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NEWS

Parleys Mine Update

Announcements

Public Meetings

City Council

Mon., 2/26/24

Work Meeting 5pm

Regular Meeting 7pm

City Hall, 2nd floor

1330 E Chambers Ave

Planning Commission

MILLCREEK. Thank you to everyone who responded to our call for public opposition to the mining bills (HB 502 and SB 172). Working behind the scenes, we lobbied and worked with the sponsor of the house bill, Rep. Casey Snider (Cache County). He agreed to substitute his bill to one that refers the issue of the need for gravel aggregate, as well as the preferred places to obtain it, to interim study and a report from a committee.

Wed., 2/28/24, 5pm
City Hall, 2nd Floor
1330 E Chambers Ave

Agendas below

The committee will include representation from the League of Cities and Towns, two individual cities, counties, and metropolitan planning organizations (Wasatch Front Regional Council/WFRC), as well as the gravel industry.

This is a better outcome, although the prospect of a mine up Parleys Canyon is likely to still be with us in the future.

Millcreek will seek representation on this committee as a municipality, or because of his experience as an officer of both, Mayor Silvestrini could represent either the League or the WFRC, both of which have designated seats on the study group).

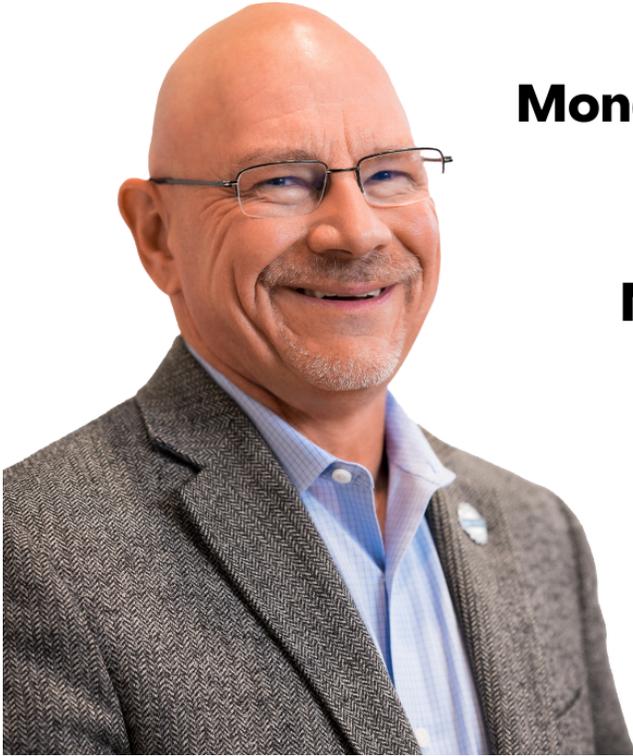
SB 172 was withdrawn from its committee in the Senate late Thursday night, presumably because its sponsor, Sen. Curtis Bramble (Utah County), realized that the bill did not have the votes to get passed out of committee. This bill is likely dead for this session.

Millcreek is thankful for the efforts of our partners the League of Cities and Towns, the Association of Counties, Salt Lake County, Draper Mayor Troy Walker, and many other organizations and individuals who contacted legislators from all around our state to voice concerns about these bills. Mayor Silvestrini and Councilmember Cheri Jackson both worked diligently to defeat these bills.

We will monitor the study committee and seek to have input concerning what a terrible idea it would be to site a large gravel mine so close to Millcreek in Parleys Canyon, where its dust would foul our air and it would consume massive water resources needed elsewhere.

Mayor Jeff Silvestrini's

State of the City Address



**Monday, February 26th
7:00 PM**

Millcreek City Hall



State of the City Address and Community Champion Awards

MILLCREEK. Mayor Jeff Silvestrini will deliver his State of the City Address at Millcreek City Hall on Monday, February 26th at 7:00 p.m. Mayor Silvestrini and the City Council also will be presenting Millcreek's second annual Community Champion Awards.

A reception with light refreshments will be held at 6:30 p.m.

The Community Champion Awards will be presented to the five outstanding and deserving community members listed in the invitation below. Each has contributed to the success of our city. Pictures and accolades will be included in next week's newsletter.

