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Mayor's Report

Once Again, another 4th of July has passed. I give thanks to the many volunteers that work countless hours to bring this event to our city every year. The events were well attended with many participants and viewers. The weather was cool for a mid-summer day with many wearing jackets at the evening events. Our celebration is a demonstration of all the good in our country. Let's keep it that way and continue to promote the work, vision and patriotism that makes us great.

July 1st marks the end of the fiscal year and the beginning of a new year and budget for all cities in Utah. Although we have not had the opportunity to review the year end budget in full it appears that Lewiston City ended the year in good financial condition. All operations ended the year within the budgets set by the city council and there was enough income to support the budget. The preliminary budget for FY2020 has been approved by the city council and will be fully adopted after the required tax rate hearing scheduled in August 13 @ 7 p.m. Budget challenges are always present as needs and desires seem to exceed the amount of available funds. My commitment as Mayor and that of the Council is to always be mindful of the trust placed in us by the citizens to make certain the city resources are managed wisely and to the best benefit of the citizens.

Please have a safe and enjoyable summer. If you have any questions or concerns you may contact me at (435)770-4267 (if I don't answer please leave a message) or mayorfield@gmail.com

Mayor Kelly Field

May we think of freedom, not as the right to do as we please, but as the opportunity to do what is right....

Peter Marshall



Upcoming Events

- Arts Council Concert in the Park series continues August 15 @ 6:30 pm with Rocky Mt. Express. Bring your blankets & chairs and enjoy an evening of great entertainment, treats and fun with the community.
- Sports Court Donations are ongoing. Any amount will help! Contact the City Office for info or to make a donation!
- Fireworks Donations—anyone can give for 2020. Donations of \$50 or \$100 are appreciated.
- 4th Quilt Raffle winners are— Jane Anderson (quilt made by Myrna Fischer), Tracy Williams (quilt made by Quilting Class), & Jonna Westover (quilt made by Rebecca Cressall). Congrats!!
- Head Start Open Enrollment Event for families for children under 5 on Tuesday, July 16 from 5-7 pm at 90 S 100 W Richmond, UT.

Movies for July

- <u>Captain Marvel</u>– July 12, 13 & 15
- <u>Uglydolls</u>– July 19, 20 & 22. with a Saturday Matinee @ 1 pm
- <u>Breakthrough</u>- July 26, 27 & 29.
- Showtime's are 7 & 9 pm with one showing only Monday @ 7.pm. Concessions \$2 and under.
- www.lewiston-ut.org
- 435.258.1101

Meet the Candidates for City Council

<u>Deborah Wright</u>—Hi, my name is Deborah Wright but you can call me Debbie. I am running for city council of Lewiston and I just want to tell you a little bit about myself so you can get to know me better. I am a recent widow who married the love of my life, Glenn Wright, 50 years ago. We have 8 children who have blessed us with 20 grandchildren.

I have lived in my little farm house here in Lewiston for the last 5 years and have learned to love this beautiful town and the amazing people who reside here. I have lived all over this wonderful country from Alaska to Washington D.C. but I truly feel at home here.

After raising my 8 children to school age, I returned to school myself and earned a degree in nursing. As a registered nurse I have worked in hospitals and clinics in big cities and rural settings. I have worked as a hospice nurse and an insurance case manager. I have had countless opportunities to use my skills as a nurse not only in the community for also for my family.

I am an avid quilter and enjoy creating quilts in my shop for those I love. I also have a great love of gardening and enjoy the fruits and vegetables of my labor. During baseball season you will find me sitting in my favorite chair, knitting the latest project with the television set turned on the Rockies game. (Go Rockies!)

I have a firm belief that when ordinary citizens participate in government, especially on the local level, neighborhoods thrive, citizens are valued and communities are strengthened. With my years of experience as a wife, mother and nurse, I will bring a unique perspective to the city council.

God Bless America and God Bless Lewiston.

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Fizz Bodily—Hello, I am a life-long resident of Lewiston and grew up on a farm and then later we moved 'up-town'! I have a fairly good view of the concerns in the agricultural and the residential areas, having lived in both. Keeping both areas in balance is sometimes challenging yet rewarding as we see our town growing and yet we still manage to maintain our farm community identity.

It has been a pleasure to serve you as a city councilperson over the past 2 terms and I look forward to continuing that service for you.

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<u>Jonna Westover</u>- My name is Jonna Westover and I am running as an incumbent for city council. My husband, Jason, was born and raised in Lewiston and as a family returned 13 years ago as a 4th generation to raise our family on the dairy farm. I work part-time at USU in antiviral research and when I am home I love to garden, cook and spend time with my family. I have previously served on the library board, 4th of July Committee, Youth Council, Fire Department and Roads both in my capacity as councilperson and as a citizen. I have a true passion for our city and I believe that with my skills, knowledge and experience I can continue to contribute to the great work the council does for our community. I wish to continue to help Lewiston maintain a secure fiscal position and continue building our safe and beautiful city all the while respecting the traditions of the community and honoring our neighborhood values.

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