



NEWS

Announcements

UPCOMING MEETINGS

City Council
No meeting this week

Millcreek Community Council, Tues, 12/5/17, 6:30 PM, Millcreek Activity Center (old Hillview School) 1025 East 4405 South

Mt. Olympus Community Council, Tues, 12/5/17, 7 PM, Churchill Jr. High, 3450 E. Oakview Drive

Canyon Rim Citizens Assoc., no meeting this month

East Mill Creek Community Council, Thurs, 12/7/17, 6:30 PM; Millcreek

A Message from Chief DeBry

TO MILLCREEK:

With the holidays fast approaching, please be safe, and protect yourself and family from becoming victims of crimes that occur this time of year. During the next several weeks we will all be shopping, visiting family and friends, and attending parties; therefore, it's important to keep a few things in mind.

Don't leave valuables and packages in your vehicle in plain view; lock them in your trunk.

Always lock the doors and windows of your vehicle.

Remember thieves do not like to be seen or noticed. If possible, park where people come and go and where there is the best light possible after dark.

This is the time of year vehicles are stolen due to people starting their engines and letting them run to warm up. Even if you lock your doors, this type of habit is a calling card to a car thief. Please

Recreation Center, 2266 East Evergreen Ave. (An open forum on the Upland Dr. sidewalk will be held at this meeting)

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don't leave your vehicles unattended with the engine running especially in a garage, even with the door open, the carbon monoxide from the engine can kill you!

Please keep your eyes and ears open and report anything suspicious. Know what is out of place in your neighborhoods and look out for one another. (Neighborhood Watch works)!

When not at home always lock doors and windows, leave some lights on inside and outside. When driving, slow down and give yourself plenty of distance between your vehicle and others, especially during inclement weather and heavy traffic conditions.

Always use seatbelts and car seats for small children and infants. Make it a habit; it may save your life or that of a loved one, and it's the law.

Never drink alcohol and drive! If you are going to drink, always arrange for a designated driver, call a cab, or uber. Friends don't let friends drive drunk, (take the keys.)! Driving under the influence of alcohol (DUI) is defined as follows: if an person has physical control of a motor vehicle and has a blood alcohol level of .05 or greater. DUI laws apply to both stationary and moving vehicles, and to vehicles on public or private property. State law also prohibits open containers in or about a vehicle. Just having an open container of alcohol in or about a vehicle will result in an arrest.

It is our goal to ensure the safety of all Millcreek residents and to prevent drunk drivers from harming others or themselves. Law enforcement has zero tolerance for drunk driving and will be aggressive in the enforcement of DUI laws! With this in mind I urge those who consume alcohol to take the appropriate precautionary measures. By observing the above guidelines tragedies can be prevented and lives can be saved.

Your Police Department and I wish all of you a very safe and happy holiday season!

If I can assist any of you or answer any questions please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

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A Message from the Executive Director of WFWRD

As the Director of Wasatch Front Waste & Recycling District, I feel that it is important to keep residents informed about any potential issues that will impact waste and recycling services we provide. On Tuesday, November 26th, Salt Lake County Mayor, Ben McAdams announced that he plans to close the Salt Lake Valley Transfer Station January 1, 2018 as part of his 2018 budget.

The announcement came as a surprise to me and our team since no notification was provided. We deliver over 91,000 tons of garbage generated by residents to that facility every year because it is the most efficient location to deliver garbage.

Taking that amount of garbage to another location would drive up our costs significantly and require additional fee increases to you as our residents. With this information, and the fact that our board has adopted our 2018 budget that

does not account for this huge change, the County Council has postponed the closure until July 1, 2018, which gives us time to prepare for a closure.



KUER recently broadcast this story. <http://kuer.org/.../trash-haulers-say-residents-will-see-fee-...>

More information will follow as we work through the details and find out if the County will truly close this important public service facility. In the meantime, please feel free to contact me for any questions, or concerns. You may also want to contact your respective County, City, or Metro Township officials to let them know about your concerns if the closure does happen.

Sincerely,

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Are You or Your Grandparents at Risk?

MILLCREEK. It is a well-known, but unfortunate fact that in disasters, seniors perish and suffer severe injuries in numbers far higher than their proportion of the local population. Why is that? What can be done to strengthen the preparedness and care of Millcreek seniors?

The Utah Commission on Aging will present a quarterly series next year, starting in January, to answer these questions and help us to beat the odds. The January 3rd presentation will be an up-to-date overview of the county-wide disaster response strategy for catastrophic events – S.A.F.E. Neighborhoods. Come learn how this program will help our aging community withstand life-threatening circumstances (like no electricity, functioning sewers, safe drinking water, fuel or access to doctors). Find out the best way to create a plan to reunite families who are separated by disaster, and the steps to take now to help Millcreek seniors prepare.



The series will be held at 1:30 PM at the Millcreek Community Center on January 3, April 11, July 11 and October 10. Light refreshments will be served. Come early as rumor has it this event will fill quickly!

The Wasatch Canyons General Planners Need You

SALT LAKE COUNTY. The visioning survey for the Wasatch Canyons General Plan is close to wrapping UP. Millcreek Canyon is a part of the proposed plan. We who live in the canyon or at its mouth may be the most familiar with it and its use. The planners preparing the survey are anxious to hear our opinions and visions for the canyon's future.

Please go online in the next few days and fill out the survey at <http://slco.org/planning-transportation/wasatch-canyons-general-plan-update>

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