

FRUIT HEIGHTS CITY MANAGER RETIRES

AFTER 18 YEARS WITH FRUIT HEIGHTS, BRANDON GREEN ANNOUNCES RETIREMENT

After a distinguished career as city manager, Brandon Green has announced his retirement, effective May 2023. Green first joined Fruit Heights in 2004 as the building inspector and zoning administrator. In 2005, he was appointed city manager by the mayor and city council. Green served four mayors and is the longest serving city manager in the City's history.

"Fruit Heights is home. This is where I was raised, and I am proud of the opportunity to have served the people of Fruit Heights," said Brandon Green. "I am thankful for the many years of working with residents, colleagues, and volunteers, and I am fortunate to have been part of this city's outstanding staff. I am also thankful to the many mayors and city council members whom I had the opportunity to work with. Lastly, I'm thankful to my wife for her love, support and encouragement."

As city manager, Green oversaw approximately 10 employees and the delivery of all City services, including building and development, public works, finance, utilities and technology. Green built strategic relationships with community partners, and played a significant role in large projects, including the revitalization of Gailey Trail and the development of the Fruit Loops Mountain Bike Trail.

"Brandon helped guide our city through many complex issues while maintaining exceptional City services," said Mayor John Pohlman. "He is a highly respected leader who has built beneficial, collaborative partnerships. The Council and I thank Brandon and wish him the best in his well-earned retirement."



Brandon Green, City Manager

SAYING GOODBYE!

RETIREMENT PARTY!

FRIDAY, APRIL 28

5:30 - 8:30 PM

DAVIS PARK GOLF COURSE
CLUB HOUSE

RECORD SNOWPACK, WET SPRING COULD BRING FLOODING



ADOPT A GRATE! Nope, not kidding. Crews work to clean our streets, but you can help. Choose a grate near you, and help clear leaves and debris. The City will provide gloves and bags. Call Ted Parry at 801-927-7039 or email tparry@fruitheightscity.com.

WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW ABOUT SPRING RUNOFF, STORMWATER AND SANDBAGS

Following a historically wet winter, cities around the state are preparing for a heavy spring runoff. And while water managers are keeping a close eye on the weather, snowpack and potential flooding, they aren't necessarily alarmed ... yet.

Fruit Heights City Public Works Director, Darren Frandsen, says the City has been working to prepare and is ready for potential situations. Creeks and waterways are checked multiple times a day. Debris is removed and plans are in place if signs of flooding start to show.

CONTINUED ON BACK

RECORD SNOWPACK, WET SPRING (CONTINUED)

The City is working to decrease flood risks, but there are important steps for residents to take, too.

- Clear leaves and debris from storm drain grates
- If home has sump pump, check that it is operational before flood occurs
- If an area on property has historically flooded, do work to solve problem
- Fill free sandbags from the City

Fruit Heights City is providing a free, self-fill sandbag station for residents of Fruit Heights. The station will be available as long as supplies last.

SELF-FILL SANDBAG STATION

What City Provides

- Sand
- Bags

What You Provide

- Shovel
- Residency Proof

For sandbag location, call City Hall at 801-546-0861.

Please dispose of bags properly; do not leave sandbags in the gutter or by garbage cans when no longer needed.

PROTECTING OUR DRAIN SYSTEM

Water from snow or rain that does not soak into the ground is known as stormwater. It flows over yards and into roads toward storm drains. The drain system in Fruit Heights can handle large quantities of water.

As stormwater flows, it collects pollutants such as litter, pesticides, fertilizers, and oil. To protect our drain system and the water, please remember:

- **KEEP** mulch, rock, dirt, fertilizers off roads, walks/driveways
- **DO NOT** blow grass into road
- **DO NOT** use water to wash walks/driveways

CONSTRUCTION UPDATE

City Hall: Repair work is nearly complete following water damage caused by a plumbing leak in January. Residents may still call 801-546-0861, and use the drop box located outside the building.

Mountain Road: We all continue to look forward to the final repair of Mountain Road! As of now, due to weather and temperature issues, Weber Basin can not give us an exact date for the final patch work, other than to say it will occur this spring. Come on, spring!

U.S. 89 Projects: As weather conditions allow, UDOT crews will work to complete sidewalks, pedestrian ramps, curb and gutter, driveways and other side-street items as materials, equipment and crews are available. If you have specific questions about UDOT projects, contact UDOT at 888-752-8789.

Green Road to Nicholls Road: Paving on the west frontage road connection between Laurelwood Drive/Green Road and Nicholls Road will occur this spring.

Quail Ridge Drive & Cherry Lane: Utility and road work are complete. Repair work to landscaping will occur this spring.

SPRING CLEANUP PROGRAM APRIL 7 - 17

Each spring, Fruit Heights City offers a spring cleanup program. This program offers free vouchers to dump green waste at the Davis Landfill located at 1997 East 3500 North, Layton.

Vouchers may be picked up at Fruit Heights City Hall starting Thursday, April 6. Homeowners may request up to three vouchers per home. Vouchers apply to covered loads in pickup trucks or single axle trailers.



THE GREAT UTAH SHAKEOUT APRIL 20



Register for the Great Utah ShakeOut, happening April 20, 2023. Learn more at: www.shakeout.org/utah

ITEMS OF NOTE

- **YCC Easter Egg Hunt** on Saturday, April 8, 10 am
- **Spring Cleanup** April 7-17
Pick up vouchers at City Hall
- **Green waste service** returned April 1. Place green waste only (no garbage) in green can
- **Secondary water** turns on April 24. Please don't use secondary water until needed
- **Park restrooms** open mid-April
- **Caucus Meeting** May 18
City Council will have 3 open seats in the Nov. election.

IMPORTANT NUMBERS

- Fruit Heights City Hall
801-546-0861
- Davis County Sheriff's Office
801-451-4150
- Robinson Waste Collection
801-825-3800

Fruit Heights City - 910 S. MOUNTAIN ROAD - 801-546-0861 - www.fruitheightscity.com
City Council - citycouncil@fruitheightscity.com

Mayor: John M. Pohlman **Council Members:** Diane Anderson, Gary Anderson, Eileen Moss, George Ray, Florence Sadler