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Monthly Newsletter of Tooele City



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Mayor Debbie Winn

MAYOR'S MESSAGE MAYOR DEBBIE WINN

December was a busy month for Tooele City! I had the privilege, along with the City Council, staff and employees, and many of you, to cut the ribbon and open two new beautiful facilities!

We opened the Headworks Building at the Water Reclamation Facility on December 4, 2024. The new building was announced in 2022. Work began on the building in 2023. The new facility is rated at around 12 million gallons per day compared to the old facility, which was rated at 3.4 million gallons per day. This \$6.9 million facility was paid for with ARPA funds,

sewer impact fees, and sewer enterprise funds. This was a great accomplishment to not have to bond to pay for this building. The Headworks Building plays a crucial role in the wastewater treatment process. As the first stop for all incoming wastewater, this facility ensures that debris, grit, and other non-organic materials are effectively removed, protecting downstream systems and improving the efficiency of the treatment process. This project is not just about infrastructure—it's about responsibility and ensuring our water systems are equipped to meet the challenges of today and tomorrow. Clean water and effective wastewater management are essential to public health, economic vitality, and environmental protection. This facility is a significant step forward for Tooele City, reflecting a commitment to modernization, sustainability, and preparedness for a stronger future for our community.

On Monday, December 16, 2024, we opened the new Parks & Recreation and Cemetery Office Building located at 255 South 100 East. The Parks Office, including the Community Engagement Division, Cemetery Office, and the Tooele City Arts Council Office and Classes will now be located at the new building.



Tooele City Council



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City Council meetings are generally held the 1st and 3rd Wednesdays of every month at Tooele City Hall. Meetings are open to the public and are also streamed live on YouTube (Search "Tooele City Channel"). Meeting agendas, minutes, and video links for the meetings are available on our website tooelecity.gov.

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In 2021, Tooele City purchased the old medical clinic from Mountain West Medical Center and we began renovations. Much of the work was completed by Tooele City employees, saving taxpayer dollars. This approximately \$1.5 million project was funded through Capital Improvement funds and PAR funds. The new building is a great asset for our community, offering expanded space for residents, staff, and visitors alike. There are 2 new community rooms available for public rentals and your future gatherings!

The Cemetery Office, previously located in the house on 100 East, will now be fully ADA accessible to better serve our residents, visitors, and employees.

This project would not have been possible without the dedication and support of many individuals, and we extend our heartfelt thanks to everyone who contributed to bringing this vision to life.

We will continue to work hard for you, our residents. There will be many more projects, events, and activities for all of us to look forward to in 2025! I would like to wish each of you a Happy New Year! May this new year be full of joy, success, and prosperity.

~Mayor Debbie Winn

ATTENTION IMPORTANT NOTICE!

Tooele City Parks and Recreation Office is moving from City Hall to our new facility!

255 South 100 East Tooele, Utah 84074

Our friendly staff will be ready to serve you starting Wednesday, December 18, 2024.
Online reservations will not be interrupted during our move. If you have any questions or need assistance, please call our staff at 435-843-2143.
We look forward to seeing you soon!

We are excited to announce two new community rooms for public rentals and your future gatherings! Watch for more information.





Snow Event Parking Restrictions and Winter Weather Reminders



Snow Event Parking Restrictions

Tooele City Code 10-3-6(1) states: "10-3-6. Snow Event Parking Restrictions"

- (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.
- (2) Any vehicle parked in violation of this Section may be removed at the discretion of the Tooele City Police Department for creating public safety risks and for obstructing the City's snow removal efforts.
- (3) The following are exempt from this Section:
 - (a) Emergency vehicles and personnel in the performance of their functions and duties; and,
 - (b) Tooele City public works vehicles and employees in the performance of their functions and duties.

Do not park your vehicles on the street when snow is falling or when snow or ice have accumulated.

City Ordinances can be found on our website at tooelecity.gov > Our Government > City Code

Snow parking restrictions will be enforced. You may be ticketed if you are in violation of this ordinance.

The civil penalty for parking violations during a snow event is \$50 if paid within 15 days, and \$100 thereafter.

Thank you for your help and cooperation!



