



U.S. Senator Mitt Romney (center) is presented with a map of planning strategies embodied in the Wasatch Choice 2050 vision plan. The presentation was made by members of the Mountainland Association of Governments (MAG) and the Wasatch Front Regional Council (WFRC), who are (left to right) Davis County Commissioner Bob Stevenson (WFRC), Provo Mayor Michelle Kafusi (MAG), South Jordan Mayor Dawn Ramsey (WFRC's incoming chair), Millcreek Mayor Jeff Silvestrini (WFRC's chair), and Cedar Hills Mayor Diane Anderson (MAG).



NEWS

Announcements

PUBLIC MEETINGS

Canyon Rim Citizens Association

Wed., 2/1/23, 7 pm

MILLCREEK WEIGHS IN ON REGIONAL PLANNING ISSUES

WASHINGTON, DC. Mayor Silvestrini, finishing his term as chair of the Wasatch Front Regional Council (WFRC), was in our nation's capital this week with other planning leaders from the WFRC

City Hall, 3330 S 1300 E
Or join virtually [HERE](#)

**East Mill Creek
Community Council**

Thurs., 2/2/23, 6:30 pm
City Hall, 3330 S 1300 E
Or join virtually [HERE](#)

**Mt. Olympus
Community Council**

Mon., 2/6/23, 6 pm
Churchill Jr High
3450 E Oakview Dr

**Millcreek Community
Council**

Tues., 2/7/23, 6:30 pm
City Hall, 3330 S 1300 E
Or join virtually [HERE](#)

and the Mountainland Association of Governments (MAG). They attended a conference of national regional councils to learn about federal funding opportunities available under the recently-passed Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act (IIJA)

Given the growth our region has faced over the last ten years, the two priorities that the WFRC and MAG have agreed to submit for funding under the IIJA are:

- funds to accomplish strategic double-tracking of the Frontrunner heavy rail commuter train running between Ogden and Provo, and
- a grant from the Rebuilding American Infrastructure with Sustainability and Equity (RAISE) program to fund multiple first/last mile projects to enable people to more easily get to our transit assets.

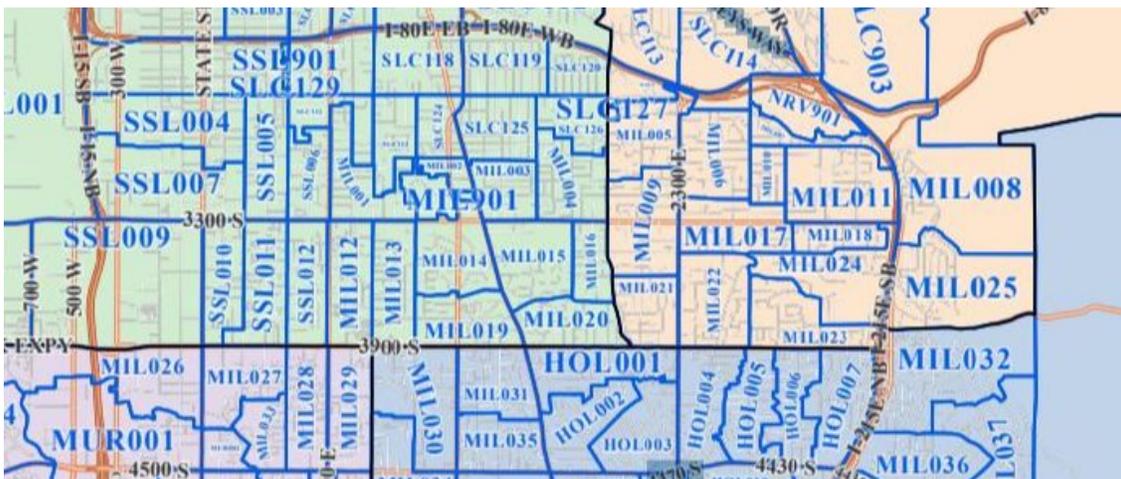
The WFRC is an organization comprised of leaders from the counties of Salt Lake, Davis, Weber, Box Elder, Tooele, and Morgan. Its purpose is to determine, study, and advocate to resolve challenges of mutual interest and concern. MAG acts in an equivalent capacity for Utah, Summit and Wasatch Counties.

