

Salt Lake City Council District One Community News Update

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Dear Neighbor,

While much change is going on in the City, many things remain the same. We are still very much dependent on working as a community to solve problems and to watch out for each other as neighbors to maintain and promote the peace and safety in our neighborhoods.

We also need to work hand-in-hand with our Public Safety folks in the Police and Fire Departments. In the recent Night Out Against Crime, we had the opportunity to collaborate and we should continue working together the other 364 days of the year.

Planning and design work is progressing on the District One Neighborhood Olympic Legacy Project. By working with representatives of the four community councils and after visiting each community council, we were able to receive input to proceed with eight new stops on the Jordan River Parkway trail that will include lighting, a bench, and a concrete pad containing the Salt Lake 2002 Olympic logo. Each location will have a different theme that will list the venue winners for that location. Our hope is that it will be a lasting reminder of what a great experience the Olympics were for the residents of District One.

Thank you for your continued input on matters affecting our City and our neighborhood in particular. Please feel free to contact me by phone or email or feel free to talk to me if you see me out in the community.

Sincerely,



Carlton J. Christensen
Salt Lake City Council Member
District One



August 5th Night Out Against Crime Event

Northwest Multipurpose Center



1300 West 300 North

Are you interested in fitness, computers, sports or senior activities? If so, the Northwest Multipurpose Center may be the place for you! **Call the Northwest Multipurpose Center at 596-0072 for more information regarding program details and registration fees.**

Registration for **youth soccer** begins now and runs through mid-September. League games begin after Labor Day for girls and boys, ages 11-14. **Junior Jazz basketball** registration begins in October for boys and girls from kindergarten age through twelfth grade. **Karate and Capeira** (a Brazilian form of Karate) will be offered to those from 9 years of age and older. Karate classes will be held on Tuesdays. Capeira classes will be held Tuesdays and Thursdays.

Flag Football games begin the week of September 14th for boys and girls, ages 8-12. **Men's basketball** begins September 11th. Use the fitness room for weight training and cardio machines for \$4.00/day, \$22.00/month or \$150.00/year. Yoga, cycling and aerobics are also available for \$4.00/day or \$28.00/month.

The Multipurpose Center is open for lap and open swimming, and water aerobics. The Center also offers a state licensed child care program for children 2 years to 12 years of age. Child care is available from 6:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. For more details, call 596-0072. The computer lab is open to the public on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at no charge.

The Northwest Senior Recreation Center offers many interesting activities and events. For more information, call 596-0208.

Simpli-Fly at the Airport

Simpli-fly is a new customer service campaign initiated by the Salt Lake City Department of Airports to assist users of the International Airport. The main component is a 24-hour phone line – **359-EASE (3273)** – that airport users can call to obtain information or assistance. Passengers can also request help from an Airport Operations Officer to assist them through the airport process. The program's target audience includes all airline passengers in general, individuals meeting arriving passengers, and the disabled, elderly or anyone with special needs. It is intended to help dispel any sense that the airport is "complicated" or hard to access. The system will also help to alert the public about construction impacts, current security situations and airline procedures. It will be used to promote the "Park'N Wait" lot, 30-minute free parking and other customer service initiatives.



The "hotline" will be staffed by the airport's Control Center 24-hours a day, seven days a week. With fluctuating security requirements and construction projects, this service will be of great benefit to airport customers. Although the airport is designed for easy access, frequent changes in security levels can give the impression the airport is difficult to navigate. The Simpli-Fly program has been created to alleviate this concept and offer support to airport customers.

REFUSE AND RECYCLING TIPS

District One residents' garbage cans and recycling containers should be placed out to the curbside by 7 a.m. on Friday mornings. Garbage is collected on Fridays, even on holidays, except for Thanksgiving, Christmas and **New Year's Day**, when the pickup will take place on **Saturday** instead of Friday. If you are not yet participating in the City's curbside recycling program, call 535-6970 to sign up or obtain more information.

Rules to Help the Refuse and Recycling Programs Run Efficiently: do not overfill your containers – lids should be completely closed; do not block traffic, gutters, bike lanes, fire hydrants, or mailboxes with your containers; do not stack items on the side of your containers; make sure there is at least five feet between garbage and recycling containers; remove your container from the street after your refuse and/or recyclable items have been collected; and place recyclable items at the curbside **ONLY** when the container is at least $\frac{3}{4}$ full. Please follow the above rules to ensure that your service is not interrupted.

Quick Guide to Garbage and Recycling Service:

- Call BFI at 972-4234 with collection problems.
- Report stolen containers to the Police Department at 799-3000.
- Replacement costs for containers that have been damaged by the resident: \$40-\$55 plus \$10 delivery charge.
- Special collection service available for both handicapped and the elderly who need assistance in wheeling containers to curbside, call 535-6999.
- Take items that cannot be picked up in the weekly refuse collection to the Salt Lake Valley Landfill, 5600 West 1300 South, Monday through Saturday, 7:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
- Call the recycling hotline at 974-6902 to recycle unusual items such as computers, tires, and scrap metal.
- Collection centers for glass recycling — Rotary Glen Park, 800 South 2770 East; Jordan Park, 1100 South 900 West (south entrance); or Forest Dale Golf Course, 2375 South 900 East.
- Take hazardous waste to the Household Hazardous Waste Facility, 6030 W. California Ave., Monday through Saturday, 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. or if questions, call 313-6745.

Questions? Call 535-6999 or visit: <http://www.slcgov.com/publicservices/Streets/garbage.htm>

Council Member Carlton Christensen Welcomes Your Comments

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