

AT YOUR SERVICE

A bulletin of community news



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Join Our Team! Now Hiring

Are you or is someone you know looking for employment? Ogden City has a wide range of full-time and part-time jobs available. Apply today!

ogdencity.com/jobs

Need A Boost?

Visit the Weber-Morgan Health Department's website for vaccine facts, and to schedule your booster appointment today!

www.webermorganhealth.org

Discount Carbon Monoxide Detectors Available

Carbon Monoxide detectors are available for \$10 at the City Municipal Building with proof of Ogden City residency.

ogdencity.com/fire

Fair Housing

Everyone is protected under the fair housing Act of 1968!

www.hud.gov/fairhousing

Emergency Home Repairs

Loans are available for low income, owner-occupied households to correct unexpected emergency housing conditions.

801-629-8903

Own in Ogden

Own in Ogden down-payment assistance loans are available for qualifying individuals and properties.

801-629-8940

ogdencity.com/OwninOgden

HELP (Home Exterior Loan Program)

HELP provides low-interest home improvement loans for eligible projects to all qualifying citizens city-wide.

801-629-8940

ogdencity.com/HELP

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801.629.8000

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Ogden City Youth Council

Entering its second year of being thoroughly reorganized, the Ogden City Youth Council is already leaving its mark on the community. Among many projects, the Youth Council started the process of selecting a new flag to represent Ogden. They first reached out to Ogden area schools to receive flag design submissions from students. After submissions were opened to the public, the Youth Council spent hours reviewing over 200 flag designs. Using the five fundamental principles of good flag design, the Youth Council selected finalists to be recommended to the Ogden City Flag Design Committee. The committee is currently reviewing the flags and will submit a shorter list of designs to be considered by the Ogden City Council.

The Youth Council has also volunteered at the Lantern House and Ogden Nature Center and toured facilities like Weber County's election office, the Ogden City Public Safety Building, and others.

Similar activities and projects will take place over the school year. Follow the Ogden City Council on social media for updates throughout the year.

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Shop Local, Shop Small, Shop Ogden This Holiday Season

It is time to recommit to intentional support of Ogden's local and independently owned businesses this holiday season! Join Ogden Downtown Alliance and shop small this fall now through Small Business Saturday on November 26th. When you shop small, you keep your money in our economy, embrace the character of Downtown Ogden, help create local jobs, and more! To learn more about shifting your spending to support local, visit ogdendowntown.com/shopogden.

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Mayor's Awards In The Arts Honorees 2022

We would like to present the 2022 Honorees. The Mayor's Awards in the Arts program shines the light of recognition on local creatives and arts-based organizations that have been or are currently making a beneficial impact in Ogden. The following honorees will be recognized this month at the Mayor's Awards in the Arts.

- **Emerging Artist:** Leon Araujo
- **Literary Arts:** Sunni Wilkinson
- **Lifetime Contribution:** Caril Jennings
- **Arts in Education (Organization):** Imagine Music
- **Folk Art:** Roxanne Vigos
- **Arts in Education (Individual):** Logan Iverson
- **Extraordinary Contribution to the Arts:** Sara Meess

To learn more about the Mayor's Awards in the Arts, please visit:

ogdencity.com/mayorsawards



Recreation Reminders:

Boys Jr. Jazz Basketball 2023
Registration is open until 12/11/2022
Games start on 01/21/2023

Job opportunities available in Recreation!
Apply at ogdencity.com/jobs
ogdencity.com/Recreation

November

- 4 First Friday Art Stroll | Downtown 6 - 9 p.m.
- 9 Jazz At The Station | Union Station 7 - 8 p.m.
- 11 Veteran's Day - One day trash delay
- 24-25 Trash Delay - Due to the holiday, trash pickups normally scheduled for Thursday and Friday will be delayed by one day
- 24-25 Thanksgiving - Ogden Offices Closed
- 26 Holiday Electric Light Parade | Downtown 5:30 p.m.
Christmas Village Grand Opening | Ogden Municipal Gardens 6 p.m.

