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ROAD CONSTRUCTION UPDATES



Summer is always the season for construction, and as you may have noticed, 2016 is no exception. Here are a few of the projects that may impact your travels:

Center Street

Project Summary: The City is milling and overlaying Center Street from State St. to 1000 W.

Background: This project has spanned the last two years. Last year we replaced all of the utilities in preparation for the overlay of the road. It was necessary to allow four seasons to let the utilities settle before beginning the overlay project. Now that settling has completed, we are ready to overlay.

We are also required to improve the ramps on the crosswalks to make them more handicapped accessible.

Anticipated completion - End of August

400 W (between Center St. and 1200 S.)

Project Summary: The City is replacing a water main along 400 W.

Background: Over the last number of months Questar has replaced a gas line along the same route. To preserve water quality, we have placed our water lines on the opposite side of the road. Both the water line and gas line needed to be replaced, but the only way to replace them would have been to close the entire road.

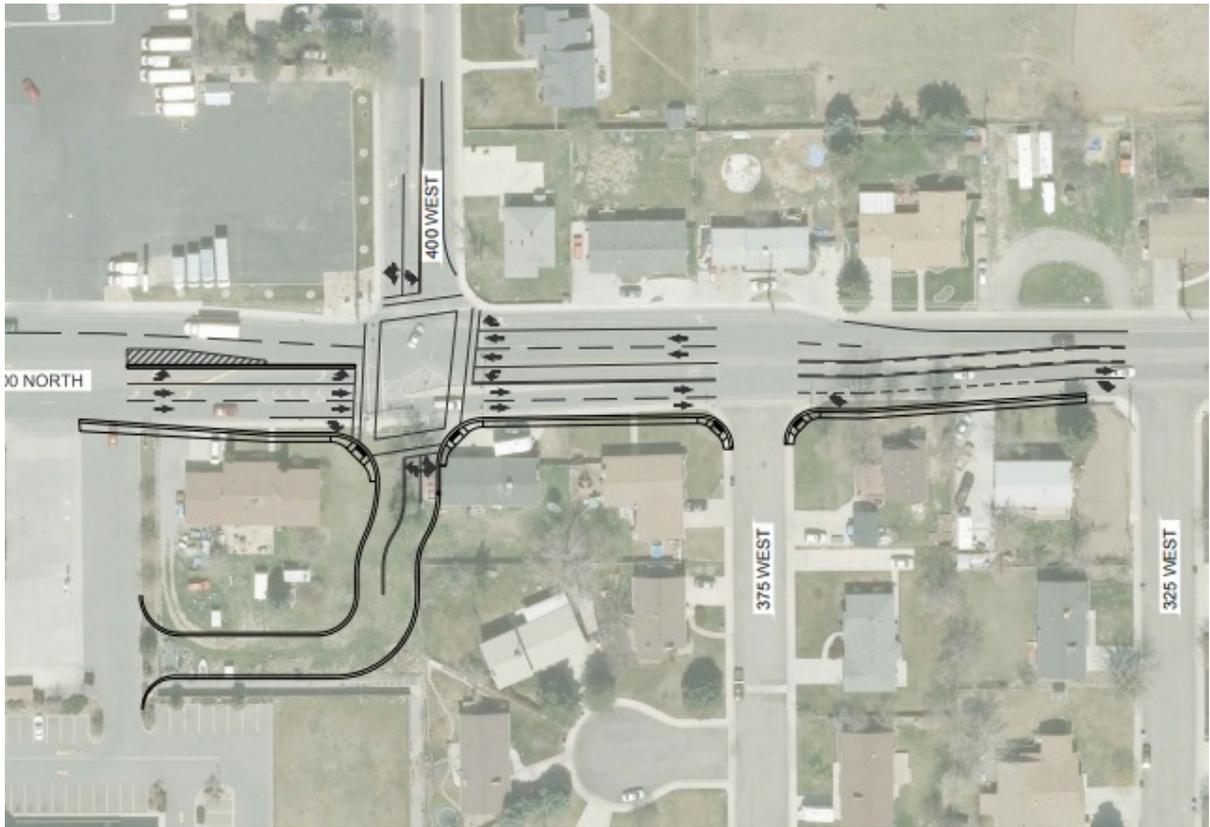
Anticipated Completion - Middle of September

1600 N & 400 W Intersection

Project Summary: The City is making major intersection improvements that should begin next week (8.15).

