

AT YOUR SERVICE

A bulletin of community news



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Ogden City Is Hiring!

Be part of a team that can impact your own community. Multiple positions are available. Apply today! ogdencity.gov/jobs

"The Ogden Way" Podcast

Listen in as Mayor Nadolski sits down with the people of Ogden and hears their stories. These are stories of grit, determination, community building, and collaboration. Join on Spotify, iHeart, Apple, Amazon or YouTube.

www.theogdenway.com

Adoption Programs

Adopt a trail, a section of river, a storm drain, or even a fire hydrant! You can adopt something as a team with your friends, co-workers, a family, or an individual. All of these programs make a positive impact in our community and neighborhoods! Sign up today. www.ogdencity.com/volunteer

Discount Carbon Monoxide Detectors Available

Carbon Monoxide detectors are available for \$10 at the City Municipal Building with proof of Ogden City residency. ogdencity.com/fire

Fair Housing

Everyone is protected under the fair housing Act of 1968! www.hud.gov/fairhousing

Emergency Home Repairs

Learn how you can apply for a loan for low income, owner-occupied households to correct unexpected emergency housing conditions. **801-629-8903**

HELP (Home Exterior Loan Program)

HELP provides low-interest home improvement loans for eligible projects to all qualifying citizens city-wide.

801-629-8940 - ogdencity.gov/HELP

Connect:



801.629.8000



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"The Ogden Way" A Mission for our Employees, A Vision for our City

During the State of The City event on January 29th, Mayor Nadolski introduced a shared vision for our community. He unveiled our tagline at the heart of this: "We are a city of service, and a community of opportunity."

"The Ogden Way" is a collaborative framework that drives our city forward through a vision that aligns our city staff with the needs of our people, businesses and partners. This pursuit of community-wide alignment drives operational efficiencies and has the potential to accelerate community-wide impacts. "The Ogden Way" is also a reflection of our city's ethos, and a standard that we strive to achieve in all that we do. In so doing, it is a living, breathing movement that shapes how we operate as a city government, as employees, and as a community of residents, businesses and anchor institutions. This framework sets the stage for a shared commitment to building an environment where every person has access to opportunities to succeed in their own lives, and encourages our city to invest in selfless service to one another, and doing so with a mindset of personal and collective growth, achievement, innovation and connection. When viewed as a whole, this framework is about creating a place where people are empowered, differences are embraced, and everyone plays a part in holding themselves accountable for their success, while lifting each other up as we rise individually.

At the heart of The Ogden Way is our mission for Ogden's employees:

"Fueled by a champion's drive and an unwavering commitment to service, we innovate and collaborate to overcome challenges, foster opportunities, and create an environment for our people, businesses, and partners to earn success."

Our Vision for Ogden:

"A safe, vibrant, and thriving community where you and I connect, grow, and succeed."

At its core, "The Ogden Way" emphasizes the importance of collaboration in achieving a shared vision through mutual support and a relentless focus on delivering opportunities for all. It's about enabling success through service, but also recognizing that success is earned through hard work, resilience, and grit. We don't succeed alone—The Ogden Way is about making sure everyone has access to the resources and support they need in order to thrive.

To read the full framework and to catch up with the Ogden Way Podcast, visit www.theogdenway.com

New City Council Leadership Elected

The Ogden City Council has elected new leadership for 2025, selecting Council Member Marcia White as Chair and Council Member Richard Hyer as Vice Chair. City Council votes for new leadership each February.

Marcia White, now in her third term on the Council, has been a strong advocate for data-driven solutions, financial stability, and sustainability initiatives. "I'm excited to see how we can continue building on our progress," Chair White said to the Council. "I appreciate the opportunity to lead this group."

In addition to her role on the Council, White is the Regional Economic Development Planner for the Wasatch Front Regional Council, working to improve local economies.

Richard Hyer, a lifelong Ogden resident, has served on the Council since 2011 and brings decades of experience in city planning and community service. "I look forward to working with Chair White for the next year," Vice Chair Hyer said. "I am honored to have been elected to this position and will work to ensure that all voices on the Council are heard."

Hyer has a background in jewelry design and repair and has been active in numerous community planning initiatives. Before joining the Council, he served on the Ogden City Planning Commission for over 15 years.



Recycling Tip of The Month

Momentum collects clean glass at these three locations:

- 2828 Harrison Blvd (Ogden High South parking lot)
- 1845 Monroe Blvd (Green waste facility)
- 502 Wall Ave (4th Street ballpark West parking lot)

Recycling glass reduces the weight of residential garbage cans, saves money, and repurposes glass into bricks and insulation. Thank you for recycling!

