

Over the past several months I have used this newsletter to discuss the major improvement projects involving the water and sewer systems. These improvements are designed to update aging infrastructure in both systems and to set up Lewiston City to face the next fifty years. These improvements have required Lewiston City to bond for significant sums to pay for the improvements. After thorough investigation it was determined that borrowing money at this time was a good investment for the future because of the extremely low interest rates. The bond funds do need to be repaid and the service rates must be adjusted to pay for the service. As was previously noted the Council voted last fall to set the rates at the level required by the bond issuer but to implement the new rate structures at the beginning of the new fiscal year beginning July 1, 2021. The following tables show the present rates and the new rates that will be effective on July 1, 2021.

Water Rates

	Current Rate	New Rate
Residential		
Base up to 12,000 gallons	\$23.74	\$31.33
12,001-200,000 gallons	\$0.6685/ 1000 gallons	\$0.8821/1000 gallons
200,001-400,000 gallons	\$0.8509/1000 gallons	\$1.1228/1000 gallons
400,001-600,000 gallons	\$1.0332/1000 gallons	\$1.3633/1000 gallons
600,000 + gallons	\$1.2155/1000 gallons	\$1.6039/1000 gallons
Non- Residential		
All Usage above 12,000 gallons	Same as Residential	\$1.9431

Sewer Rates

Tier Based on Winter Water Use	Current Rate	New Rate
Up to 3000 gallons	\$36.00	48.00
3001-6000 gallons	Base rate + \$1.16/1000 gallons	Base rate + \$1.5438/1000 gallons
6000-10,000 gallons	Base rate + \$2.31/1000 gallons	Base rate + \$3.0744/1000 gallons
10,000 + gallons	Base rate + \$4.63/1000 gallons	Base rate + \$6.1621/1000 gallons

Although it is still in the invisible stage there is progress being made with both the water and sewer projects. Repairs have been made to the roof of our 400,000-gallon reservoir which will extend its service life. A test well has been drilled and quality water was found in the area near the Cub River Sports Complex where we plan to drill a service well and build a reservoir for storage. The engineering for the well, reservoir and service line improvements throughout the community are nearing completions. Plans are to put the project out for bid in the early summer.

The engineering for the sewer project is almost complete and the current plan is to place it out for bid by the end of May.

2021 is an election year and the filing period is quickly approaching. This year there are the Mayor and two four-year Council positions available. In addition, due to the resignation of a serving Council Member there is also a two-year council position available. These are great opportunities to serve our community and to learn the complexities of running even a small city. The filing period this year will be June 1 thru June 7. Application can be made at the City Office during the filing period.

If you have questions, contact me at 435-770-4267 (if I do not answer please leave a message) or mayorfield@gmail.com.

Mayor Kelly Field



Lewiston Theatre

SMURF'S-THE LOST VILLAGE-PG
APRIL 30, MAY 1 & 3
THE ANGRY BIRDS MOVIE 2-PG
MAY 7, 8 & 10
THE EMOJI MOVIE-PG
MAY 14, 15 & 17
SPIDER-MAN: FAR FROM HOME-PG13
MAY 21, 22 & 24
CLOUDY WITH A CHANCE OF MEATBALLS-PG
MAY 28, 29 & 31
FRIDAY, SATURDAY & MONDAY'S
7:00 P.M. ONLY



GARBAGE DAY TIPS

Please **DO NOT** dispose of TV's, motor oil, car batteries, paint, or other hazardous or flammable waste in your containers. Many household hazardous waste items can be disposed of for **NO CHARGE** at the landfill. Please call (435) 716-9777 for more information. **As per city ordinances**, please do **NOT** allow your containers to sit out on the street longer than 24 hours before or after your collection day.



This is public notice that Lewiston City has four offices up for election/re-election.

- *Mayor
- *2 Year City Council
- *4 Year City Council
- *4 Year City Council

Great opportunity to serve your community. Declaration for candidacy will begin June 1st. Call the office for more information.



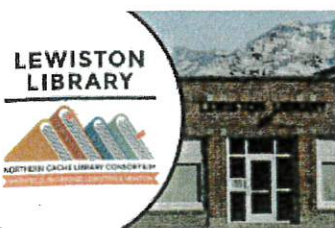
Summer Reading starts June 2 and every Wednesday 10 a.m. thru June. This year's theme is "Tails & Tales."

ONE BOOK, ONE UTAH

What if everyone read the same book, and then joined other readers in talking about it? One Book, One Utah is a statewide book club that invites all Utahns to read a common book and then come together to enjoy & discuss.



YOUTH!!! We need volunteers for Youth Council!!!



Lewiston Library Patrons: Please come into the library and update your information and pick up your new library card. We are switching to a 14-digit barcode. Overdrive users need to come pick up cards as soon as possible. Your old number will not be valid after May 15th. Overdrive is a free online digital library that residents can access (at no cost). Check out audio books, ebooks, magazines, video...visit the Library!!!