As the winter months approach, we want to remind you that residential and business sidewalks must be cleared of snow, hail, ice, and sleet within 24 hours after a storm stops. This is especially important in areas that are school walking routes! Tooele City Code 4-11-15(1) states: "It is unlawful for any person owning or exercising control over any real property abutting any public sidewalk to fail

to remove or cause to be removed from such sidewalk all hail, snow, or sleet falling thereon, or ice forming thereon, within 24 hours after such hail, snow, or sleet has ceased falling or ice has ceased forming."

When the snow falls, don't let our students fall! Please keep all sidewalks that border your property clear, including the sidewalk in your backyard along the street (double frontage—see article below)! We need your help especially along school walking routes!

Do not place or propel snow, hail, ice and sleet in a roadway or other portions of sidewalks. Tooele City Code 4-11-15(2) states: "It is unlawful for any person to place or propel, or cause to be placed or

propelled, snow, ice, hail, or sleet in the public way or in any manner which poses a hazard to vehicular or pedestrian traffic."

Please be courteous to your neighbors, do not blow leaves, snow or other debris into their yards.

Have questions or concerns? Please contact our Ordinance Compliance Division at 435-843-2132.



DOUBLE FRONTAGE LOTS — STREET/SIDEWALK ABUTS THE BACK OF THE PROPERTY

WHAT IS A DOUBLE FRONTAGE LOT?

A double frontage lot is defined as a lot that has primary frontage, the street in front of your property, and also has secondary frontage which is an additional street that abuts your property (Tooele City Code 7-19-7.1). This usually means that your lot has a street in the front and back of your property. If you have a double frontage lot, you are responsible to keep the sidewalk at the back of your property clean, in addition to the sidewalk in front of your property.

Please remember that Tooele City Code 4-11-19 requires that residential and business sidewalks must be cleared of obstructions such as, but not limited to garbage, plants, leaves, dirt, and construction materials. Tooele City Code also requires that snow, hail, ice, and sleet be removed within 24 hours after a storm stops.

The responsibility to keep sidewalks clear also applies to sidewalks on corner lots as well as double frontage lots. If you have a corner lot, you are responsible to keep the sidewalk on the side of your property clean in addition to the sidewalk in front of your property.

Please help keep Tooele City safe and clean by making sure that your sidewalks are clear for pedestrian traffic. Thank you!





NINETY NORTH MAIN



TOOELE CITY PROJECTS UPDATE

Work continues through the winter months for our crews. If you have questions about any of these projects, please contact the Public Works Department at 435-843-2130.

200 West and Utah Avenue All-Way Stop:

Upon completion of a traffic study on this intersection, it was determined that this intersection warranted an all-way stop. Stop signs were added to Utah Avenue at 200 West at the end of December.

520 East 1000 North Traffic Signal:

This project is in its construction phase. You will continue to see activity in this intersection over the next several months.

As our community continues to grow, ensuring safety on our roads remains a top priority. Many residents have asked how decisions are made about where to install traffic signals or all-way stops. The process is rooted in thorough traffic studies and adherence to established safety warrants. These studies evaluate factors such as traffic volume, pedestrian activity, and accident history to determine where additional traffic controls are necessary. We understand that waiting for these measures can be frustrating, and we greatly appreciate the patience of our residents as we work to make our roadways safer for everyone. As always, please always use caution and stay alert when driving.

Droubay Road:

The road is paved and open for travel. Contractors will continue work in the area. They will be cleaning up, grading, and placing rock in the landscape areas.

New Streetlights:

10 new streetlights are scheduled to be installed in the following areas: 4 new lights on Valley View Dr. and 6 new lights in the Nottingham Dr./Upland Dr. area. Park Strip Tree Trimming:

As weather allows, the Streets Department will continue working on trimming trees in park strips through the winter. We encourage residents to trim their own park strip trees to allow larger vehicles like snowplows to get closer to the curb without the trees causing damage to the vehicles. Recommended minimum clearance for trimming trees is 12' 6" over the street and 8' over sidewalks. This is what one resident had to say about our tree maintenance program...

