

Notice to Electric Customers

Budget Public Hearing

Spanish Fork City will hold a public hearing on **June 6, at 6:00 pm** at the Spanish Fork City Office, 40 South Main Street, Spanish Fork, Utah. The purpose of the public hearing is to review the Fiscal Year 2007 Tentative Budget.

The budget includes transfer of funds which cannot be defined as reasonable allocation of costs between funds. These transfers include funds from the Electric Fund to the following Funds: the Golf Fund in the amount of \$165,054; the Swimming Pool Fund in the amount of \$72,678; and the General Fund in the amount of \$841,020.

Another Great Deal From SFCN!

If you have cable television through SFCN you can receive the SFCN TV listings, The Spanish Fork Press, and The Sunday Daily Herald for only \$2 per month. Call 798-5000 ext.16 for more information.

City Calendar

May 29
Memorial Day—City Office Closed

May 30
Holiday Garbage Pickup
City Council Budget Worksession

June 6—6:00 pm
City Council Meeting—Budget Public Hearing

June 7—7:00 pm
Planning Commission

June 17
The Princess Party

June 20—6:00 pm
City Council Meeting

To view all City calendars, visit the City webpage at www.spanishfork.org



June 2006

Spring has Sprung on Main Street

Hundreds of Spanish Fork's residents descended on Main Street on **May 13th** and **20th** to take part in one of the greatest shows of citizenship through service. This demonstration of cooperation is all part of the Spanish Fork City Parks and Recreation Adopt-A-Planter Program.

The planters were alive with activity as honorary green thumbs dug into the work at hand. Each planter was neatly organized with colorful rows of petunias, marigolds and geraniums. Within a few weeks Main Street will be ablaze with bright pinks, yellows and reds. This is truly an effort for which all residents should be very proud.

Several months ago the Adopt-A-Planter Committee invited the

seven LDS Stakes in Spanish Fork and other civic groups and congregations to take part in planting and caring for the 136 planters throughout the City. Each group committed to the effort and the season will culminate in October with the removal of the annuals and the planting of the bulbs.

The objective of the Adopt-A-Planter Program is two-fold:

1. To provide meaningful service projects for the residents of Spanish Fork, with special focus placed on the youth, and to help residents take pride in those areas that they help to create and beautify. Vandalism and litter problems are reduced when the youth have helped beautify their city through service.
2. To provide care for these areas through the volunteer effort of the



citizens of Spanish Fork thus reducing the cost of maintenance provided by city crews in this undertaking.

As the residents of Spanish Fork dedicate precious time and energy to beautify the City, they will be rewarded by knowing they made the difference. As always, thank you to the many volunteers!

DEAR MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL



From Left to Right, Back Row: Chris Wadsworth, Mayor Joe Thomas, Matt Barber, Wayne Andersen
Front Row: Seth Sorensen, Steve Leifson

Name: _____ Address: _____ Phone #: _____

Please complete the form and return it with your utility bill. You can also send comments to the City via the internet at www.spanishfork.org. Thank you for your comments.

Spanish Oaks Campground

The Spanish Oaks Campground facility, located above the reservoir is open for the season. This facility is the gateway to the base of the scenic Hidden Oak Trail, the Escalante Cross and Lookout Point. The campground offers a picturesque view of Utah Valley and the Wasatch Mountains as well as a magnificent backdrop of Loafer Mountain. All 8 camp sites have picnic tables and fire pits (bring your own wood) on a concrete pad along with a manicured spot to pitch your tent. Trailers are not allowed in this first phase of the campground, but RV parking with hook-ups is available nearby.



The campground offers numerous recreational opportunities, including horseshoe pits and hiking on the numerous mountain trails. Campers will also enjoy nearby trout fishing, swimming, sunbathing, and relaxing on the sandy beach of the reservoir.

Campsites are \$8.00 for single sites and \$16.00 for double sites, and reservations must be made at least 3 days in advance. For additional information or reservations, call the Spanish Fork Parks & Recreation Office at 798-5068 or visit the City's website.