Free Tax Prep For Utah Residents

Free tax preparation is available for Utah residents with an income of \$75,000 or less. Sessions will be held on specific Monday afternoons from 4 PM to 7 PM at two locations: WSU Davis Campus (Building 2, Room 234, 2750 University Park Blvd., Layton, UT) on 3/10, and WSU Community Education Center (2605 Monroe Blvd, Ogden, UT) on 3/17, 3/24, 3/31, 4/7, and 4/14.

Participants should bring documentation of 2024 income and expenses, Social Security cards for all individuals, and a photo ID for the taxpayer and spouse (if filing jointly, both must be present). Direct deposit information is also required. Please choose either the WSU Community Center or the Davis Campus when scheduling your appointment. <https://utvita.timetap.com/#/>

March

- 1 GOAL Winter Running Series 10k
- 7 First Friday Art Stroll | Downtown 6 - 9 p.m.
- 15 GOAL Winter Running Series 5k
2025 International Flyfishing Film Festival | Union Station 7 p.m.
- 17 Cemetery Spring Clean-Up

April

- 4 First Friday Art Stroll | Downtown 6 - 9 p.m.
- 5 GOAL Winter Running Series Half Marathon

See more at ogdencity.com/events

Public Meetings – Details Available Online

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.

Ogden City Arts Advisory Committee

Virtual | Second Tuesdays 8:30 a.m.

Marshall White Advisory Committee

Virtual | Second Wednesdays 4:00 p.m.

Community Engagement and Opportunity Commission

Second Wednesdays 4:30 p.m.

Sustainability Stewardship Committee

Fourth Thursdays 4:00 p.m.

Wall Avenue Corridor Plan – Public Workshop

Summary: Ogden City has hired a transportation consultant team, Kimley-Horn, to help Ogden City develop a plan for the Wall Avenue Corridor. The project's

scope includes the entire Wall Avenue corridor from Ogden's northern boundary to its southern boundary. The project will specifically focus on the section of Wall Avenue that traverses through downtown. The downtown area attracts many people, thus Ogden City is looking at ways to improve safety for all modes of transportation (Walking, Biking, Transit, and Vehicles).

On April 24, 2025, a public workshop will be held at the Union Station at 5:30 p.m. The workshop will be an opportunity for the community to provide input on various Wall Avenue street cross-sections and intersection designs to make Wall Avenue a safer corridor for all users. Following the public workshop, Kimley-Horn will review public comments and refine the designs. The consultant team will reach back out to the community and hold another community engagement to share refined concepts.

Plan on attending the public workshop to share your ideas! If you are unable to participate in person, you can participate through an online survey that will be posted on the project website following the public workshop.

www.ogdencity.gov/2430/Special-Projects

Ogden Recreation Reminders

There are several youth and adult sports open for registration for 2025. (Ages for each program vary) Visit the Recreation website to view all programs and for more specific details. Register today!

- **Coed rookie ball:** Registration closes April 6th
- **Summer youth sports series – Ages 8-13** - Registration open
- **Adult Tennis League:** Registration closes May 5th
- **Tennis lessons for youth and adults:** Registration closes May 28th

Non-Ogden City residents will add a 30% fee for rookie ball and the summer youth sports series.

Recreation is Hiring!

Recreation is hiring for several part-time and seasonal positions. Please go to ogdencity.gov/jobs for more information.

ogdencity.gov/recreation

Emergency Preparedness: Hazardous Waste

Chemicals are a part of our everyday lives. They are not only found in industrial processes but also in our kitchens, medicine cabinets, basements, and garages. Chemicals make our lives easier, cleaner, and healthier. While many chemicals are safe in small quantities, they can be poisonous and harmful to your health if misused. You can be exposed to chemicals without noticing anything unusual through sight or smell.

The most common chemical emergencies happen in our homes, often involving children. Keeping hazardous materials out of children's reach could prevent up to 75% of these emergencies. The best way to avoid chemical accidents is to read and follow the instructions for using, storing, and disposing of products. Never mix products, especially household cleaning items.

In the event of a chemical emergency, call the Poison Control Center or 911 and follow their instructions. Remember, being prepared is the best way to protect yourself and your family.

During your spring cleaning, take the opportunity to dispose of all unused and old chemicals. The Weber County Transfer Station will accept your household hazardous waste. For more information, visit:

www.webercountyutah.gov/Solid_Waste/services_hhw.php