"I'd like to thank the Tooele Public Works department for providing tree maintenance this year. This service is a great help to residents. Yesterday your crew worked on the trees in our park strip, and I am impressed with their courteous, helpful, and professional work in our yard and throughout our neighborhood. I think that citizens want to comply with city regulations for tree clearance, but most of us lack the equipment to handle removal and disposal of high, large branches. Thank you so much for the help!" ~J. Hansen



FROM THE FINANCE DEPARTMENT

The Tooele City Council recently received the annual audit report from the independent auditing firm, Larson & Company, CPA's. On December 4, 2024, Jon Haderlie of Larson & Company presented the City's financial statements and

annual audit report, which concluded with a **clean, or unmodified, opinion**—the best possible outcome an audit can provide.

This clean opinion means the auditor is fully satisfied with Tooele City's financial reporting. The City complies with all required accounting standards and laws, and no errors or issues were found during the audit process.

We are pleased to share this positive result and are committed to maintaining high standards of fiscal responsibility and financial management. By continuing to adhere to sound financial practices, we strive to earn and uphold the trust of our community in how we manage taxpayer dollars.

You can find a copy of the audit report on our website at tooelecity.gov.

Do you have questions about Medicare?









Certified Counselors are here to answer your Medicare questions!

> Get free, unbiased, & confidential

> > help.

435-277-2420

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Tooele County Aging Services for questions or to schedule an appointment

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Home Energy Assistance Target (HEAT) Program

The HEAT Program provides year-round energy assistance for eligible low income households throughout Utah. You may qualify for HEAT when you apply for the HEAT Program. The program year begins October 1st and ends the following September 30th of each year or when federal LIHEAP funds are exhausted, whichever comes first. Apply online at jobs.utah.gov/heat.

For more information and to apply go to jobs.utah.gov/heat



Visit tooelecrc.org to learn more about the resources offered in our community and how you can donate or volunteer today!

Services Provided through the Community Resource Center (34 S. Main Street, Tooele) and Harris Community Village (251 North 1st Street, Tooele):

- Emergency Shelter: A safe and respectful shelter for individuals and families experiencing homelessness.
- Emergency Food Pantry: Open Monday–Friday from 10 AM–4:30 PM (Wednesdays until 6 PM).
- **Thrift Store:** Sells donated clothing and household items at affordable prices.
- Child Care: Stepping Stones Child Care is a fully licensed, 24 hour child care center that operates on the Harris Community Village campus.
- Other Available Services: Case Management, Assistance with Social Services Applications, Educational Assistance, and Mental Health Services.





128 W. Vine St. | (435) 882-2182 | library.tooelecity.gov

Tooele City Library • Free Events • January 2025

OPENING LATE:

On Monday, January 6 and Tuesday, January 7, the Library Staff will be in training, so on those two mornings the Library will be opening at 11:30 a.m. instead of at 10:00 a.m. Thank you for your patience!

FAMILIES:

Duck Hunt throughout the month of January!

Join us for a Duck Hunt! For all ages. Starting on January 6, there will be 3 rubber ducks hidden in the library every week. Twelve ducks will be hidden throughout the month. If you find one, you can keep it! Come show us your prize and have your picture taken with a special sign.

Kids

Enjoy all of our regular kids programs beginning January 8th
Wiggle Worms • Baby Bookworms • Storytime • Wacky Wednesdays
More Info & Register Here >> https://linktr.ee/tooelecitylibrary



Stuffed Animal Sleepover is back!: January 14 & January 15 Drop off your stuffed animal for an overnight adventure! Leave your stuffed animal overnight at the library Tuesday, January 14. Drop off time between 3:00 - 6:00 p.m. Pick your stuffed animal up Wednesday, January 15 at 1:00 p.m. and watch the movie of overnight shenanigans! For children ages 3-11.

TEENS & TWEENS:

More Info & Register Here >> https://linktr.ee/TooeleCityLibraryTeens Supplies are limited.

- D&D Club Vision Boards: Thursday, January 9 4:00 p.m. This event is for TEENS (12-18 years old) only.
- D&D Club Comedy Night: Thursday, January 16 4:00 p.m. This event is for TEENS & TWEENS (9-18 years old) only.
- D&D Club Mythology Jeopardy: Thursday, Jan. 23 4:00 p.m. This event is for TEENS (12-18 years old) only.
- D&D Club Bridges & Basilisks: Tuesday, January 28 4:00 p.m.
 This event is for TEENS (12-18 years old) only.
- D&D Club Winter Crafts: Thursday, January 30 4:00 p.m. This event is for TEENS & TWEENS (9-18 years old) only.