JOIN US FOR MILLCREEK'S
SECOND ANNUAL

Community Champion Awards

2024 Millcreek Community Champions:

Dr. Hamid Adib - nominated by Jeff Silvestrini

Quentin Wells - nominated by Silvia Catten

Robert "Coach" Brough - nominated by Thom DeSirant

Jim & Traci Nelson - nominated by Cheri Jackson

Kumar Shah (posthumously) - nominated by Bev Uipi

FEBRUARY 26, 2024
MILLCREEK CITY HALL
1330 E CHAMBERS AVE
7:00 PM





**Advanced Notice of the Environmental Assessment (EA) and Draft
Section 4(f) Evaluation for the Upper Mill Creek Canyon Road
Improvement Project**

The EA will be open for review and comment for 30 days, beginning in early March, 2024.

Please watch this space for a link to the document to review.

For more background information on the Upper Mill Creek Canyon Road Improvement Project, a Federal Lands Access Program (FLAP) Project go to

<https://slco.to/FLAP>



Desolation Trail, Millcreek Canyon. Photo courtesy of US Forest Service.

Winter Recreation Safety Tips

A Message from the US Forest Service

As winter conditions become more dangerous, it is important for visitors to recreate safely. Forest Service employees take every opportunity to share winter safety tips with visitors. Rachel Blumhardt works for the Salt Lake Ranger District and shares safety messages with visitors daily. When asked about specific safety messages, she said, “Before you recreate in the cold you will need to look at the avalanche forecast given out by the Utah avalanche center each morning.” She also recommends bringing snacks, water, and dressing in several layers of clothes including hats and gloves.

She also reminds visitors that it gets dark earlier in the winter, and after the sun goes down it gets very cold, very fast. She recommends beginning winter recreation activities earlier in the day, to allow for time to leave before the sun goes down. When it comes to recreating with animals, visitors should be aware of restrictions in Millcreek Canyon and Big and Little Cottonwood Canyons. Animals are prohibited for protection of critical watershed. Visitors should also be aware of trails that are snow-packed and icy and take extra precautions.

More Winter Safety Tips



Current Updates

- Winter Safety Message
 - We see more residential home fires in winter than any other season
 - Be sure to test smoke detectors
 - Install Carbon Monoxide detectors in your home
 - Plan two ways to get out of your home quickly in the event of an emergency
 - Have a pre-planned outdoor family meeting place
 - In the event of a power outage generators should only be used outdoors, not in a garage
 - If heat stops working and a portable heater is necessary, keep it at least 3' from combustibles and turn it off when sleeping



TOMORROW



**THE SATURDAY MARKET
WITH LOCAL FOOD & CRAFT ARTISANS
11 AM - 3:00 PM
Until March 16**

The Saturday Market returns in conjunction with the Art Market at Millcreek's Public Market. This weekly market is a roster of food and craft artisans selling local products.

Come hungry and try some of the amazing new products launching at the Market.

SUNDAY

THE *Millcreek*
BAZAAR

FREE ENTRANCE

SUNDAYS
January 21 - March 17
12 - 5pm
Millcreek Common
1354 E Chambers Ave

VINTAGE
ART
CRAFTS

Follow us on Instagram @thebazaar.market

TUESDAY



Chocolate Dipping for Adults



Tuesday, February 27
7:00 p.m.



Get cozy and dip some chocolate
with Weda. All supplies provided.



Part of Hygge Month



The County Library | Millcreek

2266 E Evergreen Ave
Millcreek, Utah 84109 | 801.943.4636
thecountylibrary.org

THURSDAY

Join us weekly on Thursdays from 7p-9p at the Millcreek Common

FREE & Open to the Public - ALL AGES WELCOME!

Enjoy live music while mingling with fellow art lovers at Millcreek's Public Market.

Each week we will spotlight a visual artist selling at the Art Market.

Charcuterie bites will be provided, and adult beverages (21+) will be available for purchase.

