

HAPPY MANY HOLIDAYS; REMEMBERING CHRISTMAS;
HOLIDAY HOURS; 12 DAYS OF SAFETY; SCAM ALERT; UPD
NEWBIES; WFWRD

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Happy Winter Solstice today, as well as many other December holidays, like Bodhi Day, Krampusnacht, Las Posadas, Pancha Ganapati, Hanukkah, Christmas, Human Rights Day, and Kwanzaa. These are Nancy Holt's "Sun Tunnels", located near Lucin, Utah.



NEWS

Announcements

UPCOMING MEETINGS

None until next year.
Enjoy the holidays!

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Anonymous Donor and UPD Deliver Christmas to Five Needy Millcreek Families

MILLCREEK. Thanks to the generous donations of an anonymous community partner corporation, the UPD's Millcreek Precinct had the opportunity to rediscover the meaning of Christmas.

The corporate coordinator of the anonymous effort contacted a neighbor, Millcreek Sergeant Nick Roberts, for assistance in finding five families needing help during this holiday season.

Sgt. Roberts then contacted Detective Bettina Allen of the Millcreek Precinct's Community Oriented Policing Unit. She reached out to several sources that assist in fulfilling the unmet needs of disadvantaged families in Millcreek. The names were gathered and gift lists submitted and forwarded to the anonymous community partner. Those generous people went to work and filled the lists, wrapped the presents, and purchased and decorated five full-sized and amazing Christmas trees!



Det. Allen contacted the City for assistance in transporting the donated gifts. Communications Director Rita Lund arranged to rent a box truck. Then Sgt. Shannon Bennett, Detective Ronnie Prescott, Detective Allen, and Millcreek's Emergency Manager Skyler Stratford arrived at our community partner's location to find the lobby brimming over with presents and trees. Everyone helped load the truck and Santa was off!

The gifts were delivered to the selected families to the cheers and tears of the children, parents, and Secret Santa delivery folks. The UPD and we express

our gratitude to the corporation who made this possible and reminded us all what Christmas is really about.

*Upcoming Holiday Schedule for
Millcreek City Offices:*

Monday, December 24th - CLOSED at NOON

Tuesday, December 25th - CLOSED

Monday, December 31st - CLOSED

Tuesday, January 1st - CLOSED

 We wish you a happy holiday season!

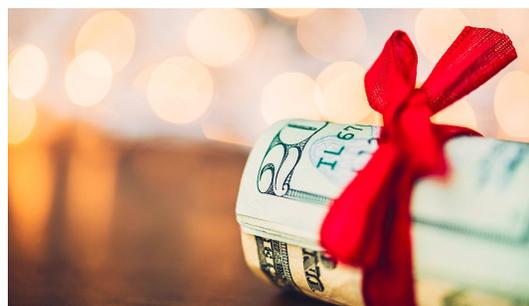


Enjoy a Safe Holiday

MILLCREEK. Holiday safety is an issue that burns brightest from late November to mid-January, when families gather, parties are scheduled and travel spikes. Take some basic precautions to ensure your family remains safe and injury-free throughout the season. Consider taking the 12 days of safety described above to ensure that this holiday season is a happy one.

SCAM ALERT

**Fake calls about
your Social
Security Number**



December 12, 2018, by Jennifer Leach, Acting Associate Director, Division of Consumer and Business Education, FTC

The FTC is getting reports about people pretending to be from the Social Security Administration (SSA) who are trying to get your Social Security number and even your money.

In one version of the scam, the caller says your Social Security number has been linked to a crime (often, he says it happened in Texas) involving drugs or sending money out of the country illegally. He then says your Social is blocked – but he might ask you for a fee to reactivate it, or to get a new number. And he will ask you to confirm your Social Security number.

In other variations, he says that somebody used your Social Security number to apply for credit cards, and you could lose your benefits. Or he might warn you that your bank account is about to be seized, that you need to withdraw your money, and that he'll tell you how to keep it safe.

But all of these are scams. Here's what you need to know:

- The SSA will never (ever) call and ask for your Social Security number. It won't ask you to pay anything. And it won't call to threaten your benefits.
- Your caller ID might show the SSA's real phone number (1-800-772-1213), but **that's not the real SSA calling**. Computers make it easy to show any number on caller ID. You can't trust what you see there.
- Never give your Social Security number to anyone who contacts you. Don't confirm the last 4 digits. And don't give a bank account or credit card number – ever – to anybody who contacts you asking for it.
- Remember that anyone who tells you to wire money, pay with a gift card, or send cash is a scammer. Always. No matter who they say they are.

If you're worried about a call from someone who claims to be from the Social Security Administration, get off the phone. Then call the **real** SSA at 1-800-772-1213 (TTY **1-800-325-0778**). **If you've spotted a scam, then tell the FTC at [ftc.gov/complaint](https://www.ftc.gov/complaint).**



UPD Swears In Brand New Police Officers

GREATER SALT LAKE. Twenty-two new recruits were sworn in this week as new Unified Police Department of Greater Salt Lake police officers. These officers will be assigned to various precincts throughout the UPD in the coming months. We look forward to their commitment and service.

Congratulations to the new UPD recruits! We appreciate all of you who are willing to work to help keep Millcreek a safe place.

WFWRD WANTS YOU TO KNOW....



We pick up on every Holiday except Thanksgiving, Christmas, and New Year's Day.

(Please remember, if in doubt just take your can out)

If your regular collection day falls on Thanksgiving, Christmas or New Years put your cans out the day following the holiday.

If your collection day is after these holidays, your cans will be picked up one day later than *usual*.

*****Tuesday Collection will be picked up Wednesday*****

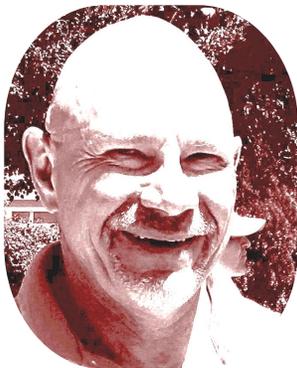
*****Wednesday collection will be picked up Thursday*****

*****Thursday collection will be picked up Friday*****

*****Friday collection will be picked up Saturday*****

If you haven't completed it yet, the Wasatch Front Waste & Recycling District survey is open until December 31st. Let them know what you think.

2018 WFWRD Customer Survey



Meetings with the Mayor

Every Friday from 2-4pm has been set aside for citizens to meet with Mayor Jeff Silvestrini. Come in and tell him what's on your mind.

Call 801-214-2700 to schedule.

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