Brain Teaser Scavenger Hunt: Teen Area Activity

Solve the nine brain teasers or find the answers hidden in the Junior & YA areas of the library. Bring your solved brain teasers to the front desk for a prize! Made for Teens & Tweens ages 9-18.

ADULT:

Recipe Sharing: Adult Area Activity

Share your favorite recipes with us and learn new recipes from other members of the community!

After Hours Book Club: Monday, January 31 • 6:30 p.m.

Come and discuss your latest read! The genre of the month is listed on the registration form. Registration is required. This event is for ADULTS (19+ years old) only. Supplies are limited.

Register Here >> https://linktr.ee/TooeleCityLibrary

Digital Me Workshop: Monday, March 10 • 3:30 - 5:30 p.m.

"Don't Get Scammed! Protect Yourself from Fraud" Call the Library to register and get more information.

CLOSED:

January 1, 2025 New Years Day

January 20, 2025 Martin Luther King, Jr. Day



PRATT AQUATIC CENTER 55 N. 200 W., Tooele | 435-882-3247 pool.tooelecity.gov

Look What We Offer!

- Public Swimming
- Lap Swimming
- Current/Water Walking
- Water Aerobic Classes
- Birthday Parties & Facility Rentals
- Swimming Lessons Year Round
- Lifeguard Training
- Water Polo Nights
- Competitive Swimming

Register online for all lessons at pool.tooelecity.gov

Extra Public Swimming Hours

Wednesdays and Fridays from 1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. (The 3rd Friday of each month 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. only)

January Group Swim Lessons

Next session January 13 – January 23, 2025 5:00 p.m. and 5:45 p.m. Monday - Thursday Register online at pool.tooelecity.gov

Private Lessons

Saturdays 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

This month only! Extra lessons on Friday, January 3 from 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Adult Swim Lessons

Saturdays at 12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m. Adult swim lessons are semi private. \$10 per lesson.



Polar Plunge

Free Family Activity! Free Swimming! Monday, January 13, 2025, at 6:30 p.m. Register online at tooelecity.gov/fun.



HONORING TRADITION

Although there have been many changes in our Fire Department over the years. some traditions stand the test of time. One cherished annual tradition is delivering poinsettias to the widows of our past firefighters. This heartfelt gesture honors the memory of those who served and reminds their families that they remain part of our Fire Department family. It's a small but meaningful way we continue to celebrate the legacy of service

and support that defines us.

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Pictured: Fire Chief Matt McCoy and LaNile Bracken

TOOELE CITY RESIDENTS—WE WANT YOUR INPUT!

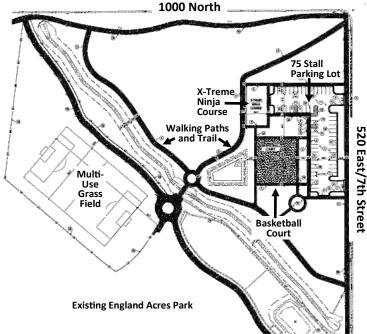


Tooele City's Economic Development Department is in the process of updating the City's current Economic Development Strategic Plan. We are seeking input from the community on how we can best shape our updated strategic plan, from jobs to retail to overall quality of life, we want to hear

from you! Please take the survey using the QR Code or this link https://forms.gle/11xeyJqxtDUJ8TwZ8. The survey is open until January 15, 2025. Please reach out to John Perez, Tooele City Economic Development Director at johnp@tooelecity.gov with any questions.

ENGLAND ACRES PARK PHASE 3

Work on England Acres Park Phase 3 will resume in the Spring when the weather allows. Phase 3 will include a new basketball court, an X-Treme Ninja Course, an additional multi-use field, a new 75 stall parking lot off of 7th Street, and additional walking paths and trail. This phase is anticipated to be complete by end of year 2025.



TOOELE CITY ARTS COUNCIL

2025 GRANT APPLICATIONS

Grant applications now open for nonprofit organizations whose primary purpose is to promote, advance, and preserve the arts in Tooele City. The application deadline is January 6, 2025. Applications are available at tooelecityartscouncil.org.

