



Riverton City News

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State of the City Report

On January 3, 2017, I will present to the Riverton City Council the "State of the City" report. Here are two of the items that will be presented: In the following chart, Riverton City has the lowest "Salaries per Resident" except for Draper, and the lowest Full Time Equivalent (FTE) per 1,000 residents except for South Jordan.



Comparison of City Employee Costs and Full-Time Equivalent (FTE) for 5 Cities

City	Population ⁽¹⁾	FTE ⁽²⁾	Total Compensation ⁽³⁾	Salaries per Resident	FTE per 1000 population
Riverton	41,900	102.6	\$ 8,707,634	\$ 207.82	2.45
Bluffdale ⁽⁶⁾	10,931	33.0	\$ 2,422,003	\$ 221.57	3.02
Draper ⁽⁴⁾	46,774	129.5	\$ 9,307,238	\$ 198.98	2.77
Herriman	30,835	88.1	\$ 6,511,832	\$ 211.18	2.86
South Jordan ⁽⁵⁾	66,648	162.0	\$ 15,947,801	\$ 239.28	2.43

⁽¹⁾ July 1, 2015 Census Quick Facts at <http://quickfacts.census.gov/qfd/states/49000.html>

⁽²⁾ FTE from 2015 CAFR or annual report

⁽³⁾ Total compensation (wages & benefits) taken from 2016 figures at transparent.utah.gov

⁽⁴⁾ Draper FTE, excludes public safety

⁽⁵⁾ South Jordan FTE excludes public safety, golf, and rec. center employees

⁽⁶⁾ Bluffdale FTE excludes public safety

In this chart, Riverton City has the lowest city utility cost of any of our neighboring cities. The Secondary Water fee wasn't included in these comparisons because a secondary water system makes the total cost for water less expensive for the year, as residents are not generally using the higher priced culinary water for outside watering.

Comparison of Combined City Utility Fees - as of Nov. 2016

Municipality	Riverton	Bluffdale	Draper Avg Zones 1-3	Herriman Avg Zones 1-9	So Jordan Avg Areas A-C
Annual Utility Fees					
Culinary Water 7,000 gal	358.44	291.00	476.48	545.24	555.76
Sanitation 1st Tote & 1 Recycle	12.00	165.00	180.00	177.00	162.00
Storm Water	72.00	60.00	96.00	-	102.00
Park Fee	-	-	-	60.00	-
Street Lighting (within subdivision)	-	72.00	-	-	-
Total Utility Fees	442.44	588.00	752.48	782.24	819.76

I appreciate the efforts of Lance Blackwood, Riverton City Manager, and his staff for the efficient way our City is run. They are dedicated, hardworking individuals who combine to make a great team that serves our City well.

How can we do better? Please feel free to email me at bapplegarth@rivertoncity.com, or call me on my cell phone at (801) 520-9947 with any questions or comments.

Sincerely,

Mayor Bill

Snow Removal & Winter Parking Restrictions

Cold weather has arrived and our snow plows and crews are ready to go. To remove snow safely and effectively, we need your cooperation by following Riverton City Code 10.10.050

Limited Winter Parking as follows:

1. It shall be unlawful for any person or owner of any vehicle to park a motor vehicle, travel trailer, horse trailer, utility trailer, or other like vehicle on any street in Riverton City between the hours of 12:00 a.m. and 7:00 a.m., from November 1 of each year to April 1 of the following year.
2. Notwithstanding the foregoing restriction, a person may park a motor vehicle on a street within Riverton City:
 - a. For a period of time not longer than three minutes when loading or unloading passengers; and
 - b. For a period of time not longer than 30 minutes when loading, unloading or delivering property.
 - c. A violation of this section shall be punishable as an infraction, by impoundment and removal of the vehicle, or both.



In addition, please keep your park strip trees maintained with a clearance of at least eight feet along the sidewalk and 15 feet along the street so our plows and street sweeper can properly remove snow and debris.

