

# AT YOUR SERVICE

A bulletin of community news



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## CORONAVIRUS UPDATE

For information or updated news regarding COVID-19 related items, visit:

[www.ogdencity.com/coronavirus](http://www.ogdencity.com/coronavirus)

## PARA INFORMACIÓN de CORONAVIRUS EN ESPAÑOL:

[www.ogdencity.com/coronavirus](http://www.ogdencity.com/coronavirus)

## Request a Free Water Audit

Schedule your free water audit during the irrigation season and let us help customize an irrigation plan based on your landscape watering needs. You may also request your water audit online.

**801-629-8864**

[www.ogdenwater.com](http://www.ogdenwater.com)

## Discount Smoke Detectors Available for Ogden Residents

Smoke detectors are available for \$10 at the City Municipal Building (2549 Washington Blvd) with proof of Ogden City residency.

[ogdencity.com/fire](http://ogdencity.com/fire)

## Own in Ogden

Own in Ogden down-payment assistance loans are available for qualifying individuals and properties.

**801-629-8940**

[ogdencity.com/OwninOgden](http://ogdencity.com/OwninOgden)

## HELP (Home Exterior Loan Program)

HELP provides low-interest home improvement loans for eligible projects to all qualifying

**801-629-8940**

[ogdencity.com/HELP](http://ogdencity.com/HELP)



## Emergency Home Repairs

Loans are available for low income, owner-occupied households to correct unexpected emergency housing conditions.

**801-629-8903**

## Fair Housing

Everyone is protected under the fair housing Act of 1968!

[www.hud.gov/fairhousing](http://www.hud.gov/fairhousing)

## Your Business Could Be Eligible for Funding

To support businesses impacted by COVID-19, Ogden City shifted its existing loan programs into a new Emergency Loan Fund (ELF).

The ELF was established with a generous donation from R&O Construction and supported by other donors, including Ogden Industrial Development Corporation, Wadman Corporation, Marketstar, Utah Certified Development Company, Goldenwest Credit Union, and DL Evans Bank.

Jason Davis, who manages the Ogden Business Information Center (BIC), said Ogden was uniquely situated because of its existing loan programs designed to support local businesses. "Support has always been the goal of our program. We've been focused on helping not only the smaller, family-owned businesses but also some of the larger local businesses recognized as keystones of the community that employs people in the Ogden area," Davis said.

Forty-five companies have either received or will be receiving funds, and applications are still being accepted. Contact the BIC for more information:

**(801) 629-8613**

[bicinfo@ogdencity.com](mailto:bicinfo@ogdencity.com)

## Nominations Open for Mayor's Awards in the Arts

Ogden City is now accepting nominations for the annual Mayor's Awards in the Arts. Awards may be presented in the following categories, though not all categories are awarded each year. The number of awards is dependent upon the nominations received. Categories are:

- Arts in Education
- Youth Artist
- Folk Art
- Performing Arts
- Visual Arts
- Media/Design Arts
- Literary
- Lifetime Contribution
- Arts Advocacy

Nomination guidelines include:

- All nominations must be submitted using the official nomination form, and must include a brief narrative describing the specific reasons for this nomination
- All supplemental materials must be submitted via email (pdf, jpeg, or Word document file) OR 8 1/2" x 11" paper if submitted by mail
- Self-nominations will not be considered

The deadline for nominations is August 28, 2020. Nomination forms are available at [www.ogdencity.com/arts](http://www.ogdencity.com/arts). For more information and guidelines call the Ogden City Arts office at: **(801) 629-8718**

## Your Area May Be Restricted From Open Fires and Fireworks

Fire restrictions are in effect from now until September 20th, or until conditions improve for the areas currently restricted.

The Ogden City Fire Marshal has determined that existing environmental conditions have created a significant hazard to property and public safety in the event of a fire in mountainous, brush covered, forest covered, and dry grass covered areas in the City. It has been concluded that a dry spring has created an earlier than normal "extreme" fire danger.

Data from the National Weather Service shows that precipitation along the Wasatch Front was well below normal for March, April, and May of 2020. The long-range forecast for the Ogden area indicates temperatures averaging in the upper 90's for the remainder of June and most of July, with no or very little precipitation expected.