JANUARY 2025 ART CLASSES

Visit <u>tooelecityartscouncil.org</u> for more information about the art classes and craft workshops being offered by the Tooele City Arts Council. Classes will begin again on January 13, 2025.

FRIDAYS ON VINE BAND APPLICATIONS

Now taking applications for bands who would like to be considered for our 2025 Summer Concert Series, Fridays on Vine. Application deadline is January 31, 2025. Applications available at **tooelecityartscouncil.org**.



4TH OF JULY VENDORS!

We are now accepting vendors for the 4th of July festivities. For more information and to register, visit tooelecity.gov/4th. Questions? Call 435-843-2141.

Tooele City Parks & Recreation Department Information and Free Events & Activities!



January 2 - 31: Walking at Dow James Building Come in from the cold and walk weekday mornings at the Dow James Building (438 W. 400 N.). Monday— Friday 7:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. The building may not be available some days due to rentals/events/holidays.



January 2: Online Registration/Reservations
Online reservations open for park pavilions. Visit our
website tooelecity.gov. Elton Park Softball Field tentative reservation requests will be taken beginning January
2. Call Louise for more information at 435-843-2142.



January 2: Indoor Pickleball at Dow James every Tuesday and Thursday in January

Bring your pickleball equipment and come in from the cold to play every Tuesday and Thursday morning from 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. at the Dow James Building (438 West 400 North). No registration required.



January 3: Family Activity—Skate Night "Rolling in the New Year" from 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. at the Community Center (102 North 7th Street). Pre-Registration is required at tooelecity.gov/fun. For families of all ages!



January 8, 15, and 22: Toddler Time

Come giggle, sing, run, and play! We will have a different activity for your toddler to participate in each week. This program is for parents and children ages 1-6 and will be held at the Community Center (102 North 7th Street) from 10:00 a.m. - 10:45 a.m. Registration is required at tooelecity.gov/fun. Space is limited!



January 13: Family Activity—Polar Plunge
Free Public Swimming at the Pratt Aquatic Center
(55 North 200 West) from 6:30—8:30 p.m. Games,
Photo Op with Polar Bear, and Fun! Pre-Registration is
required at tooelecity.gov/fun.



January 22: Game Day

At the Community Center (102 North 7th Street) from 1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. No registration required. Open for all ages. Adult must be present.



Please call our Parks & Recreation Department at 435-843-2143 if you have questions or need more information about our activities.



Rock the Ritz Band Search: Concert Series Going on now through March 31, 2025!

Live Music "Runaway Fire"

Saturday, January 18, 2025 7:00 p.m. Ritz Theatre 111 North Main Street, Tooele

Get tickets online for only \$10 tooelecityartscouncil.org

Questions?
Call 435-830-2458 or email
info@tooelecityartscouncil.com.

Holiday Trash Pick up Schedule

Please watch our website and social media sites for the garbage collection schedule throughout the year. In January, garbage will not be picked on Wednesday, January 1, 2025 (New Years Day) or on Monday, January 20, 2025 (Martin Luther King, Jr. Day). Garbage pick up will be delayed those weeks by one day beginning with the holidays.



Residents are encouraged to dispose of their Christmas trees by placing them at the curbside on their bulky waste pick up day. In addition to Christmas trees, other acceptable items include: old appliances, furniture, carpet, couches, and mattresses. All items must be bagged, boxed, or bundled. All boxes, bags, or bundles must weigh less than 75 lbs. Visit tooelecity.gov/bulkywaste for bulky waste guidelines. If you have any guestions about what is or is not an acceptable bulky waste item, please contact ACE Disposal at 435-882-7009 or contact the Tooele City Finance Dept. at 435-843-2150.

Tooele City Bulky Waste Collection Schedule (Year-Round) Regular Garbage Service Day = **Bulk Pick-up Service Day**

Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday or Friday 1st Thursday of the month 2nd Thursday of the month 3rd Thursday of the month

4th Thursday of the month

Tooele City Residents: If your trash container is broken or in need of repair, contact Tooele City at (435) 843-2150. Garbage can replacement cost is \$65 per

Please Help Us Serve You Better By Doing The Following:

• Put your cans out by 6:30 a.m. • Place cans 3 feet apart • Do not overload cans • Do not place cans directly against the curb (when the cans are being set down, if they hit the curb it damages the wheels). • Promptly pull in your cans after they have been dumped—this helps our snowplow drivers to remove snow more

efficiently from your street. • On windy days, please take care to ensure there is no loose garbage that may blow away and litter the streets.