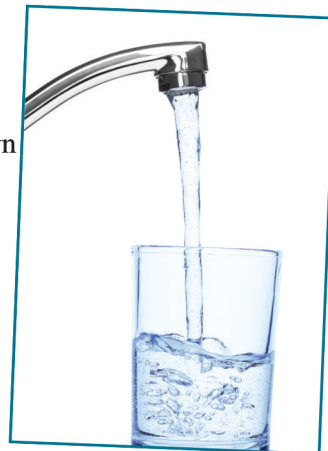
For more information about snow plow policies and procedures, visit our website at www.rivertoncity.com.

Water News: Every Drop Counts!

There's a limited supply of water so it's important to use it wisely. From the kitchen, to the bathroom and the laundry room, changing your habits can save money on your water bill and help conserve this vital resource. If you wonder whether the small changes you make really matter, consider this: Each of us uses an average of 100 gallons of water per day during the winter months—enough to fill 1,600 drinking glasses! Just think how much water you could conserve if your entire family became more mindful about how they're using it. Often, it's the small things that can make a big difference and create long-term savings.

Use Water Wisely In Your Home

- **Change your habits:** A lot of water goes down the drain needlessly. Think of the amount of water you're using and how you can use less
- **Repair leaks:** A single dripping faucet can waste hundreds, even thousands of gallons per year.
- **Care for your toilet:** Flush only when necessary. Don't use the toilet to dispose of other trash. Repair leaks.
- **Don't let sinks run:** Plug the drain and use only as much water as you need to wash and shave. Don't let water run when you brush your teeth. Repair leaks and drips.
- **Limit tub & shower time:** Plug the drain before you run water for a bath. Take shallow baths and keep showers short.
- **Use the load selector when doing laundry:** Match the water level to the load size, or only do full loads. Use only as much detergent as needed.
- **Conserve dishwashing water:** Don't keep the water running. Plug the wash and rinse basin. Run the dishwasher only when it's full, avoid extra cycles, and select no-heat drying.



Water consumption can be reduced easily at little or no cost. Water conservation saves money and energy!

Riverton City 2016 Park/Facility Reservations

Riverton City will begin taking 2017 facility reservations at 8:00 am on Tuesday, January 3 at the Parks and Recreation Office, 12830 S. Redwood Rd. Outdoor park pavilion reservations can be made for dates between April 1 - September 30; Old Dome Meeting Hall, C.R. Hamilton Indoor Pavilion and Sandra N. Lloyd Community Center reservations can be made for dates between January - December. Online reservations for all outdoor park pavilions may be made beginning January 4. For more information, pricing, and online reservations visit www.rivertoncity.com.



Old Dome reservations must be made at the Old Dome Meeting Hall, 12600 S. 1452 W. NO PHONE RESERVATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED.

Riverton City Parks & Recreation

12830 S. Redwood Road • (801) 208-3101 • parksandrec@rivertoncity.com • Office Hours: Mon - Fri 8am - 5pm

Online Registration is now available for most recreation programs with no additional fee.

To register, and for more information on these and other events, please visit our website: www.rivertoncity.com.

Mission "Slim" Possible Individual Weight Loss Challenge

"Slim" is possible in 2017. Join us for a 12-week mission to lose weight and feel great... and win cash prizes! Contestants will weigh in weekly. This is not an exercise or diet program, it's strictly a weight loss competition. Please pre-register.

Dates: Wednesdays, Jan. 25 – April 12

Time: 7:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Location: Riverton City Parks & Recreation Office

Ages: 18 & up

Cost: \$30/person



Smart Start Basketball

Prepare your son or daughter for organized basketball with this fun introduction to passing, dribbling, shooting, running and agility. Children will learn the basic skills needed to start playing and help make their first sports experience a positive one. No equipment necessary. **Parents are required to attend and will work one on one with their children during six - 1-hour classes.** Space is limited to 20 participants per session, so register early. Registration is open now!

Cost: \$25 per session (includes t-shirt, award & snacks)

Ages: 3-5 yrs

Location: Sandra N. Lloyd Community Center



Just You & I Date Night

It's one of Riverton's most successful events of the year... a Valentine's day themed night for dads and their daughters. Enjoy dinner, dessert, dancing, pictures and parting gifts for each girl at Daddy/Daughter Date Night. Please come in best dress! Space is limited so register early.