THURSDAYS - ART/LIVE



JAN 25 - MAR 14
7p - 9p

FEATURED ARTISTS AND LIVE MUSIC:

JAN 25

- Artists Becky Ruley and Vita Rice
- Music by The Pickpockets

FEB 1

- Artist Brian Krause
- Music by Georgi and Hilary

FEB 8

- Artists Cara Jean Hall and Natalie Grandy
- Music by Two Old Guys

FEB 15

- Artists Diana Anderson and Susan Shambor Houghton
- Music by Lucky Find

FEB 22

- Artists Grant Fuhst, Peter Hines, and Amy Beyeler
- Music by Susan Bush and Her Band

FEB 29

- Artists James Shuman and Melinda Petro
- Music by Pompe N' Honey

MAR 7

- Artists Karen Dreyfus and Schrof's Woodworking
- Music by Emily Hicks

MAR 14

- Artists Linda Stehle and Sue Martin
- Music by Hot House West, Bluegrass Ensemble



Ice Skating Showcase At Millcreek Common

There are only **three** ice skating showcases left, so don't miss your chance witness these incredible live performances! Below is the schedule for the remaining showcases:

- **February 29, 6:30 PM** - Skate Loop Ice Troupe
- **March 6, 6:30 PM** - Adults Skate Too!
- **March 15, 7:45 PM** - Ice Theatre of Utah

All performances are free and everyone is invited!



Join Us for Read Across America Day
Volunteer to Help a Moss Elementary School Student Read

Grab a donut and help students find books to take home!

Children proficient in reading by the end of third grade are more likely to achieve higher educational outcomes. Volunteers will help students pick out a book and read with students who do not have an adult with them.

Help a Moss Elementary School Student Read—[SIGN UP HERE](#)

SAVE THE DATE



BUILDING RELATIONSHIPS. ONE CUP AT A TIME.

Join your neighbors and police officers for coffee and conversation.



Tuesday, March 5, 2024



Millcreek Coffee Roasters
1330 E Chambers Ave
1st Floor



8:00 AM to 9:30 AM

The mission of Coffee with a Cop is to break down the barriers between police officers and the citizens they serve by removing agendas and allowing opportunities to ask questions, voice concerns, and get to know the officers in your neighborhood.

Millcreek Coffee Roasters has generously offered to provide regular coffee to participants, as well as 25% off of specialty drinks during this event.

THIS EVENT IS PRESENTED BY THE:

Millcreek Business Council & Unified Police Department



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POLICE
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QUESTIONS? PLEASE CONTACT:

hallen@updsl.org



coffeewithacop.com





Getting Visual at the Library

The Millcreek Arts Council and Salt Lake County Library Millcreek Branch start March with a new exhibit at the Library at 2266 Evergreen Ave. The artwork of **Kandyce Galanis** will be displayed throughout the month of March. A reception will be held at the library from **6-6:45 PM on March 1st, WHICH IS NEXT FRIDAY**. Please join us for light refreshments and musical accompaniment by **Tyler Yentsch**.

Kandyce Galanis is a Millcreek resident living in Mount Olympus Cove with her husband, Ian, and their two sons Louis and Junah. Kandyce was born and raised in the area and found herself back in Utah after college, enjoying the creativity that is always on the move here.

Her style has been described as "bold" and "playful" with its use of maximal vivid color and contrast.



The artwork can be anywhere from representational to abstract yet the language of marks remains consistent throughout. Kandyce received her BFA in Graphic Design from the Rhode Island School of Design in Providence and has since created a personal art practice working in painting, collage, photography, and sculpture.

Kandyce is often found in nature documenting the ever-changing environment as the seasons come and go. Her painted and drawn landscapes are ultimately from her imagination but are rooted in a rich catalog of images from time spent looking deeply at the world.

Her hope is that the artwork is experienced with the same moment of simple wonder that she feels while out discovering plants, leaves, rocks, and sky.



Kandyce is greatly pleased that her art will be viewed by all the young people who pass through the library doors. She says, "Art is a beautiful way to connect to ourselves and our community." The pieces on display this month are a simple celebration of using her time to create.



Tyler Yentsch is a guitarist/singer/songwriter from Salt Lake City Utah. With an upbringing of playing the Blues performing at venues such as The Utah Blues Festival, Tyler has a deep connection and inspiration from past Blues legends. He began writing music in 2019 after a heartbreak and continues to create new music.

MILLCREEK IN THE NEWS

Millcreek Common Sunday Bazaar is featured on ABC4 Good Things Utah. Come visit, this is a great chance to Shop Local. Watch the segment [HERE](#).



Meetings with the Mayor

Fridays from 2-4pm have been set aside for citizens to meet with Mayor Jeff Silvestrini. Call 801-214-2700 to schedule a slot.

