Power outages are one of those events that most people don’t think about until they have one. Since Kaysville had a significant outage last year when the transmission pole that spans Interstate 15 was damaged and needed to be replaced, city staff and elected officials have been talking about power outages, their frequency, and where Kaysville sits in reference to other cities. Outages are a fact of life for everyone with power. City officials thought it might be interesting to share how well or poorly we do when it comes to outage durations, events, etc. Many thanks to the Kaysville Power Director and staff for accumulating the following information.

All information included was accumulated from the American Public Power Association or APPA.

This data is for UNSCHEDULED power outages only.

2017 data is not available for APPA national data but data for Kaysville in 2017 is included.

Reference is made to SAIDI and SAIFI (system average interruption frequency or duration indexes). These are, speaking very simply, the average outage duration for customer served in minutes and the average number of outages per customer respectively. So in 2017, the average Kaysville customer’s power was out for 29 minutes that year and had an average number of 0.498 interruptions that year.

Kaysville City has received more and more requests from residents to understand water lines and where the city’s responsibility stops and the resident’s starts. A bill even passed the legislature in 2017 requiring cities to do a better job of notifying residents with culinary water of their liability for the repair or replacement of certain parts of a retail water line. It is the intent of the Kaysville City Council not only to notify but also to let citizens know what options they have to protect themselves from potential liabilities.

In addition to the city’s legal requirements, Kaysville City regularly receives calls from homeowners who have had a break in their water or sewer lines connecting their home to the water/sewer line in the road. Most of these homeowners don’t realize that they are responsible for their water line repairs. They believe those breaks are the city’s responsibility but that’s usually not the case.
For more information about SAIDI and SAIFI, please go to the website www.publicpower.org/system/files/documents/2014_sample_annual_report.pdf

The national data quoted is from about 500 utility systems of similar size as Kaysville. These are chosen by APPA as good systems to benchmark against because of their size and other similarities to our city.

Data going back to 2013 is as follows (no APPA data is available before 2013):

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You will notice that in 2013 and 2014 Kaysville City outages were slightly longer than the national average (9 minutes longer in 2013 and 26 minutes longer in 2014). In 2015 and 2016 Kaysville City outages were much shorter than the national data average. We hope supplying this data will be of interest to Kaysville City Power customers. More information about the Kaysville City Power Company, including how to contact them, can be found on the city website, www.kaysvillecity.com/149/Power.

The city wants to be proactive in helping homeowners prepare and/or protect themselves against these large expenses.

As we researched what other cities did to address this growing problem, we learned about a warranty program that several other communities here in Utah and around the country have utilized. In these partnerships, the claim denial rates are very low, and the price is potentially much cheaper than what is offered outside of these partnerships. For this reason, Kaysville City has partnered with Service Line Warranties of America (SLWA) to increase awareness of this issue and provide some security and alternatives. The city sees the public awareness benefits of this partnership, but wants residents to also understand that the city is not receiving compensation from this partnership. SLWA provides an insurance-type product for homeowners in Kaysville on the home side of the water meter. It is the hope of Kaysville City that this program will not only allow individuals the opportunity to insure their water line if they choose to do so, but will also simply educate our residents on what exactly their responsibility is when it comes to water lines to their home.

Over the next few months, Kaysville residents will see a mailer detailing how this warranty program works and how to enroll. This program is 100% optional. If there are questions about this program, please call the city office or send an email to mailbox@kaysvillecity.com.

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**KAYSVILLE UNIVERSITY**

**STARTING TUESDAY, OCTOBER 2ND**

**6:00 PM AT CITY HALL**

YOU are invited to participate in the second annual Kaysville University. This is a nine-week course held each Tuesday evening for nine consecutive weeks starting at 6:00pm on October 2nd. Each week a separate topic will be covered in depth. This second “class” of Kaysville University will only run if we have a minimum of 10 individuals. It is expected that upon registration each “student” will attend all nine courses. Each course should last between one and two hours.

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Registration is completely free.
To register or to ask any questions, please send an email to mailbox@kaysvillecity.com or call the city office at 801-546-1235.