Background: The City will be redoing and widening the intersection. This project has been in the works for about 2 years. They will demo the existing road median. The goal is to have 2 east bound lanes on 1600 N, alleviating pressure from State St. Both homes directly impacted have been purchased and demolished. See image for the

plan.



Anticipated Completion - End September

University Parkway - Provo Orem Transportation Improvement Project

UTA and UDOT started utility work on the Provo Orem Transportation Improvement Project (POTRIP). The contractor has established a dedicated 24-hour construction hotline. If you have any questions about construction, or would like to schedule a construction presentation for a business or organization, please contact their 24-hour hotline at 888-661-8806.

Additional information about the project can be found at <http://www.rideuta.com/UTAProjects/Provo-Orem-Transportation-Improvement-Project>

You can subscribe to receive weekly construction updates on the web page. Updates to the web page will be provided as the project progresses.

Anticipated Completion - End of August

Other Mill & Overlay Projects

400 South (State Street to 400 East, and 800 East to Carterville Road)

2000 North (250 West to 80 East)

1200 North (800 East to 1000 East, & 1050 East to 1170 East), 1170 East (1200 North to 1040 North), 1040 North (1170 East to 1240 East), and 1240 East (1040 North to 850 North)

Anticipated Completion - End of August

WATER RATE CHANGES

Changes from the State have required the City adopt tiered pricing for water to encourage conservation. Beginning November 1st, the price of water will be tiered (the more you use, the more you pay per-gallon). For the specifics on the changes in the tiered rate, please [click here](#).

Originally the City had planned to have summer rates and non-summer rates, but instead we are required to go this tiered route. The change from the planned summer rates to the tiered pricing same amount of money will be raised to pay for the needed capital improvements.

For more information about the changed in utility rates, [click here](#).

BELLY FLOP CONTEST

When: Saturday, August 20th @ 2 PM

Where: Scera Park Pool (701 State St, Orem, UT 84058)



For the All-Together Playground's last fundraiser, all admissions on August 20th to the Scera Pool will go to the playground. Different activities will take place throughout the day, but the signature event will be the Grand Belly Flop Contest.

We have 17 contestants signed up, with more to come. Here are a couple profiles highlighting our floppers. To get more details on this one-of-a-kind event, [click here](#).

To register to compete, [click here](#).

Mayor Richard Brunst



MEET THE CONTESTANTS

Name:
Mayor Brunst

Belly Flop Nickname:
Mayor of Flop City, USA

Flopper Bio:
"I do not choose to be a belly flopper. It is my right to be a belly flopper. I want to face the calculated risk; to jump and to flop and to fail and to succeed. It is my heritage to stand erect on the diving board and face the water boldly. All of this is what it means to be a belly flopper."

Andrew Reeves



MEET THE CONTESTANTS

Name:
Andrew Reeves

Belly Flop Nickname:
The Wizard

Flopper Bio:
He never met a belly flop he didn't like. He wants to thank Pickle Black who has inspired him. His hope is to honor Pickle properly by making his belly as red as Pickle's hair.