While in DC, the WFRC and MAG leaders met with both of Utah's senators and all four of our representatives to present these funding priorities and to ask for the representatives' support and advocacy of transportation dollars for our communities. They also had an opportunity to tour the U.S. Capitol dome (a much more picturesque endeavor).





From a more local perspective, Mayor Silvestrini reminded the six delegates that Millcreek is the only city in Utah represented by all of them, because corners of all four of Utah's congressional district meet in our city. "All of our national legislators indicated that they look forward to representing Millcreek," the mayor reported. "They commented about our city's commitment to the Bonneville Shoreline Trail and Millcreek's leadership on housing issues, including stepping up to help with our unsheltered population."



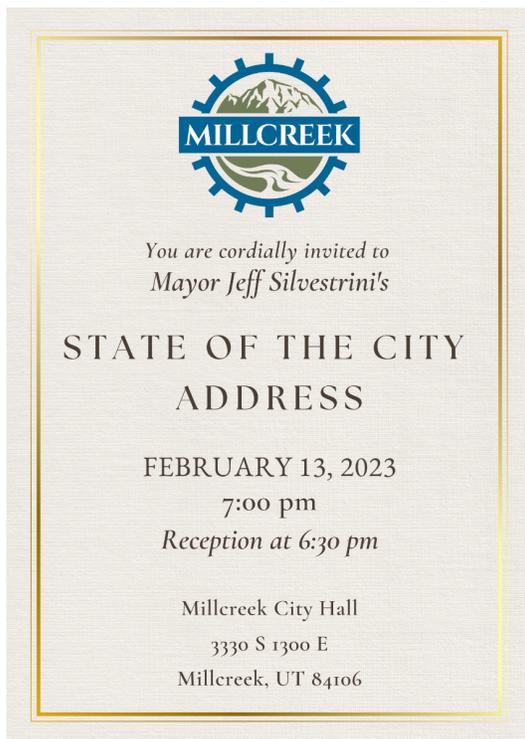
U.S. Congressional districts divide Millcreek into four—District 1 is orange, District 2 is green, District 3 is purple and District 4 is blue.

Mayor Silvestrini added, "As a city, we are fortunate to be able to secure the attention of two senators and four congressmen—a total of six national

representatives." The recent redistricting has been controversial to some, but [15 states in the union have fewer congressional representatives](#) than Millcreek.

State of the City and Community Champions Awards

MILLCREEK. You are invited to attend Mayor Silvestrini's State of the City Address and presentations of the first annual Community Champion Awards. The events will take place at City Hall on February 13th, at 7 pm. Reception beforehand at 6:30 pm.





MILLCREEK
TOGETHER
CODE UPDATE



Let's talk!

Millcreek is updating its zoning and subdivision codes. The draft chapters about landscaping, parking, and subdivisions are out and we want to hear your thoughts and answer your questions about the proposed changes. Come have some hot cocoa, do a bit of ice skating, and talk about what the updates will mean for Millcreek. Please join us:

Friday January 27, 2023, from 7:00 PM- 9:00 PM

Saturday February 4, 2023, from 11:00 AM-2:00 PM

At Millcreek Common (1354 E Chambers Ave.)

Find out more at at the project website:

millcreek.us/466/Zoning-Code-Update



City Council Asking for Feedback

MILLCREEK. The City Council is seeking feedback on ranked choice voting (instant runoff voting) — the process used by the City in the 2021 election for Districts 2 and 4. Districts 1 and 3 were not up for election in 2021. The city has the opportunity to opt into the program again this year for the 2023 election for Districts 1 and 3. Before making that decision, the council would like to hear

from you.



Complete the Survey

Please take a moment to respond to the City's survey by clicking the button below or scanning the QR code. More information on ranked choice voting and the election can be found on the [Millcreek website](#).

Take the Survey [HERE](#) or Scan the QR Code



MILLCREEK COMMON

FEB. 2
7:00 PM



FREE
Ice Skating
EXHIBITION



This 30 minute show is part of the US Figure Skating 'Get Up' program
with special guest: Utah' s own Get Up ambassador Cole Rohner.



Snow Sculptures Appear On Millcreek Common

MILLCREEK. Winter is a fun time of year, but also very cold. Millcreek resident, Shane Foster has found a way to embrace the cold by making winter in Millcreek magical. Shane creates a myriad of snow sculptures depicting mythical creatures.