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**BE INFORMED! Sign Up Using NOTIFY ME**

Be notified of current newsletters and city agendas, and/or receive alerts in regard to snow events, power outages, rain outs, fire/emergencies or evacuations. Sign up at www.kaysvillecity.com and click the NOTIFY ME button. Add your email address and subscribe to the items that you would want to be informed of via email.

*Text message option is currently not available.*
Registration began September 15th and will remain open until full.

**Basketball Registration**

For complete details and updated information on programs and events, go to [www.kaysvillecity.com/217/Parks-Recreation](http://www.kaysvillecity.com/217/Parks-Recreation) or Facebook - Kaysville City - Amazing Play

Registration has begun and will remain open until full. Play will be held indoors at Kaysville P&R, located at 85 N 100 E. There will be 8 players in each division. Players are required to find a sub if missing a week. There will not be league play the week of Thanksgiving.

**Adult Pickleball Fall League**

November 3rd at Davis High School from 11:00 am—1:00 pm. All veterans and their families are invited to a lunch following the program.

**Veterans Day Program**

Will be open throughout the winter for camping reservations. Restrooms will be closed, however. A port a-potty will be onsite.

**Wilderness Campground**

Registration opens October 1st. Program includes charter bus transportation, lift ticket & 2-hour lesson with a professional instructor. Unsupervised ski/board time follows.

**Ski & Snowboard Program**

November 26 at City Center and Main Street. The public is invited to come enjoy hot cocoa & doughnuts. Join the community to cheer in the holiday season.

**Kaysville Light the City**

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KAYSVILLE POLICE DEPARTMENT

It’s no secret that Kaysville residents think the men and women who serve in their police force are the best. And KPD appreciates the support. Recently, there have been changes in the department. Here’s what you’ll want to know:

Congratulations to three great officers who retired in August. Officer Wilko, Officer Heslop, and Detective Moon each have at least twenty years of service as law enforcement officers. The KPD thanks them for their service to Kaysville City. Congratulations and best wishes in your future endeavors.

Assistant Chief Ellington was recently selected for the 40 Under 40 Leadership Award by the International Association of Chiefs of Police. The award recognizes 40 law enforcement professionals under the age of 40 from around the world who demonstrate leadership and exemplify commitment to their profession. See a full list of awardees at www.theiacp.org/40under40.

KPD congratulates Assistant Chief Ellington on this remarkable accomplishment. Kaysville City is fortunate to have him.

Kaysville City welcomes Officer Singleton, Officer Shelley, and Officer Freeman to the police department. New officers were sworn in at the city council meeting on September 6, 2018. Wish them luck in memorizing street names during the coming weeks!

As summer temperatures give way and autumn foliage progresses, public works wants to remind our friends and neighbors of a couple of items:

First, as a result of this tough water year, the secondary water companies that serve Kaysville will suspend their water season prematurely. Historically, Kaysville residents have counted on October 15th as the end of the water season, but this year that date was moved to October 1st. It is anticipated that at the end of this upcoming winter, reservoirs will be lower than they were this year. If 2019 is once again dry, there will be significant water shortages and more severe restrictions.

Second, Kaysville has historically sent crews out during fall and winter months to trim branches that extend over park strips, curb lines or asphalt. Crews try to trim up vertically for about 14 feet so that snow plows and garbage trucks can get close to the curbs without being damaged or causing damage. However, public works does not employ trained arborists. The past several years, crews have been met by residents expressing their preference to undertake the work themselves or hire a certified arborist to do it for them. As a result, this year public works will leave a notice at locations with overhanging branches, alerting property owners of the need and asking that trimming be done within a specific period of time. These notices will be left on the door or sent via mail.

Please let us know if you have any questions or concerns. Thanks!

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Retired Officers

New Officers

Ellington Award

Items from the Public Works Department

FIRE PREVENTION WEEK

Open House Oct 3rd
6:00–8:30 PM

Please come to an open house at the fire station (175 S Main Street) celebrating Fire Prevention Week. Take a tour of the fire station, see a medical helicopter and Utah State Highway Patrol crash sled. There will be giveaways. Bring a can of food for a ride in a fire truck.
Kaysville City is fortunate to have an abundance of qualified, willing volunteers to help with the business of running Kaysville.

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