As I attend conferences and interact with either elected city officials throughout our state or other city managers, part of our conversation as we greet each other is almost always a comparison between the community that they serve and in my case Kaysville. Inevitably, there are initial questions about what’s new in my community or theirs and what either one of us may have read about the other in the print or broadcast news media. Many times these are opportunities to tease each other about recent happenings or controversies in our respective cities. Deep down there may be a comparison going on as part of these conversations. Perhaps, when things aren’t going as well as they could, a sentiment of “misery loves company” might prevail on either side.

If we are honest with ourselves, in Kaysville we currently have a challenging dynamic at the city council level. There are many issues upon which our elected officials do not agree. Disagreement, in and of itself, is not a bad thing. It is actually most often a very effective and productive thing. I have been part of cities where elected leaders were uncomfortable with 3-2 votes, feeling like they somehow failed if something did not pass unanimously. I don’t believe this is the case or current feeling in Kaysville. A majority vote, 3-2 or 4-1, is just as powerful as 5-0 in passing our local legislation. 3-2 votes usually bring about the most robust discussion and allow councils and the mayor or the opportunity to get into the true
General Election 2017 gives Kaysville City residents the opportunity to elect a new mayor and two new city council members.

Ballots will be mailed to registered voters three weeks prior. Completed ballots may be dropped in the mail or deposited in a ballot box at Kaysville City Hall. Voters who prefer to cast their ballot in person may come to a polling location at Kaysville City Hall on Election Day—Tuesday, November 7, 2017.

Candidates for the offices of mayor and city council are pictured below (in alphabetical order by last name).

**MAYORAL CANDIDATES**

- **Lorene Miner Kamalu**
- **Katie Witt**

**CITY COUNCIL CANDIDATES**

- **Michelle Richards Barber**
- **James C. Hansen**
- **Susan Marie Lee**
- **Andi Von Bose**


What can be disconcerting about Kaysville in 2017 and our local politics is not disagreement but the WAY in which we disagree. At times disagreements have turned sour and words have been used that are not constructive or even appropriate as part of regular city council meetings and even outside of these formal meetings. Kaysville has been in the news some in 2017. Some of this publicity has been positive as we have celebrated our wonderful 4th of July celebration, our upcoming election, and a new park. Other news items have not been as positive. This can be unfortunate.

Please be assured that, even from time to time when discussions are difficult, the process is working and stable. Discussions at the local level remain productive and more and more is accomplished each day. While we hope for more congenial times among our elected leaders, Kaysville City embraces the process and the room for differences. We are represented by good people who strive to make decisions in the best interest of the city as a whole. We look forward to upcoming local elections and encourage voting participation. Election Day this year is on November 7 where we will elect a new mayor and at least one new council member. We are blessed to live in this beautiful city containing so many wonderful people.

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**SCHEDULED POWER OUTAGE**

for some Kaysville residents

October 19th · 8:00 am-4:00 pm

Kaysville Power and Light has been replacing power poles and installing new transformers in the more established part of town to upgrade the voltage and make the power system more efficient and reliable. To upgrade the voltage, the power will need to be turned off on the above date and time so the power crew can make the
Fire Chief Brett Larkin has announced that he will hang up his fire hat and ax after thirty-seven years in the fire industry, twenty of those as Kaysville Fire Chief. He began work with Kaysville City in 1980. He was the first full-time chief and employee, the first state certified firefighter and the first trained EMT in the department. He used his training and certifications to instruct other KFD firefighters.

Chief Larkin has a superb work ethic. He has received many awards, including the Medal of Valor and The Distinguished Service Medal. His dedication to Kaysville and its residents has greatly benefited the community. A replacement has not been named.

Chief Larkin states, “I have loved my time in fire service and it has been a pleasure to work with so many great firefighters and officers over my career. It has been an honor to serve my communities of Kaysville and Fruit Heights. I feel like every call I’ve gone out on has been for my friends and family. I will miss taking care of them.”

Please drop by the fire department to thank Chief Larkin for his service at a celebratory open house on Thursday, September 28.