Caden Bleyl



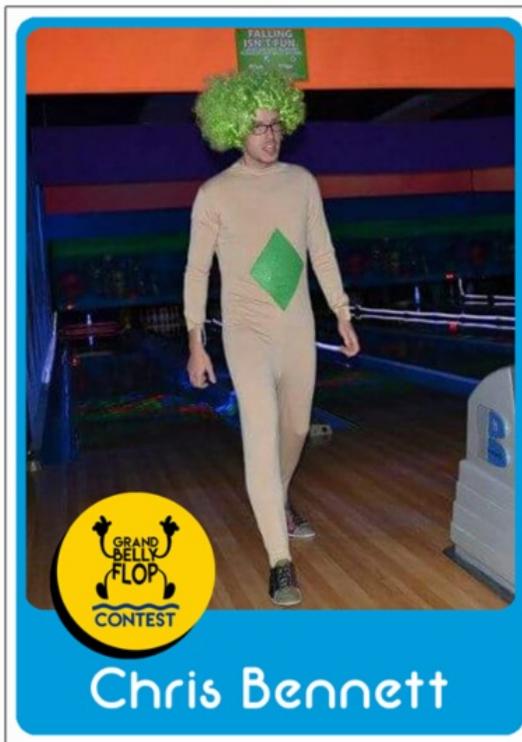
MEET THE CONTESTANTS

Name:
Caden Bleyl

Belly Flop Nickname:
The Flopper

Flopper Bio:
"I flop for the greatness of my family. Flopping has been in my blood from the beginning of my life. I must flop when given a chance. I hope to achieve the highest honor of flopping. Pain, I know no such thing as pain!"

Chris Bennett



MEET THE CONTESTANTS

Name:
Chris Bennett

Belly Flop Nickname:
Jelly Belly

Flopper Bio:
"Go big or go home. That's how I roll."

and many more.....

FITNESS CENTER CLOSURE & IMPROVEMENTS



The Fitness Center is closed for its annual shutdown. This year we are doing some larger-than-normal improvements that have required the pools to be closed for an extended period of time.

Here are some answers to questions you may have:

Exactly what work is being done?

- New Myrtha liner and gutter in lap pool
- Replacing diving block anchors
- New tile and coping stone for hot tub
- Re-tile steam room
- Cleaning racquetball court walls
- Cleaning carpet
- Deep clean of entire building

Where can I work out and/or swim:

From August 8th - September 2nd members of the Orem Fitness Center may use their passes at the Scera Park Pools between the hours of 7-9am Mon-Fri for lap swimming and water aerobics.

From September 22nd - September 5th Orem Fitness Center members are welcome to use their passes at the American Fork Fitness Center and Pleasant Grove Recreation Center.

How does this affect my pass?

Upon re-opening all Fitness Center Memberships will automatically be extended 1 month, with the exception of business memberships. Businesses will have the option to extend the pass but will not be automatically extended, many businesses have the renewal of the membership in line with their open enrollment and choose not to extend the passes in order to keep the renewal at the same time.



FREE UVU COMMUNITY SERVICES - RETIREMENT & ESTATE PLANNING

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Who should attend

The workshop material is designed for those currently retired or near retirement and those who are serious about gaining current money management knowledge. This workshop provides information you can use today to improve your financial well-being. The material is equally relevant for single people and couples.

Event information

UVU Foundation is covering the cost of these workshops for its invited guests for one or both seminars. This invitation is good for up to four people. For additional information or to register, please contact

Vicky Hopper
Utah Valley University
801-863-5426
Vicky.Hopper@uvu.edu

Registration is required. As seating is limited to facilitate interaction and questions, it is suggested that you register early. Sessions fill up quickly.

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Retirement Planning and Asset Protection

- How to put all the pieces of your retirement puzzle together to accomplish your retirement goals
- What your retirement income stream is and how to protect it
- How to increase income and reduce taxes on Social Security, investments, and IRA's
- How to protect your assets through proper estate planning
- How to take advantage of tax reduction strategies
- How to prepare for the potential high cost of long-term care needs
- How to understand Medicare basics and coverage
- When to begin Social Security
- How to simplify your financial life

Dates: (choose one)

Daytime Seminars: 11:15 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Tuesday, October 25

Thursday, October 27

Thursday, November 3

Tuesday, November 8

Lunch provided to registrants

Evening Seminar: 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

Wednesday, October 26

Light snack provided to registrants

Presenters

James V. Cardall, Ch.F.C., C.A.S.L., R.F.C.
and Alexander Hancock

The Top Ten Costliest Estate Planning Mistakes

So you took the time and spent the money and had your estate planning done. Congratulations! However, are you sure that the plan you have avoids some common estate planning pitfalls? These mistakes can cost you and your family both peace of mind and a lot of money.

