City Council Message
from Mark Johnson

Dear Citizens of Kaysville:

I am grateful for the opportunity to address you. As you know, we have a wonderful community, rich in history and tradition. We have excellent schools, great neighborhoods, beautiful and diverse parks, a variety of community events, sports, and other activities. Our 4th of July activities are so popular and so well attended that even people from other cities are drawn to participate with us.

We have much to be grateful for. With all these and other good things about Kaysville, we continue to grow. Those of us who have lived here for many years marvel at all the growth. As traffic has increased, I have joked with my family "that all this traffic could not be from Kaysville, it must be people from other cities that drive through to see what a great place it is."

With growth and development come additional challenges. One challenge is water! I encourage everyone to be conservation minded. For example, if automatic sprinklers are turned off for a few days after a rainstorm a lot of water could be saved. I have seen instances when it was pouring rain and sprinklers were going full power at the same time. We encourage everyone to conserve water where they can.

Another issue that has arrived with growth is traffic concerns. As I sit in City Council meetings, citizens express their concerns about speeding cars rushing through neighborhoods. We all want safe neighborhoods for our children, yet some of us may be the greatest danger in our own neighborhoods because of the way we drive. In other words, as great as Kaysville is, together we can make it even better by thoughtful water use and careful driving.

This is a municipal election year and I encourage all citizens to participate. This year citizens will be able to vote by-mail or for those that prefer to "go to the polls," the traditional option of casting your ballot will still be available at two vote centers. All are encouraged to be informed and exercise your right to vote. This year we will be voting for three City Council positions. You may want to "throw your hat in the ring" or support those that do.

Finally, I wish to express a special "thank you" to all those people that serve our community, both the dedicated employees and the generous volunteers. These people help so much to make Kaysville the great place we call home. Thank You!
**Arts & Music Festival at Heritage Park**

Join us on Saturday, June 13, for the 5th annual Arts & Music Festival celebrating and showcasing a diverse blend of independent music, performance art, culinary art, culture, and community. A quilt exhibit, art contests and free activities (photography workshop at noon, salsa dance class at 2:00 p.m. Polynesian dance class at 4:00 p.m., and storytelling throughout the day) will be part of the events. A free shuttle will be provided from Davis High School. For more information and registration forms for Bowman’s Art Contest and Goodson Signs Photography Contest, visit www.kaysvillecommunityevents.com.

6:00 a.m. Sunrise Yoga (bring your yoga mat)
11:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Rising Star Quilt Show
11:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Food, art and artisan vendors surround the park 5:30 p.m. Next Stage Productions “Epic”
6:30 p.m. Greg Simpson Band
7:30 p.m. Headliner (Ryan Shupe and the RubberBand)
8:30 p.m. The Lego Movie (sponsored by Intermountain Kaysville Creekside Clinic)

Pick up a free raffle ticket by 10:45 a.m. at the Parks and Rec Booth.

**Bowman’s July 24th Breakfast**

This event raises funds for the Park and Recreation scholarship program, which is the only way for some children to participate in City sporting events. The menu includes ham, eggs, pancakes, fruit, juice and milk.

Bowman’s parking lot (326 North Main) 6:30-10:30 a.m.
Cost: $3 children, $5 adults, $20 Family

**4th Annual Yard & Garden Tour**

Kaysville’s Yard and Garden Tour will be held on Friday, June 19 from 4:00 to 9:00 p.m., and Saturday, June 20 from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Visit beautiful yards and gardens and see what creative things people come up with to enhance their outdoor living spaces. Information and maps will be available at City Hall after June 15. This event is free to the public.

**Meet Me at the Market**

The Utah State Botanical Center Farmers Market will be held Friday, June 19 from 6:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. at 875 South 50 West, Kaysville. Features include:
- Local produce, gourmet food, artisans, entertainment and children activities.
- If you are interested in becoming a vendor or would like more information, call 801-451-3403.

**Summer Recreation Activities**

Kaysville Parks and Recreation offer a variety of fun summer activities. Youth programs offered: golf lessons at Davis Park, bowling at Bounto, science camp, swimming lessons, tennis, art classes, Utah State Park track and field, pre-school camp champ, kids in the park, sewing camp. Adult programs offered: Golf and tennis.

To register, or for more information, visit www.kaysvillerec.com or call 801-544-1788.

**Water Conservation**

Do you struggle to know how long you should water your landscape or how to set up your timer? Call 1-801-771-1677 or go online to www.slowtheflow.org for a free water check. You can also get more details or a do-it-yourself brochure at weberbasin.com/conservation/index.php/conservation-programs/water-checks. We encourage all citizens to use our precious water resources wisely. Here are a few places you can visit for important notices and to learn more:

- www.kaysvillecity.com - see instructions under water conservation
- Utah State Botanical Garden - located right here in Kaysville
- Local garden centers
- www.weberbasin.com/conservation

Our City has a very active Yard and Garden Committee. Here are a few ways this committee is promoting wise water usage: Consideration of wise water usage when selecting Kaysville Yard of the Month, promotion and providing drip irrigation in the Community Garden, and providing educational opportunities at the yearly garden tours. We encourage you to do your part and water your landscape wisely.

Our water supply this year is considerably lower than average and reservoirs are not expected to fill. Davis and Weber Counties Canal Company (DWCCC) is encouraging property owners to follow the same watering schedule as last season. The schedule will be based on the last digit in your house number:

**House number ends in 0, 1, 2, 3 water on Monday and Thursday**

**House number ends in 4, 5, 6 water on Tuesday and Friday**

**House number ends in 7, 8, 9 water on Wednesday and Saturday**

If voluntary conservation practices are found not to be effective enough to reduce water demands, water companies may be forced to resort to enforcement with restrictions. Secondary water will be turned off the end of September. Please follow conservation practices, such as: No watering 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., no excessive uses (long run times), no significant sprinkler system disrepair, don’t water the gutter, water your lawn only when it needs it, use a broom instead of a hose, turn off your sprinkler system when it rains, use drip system and soaker hoses in flower and vegetable gardens, cover bare soil with a thick layer of mulch, direct downspouts towards shrubs and trees, adjust sprinklers so you are not watering cement, plant native plants that adapt easily to the climate.
Davis County Relay For Life

Come and join in the fun!

August 7, 6:00 pm - Midnight
Heritage Park
85 N 100 E
Kaysville, UT

Food, Fun and Entertainment for the entire family
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Register at: www.relayforlife.org/daviscout

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