Kaysville City is excited to announce that terms have been reached with the construction company and designer of the 200 North bridge that spans the railroad tracks. It is anticipated that the settlement will be enough to fix the panels with the most severe buckling. After almost nine years, the project will be considered complete by the Federal Highway Administration and the city. The city will then be able to legally stripe the road to four lanes. Currently, the plan is to stripe four lanes from I-15 west to Flint Street as soon as this designation comes from Federal Highways. Anticipated time frame is sometime between now and summer 2018. The city will stripe to Flint Street and review a stripe plan from Flint Street to Angel Street next year when the intersection at Angel and 200 North is completed.

We are Healthy Kaysville AND WE WANT TO HEAR FROM YOU!

You saw our Healthy Kaysville float in Kaysville’s Independence Day parade. It was the one which carried a replica of Utah’s Delicate Arch. We’re proud of being awarded “First Place Most Creative.”

We now want your feedback. In order to assess the health and wellness needs and interests within our community we are inviting our Kaysville citizens to complete a short (three to five minute) survey. Those who participate can choose to enter a drawing for two $50 gift cards and other prizes.

You can find the survey in several ways.
- healthykaysville.com
- kaysvillecity.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_1TRusWpBnwUrf5X
- scan the QR code below, or
- hard copies can be obtained at the city hall reception desk

Anyone desiring to be part of our civic committee or have suggestions for our committee’s direction can contact Ron Zollinger (801-682-9832).

scheduled Power Outage continued

necessary equipment adjustments to facilitate the voltage conversion. The power crew will hang a tag on the door of all affected homes a few days before the outage. You can check the city website for a map showing the approximately 350 homes that will be affected. Kaysville Power and Light is continually working to keep the power system safe and reliable. Please contact city hall at 801-546-1235 if you are in the highlighted area of the map and have concerns or questions.
Kaysville City discharges stormwater to four primary places: Kays Creek, Holmes Creek, Bair Creek and the west border of the Nature Conservancy.

What is stormwater? It is the water from storms, in the form of rain or snowmelt, which flows onto hard surfaces and into the storm drain, comprised of an underground pipe system, called the collection system. The water flows in the pipes where it will outfall to a creek or wetland.

Why is stormwater important? Before cars and vehicles, there were no streets, parking lots or driveways, nor was there a need to pave or create many hard, impervious surfaces for these vehicles to drive on. The roads that did exist were mostly dirt and pervious surfaces, so when the rain hit the ground it was absorbed or ran to the side of the road where it was quickly absorbed into the ground. Now, with all of the development that has taken place, water hits concrete and asphalt surfaces and, rather than absorbing, it collects. As water flows over these hard surfaces, it picks up dirt, grass clippings, trash, oils, chemicals and other debris. And once they are picked up by the stormwater, debris is discharged directly into the nearest creek or wetland.

So now you ask, “What can I do to keep stormwater clean?”

Here are a few simple things that you can do to help us keep stormwater clean:

- Keep the gutter clean in front of your house (sweep don’t spray).
- Blow or sweep grass clippings back onto the grass.
- Wash the car on the lawn or at a commercial car wash.
- Keep trash picked up, and the lids closed on the dumpsters.
- Pick up pet waste and dispose of in the trash.
- Adjust your sprinklers so they only water the landscape.
- Fix or stop any oil/ fluid leaks to your vehicles and dispose of all fluids and parts properly.
- The gutter is not a place to wash paintbrushes, mop buckets, or anything else.
- Keep trash piles or other storage piles off hard surfaces that would allow water to flow to the street.

What is the City doing to protect stormwater?

- Cleaning the collection system
- Inspecting all construction sites to ensure they are doing their part
- Sweeping the roads
- Keeping city-owned facilities in check
- Actively involved with the Davis County Stormwater Coalition
- Training and education
- Planning and constructing projects that improve stormwater quality

What is the City Center 23 East Center Street
801.546.1235
www.kaysvillecity.com                    October 2017 page 4

Kaysville City wants to communicate better with you.
A new program is available to Kaysville residents that sends emergency notification alerts and solicits feedback. This will help the city improve how it operates.
WHAT YOU NEED TO DO?
SIMPLY SIGN UP.
- Go to kaysvillecity.com
- Click on COMMUNICATION
- Fill out the form
- Click submit
THAT’S IT!

