



October Calendar

- 6** General Plan Draft Open House at City Hall 6 - 9 pm
- 7** City Council Meeting at City Hall 7 pm
- 8** #TakePrideTooele Thursday Fall Clean Up Event
- 12** **Columbus Day**
City Offices Closed.
Garbage will still be picked up this day.
- 14** Planning Commission Meeting at City Hall 7 pm
- 21** City Council Meeting at City Hall 7 pm
- 23-30** Haunted Historic Park a Free Family Halloween Event
- 28** Planning Commission Meeting at City Hall 7 pm
- 31** **Halloween**

Fire Prevention Week is October 4 - 10, 2020.



There will NOT be a public Fire Prevention Open House this year.



Thank you, Tooele City residents, for your patience and cooperation during this unprecedented time. At the time of this publication, we are still in the Low Restriction (yellow) phase. Please continue to follow the public health protocols to keep the dial moving forward and to prevent it from turning back. You can find the guidelines on our website tooelecitey.org or at coronavirus.utah.org. As information continues to change so frequently and rapidly, we encourage you to follow us on social media sites for updates.



From the Mayor....

It looks as though the weather is finally changing and we can expect lower temperatures. While the City has experienced issues with a few of our wells the past few months, our excellent water department employees have supplied us with the needed water for use in our homes and in our yards. I appreciate your cooperation during this time as you follow the water conservation schedule.

Construction of the additional pickleball courts at Elton Park has begun and is expected to be completed by the end of October. I am thrilled to see so many individuals and families getting out and using the courts that were installed last year. The additional lighting installed this past spring enables people to play later in the day. Engineers are working to design additions to the England Acres Park and work is expected to begin next spring on that site.

Security cameras are currently being installed at the Dow James Building. A grant was secured by the police department to pay for these cameras. The restrooms have been



MAYOR DEBBIE WINN

repaired and put back into use after many years of being closed. We will now be able to keep an eye on the building for vandalism. It is difficult to understand why anyone would

damage properties that are intended to be used by the public to enhance our quality of life. I appreciate the residents who keep an eye on their neighborhoods and city properties and report any suspicious activity.

I encourage the public to attend the next Tooele City General Plan Open House which will be held on Tuesday, October 6th from 6 p.m.—9 p.m. We want to hear from you! Many thanks to the City Staff and Planning Commission members who have worked hard to review the plan and will be here at the open house to share their vision. You can also take a look at the plan on our website and give feedback online www.tooelecitey.org

As always, if you have questions or concerns, please reach out to me at my office at 435-843-2104 or by email at dwinnto@tooelecitey.org. Thank you!



HAUNTED HISTORIC PARK

at the **TOOELE VALLEY MUSEUM & HISTORICAL PARK**

FREE FAMILY EVENT OCTOBER 23 - 30, 2020

Come enjoy fun and spooky Halloween displays as you walk through our Haunted Historic Park with your family! Registration is required for this event. Register your family at tooelecitey.org.

For more information or to sign up as a sponsor or volunteer, please contact terras@tooelecitey.org or 435-843-2142.

Due to concerns surrounding COVID-19 we will not be holding our annual Downtown Trick-or-Treat on Main Street or the annual Family Halloween Carnival this year, but we hope you will join us at the Haunted Historic Park! This event is for people of all ages! We encourage our local businesses who usually participate in our annual Halloween events to be a sponsor at this "spook-tacular" event!

