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2,016 BY 2016 - INSTAGRAM FOLLOWERS



Instagram continues to grow in popularity. Orem is committed to providing quality, up-to-date information to its residents and Instagram allows us an avenue to make this happen.

We have a goal of having 2,016 followers before 2016. Will you help?

https://instagram.com/orem_city/

UTAH COUNTY'S FIRST ALL-ABILITIES PLAYGROUND



As you know, the City of Orem has a very robust park & playground system. However, we currently don't have a playground where ALL children can enjoy the benefits of play.

A year ago, some residents came to the City with an idea to dedicate some CARE money to re-purpose one of our existing playgrounds and create a playground that would allow disabled children to play with their

able-bodied friends.

We are currently in the process of designing and building the "All-Together Playground", the

first playground in Utah County where kids with disabilities and able-bodied children are able to play together.

This playground will be built using volunteers in what is called a "Community Build". We invite you visit our website to learn more about this amenity and how you can help make it come to life.

<http://www.alltogetherplayground.com>

STATE STREET MASTER PLAN

For a year we have been studying how we can improve the safety, mobility, and long-term viability of one of the busiest corridors in Orem. We have also looked at how we can best utilize this corridor to help accommodate the anticipated growth that Orem will continue to experience.



80% of the growth in the State of Utah is coming from our children and grandchildren. On average, one household that existed in 1975 has now grown into 10+ households in our community. If we want to continue having our family and loved ones close by, we need to prepare for the growth appropriately. This State Street plan has provided that opportunity.

Over the year we have heard feedback from approximately 11,000 different people through our [My Sidewalk](#) (click link) page. Of those responding, approximately 80% feel that improvements need to be made to State Street to keep this corridor's long-term viability in tact.

The public involvement, open houses, and stakeholder meetings have been utilized to create the draft master plan. On November 17th, the final master plan will be presented to the City Council for adoption at our City Council meeting.

www.reinventstatestreet.com

ELECTION RESULTS

Election results are not final until they are canvassed on November 17th, however here are the preliminary results counting everything that was submitted by Election Day.

- 1) Mark Seastrand 8000
- 2) Debby Lauret 7509
- 3) Sam Lentz 7430
- 4) Hans Andersen 5633
- 5) Claude Richards 4527

Until we get the final numbers on Nov. 17th we won't know the actual voter turnout, but our best guess has the voter turnout at approximately 30%. That would represent a near doubling the voter turnout in the last non-mayoral election.

<http://elections.orem.org>



NEIGHBORHOOD PLANS

Canyon View, Orchard & Cascade Neighborhood Plan: There will be a final Neighborhood Meeting on Thursday, November 19, 2015, from 5:30-7:00pm in the City Council Chambers. This will be a presentation of the completed plan.

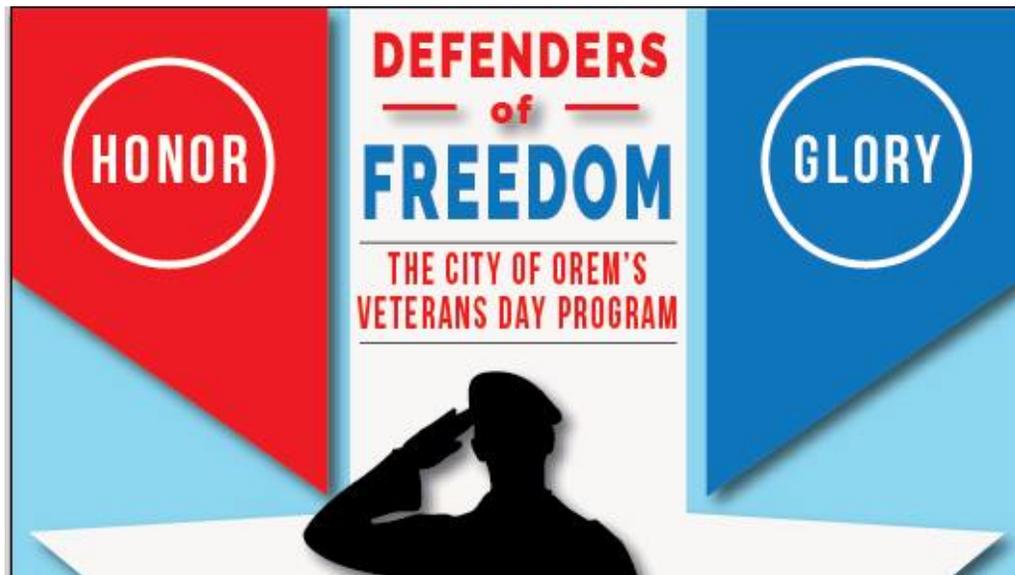
Is anyone interested in helping with the **Northridge, Heatheridge & Windsor Neighborhood Plan**? If so, please contact Brandon Stocksdale, Orem Long Range Planner, at bstocksdaled@orem.org or (801)229-7055.



This year we will have two special guests for both the adults and the kiddos. Come see Santa Claus arrive on a fire truck and see Elsa arrive in a Police Vehicle. Free hot chocolate and donuts by Treeo and Walker Sanderson Mortuary.

See you there!

[RSVP @ our Facebook Event](#)



On Wednesday, November 11th at 11 AM, the Orem City Council and Heritage Commission invites everyone to come honor the men and women who have fought for our country.

[RSVP @ our Facebook Event](#)

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