Registration open

Wednesday, December 28 –

Monday, January 30

(or until full)

Date:

Friday, Feb 3, 2017

Time: 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Location: Sandra N. Lloyd
Community Center

Cost: \$20 per couple (Father/Daughter),
\$10 each additional daughter



Riverton Half Marathon & 4Life® 5K

Early Bird Registration:

Now - December 31

- Half Marathon - Only \$30
- 4Life 5K - Only \$20

General Registration:

January 1 – February 28

- Half Marathon - \$40
- 4Life 5K - \$25

Late Registration:

March 1 – April 7

- Half Marathon - \$50
- 4Life 5K - \$30

Register now online at www.runnercard.com or
at the Riverton Parks & Recreation office.



All pricing includes a goody bag & technical shirt. Online registration closes March 31. In-person registration is April 3 – 7 at RunGr8 running center. **NO RACE-DAY REGISTRATION.**



For the latest City information,
visit www.rivertoncity.com

Legal notice

For your convenience, the following websites are available to review Riverton City's Public Meeting and Legal Notices:

www.rivertoncity.com
www.utah.gov/pmn/index and
www.utahlegals.com/index

If you need additional information, contact the Riverton City Recorder's Office at: (801) 208-3126 or (801) 280-3128.



To report a problem online, visit the City's website at www.rivertoncity.com and follow the "Report A Problem" link at the top of the page. Thank you for your feedback! It helps us better communicate and manage requests effectively.

COMMUNITY CLASSES

All Community Classes are held at the Sandra N. Lloyd Community Center, 12830 S. Redwood Road, unless otherwise noted.

Please pre-register for all classes at the Parks and Recreation office at least one week before class begins.

Walk-ins are welcome in Yoga classes. Space is limited in most classes so please register early.

Hunter Education

Cost: \$2 + \$10 Hunter Ed. Voucher that must be purchased wherever you can buy a hunting license before the first night of class.

All ages

Time: 6:00 – 8:30 p.m.

Upcoming Classes:

- January 11, 13, 18, 20 (Wednesday/Friday)
- February 8, 10, 15, 17 (Wednesday/Friday)
- February 24, March 1, 3, 8 (Wednesday/Friday)



Gentle Movement for Health

Gentle movements and strengthening exercises at a comfortable pace for all body types.

Ages: 16 & up Cost: \$8 per class or \$70 for 10 classes (Payments received by instructor during class)

Day: Mondays (except holidays)

Time: 6:30 – 7:30 p.m.

Love & Logic

Parenting the Love and Logic Way™. Love and Logic is a well-known parenting program that teaches parents how to raise responsible children and have more fun in their parenting role. Topics covered will include ending power struggles and teaching responsibility, setting limits and preventing arguments, problem solving and completing chores without conflict.

Register:

HealthyRelationshipsUtah.org

Cost: free

Ages: 18 & older

Location: Sandra N. Lloyd Community Center, 12830 S. Redwood Road, Riverton, UT 84065.

Dates:

January classes:

Tuesdays - 3, 10, 17 & 24

February class:

Tuesdays – Jan. 31, &

Feb. 7, 14, & 21

Time: 6:30 - 8:45 p.m.

Register:

www.Healthyrelationshipsutah.org.



Self-Defense Karate & Safety Awareness

Gain self-discipline and self-confidence while learning to defend against bullies and strangers. Family fun and recreation for ages 5 and up. Students advance in Rank. For more information call A.S.A.P. (801) 597-5707

Wilton Cake Decorating Class

Learn how to decorate cakes like a pro! Exclusive Wilton method now being taught in our City! Decoration de pasteles metodo Wilton clases en Espanol disponibles. Taught by Daisy Little.

Course 1 class dates

(2 classes / 3 hrs each class): Jan. 23 & 30, Feb. 6 & 13, Mar 27 & Apr 3

Time: 5:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Location: Sandra N. Lloyd Community Center

Ages: 16 & older

Cost: \$45 per session

Visit www.rivertoncity.com for more information.