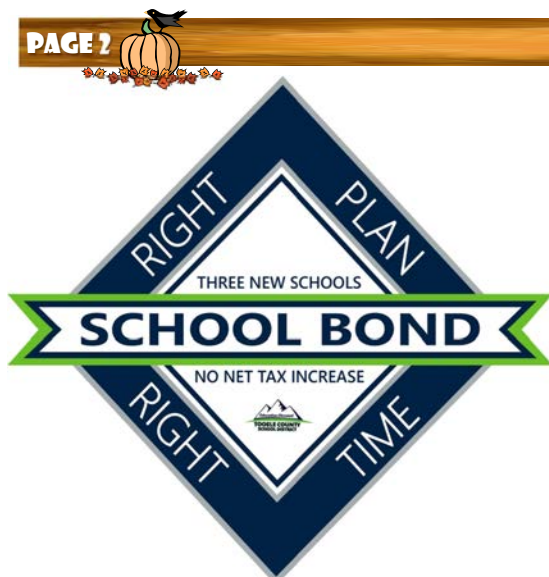


Happy Halloween! 

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CITY OFFICES WILL BE CLOSED
 ON COLUMBUS DAY,
 OCTOBER 12, 2020
 GARBAGE COLLECTION IS SCHEDULED
 FOR REGULAR PICKUP SERVICES.





Tooele County School District will have a school bond on the November 3, 2020 election ballot to build three new schools.

- Elementary School in Grantsville
- Junior High School in Stansbury Park
- High School in North Tooele

Because the District has other existing bonds that will reduce over time, it is expected there will be **NO ADDITIONAL TAX INCREASE** to home, business, and land owners if voters approve the 2020 school bond.

Right Plan - Right Time

For more information go to tiny.cc/TCSDBond or email bond@tooeleschools.org

Dreaming of Owning Your OWN Home?

Tooele County Housing Authority MUTUAL SELF HELP PROGRAM



OWN a home with 30 hours work per week in about a year.

- Your “sweat equity” acts as down payment.
- Work together with other families to build your home.
- No construction experience required.
- The homes are well built, attractive and energy efficient.

If your household income is at least \$30,000 a year, owning your own home is within your reach. Interest rates can be as low as 1%.

**LIMITED OPPORTUNITY!
CALL NOW TO SECURE
YOUR SPACE.**
(435) 882-7875 EXT. 126



GENERAL PLAN DRAFT

OPEN HOUSE
October 6, 2020
6:00 - 9:00 PM
TOOELE CITY HALL
90 N. MAIN ST.

We want your input! Tooele City is in the process of revising and modernizing our General Plan. The Planning Commission is entrusted by Utah State Law to oversee and guide this process. The Planning Commission has been working for more than nine months on the development of new elements that have become draft of the General Plan. The Commission has held a joint meeting with the City Council to go over the draft and it is now ready for public review and comment. Copies of the draft General Plan are available at City Hall as well as electronically through the City's website at www.tooelecity.org for review and comment. Please join us at our open house to review, discuss, and comment on the General Plan. There will also be scheduled public hearings before both the Planning Commission and the City Council later in the year. We greatly encourage all interested citizens to participate! We want to hear your thoughts on the General Plan as we look into the future for our community. Comments and feedback can also be submitted by email at generalplancomment@tooelecity.org.

DON'T FEED THE WILD ANIMALS!

- If you feed wild animals it causes them to congregate in your neighborhood.
- If you congregate wildlife, such as turkey and deer, it significantly increases the chances for disease transmission. It is better for their health if you don't congregate/feed them.



- If you feed wild animals and bring them closer to town, it causes issues and creates a situation where DWR must relocate them.
- Congregating turkey and deer brings in their predators.
- There is plenty of food outside of City limits that animals can feed on. The animals will not go hungry even if you don't feed them. Biologists are continually watching for the welfare of the animals.
- There are many online resources available to help you learn how to detract deer from your yard. Learn what vegetation you can plant that deer do not prefer and learn how to “Landscape for Wildlife”.
- One suggestion is to put deer fencing up around your garden and the vegetation that the deer love to eat.
- For more information contact DWR at 801-491-5678.
- If you see wildlife that has been hit and is on the road, please contact dispatch at 435-882-5600, or DWR, to report the address where the animal is laying and DWR will come and pick up the animal.