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Millcreek City Council & Community Reinvestment Agency Meeting Agenda

Public Notice is hereby given that the City Council of Millcreek will assemble in a public work meeting and regular meeting on Monday, 26 February 2024 at City Hall, 1330 E. Chambers Avenue, Millcreek, Utah 84106, commencing at 5:00 p.m. for the work meeting and 7:00 p.m. for the regular meeting. The Community Reinvestment Agency of Millcreek will also assemble in a special public meeting and will commence when the City Council has recessed or concluded the Council meeting.

Documents:

[CC AND CRA 2-26-24 AGENDA.PDF](#)
[WM ITEM 3 PROMISE QUARTERLY REPORT FEB24.PDF](#)
[WM ITEM 4 COMMERCIAL ZONE UPDATE.PDF](#)
[WM ITEM 4 STAFF REPORT - CITY COUNCIL - FIRST READING - ZT-23-012 COMMERCIAL.PDF](#)
[WM ITEM 6 CODE UPDATE.PDF](#)
[WM ITEM 6 RM V8 STAFF REPORT FIRST READ ZT-23-015 RESIDENTIAL MIXED USE RM.PDF](#)
[ITEM 2.1 ORD 24-05 REZONING PROPERTY AT 1190 E BONNER WAY TO R-1-5.PDF](#)
[ITEM 2.1 ZM-23-008_2NDRDG_CITY COUNCIL_STAFF REPORT.PDF](#)
[ITEM 3.2 ORD 24-06 - FY 2023-24 BUDGET AMENDMENT 2.PDF](#)
[ITEM 3.2 GENERAL FUND BUDGET AMENDMENTS 02-26-2024.PDF](#)
[ITEM 4.1 ORD 24-07 AMENDING TITLE 17.PDF](#)
[ITEM 4.2 ORD 24-08 AMENDING TITLE 5 AND EXTENDING THE STR MORATORIUM.PDF](#)
[ITEM 5.5 CITY COUNCIL FEBRUARY 2024.PDF](#)
[CC AND CRA 2-26-24 PACKET.PDF](#)

5:00 p.m. – WORK MEETING:

1. Chief Mazuran, UPD Update
2. Discussion on UPD Interlocal Agreement
3. Promise Program Quarterly Report, Kayla Mayers
4. Community Life Proposed 2024-2025 Event Schedule, Aimee McConkie
5. Discussion of ZT-23-012; Commercial Zone Update, Brad Sanderson
6. Discussion of ZT-23-015; Adopting a new Residential Mixed-Use (RM) Zone, Brad Sanderson
7. Staff Reports
8. Discussion of Agenda Items, Correspondence, and/or Future Agenda Items

6:30 p.m. - RECEPTION

7:00 p.m. - REGULAR MEETING:

1. Welcome, Introduction and Preliminary Matters

- 1.1 Pledge of Allegiance
- 1.2 State of the City Address; Mayor Jeff Silvestrini

1.3 Community Champion Awards; Quentin Wells, Coach Robert Brough, Jim and Traci Nelson, Kumar Shah, Dr. Hamid Adib

1.4 Unified Police Department Millcreek Precinct Officer of the Month for January 2024

1.5 Public Comment - *Audience members may bring any item to the Council's attention. Comments are subject to the Public Comment and Policy set forth below. State Law prohibits the Council from acting on items that do not appear on the agenda.*

2. Planning Matters

2.1 Discussion and Consideration of Ordinance 24-05, Rezoning Property at 1190 E Bonner Way to the R-1-5 Zone

3. Financial Matters

3.1 Public Hearing to Consider Opening and Amending the 2024 Budget.

3.2 Discussion and Consideration of Ordinance 24-06, Amending the 2023-2024 Fiscal Year Budget

4. Business Matters

4.1 Discussion and Consideration of Ordinance 24-07, Amending Title 17 Chapter 22 of the Millcreek Code of Ordinances with Respect to Illicit Discharges

4.2 Discussion and Consideration of Ordinance 24-08, Notifying the Public of an Ordinance That Would Extend the Ban on the Issuance of New Short Term Rental Licenses Until April 1, 2024, and an Amendment to Millcreek Code of Ordinances Chapter 5.19 Short-Term Rentals

5. Reports

- 5.1 Mayor's Report
- 5.2 City Council Member Reports
- 5.3 Treasurer's Report
- 5.4 Staff Reports
- 5.5 Unified Police Department Report

6. New Items for Subsequent Consideration

7. Calendar of Upcoming Meetings

- Mt. Olympus Community Council Mtg., 3/4/24, 6:00 p.m.
- Millcreek Community Council Mtg., 3/5/24, 6:30 p.m.
- Canyon Rim Citizens Association Mtg, 3/6/24, 6:30 p.m.
- East Mill Creek Community Council Mtg., 3/7/24, 7:00 p.m.
- City Council Mtg. 3/11/24 7:00 p.m.

