people know when you are leaving, the route you are headed and your estimated time of arrival. Plan your trips with adequate time so you do not find yourself hurrying. Slow down and drive defensively. Four wheel drive vehicles have better traction but they do not stop any faster on slick roads so leave plenty of distance

SENIOR CITIZENS LUNCHEON

The North Logan Senior Citizens will hold their monthly luncheon at 12:00 noon on **Monday, Nov. 12th** at the Golden Corral at 2044 North Main in North Logan. The cost is \$3.50 per person and all senior citizens are invited to attend. Please **RSVP** to Savannah Baker at (753-0287), Lila Eddington (753-0203), Eva Fay Anderson (753-0340), Eileen Stocking (752-1217) or Alva Johnson (753-3070) by **5:00 p.m. on Friday, Nov. 9th.**



UTILITY INFORMATION



Greetings from the Utility Billing Department. . .

It is that time of the year to shut down your sprinkler systems and blow out your lines. PLEASE make sure the stop and waste valve is totally off. If left on, even a little, you will waste thousands of gallons through the winter. A precious resource wasted away and you will be responsible for the waste. This is something we unfortunately see every spring.

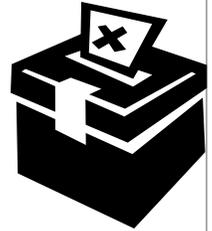
October billing will be the last actual water meter reading for the majority of our residential customers until next April. There are some residents that have been put on our new radio system, where meter readings will be taken monthly year round. The entire city will be put on this system in the next couple of years. From October until April you are billed on an estimated water usage. When the April reading is taken, the billing will reflect any difference in the amount of gallons you have been billed for previously. The amount of water that is used during the six-month period will also be used to set your sewer rate for the following year.

AS A REMINDER - If you are looking for an easier way to pay your city bill, DIRECT PAYMENT is available. It will save you the cost of a check, stamp and the time to mail it. Please come in to our office and sign-up for this service. All you need to do is bring in a voided check and fill out the quick form and you are ready to go.

If you have any questions about any of these items, please call Peggy at 752-1310 ext. 11.

Make Sure You Cast Your Vote on November 6th!

Where to Vote: There are **SIX** districts and **TWO** polling places. If you are not sure where **YOU** should vote, visit the city's internet site at: <http://www.ci.north-logan.ut.us> or call the City Office - 752-1310. The Polls will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.



SUPER CITIZENS! November is Municipal Election Month.

Complete your November Super Citizen Requirement by doing one of the following:

- Adults – Vote in the Municipal Election to be held on Nov. 6th.
- Youth – Learn the names of those running for City Council in the Municipal Election.
- Learn about the candidates or issues on the ballot by reading a brochure or other information about the candidates and/or issues.
- Discuss the election, candidates, and issues with your family.
- Attend the Meet the Candidates night held October 30th.

Get your **SUPER CITIZEN PASSPORT** Stamped for November at the North Logan City Offices or the North Logan City Library.

Don't know what the NORTH LOGAN SUPER CITIZEN AWARD PROGRAM is? Each month from now until July of 2008, this newsletter and the city's website will have things for you to do to earn your SUPER CITIZEN AWARD. You can do this as a family, a couple, a youth group, an individual (old or young) - anybody that wants to. Do one of the several monthly activities for each month for ten out of the twelve months of the year and you're a Super Citizen. Each month will have a theme for the activities you can do. Turn in your signed-off SUPER CITIZEN SCORESHEET or your SUPER CITIZEN PASSPORT in July of 2008 and be awarded with a Super Citizen tee shirt, pin or patch, and a NL history book. Stop by the North Logan City Offices or the North Logan Library for a SUPER CITIZEN SCORESHEET or your PASSPORT. When you have completed a particular month's activity, have your passport stamped at one of the places identified for that month (usually at the City Offices or the Library) or sign off your score sheet on your own. If you miss one or several of the months' activities there will be alternative activities you can do to catch up.

North Logan



JR. JAZZ BASKETBALL 2008

A Program of the Utah Jazz & North Logan Recreation

Leagues Offered

3rd & 4th Grades

5^h & 6th Grades

7th & 8th Grades

Each Participant will receive

Paid Officials

Certificate of Participation

Utah State Aggie Ticket

Jazz Player Clinic (in general area)

Jazz Team Picture

Chance to participate in the Fun Shot Competition

Graduated Rules and Competitive Levels by Division

Join the JAZZ League at:

North Logan City Library

Address: 475 East 2500 North – North Logan

Sign-Up Dates

Wednesday, November 14th from 5:00 p.m.- 7:00 p.m.

Monday, November 19th from 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Registration Fee: \$35.00 (Residents) \$40.00 (Non-Residents)

Jersey Fee \$7.00 (if needed, same jersey as used last year)

Shorts are also available for \$7.00 (if wanted)

Q: Which side of the turkey has the most feathers?

Goodbye, Sue and Quackers

In October, Library Director Sue Randleman left the library for the warmer climate of Texas. We all miss her but wish her well in her new position! Assistant Director Stephanie Harrell is serving as Interim Director to keep things running smoothly until a new director can be appointed.

Wireless Access at the Library

That's right, we're going wireless! Beginning in November you will be able to bring in your laptops and access the Internet anywhere in the library. This access is free and open to anyone!

Story Times

With Quackers gone, we are working hard to put together an exciting new storytime schedule. Please stay tuned for more information about when these will begin.

Banned Books Week

The library's first ever Banned Books Week was a great success. Congratulations to the 14 winners of our drawing. They won copies of *The Witches*, *The Giver*, *Bridge to Terabithia*, and *To Kill a Mockingbird*—all wonderful (and frequently challenged) books. We hope you continue to treasure your freedom to read!

Book Discussion Group

This month's discussion will be held on **Thursday, November 8th at 9:00 a.m.**

at the Library. We will be discussing on I Feel Bad about my Neck by Nora Ephron. Copies are available at the library for check-out.

Nora Ephron shares with us her ups and downs in *I Feel Bad About My Neck*, a candid, hilarious look at women who are getting older and dealing with the tribulations of maintenance, menopause, empty nests, and life itself. . . . Utterly courageous, wickedly funny, and unexpectedly moving in its truth telling, *I Feel Bad About My Neck* is a book of wisdom, advice, and laugh-out-loud moments, a scrumptious, irresistible treat. (from the book description)

~ ALL ARE WELCOME ~

A: The outside!

No Nighttime Parking on Streets after November 15th!

It's the time of year to remember it snows in Cache Valley! We would like to remind everyone that starting **November 15th** the winter parking ordinance will go into effect. This means vehicles cannot be parked on city street curbs and shoulders between 12:00 midnight and 7:00 am. Citations will be issued during these hours. During other hours, if it is snowing, or beginning to snow, we'd appreciate you not parking on the streets so that our snow plows can keep your roads clean and safe for you and your family.



Thanks from the Streets
Department