**TOOELE COUNTY
CHAMBER AND TOURISM**

Meet the Candidates Luncheon

Wednesday, October 7th

Noon

FACEBOOK LIVE

<https://www.facebook.com/tooelechamber>

Due to COVID-19, grab your lunch and sit back to relax in your own environment to watch live!

These are the State & Local Leaders that affect us the most! Come and hear what they have to say and why you should vote for them!

NOVEMBER GENERAL ELECTION
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2020

VOTER AND ELECTION INFORMATION IS AVAILABLE ONLINE AT:

Vote.Utah.gov

OR ON THE TOOELE COUNTY CLERK'S WEBSITE

<https://tooeleco.org/tooele-county-government/elected-officials/tooele-county-clerk/elections/>

TOOELE COUNTY IS VOTING BY MAIL!
IF YOU ARE AN ACTIVE REGISTERED VOTER, YOUR BALLOT WILL AUTOMATICALLY BE MAILED OUT TO YOU BETWEEN OCTOBER 13 AND OCTOBER 27, 2020.

DEADLINE TO REGISTER TO VOTE
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 23, 2020 AT 5PM

IF YOU HAVE QUESTIONS OR NEED MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CONTACT THE TOOELE COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE AT 435-843-3140.

INTERESTED IN LAW ENFORCEMENT?

Come learn about the Tooele City Police Department Explorers Program during an open house on

FRIDAY OCT. 16 at 6 p.m.



Tooele City Police Department
50 North Garden Street, Tooele

The Exploring program is a career based learning program for youth ages 14-21 interested in law enforcement careers. Explorers have the opportunity to meet with Police Officers every week to learn about law enforcement, as well as many other emergency management professions.

Please follow Covid-19 recommendations and wear a mask when attending.



Thank you to Anna Mae Droz and Kari Campbell for organizing an Officer Appreciation and Community Thank You Luncheon for the Tooele City Police Department in August! Your support and kindness is appreciated! Pictured left to right: Officer Mableson, Mayor Winn, Anna Mae Droz, Kari Campbell, and Officer Borders.



Coming soon!
Six additional
Pickleball Courts
at Elton Park!

Elton Park Pickleball Courts
425 East Birch Street, Tooele

Get out and enjoy the nice weather while it lasts! New to Pickleball? Don't have pickleball equipment? No problem! Visit the Tooele City Library online at tooelelibrary.org, and with your library card you can get check out pickleball equipment!

Kids Holiday Craft Pick-Up

October 8—HALLOWEEN
PICK-UP BETWEEN 4:00-5:00 PM
TOOELE CITY HALL (90 N. MAIN ST.)

\$5.00 PER MONTH
EACH MONTH YOU WILL RECEIVE SUPPLIES
TO CREATE 2 HOLIDAY CRAFTS AT HOME.



REGISTER AT TOOELECIITY.ORG
SPACE IS LIMITED!
QUESTIONS CALL 435-830-2458

#TAKEPRIDETOOELE *ball cleanup*

Fall is the perfect time to show your pride in Tooele City. Join us for our October cleanup project.

**THURSDAY,
OCTOBER 8, 2020**

Time and place of the cleanup will be available on our website at tooelecity.org and the Tooele City Facebook page. For more information please email terras@tooelecity.org.



MEDICARE

OPEN ENROLLMENT IS HERE.

This is your chance to look at all of your Medicare plan choices like prescription drug plans and Medicare Advantage plans from private insurers.

OCTOBER
15


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DECEMBER
7

For local assistance call Tooele County Aging Services (435) 277-2420




When disaster strikes, you may not have much time to respond. Learn how quick and easy it is to become better prepared to face a range of emergencies anytime, anywhere. Visit TOOELEREADY.ORG for a guide to create your own emergency plan. Use the checklists to build emergency supplies, a first aid kit, and an important documents kit. Learn about the hazards and disasters that might affect your family and then prepare accordingly. These basic steps will help you take care of yourself and your loved ones during an emergency!