Please be vigilant
A message from your Kaysville Police Department
A rash of vehicle burglaries have occurred in Kaysville and throughout Davis County. The KPD would like to remind citizens that the single most effective method to preventing vehicle burglaries and theft is to lock your car doors and do not leave valuables in your vehicle. Also, please make sure to close your garage doors. Vehicle burglary is a crime of opportunity and most thefts occur when vehicles are left unsecured. Please be vigilant in taking these steps to help keep your property safe.

Kaysville City invites photographers of all ages to enter their best high resolution images celebrating our community in the FIRST KAYSVILLE PHOTOGRAPHY CONTEST between August 1 and October 15, 2017. Entering is easy, free and by email at photocontest@kaysvillecity.com. Contest rules and a photo release form can be found on the city website, kaysvillecity.com/community/get-involved/photo-contest and must be completed. For more information, contact Marketing Coordinator, Mindi Edstrom at 801-544-1788, or medstrom@kaysvillecity.com.
Lighting of the City
Monday, Nov 27th
beginning at sunset
As part of the time-honored tradition, Kaysville residents are invited to come out and enjoy the lighting of the city center and enjoy a delicious cup of hot chocolate.

Nov 27th–Dec 31st, the “Star on the Mountain,” will light up the Wasatch Front foothills on the end of 200 North.

For more detail, see the city website kaysvillecity.com/departments-services/parks-recreation/community-events/main-street-holiday-lighting

Jr Jazz Basketball
Games are played at area schools
Registration began Sept 18th
Registration deadlines:
pre-school–2nd grade, Oct 6th or until full
3rd–8th grade boys and jr. high girls, Oct 15th or until full
9th–12th grade, Nov 11th or until full

Fees:
Pre-school $55–$75
K–2nd grade $45–$65
3rd–6th grade $55–$75
Jr High and High School $65–$85
9th–12th grade team reg fee $375

For game day details, see the city website, kaysvillecity.com/departments-services/parks-recreation/basketball-2

Pre-Season Basketball Skills Clinic
Program Location: DHS
Instructor: DHS Coaches & Players
Date: Nov 4th
Time: 9–11 am
Fee: $10

For boys and girls grades 3rd–8th. The pre-season skills clinic is the perfect warm-up for league play. For complete details, see the city website kaysvillecity.com/departments-services/parks-recreation

Monster Mash and Dash
Saturday, Oct 14th
Heritage Park
250 N Fairfield Road
5–7:30 pm

Registration for the 5K is online through www.runnercard.com. First 250 entries will get a cooling towel.

Activities are available for all ages including:
Zombie Dash (8 yrs and under)
5K Race  Pumpkin Painting
Super Heroes and Princesses from Princess Party by Natalie
Minute-to-Win-it Games  Live Music
Pie Eating Contest  Fall Foods

for more detail, go to the city website kaysvillecity.com/departments-services/parks-recreation/mon

Shi & Snowboard Program:
Saturday Snowbird Session
Designed for 3rd–12th graders
December 2nd, 9th & 16th
Fee: $200
Register online at kaysvillecity.com/departments-services/parks-recreation/ski-snowboard opening Oct 1st until full

Departure 8 am / Return 5 pm
Price includes all area lift tickets. Participants must have their own gear or provide own rental gear prior to program.

Friday Brighton Session
Designed for 5th–12th graders
Jan 5th, 12th, 19th & 26th
Fee: $145
$197 with rentals
Register online at kaysvillecity.com/departments-services/parks-recreation/ski-snowboard opening Oct 1st until full

Departure 3 pm / Return 10 pm
Price includes lift ticket for explorer and majestic.

For more details and information about transportation, see the city website.
Kaysville businesses who wish to be featured as the BUSINESS SPOTLIGHT should send their request to mailbox@kaysvillecity.com. The spotlight allows a business one complimentary ad in the newsletter and the opportunity to present their business to the city council.

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