This seminar concentrates on dealing with the ten most common problems that courts and attorneys have to try to resolve after the fact and will help you recognize the pitfalls in your own plans. This gives you a chance to fix them before they become an issue, leaving you with peace of mind and family harmony.

This seminar will cover the following and more:

- Maintaining control during incapacity
- Transferring wealth – inheritance protection
- Protecting beneficiaries from others and themselves
- Escaping intestacy
- Avoiding unintended heirs
- Side-stepping predators and spend-thrifting
- Dodging conservatorship
- Understanding estate taxes
- Managing estate plans
- Preserving tax deferral benefits

Date:

Tuesday, Sept. 27, noon - 2 p.m.

Lunch provided to registrants

Presenter

RobRoy Platt

Meet the Presenters

Jim Cardall

Jim Cardall began his career in financial services in 1984. His practice focuses on working with business owners, individuals, and families in the areas of retirement planning, estate planning, and comprehensive financial planning. Jim is a Chartered Financial Consultant (ChFC), Chartered Life Underwriter (CLU), Chartered Advisor for Senior Living (CASL), and Registered Financial Consultant (RFC), and he is Certified in Long Term Care (CLTC). Jim is an investment advisor representative with MML Investors Services, Inc.

Alex Hancock

Alex Hancock has been a part of the insurance and financial services world most of his life, having been involved in a variety of capacities with his father, an experienced financial planner in Idaho. He joined MassMutual Intermountain West after graduating from the Marriott School of Management at Brigham Young University with a degree in finance.

RobRoy Platt

Attorney RobRoy Platt, with his wife and law partner, Melissa Platt, is the owner of Platt Law P.C., an estate planning and elder law practice that has been operating in Utah County since 2007. Platt Law focuses entirely on helping families navigate the complex legal world of estate, business succession, and elder law planning. RobRoy is an active member of the Utah State Bar, where he served as the founding chair of the Elder Law Section.

YOUR HELP BUILDING THE ALL-TOGETHER PLAYGROUND

We are only a month away from constructing Utah County's first All-Together Playground!

We are still looking for volunteers to help get it built. We will be building 7 straight days, Sept. 5th - 11th, from sun-up to sun-down. However, we have split the week in 4-hour shifts to make it manageable. We will supply the materials, tools, food, drinks, directions, and leadership; you supply the time and willingness to help!

If there is anyway you can help, we are in need! Please help us spread the word so we aren't shorthanded when it comes time to build the playground

Please [sign up here](#), and help be a part of this amazing opportunity! The thousands of children in Utah County that currently don't have a place to play will thank you!



MAYOR'S MESSAGE - TRANSPORTATION NEEDS



Last week I attended my monthly Mountainland Association of Government meeting in which all of the Mayors in Utah County and Utah County Commissioners attend. One of the topics of discussion was the consolidation of railroad tracks in the Spanish Fork, Mapleton, and Springville areas to help alleviate rail crossings and streamline the flow of traffic in that area.

In the our area of Geneva Road the railroad tracks on the west side of the road are planned to be taken out as well with rail traffic diverted to the west side of

Vineyard from 1600 North south to 400 North to help allow for traffic to flow off of Geneva road into Vineyard.

As our city and county grow, transportation needs are continually looked at and examined by our government entities.

Two things are needed to help the situation. Increased funding to help pay for the maintenance and repair of our roads, and additional methods and ways to move more traffic across our existing roads.

Additional funding to our road funds occurred through the passage of HB362 last year by the state legislature. As well, the legislature needs to look at additional ways to

help fund the state, county, and city road needs. This is critical to move our growing population on our existing roads and keep our transportation arteries moving successfully.

In the city we are looking at ways to move more traffic on our roads through continued improvements to signal timing, lane usage and striping, encouraging alternative road usage, turning lanes, and overall planning for main intersections and thoroughfares.

Presently we are redoing Center Street west of State Street. Also the intersection on 1600 North just east of State Street will be redesigned and rebuilt for improved traffic flow. Likewise many of our streets this summer are being covered with asphalt slurry to extend their life span.

Traffic flow within our city is an important issue. It is one that is of major importance to our city government.

Mayor Brunst

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