FULFILLING OUR PROMISES TO THE MEN AND WOMEN WHO SERVED

The local chapter of the Disabled American Veterans (DAV) meets the 3rd Thursday of each month at 7:00 p.m. at the Tooele Pioneer Museum located at 47 E. Vine St., Tooele (rear basement entrance). **No meetings are held in July or December.** For more info., contact Commander Penny Larsen at 801-644-6002 or 801-359-8168 or Adjutant Curtis G. Beckstrom at 435-840-0547. Serving American veterans & their families.

LIFEGUARDS

Get certified to become a lifeguard and work at the Pratt Aquatic Center! Class starts October 5th at 7pm. Register online at tooelecity.org.

Swim Lesson start October 12th.
Classes at 5pm and 5:45pm

Pratt Aquatic Center
55 N. 200 W., Tooele
435-882-3247

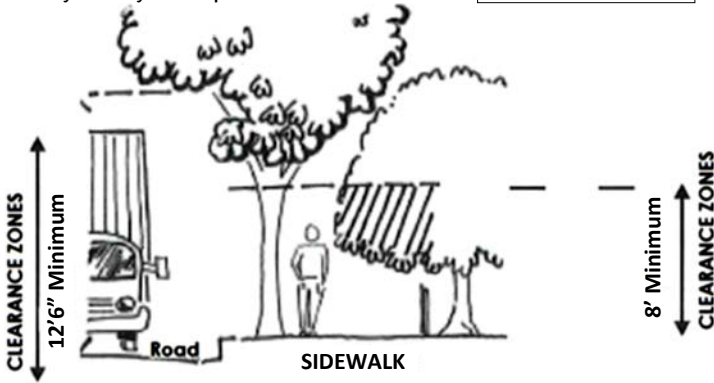
Tree Maintenance

While trees and vegetation contribute to the beauty of our neighborhoods and community, they may also create unintended obstacles and hazards when not maintained properly. Trees that hang over the street or over the sidewalk can create nuisances and in some cases hazards. Please maintain the trees on your property, particularly the trees in the park strips, to make sure your trees are not creating some of these issues:

- Damage to vehicles, particularly large vehicles such as snowplows and garbage trucks;
- Injury to persons;
- Blocked mailboxes;
- Blocked sidewalks;
- Blocked streetlights, markers and signs.

Thank you for your help!

Questions?
Please call the
Tooele City
Public Works Dept.
at 435-843-2130.



TRASH/DEBRIS:

Tooele City Code Section 8-4-4 1(b) and (e) states trash/debris will be deemed a nuisance if: (b) the accumulation of garbage, refuse, or unsightly or deleterious objects or structures upon real property, unless contained in connection with an association lawfully situated and licensed for the same; (e) any other unsightly or deleterious condition that gives rise to a threat to human health or safety. Any garbage/debris/unsightly objects must be properly disposed of within a timely manner.

Tooele City provides a **BULK WASTE PICKUP PROGRAM** to help you dispose of items which do not normally fit into your trash container. The pick up day is once a month based on your regular trash pick up day. There is no additional cost to use this program. Please do not put items for bulk waste out on the curb more than 24 hours in advance. You can find the pick-up schedule and more information on our website tooelecity.org.

INOPERABLE/ABANDONED VEHICLES:

Tooele City Code Section 8-4-4 1(c) and (d) states that junked, wrecked, or inoperable vehicles may not be kept upon real property for longer than 72 hours. Only two inoperable motor vehicles may be kept upon real property if they are placed behind a screened fence, or in an enclosed building. Vehicle coverings are not considered in compliance with this code.

During the month of August, our Code Enforcement Department was busy working on enforcement—they opened 40 new cases and closed 57 cases. Thank you to our residents for doing your part to help keep our City clean and beautiful!