We appreciate your efforts to help us maintain a safe, clean, and beautiful city!

- NOTICE -

STREET LIGHT AND STORM **DRAIN FEE INCREASE Attention Tooele City Customers:**

After a comprehensive external study of the street light and storm water systems, it has been determined that a fee increase is necessary in order to properly maintain and provide additional infrastructure for these systems. Effective January 1, 2025, Tooele City will implement the newly adopted fees for street light and storm water fees. Please see the graph. The new rates will be reflected on the bill dated January 26, 2025. Thank you,

Tooele City Finance Department

Street Light Utility Fee	Current	New
Monthly Base Fee	2.00	3.50

Storm Water Mitigation Fee	Current	New
R1 Zone (5.5 Units)	3.00	3.84
MDR Zone (8 Units)	3.00	3.84
HDR Zone (16 Units)	2.10	2.69
Commercial <1 Acre	10.00	12.80
Commercial 1-5 Acres	15.00	32.00
Commercial 5-10 Acres	50.00	64.00
Commercial 10-15 Acres	75.00	75.00
Commercial > 15 Acres	100.00	128.00

Curbside Recycling is available for Tooele City residential customers who have a utility account with Tooele City. You may opt-in to this service at any time. More information about this program is available on our website at tooelecity.gov/recycling.

The 2025 recycling pickup calendar/schedule is available on our website, you may pick up a copy in person at Tooele City Hall in the Finance Dept., or contact the Finance Dept. at 435-843-2150, or email utilities@tooelecity.gov to request a mailed or emailed copy. To opt in to this program, to find recycling do's, don'ts, and tips, or if you have any questions about this program go online to tooelecity.gov/recycling.



Animal Licenses

It is now Animal License Renewal time for 2025. Please renew your animal license by February 28, 2025. License

fees double on March 1, 2025.

All dogs and cats within Tooele City limits and over the age of four months must be licensed each year. The license renewal application must be accompanied by a current rabies vaccination certificate. License renewal fees may be paid at Tooele City Hall (90 North Main Street, Tooele) in the Finance Department. If you have any questions, please contact the Finance Dept. at (435) 843-2150.

Renewal Fees:

• Sterilized Dogs*: \$10.00 (\$5.00 for owners aged 60+)

• Unsterilized Dogs: \$35.00 • Sterilized Cats*: \$5.00 • Unsterilized Cats: \$35.00

• Replacement Tags: \$5.00

*Must indicate on Rabies Certificate animal is neutered or spayed or have supporting documentation.



MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. DAY

CITY OFFICES WILL BE CLOSED ON MONDAY,
JANUARY 20, 2025, IN OBSERVANCE OF THE HOLIDAY.
GARBAGE WILL <u>NOT</u> BE PICKED UP ON THE HOLIDAY.
TRASH PICK UP SERVICES WILL BE DELAYED ONE DAY
THAT WEEK BEGINNING WITH THE HOLIDAY.

Happy New Year 2025

January 2025 Calendar of Events

1 Happy New Year!

City Offices will be closed in observance of the holiday. Trash will not be picked up on this day.