Visit Millcreek Common to see his fantastical snow creations built in the center

of the Skate Loop. Each imaginative creature makes people smile, even on the coldest winter days. The good news—he’s not done yet. He’ll continue to create fun while Millcreek’s Zamboni continues to pile-up snow and ice shaving at the Skate Loop.

Shane started snow sculpting with the “quintessential snowman” at the age of three. Over the years, his talent and sculptures evolved to mermaids, dragons, and unicorns. Shane’s regular snow-play-yard is at his home on 39th South. Each of Shane’s sculptures is unique and he loves creating new creatures. He develops new sculpting techniques through simple “trial and error,” says Shane, with a shrug.

We are grateful Shane is sharing his talent at Millcreek Common. His snow sculptures are proof that winter in Millcreek is a time for creation and joy...even on the coldest winter days.



2022 City Departments' Year in Review (Part 2)

For this week, please take a look at the lists below from the **Building** and the **Communications** Departments. (Part 1 of the City Departments' Year in Review can be reviewed [HERE](#)).

Building Services

Building Permits

- **1,674** Permits Issued.
- **1,548** Residential Permits
- **126** Commercial Permits
- **183** Solar Energy Permits
- **3,006** Plan Reviews
- **16** Substantial Improvement Determinations
- **6,439** Building Permit Inspections
- **442** Training Hours
- **82** GRAMA Requests Processed

Business Licenses

- **350** Business License Reviews
- **670** Business License Inspections

Code Cases

- **952** Code Cases
- **3,008** Code Case Activities
- **11** Administrative Law Hearings
- **74** Administrative Law Summons
- **18** Cases in Default/Lien Status
- **6** Dangerous Buildings Mitigated
- **52** Stop Work Orders Issued
- **18** After Hours Emergency Callouts

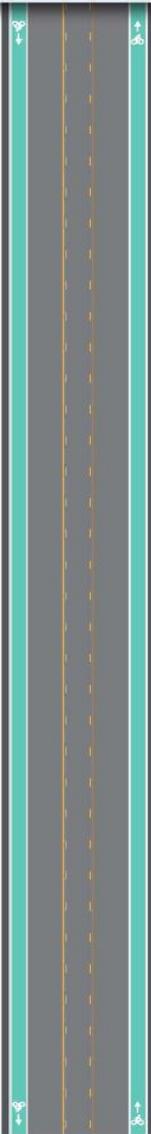
Communications

- **80,368** Electronic Newsletters Delivered (52 Issues)
- **55%** Electronic Newsletter Open Rate
- **203,000** Printed Newsletters Mailed (7 Issues)
- **24** Youth Council Meeting & Events

- **7** Press Releases
- **1** City Flag Created
- **1** City Instagram created
- **1** New city logo adopted
- **6** New city services logos adopted
- **13** Special Event Permits issued
- **1** Fire Mitigation Project (93 Vegetative Debris Piles Chipped & Hauled Out of Neighborhood)
- **2** Six Week Community Emergency Response Team Training (21 CERT Trained Residents)
- **8** Emergency Management Info Booths at Venture Out Events
- **1** Millcreek Emergency Operations Plan Adopted!
- **1** Amazing Marketing Communications & Marketing Coordinator
- **1** Hard Working 24/7 On-Call Emergency Manager
- **2** Friendly Faces at the Information Center- Countless Resident Questions Answered

If you have any questions or comments about this information, please contact Rita Lund at rlund@millcreek.us.

**HIGHLAND DRIVE FROM WARNOCK AVE TO LOGAN AVE
IN SALT LAKE CITY**



Salt Lake City is reconstructing Highland Drive from Warnock Avenue to Logan Avenue in 2023-2024. The project goal is to replace aging infrastructure and provide safe, inviting, sustainable, and comfortable travel choices for everyone. Crews will replace and upgrade sewer, water and storm drain infrastructure, rebuild the full depth of the roadway, add a new multi-use path on the west side of the road and bike lanes throughout, and enhance the Sugar House character with additional landscaping.