8. Closed Session (If Needed) - *The Council may convene in a closed session to discuss items as provided by Utah Code Ann. §52-4-205.*

9. Adjournment

Community Reinvestment Agency Convening

1. Public Hearing to Consider Opening and Amending the CRA 2024 Budget
2. Discussion and Consideration of Resolution 24-11, Amending the Community Reinvestment Agency (CRA) Annual Budget for the Fiscal Year Beginning July 1, 2023, and Ending June 30, 2024
3. Adjournment

In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, Millcreek will make reasonable accommodation for participation in the meeting. Individuals may request assistance by contacting the ADA Coordinator, 801-214-2751 or adainfo@millcreekUT.gov, at least 48 hours in advance of the meeting.

Public Comment Policy and Procedure: The purpose of public comment is to allow citizens to address items on the agenda. Citizens requesting to address the Council may be asked to complete a written comment form and present it to the City Recorder. In general, the Chair will allow an individual two minutes to address the Council. A spokesperson, recognized as representing a group in attendance, may be allowed up to five minutes. At the conclusion of the citizen comment time, the Chair may direct staff to assist the citizen on the issue presented; direct the citizen to the proper administrative department(s); or take no action. This policy also applies to all public hearings. Citizens may also submit written requests (outlining their issue) for an item to be considered at a future council meeting. The Chair may place the item on the agenda under citizen comments; direct staff to assist the citizen; direct the citizen to the proper administrative departments; or take no action. Public comment can be submitted via the City's website at: <https://millcreekUT.gov/FormCenter/Contact-Us-5/Public-Comments-61>.

The meetings will be live streamed via the City's website at: <https://millcreekUT.gov/373/Meeting-Live-Stream>. The Council may convene in an electronic meeting. Council members may participate from remote locations and may be connected to the electronic meeting by GoToMeeting, Zoom, or telephonic communications. The anchor location will be City Hall.

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DATE: February 22, 2024

DEPUTY RECORDER: Alexander Wendt

Agenda items may be moved in order, sequence, and time to meet the needs of the Council.

**Millcreek Planning Commission
Special Meeting Agenda**

Public Notice is hereby given that the Planning Commission of Millcreek will assemble in a special public meeting on Wednesday, 28 February 2024 at City Hall, 1330 E. Chambers Avenue, Millcreek, Utah 84106, commencing at 5:00 p.m.

Documents:

[PC SPECIAL MTG 2-28-24 AGENDA.PDF](#)

[PC 2-28-24 PACKET.PDF](#)

[ZT-23-011 STAFF REPORT.PDF](#)

[ZT-23-016 STAFF REPORT.PDF](#)

[PC 12-20-23 DRAFT MINUTES.PDF](#)

5:00 p.m. – Regular Meeting

1. Public Hearings

1.1 Consideration of ZT-23-011, repealing and replacing the existing ‘Foothills and Canyons Overlay Zone (FCOZ)’ MKZ 19.72, and adopting a new ‘Sensitive Lands Ordinance’.

1.2 Consideration of ZT-23-016, amending the existing Sign Code, MKZ 19.82, to update standards.

2. Commission Business

2.1 Updates from the Planning and Zoning Director

2.2 Approval of December 20, 2023, Meeting Minutes

3. Calendar of Upcoming Meetings

- City Council, March 11, 2024
- Historic Preservation Commission, March 14, 2024
- Planning Commission March 20, 2024

4. Adjournment

The Planning Commission public meeting is a public forum where the Planning Commission receives comment from applicants, the public, applicable agencies and staff regarding land use applications and other items on the Commission’s agenda. In addition, it is where the Planning Commission takes action on these items. Actions may include: approval, approval with conditions, denial of legislative items, continuance, or recommendation to other bodies as applicable.

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