- **2—31** Dow James Building, 438 W. 400 N., open for walking (Monday—Friday) 7:00 am 10:00 am.
- Tooele City will begin taking 2025 park pavilion and Elton Softball field reservations today. Visit tooelecity.gov "Online Registration/Reservation".
- Indoor Pickleball at the Dow James Building every Tuesday and Thursday in January 8:00 am - 12:00 pm. No registration required.
- **3** Free Family Activity—Skate Night "Rolling in the New Year" at the Community Center 6:00 pm 8:00 pm. Pre-Registration is required at tooelecity.gov/fun.
- Food Addicts Anonymous 12 Step Program meets every Saturday at 8:30 a.m. at the Tooele Pioneer Museum (47 E. Vine St. - enter off of Garden Street). For more information, contact Barbara at 801-694-5232. Meetings available in person or by Zoom.
- 8 Planning Commission Meeting at City Hall 7 pm.
- **13** "Polar Plunge" a Free Family Activity at the Pratt Aquatic Center 6:30 pm. Pre-Register at tooelecity.gov/fun.
- 14 Stuffed Animal Sleepover at the Library. See page 5 for details.
- 15 City Council Meeting at City Hall 7 pm.
- 16 DAV Meetings are held the 3rd Thursday of every month at the Tooele Pioneer Museum (47 E. Vine St.) at 7:00 pm. Call 435-840-0547 or 435-830-8487 for more info. All veterans and spouses welcome. The DAV does not meet in July or December.
- **20** Martin Luther King, Jr. Day City Offices closed for the holiday. Trash will not be picked up on this day.
- 22 Planning Commission Meeting at City Hall 7 pm.

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ATTENTION BUSINESS OWNERS:

<u>HOME OCCUPATION BUSINESSES</u> — Your 2025 business license certificate should have arrived by mail after December 15, 2024.

COMMERCIAL BUSINESSES — Commercial Business License Renewals for 2025 should have arrived just after December 1, 2024. Commercial businesses, you can mail in your payment, bring your payment in person to the Finance Department at City Hall, leave your payment in the Utility Payment Drop Box on the south side of City Hall, or renew your license and make payment online at https://www.municipalonlinepayments.com/tooeleut. Please include the business license number that is on your business license certificate in the upper left-hand corner under the Tooele City logo. You have through the month of January to renew your license. A 50% LATE FEE will be implemented on February 1, 2025. You will have until March 1, 2025 to pay the licensing fee + the penalty fee. If you are no longer in business, please let us know in writing by e-mailing businesslicense@tooelecity.gov. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the Business Licensing Specialist at 435-843-2110. Thank you!

<u>REPORTING SALES TAX</u> — As a reminder, if you collect sales tax in Tooele City, please use Tooele City Sales Tax Code 23048 when filing your taxes.

BUSINESS LICENSES REQUIRED IN TOOELE CITY:

Anyone offering a SERVICE from their home, for compensation, requires a Tooele City Business License. Please call the Business License Specialist at 435-843-2110 for more information or go to tooelecity.gov and choose BUSINESS>BUSINESS LICENSES from the menu for business info in Tooele City limits.

INFO on DOOR-TO-DOOR SOLICITORS

ALL door-to-door solicitors (Itinerant/Transient Merchants) must be licensed with Tooele City and must have a 2025 PINK Tooele City ID Badge on and in plain sight. If a solicitor is not wearing a badge, please call Tooele City at (435) 843-2110 or Tooele County Dispatch at (435) 882-5600. Please be sure to give Dispatch a complete description of the individual & the direction they are headed. Thank you!



Every year when the weather turns cold, the City receives many reports of frozen pipes. The best thing that you can do to prevent this in your home is to keep the pipes open. Leaving a slow drip or trickle in a faucet overnight, when the temperature and water usage is lowest, can prevent the water in your pipes from sitting still and

freezing. Yes, the slow drip or trickle may end up costing you a little extra on your water bill, but that amount will always be dramatically less than the cost to repair frozen pipes in your home and the water damage it can cause.

Other helpful tips to residents to avoid frozen water pipes this winter:

- 1. Maintain heat at a minimum of 55 degrees.
- 2. Avoid cold drafts by the meter or exposed pipes by caulking holes in foundations and window frames.
- 3. If the water meter or piping is near the foundation in a cold area, wrap the meter and pipes and insulate.
- 4. When temperatures are severely cold, run the cold water faucet at a minimum rate (trickle) to maintain water movement through your piping to prevent freezing.

If you have a concern regarding your main line or meter being frozen, please contact the Tooele City Finance Department at 435-843-2150 or utilities@tooelecity.gov to schedule a technician to inspect this issue.

If you have an questions, please contact our Public Works Department at 435-843-2130. For after hours (non-life threatening) emergencies, please call dispatch at 435-882-5600.

Find more tips for Preventing & Thawing Frozen Pipes from the American Red Cross at this link:

http://www.redcross.org/prepare/disaster/winter-storm/preventing-thawing-frozen-pipes