Highland Drive reconstruction is anticipated to begin as early as the week of February 20. Highland Drive will be reduced to one lane southbound between Wilmington Avenue and 2700 South. Northbound traffic will be diverted to 1300 East and 900 East at Wilmington Avenue and 2700 South. This traffic configuration is expected to be in place through the end of 2023, and will extend north to 2100 South as work progresses. Phase 2 (from 2100 South to Logan Ave) is planned for construction in 2024.

This project will send regular email updates with planned construction activities, schedules and anticipated impacts. Sign-up Now.



Meet-the-Contractor Project Open House

Date: Thursday, February 2
Time: 5:30 – 7:30 pm
Location: Forest Dale Golf Course
Community Room
2375 S 900 E,
Salt Lake City, UT 84106

Presentations will be made at 5:30 and 6:30 with time for Q&A after. Information about other area projects will also be available at the meeting.

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WEIGH IN ON USE OF \$6.2 MILLION FOR HOUSING ISSUES



News Release

January 20, 2023
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Salt Lake County announces a Public Hearing to receive citizen comments regarding proposed uses of \$6,213,428.00 in funding appropriated under Section 3205 of the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (P.L. 117-2) ("ARP") for the HOME Investment Partnerships Program (HOME).

WHAT: Salt Lake County will host a public hearing to facilitate and encourage citizen participation during the development of its HOME ARP allocation proposal, which will provide for the distribution of \$6,213,428.00 of federal funds to address the continued impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on the economy, public health, State and local governments, individuals, and businesses. Funds are to address the need for housing, shelter and services to specific qualifying populations (QPs). These four QPs are:

- Homeless as Defined in 24 CFR 91.5;
- At risk of Homelessness as defined in 24 CFR 91.5;
- Fleeing, or attempting to flee, Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, Sexual Assault, Stalking, or Human Trafficking; and
- Other populations who do not qualify under any of the populations above but meet one of the following criteria:
 - Other Families Requiring Services of Housing Assistance to Prevent Homelessness
 - Those At Greatest Risk of Housing Instability

Activities that can be undertaken with the funding can only be one of the following:

- Produce or preserve affordable housing
- Provide Tenant Based Rental Assistance (TBRA)
- Provide supportive services, including services defined at 24 CFR 578.53(e), homeless prevention services, and housing counseling.
- Purchase and develop non-congregate shelter or can be converted to: emergency shelter, permanent housing, or affordable housing.

This public hearing is an opportunity for citizens to learn more about the HOME ARP program, including what activities are eligible, the amount of funds that are available, and who will qualify.

WHEN: **Public Hearing: Wednesday, February 8, 2023 • 4:00pm – 5:30pm**

WHERE: Salt Lake County will be facilitating a hybrid Public Hearing which will include options for both in-person and virtual attendance via WebEx. Additional information on participation options may be found at www.slco.org.

- **In-Person Attendance: County Council Chambers, 2001 South State Street, First Floor, North Building, Room N1-100.**
The Salt Lake County Government Center is ADA accessible. Accessible parking and entrance are available on the east side of the north building. Accessible parking is also available on the east side of the south building.

- **Virtual Attendance: Join from the Webex meeting link**

<https://slco.webex.com/slco/j.php?MTID=m9854fe61e0bf81488c7d5a122e3d520f>

Meeting number (access code): 2489 403 9423
Meeting password: Vawk2CzVJ72
Join by phone at 1-213-306-3065 United States Toll

Following the Public Hearing, a separate Public Notice will be posted announcing the start of the Public Comment Period which will be open for a 30-day period. The Salt Lake County HOME-ARP Allocation Proposal will be released at the start of the Public Comment period. The public comment period will begin on or about February 9, 2023.

EQUAL OPPORTUNITY PROGRAM

In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, reasonable accommodations (including auxiliary communicative aids and services or alternate formats) for individuals with disabilities may be provided upon receipt of a request with five working days' notice. To expedite accommodation requests and coordination, call 385-468-4900. TTY/TDD users should call 7-1-1.

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Mayor Jeff Silvestrini with Senator Mike Lee and officials from the Wasatch Front Regional Council and the Mountainland Association of Governments in Washington, DC.

Meetings with the Mayor

Fridays from 2-4pm have been set aside for citizens to meet with Mayor Silvestrini. Call [801-214-2700](tel:801-214-2700) to schedule a slot.

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