Section 15A-5-202.5 of the Utah Code allows for the prohibition of use of an ignition source when hazardous environmental conditions are present. To see if your area is restricted please visit:

[www.ogdencity.com/343/Restrictions](http://www.ogdencity.com/343/Restrictions)



## Recreation Reminders:

All Recreation events are currently suspended due to the circumstances surrounding COVID-19 (Coronavirus). This may change within the month. For updates and changes regarding any activities, registrations, or events, we encourage you to call 801-629-8253 or you can visit our website at:

[ogdencity.com/Recreation](http://ogdencity.com/Recreation)

## All Events Scheduled are Subject to Change

### July

- 1 Music on the Plaza | The Junction 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.
- 3 First Friday Art Stroll | TBA 6 - 9 p.m.
- 4 Farmers Market Ogden | Downtown 9 a.m. - 2 p.m.
- 6 Monday Night Movies | Ogden Amphitheater
- 8 Music on the Plaza | The Junction 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.  
Jazz at the Station | The Union Station 7 - 8 p.m.
- 11 Farmers Market Ogden | Downtown 9 a.m. - 2 p.m.
- 13 Monday Night Movies | Ogden Amphitheater
- 15 Music on the Plaza | The Junction 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.
- 20 Monday Night Movies | Ogden Amphitheater
- 27 Monday Night Movies | Ogden Amphitheater

### August

- 1 Farmers Market Ogden | Downtown 9 a.m. - 2 p.m.
- 3 Monday Night Movies | Ogden Amphitheater
- 7 First Friday Art Stroll | TBA 6 - 9 p.m.
- 8 Farmers Market Ogden | Downtown 9 a.m. - 2 p.m.
- 10 Monday Night Movies | Ogden Amphitheater
- 15 Farmers Market Ogden | Downtown 9 a.m. - 2 p.m.
- 17 Monday Night Movies | Ogden Amphitheater
- 22 Farmers Market Ogden | Downtown 9 a.m. - 2 p.m.
- 29 Farmers Market Ogden | Downtown 9 a.m. - 2 p.m.

See more at [ogdencity.com/events](http://ogdencity.com/events)

### Get Connected:

- 801.629.8000
- [Facebook.com/OgdenCityUtah](http://Facebook.com/OgdenCityUtah)
- Twitter: @OgdenCityUtah
- Instagram: @OgdenCityUtah
- Web: [OgdenCity.com](http://OgdenCity.com)

### City Council Meetings

Council Chambers | Tuesdays 6 p.m.

### Ogden Trails Network

Public Works Building | Third Thursdays 4:30 p.m.

### City Planning Commission

Municipal Building | First Wednesdays 5 p.m.

## Volunteers Needed on Ogden Trails

Volunteer groups are now allowed back on the trails!

When you volunteer on the trails, Ogden City uses logged volunteer hours to apply for grants. These grants lead to amazing projects and more trails built for you to enjoy. For updates and to stay informed, follow Ogden Trails Network on Facebook. You can also report problems or submit a project idea for the trails on the Ogden website. Suggest project ideas and report volunteered hours by visiting:  
[www.ogdencity.com/trails](http://www.ogdencity.com/trails)  
[www.pliking.org](http://www.pliking.org)



## Monday Night Movies Are Back

If you are eager to get out of the house, Ogden City has your solution! Monday Night Movies are back for you to enjoy with your friends and family. Current shows and dates include:

- **July 6** - The Lion King (2019)
- **July 13** - Abominable PG
- **July 20** - UglyDolls
- **July 27** - Aladdin (2019)
- **August movies - TBA**

This year there are added precautions surrounding the circumstances of COVID-19

- **Free tickets must be claimed beforehand. Note if the show time is either 5:00 p.m. or 8:30 p.m.**
- **Markings will be in place for family units and are first come/first served**
- **Families must occupy and stay within this space to help maintain social distancing**
- **All surfaces will be low/no touch**
- **The fixed seating is unavailable, please be respectful of others behind you when bringing chairs**
- **The Backstage Bistro will be closed, bring your own picnic and enjoy with your family**
- **No umbrellas or alcohol allowed**
- **Masks encouraged when social distancing is difficult**
- **Please be considerate of other's space and prepare for social distancing measures**
- **All measures, dates, and titles are subject to change**

Stay informed and follow @ogdenamphitheater on Instagram or Facebook.

## Emergency Preparedness: Equip your Car

It's important to prepare your family vehicle(s) for any situation that may occur. When equipping your vehicle with items, keep in mind any emergency or everyday occurrences that may come up, or any items that may be needed to changes in weather or seasons.

Some basic items to include for common situations could be:

- **Blankets**
- **Heavy-duty flashlights**
- **A container of drinking water**
- **A collapsible shovel**
- **A basic first-aid kit**
- **Jumper cables**

Additional less-common items could be high-energy snack bars and weather-conscious clothing items. It's a good idea to include a sharp-pointed rock hammer within the driver's reach. This tool may become a life-saving method of breaking through a window in a flood situation. For more safety tips and to build your plan go to:

<https://www.ready.gov/car>

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