December

- 2 First Friday Art Stroll | Downtown 6 - 9 p.m.
- 14 Jazz At The Station | Union Station 7 - 8 p.m.
- 26 Christmas - Observed

See more at ogdencity.com/events

Did You Notice? I'm Recyclable!

The "At Your Service" Newsletter has lost some shine that you may have noticed on previous editions. Because of this change, this newsletter is now recyclable! It is also made with 35% recycled materials. Look for the recycling symbol on all future newsletter editions.

Volunteers Needed!

We want your help to make the Holiday Electric Light Parade amazing. Once all the slots are filled, sign-ups will be closed. Thank you for wanting to be part of this holiday tradition in Ogden.

ogdencity.givepulse.com/event/259311-Holiday-Electric-Light-Parade-Volunteers

Public Meetings - Details Available Online

City Council Meetings

Council Chambers | Tuesdays 6 p.m.

Ogden Trails Network

Public Works Building | Third Thursdays 4:30 p.m.

City Planning Commission

Municipal Building | First Wednesdays 5 p.m.

Ogden City Arts Advisory Committee Meetings

Virtual | Second Tuesdays 8:30 a.m.

Marshall White Advisory Committee Meetings

Virtual | Second Wednesdays 4:00 p.m.

Diversity Commission Meetings

Second Wednesdays 4:30 p.m.

Native American Heritage Month

On Tuesday, November 1, the Ogden City Council acknowledged November as Native American Heritage Month. It's a time to celebrate rich and diverse cultures, traditions, and histories, as well as acknowledge the important contributions of the original inhabitants of this land. Visit weber.edu/diversity for information about the 17th Annual Native American Symposium for events to commemorate the month.

weber.edu/diversity

Disposing of Fall Leaves

When leaves start to fall, it will be time to start thinking about what to do with them. Be aware while raking leaves this fall that it is a violation of illegal dumping and waterway blocking ordinances to sweep or push leaves into the gutter or onto the street. Fallen leaves can plug storm drains and will cause ice dams to form in the gutters when the weather freezes. Keep the gutter in front of your home clean. Dispose of green waste from seasonal yard cleanup such as branches, leaves, and grass clippings at Ogden City's Green Waste Facility (1845 Monroe Blvd). Residents who are unable to take their leaves to the Green Waste Facility should consider asking relatives, neighbors, or friends to assist them.



801-629-8271

ogdencity.com/GreenWaste

Emergency Preparedness: Winter Heating

It's the time of year when people begin heating their homes. Heating is the second leading cause of home fires after cooking. 84% of heating fires are confined to chimneys, flues, or fuel burners, and 29% of the non-confined home heating fires are because the heat source was too close to things that can burn. Ensure you inspect your furnace before starting it up for the first time.



- Clean or replace your furnace filters often
- Remove all flammable and combustible materials around the furnace
- Ensure your combustion air supply is free of obstructions
- Keep all return air, and heat registers clear
- Check the blower belt and replace it if frayed or cracked

Another issue with winter heating is Carbon Monoxide (CO). CO is a colorless, odorless, poisonous gas. More than 150 people in the US die yearly from accidental non-fire related CO poisoning associated with consumer products, including generators. Other products include faulty, improperly-used, or incorrectly-vented fuel-burning appliances such as furnaces, stoves, water heaters, and fireplaces. Breathing in CO at high levels can be fatal.

- Install and maintain CO alarms inside your home to provide early warning of CO
- Install CO alarms in a central location outside each separate sleeping area and on every level of your home.
- Use portable generators outdoors in well-ventilated areas away from all doors, windows, and vents.
- Ensure the dryer, furnace, stove, and fireplace vents are clear of snow and other debris.
- Remove vehicles from the garage immediately after starting.

If you do not have a CO detector or smoke alarm in your home, all city residents can buy 1 for \$10 at the Ogden City cashier's office with a water utility bill.

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