Online Residential Bill Pay

Did you know the City offers online bill pay service for all residential utility accounts? The City has partnered with Xpress Bill Pay, a safe and secure provider for online bill payment systems to provide this service. All you need is an Internet connection and an email address and you are ready to go.

How does it work

First, go the City's website at www.spanishfork.org and click the link for Online Utility Payments under the 'Resources' section. This link will direct you to the XpressBillPay.com website where you can learn about their program and create an account. Every month we'll send your bill information to their system and they will then send you an email to let you know when your bill is online and ready to pay. You then log in to your account through XpressBillPay.com and view your bill. When you're ready to pay your bill, select a payment type and enter your credit card or bank account information. If you want the hassle free method, you can set up an automatic recurring payment through the account you desire and then relax.

Benefits

This system will allow you 24-hour access to your utility bills and payments. It also stores the last 12 months of your account's history, allowing to track your Utility usage by comparing to the prior year. Please be sure to pay your bill by the **20th of each month**, in order to avoid any late charges on your account.

A Royal Princess Party

In conjunction with Spanish Fork Community Theater's production of Disney's Beauty and the Beast, princesses young and old (ages newborn through 18 years) are invited to attend a Princess Party. This royal occasion will take place on **Saturday, June 17th** at Spanish Fork High School from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Participants are encouraged to dress in princess costumes with accompanying finery and attire, i.e. crowns, tiaras, etc. to celebrate and create royal excitement, as every princess should feel especially stately.

Guests will be invited to meet-and-greet with Belle, have their picture taken with her (and printed on-site), and receive an autograph. Other activities include pink cookie decorating, imperial head adorning (crown making), royal face painting, whimsical wand making, regal jewelry creation, castle moat (fish pond), a majestic cake walk, and a mini-parade where each princess will receive a special certificate to be redeemed for a "princess concession" at Beauty and the Beast in July. Mark your calendar now for this exciting event! Prices for admission to this regal engagement are as follows: 1st single princess admission—\$8.00, admission for each additional princess in the immediate family—\$6.00.

Fiesta Days 2006

Craft Fair

Saturday, July 22 & Monday, July 24 Registration fee is \$200 for both days. Please check the website for details and to reserve a booth. Contact Kris Truex @ 794-9958 with any questions.

Call for Entertainment

Fiesta Days entertainment will include a great talent show and other acts in the park on **Monday** afternoon. If your band or act is interested in either event contact Minola Jacobson at 794-2568 or visit the Fiesta Days link on the City's website for information and an application.

Spanish Fork Library—Paw, Claws, Scales & Tales

2006 Summer Reading Program

Calling pet lovers and book lovers of all kinds to join us this summer for some great reading fun, prizes, and programs!

The reading program is for children who can read, up to age 12. Prizes will be awarded. Children who complete the program will be invited to attend a fantastically fun swimming party to be held at the Spanish Fork Pool in August.

Sign-up begins **Thursday, June 1st** and continues through **June 30th**. The program will end **August 12th**.

A Young Adult Summer Reading Program will be offered for ages 13-17 which will also offer prizes for reading. Storytimes will be offered for toddlers, preschoolers, and elementary ages, including chapter book readers. Please check with the library for days and time.

Summer Hours begin **Tuesday, May 30th**. Monday - Thursday 10:00-6:00, Friday-Saturday 12:00-6:00.

HOME Rehabilitation Program

Need to make home improvements? The Housing Authority of Utah County offers low interest rehabilitation loans to qualified homeowners. The primary purpose of this program / loan is to help citizens live in safe and adequate housing. Loans are available for Utah, Wasatch and Summit Counties. For more information on this program, please contact Eric Jorgensen at the Housing Authority of Utah County, (801) 373-8333 ext.123, or by email at ericathauc@yahoo.com. Or visit our web site, www.co.utah.us/Dept/Hauc/, you may also pick up an application at our office at 240 East Center Street, Provo, Utah.