The full text of the above referenced City Codes can be found on our website tooelecity.org. You may also contact the Tooele City Code Enforcement Officer at 435-843-2164 if you have questions or for more information.



Have you ever wondered who is responsible when your sewer lateral or water service line needs repair? City Code 8-6-13 states "All building sewers, including the connection to the POTW sewer, shall be maintained by the property owner". Property owners

are responsible for their own sewer laterals up to the wye connection to the main sewer line. City Code 9-4-6 states "Tooele City shall maintain the service pipe from the main line to and including the water meter and other apparatus within the meter box." Property owners are responsible for their own water lines from the meter box connection into the property and structure. Did you know that Utah law requires the City to educate the citizens on this? If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the Public Works Department at 435-843-2130.



NEW Snow Event Parking Restrictions
In May of this year, the City Council voted to change the winter parking ordinance.

Tooele City Code 10-3-6. Snow Event Parking Restrictions reads:
1) It shall be unlawful to park a vehicle on any public right-of-way:
(a) when snow is falling upon that vehicle; or,
(b) when snow or ice have accumulated in any amount on the right-of-way upon which that vehicle is parked.

The full text of the above referenced City Code can be found on our website tooelecity.org. More detailed information will be included in next month's newsletter.

Tooele City Library

128 West Vine Street, Tooele
(435) 882-2182 | www.tooelelibrary.org

VIRTUAL STORY TIME: Wednesdays at 11:00 am.
Find a link to attend at tooelelibrary.org

October 7 to November 18: LEAP INTO LEARNING — A 6 WEEK VIRTUAL EARLY LITERACY CLASS
Wednesdays at 10:00 am
Early Literacy virtual program for children ages 4-5 years old. Your class meets weekly in a virtual setting for songs, stories, literacy skills and learning fun. This program requires internet access and a device with a camera and microphone. Pick up your *Leap Into Learning* literacy kit on Wednesday, September 30th at 12:00 pm. You will receive an email with login and program information following registration. Space is limited. Register here>>> <https://forms.gle/Krw8kYTojacXqDy39>

Thursday, October 8: TEEN TIME—Gilded Bugs Faux Taxidermy (Teen Curbside Kit). Registration required.

Monday, October 12: Closed for Columbus Day

Friday, October 16: ADULTS AFTER HOURS ONLINE—Bullet Journaling. Registration required. Space Limited.

Friday, October 16: STEAM ACTIVITY CURBSIDE KIT for KIDS—Bone Bridges. Registration required.

Monday, October 19 • 1:30 – 6:30 pm: BLOOD DRIVE. Make your donation appointment at www.redcrossblood.org.

Monday, October 19 • 6:00 pm: FAMILY EVENT—MONSTER BOOK WALK

Thursday, October 22: TEEN TIME—Murder at the Pizzeria: Murder Mystery Online Event. Reg. required.

Thursday, October 29 • 11:00 am: JUMPSTART STORYTIME ONLINE "Evelyn Del Rey is Moving Away"

NEW! EARLY LITERACY PROGRAM SPARK SETS NOW AVAILABLE FOR CHECK OUT. These spark sets are DIY and are a mirror image of our early literacy programs with various themes within 3 developmental age groups: Baby Bookworms (0–24 months), Wiggle Worms (2–3 years), and Story Time (4–6 years).

Business License Required

Anyone offering a "Service" from their home, for compensation, requires a Tooele City Business License. If you have any questions regarding obtaining a business license, please call (435) 843-2110 or e-mail lisac@tooelecity.org for more info.

DOOR-TO-DOOR SALESMEN

ALL door-to-door sales persons (Itinerant / Transient Merchants) must be licensed with Tooele City and must have a **2020 YELLOW Tooele City ID Badge** on and in plain sight. If a salesperson isn't wearing a badge, please call 435-843-2110 or Dispatch at 435-882-5600 (after 5 p.m. and on weekends). We will need a description of the individual, along with the direction they are headed. Thank you.

