

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

Uplift Your Community

We are looking for residents to join the Ogden Community Engagement and Opportunity Commission. Visit the link below to apply today!

www.ogdencity.gov/1375

Own in Ogden

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

801-629-8940

ogdencity.gov/OwninOgden

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

Web: Ogdencity.com

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Ogden Wellbeing Survey Results Now Available

The Ogden City Council recently received the results from the 2024 Utah Wellbeing Survey, which are now available for anyone to review. This project is a statewide research initiative led by Utah State University that gathers data on the wellbeing of residents across cities and towns in Utah to support local planning and decision-making.

Hundreds of Ogden residents completed the survey, offering valuable insight into how our community is experiencing life from health and safety to environmental quality and economic development. The findings offer a nuanced look at both personal and community wellbeing, highlighting areas of strength and opportunities for growth.

The survey results show:

72% of respondents rated their personal wellbeing as high, while community wellbeing scored lower overall, with safety and environmental quality emerging as priority concerns.

The most valued aspects of life in Ogden include family life, access to nature, recreation opportunities, and the city's cultural diversity.

Respondents emphasized concerns over air quality, water supply, affordable housing, and traffic, along with the pace of growth and development.

Community connection varied across districts, but many respondents shared a strong sense of place and appreciation for what makes Ogden unique.

These findings are a resource for local leaders and residents alike as we shape the future of our city. Scan the QR code or type in the URL to review the survey results and full report.

qrco.de/ogdenwellness

New Electric Vehicle Charging Stations at Union Station

Ogden City has partnered with Rocky Mountain Power (RMP) and Electrify America (EA) to install eight new DC fast charging stations at Union Station. Each of the four pairs of stations will share 360 kW of power, shared dynamically if both are being used simultaneously.

These chargers will be operated by EA and will cost \$0.27/kWh for RMP customers who register in the EA app for the discounted rate. Those who are not RMP customers or registered for the discount will pay \$0.45/kWh. You can also receive an additional \$0.05/kWh credit for charging during off-peak hours, which are all hours outside of on-peak, listed below.

On-Peak: October through May inclusive 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m., and 3:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, except holidays. June through September inclusive 3:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, except holidays.

Off-Peak: All other times.

The chargers are now operational and available for use by the public. To enroll in the discounted rate, follow the instructions on the following page:

www.rockymountainpower.net/savings-energy-choices/electric-vehicles/find-charging-stations.html

Zone Ogden – Development Code Update

The consultant team, Logan Simpson LLC, and Ogden City will host a Zone Ogden Open House on May 28, 2025, at 5:30 p.m. at Union Station. This event will focus on development standards including landscaping, lighting, parking, screening, and signage. A presentation will begin the open house, followed by a poster session where you can provide input. Each poster will highlight a topic with proposed standards. If you can't attend in person, please participate online at www.zone-ogden.com by reviewing the posters and sharing your comments.

There are more upcoming events and updated information about other projects across the city and can be viewed online, as well as become part of the mailing list.

www.zone-ogden.com | www.plan-ogden.com



Ogden City Cemetery Memorial Day Clean-Up

Ogden City Cemetery crews will begin spring clean-up of the cemetery on Monday, June 2, 2025. It takes approximately one week for this process to be complete.

Before that date, patrons are encouraged to pick up all grave decorations. As a reminder, fences, solar lights, statues, rocks, and other such grave decorations are not allowed in the cemetery during the maintenance season: March 15, 2025, through October 15, 2025. **801-629-8231**

Farmers Market Ogden

Farmers Market Ogden's summer season is BACK on Historic 25th Street! Join us for an epic summer season of supporting local produce, artisan, grocery and prepared food vendors. Farmers Market Ogden will run Saturdays, May 24 through September 13, from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. Follow @farmersmarketogden for more event details and weekly updates!

May

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| 1 | Make A Difference Day |
| 2 | First Friday Art Stroll Downtown 6 - 9 p.m. |
| 7 | 24th St. Interchange Area Plan Council Chambers 5 p.m. |
| 10 | My Hometown Ogden Service Day Heritage Festival Union Station 12 - 8 p.m. |
| 17 | 24th Annual Ogden Marathon |
| 26 | Memorial Day - Offices closed (No Garbage Delay) |
| 24 | Farmers Market Ogden Opening Weekend Downtown 8 a.m. - 1 p.m. |

June

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| 1 | Ogden Twilight (feat. KHRUANGBIN) Amphitheater |
| 2 | Memorial Day Cemetery Clean-up Begins |
| 6 | First Friday Art Stroll Downtown 6 - 9 p.m. Historic 25th Street Car Show 5 - 9 p.m. |
| 12 | Ogden Twilight (feat. Disclosure) Amphitheater |
| 20 | Ogden Twilight (feat. Kaskade) Amphitheater |
| 28 | Ogden Twilight (feat. Modest Mouse) Amphitheater |

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.

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 on pricing and schedules. Register today!

- **Summer youth sports series - Ages 8-13** - Registration open
- **Sand volleyball:** Registration open. Space is limited, so sign up early!
- **Tennis lessons for youth and adults:** Registration closes May 28th
- **Co-ed flag football:** Registration open.
- **Fall competitive baseball league:** Registration open

Non-Ogden City residents will add a 30% fee for the summer youth sports series and co-ed flag football.

ogdencity.gov/recreation

Spring Cleaning Reminder

It's spring cleaning season! Code Services wants to remind residents not to leave waste on outdoor properties.

OCMC 12-4-2: It's unlawful for property owners or occupants to allow the following on their premises:

1. Junk or salvage material
2. Litter
3. Abandoned or inoperable vehicles

www.ogdencity.gov/251/Property-Code-Violations

Water Quality Tip: Preventing Backflow Siphonage

Spring is here! We all like to keep garden hoses attached to our homes for easy use.

If a hose is used to fill a bucket, a dog bath, or a swimming pool, and the hose is left in that basin, you could be subjecting your drinking water to contaminants. While this is happening, a fire hydrant may be in use, or a water line could break. Either of these events uses a lot of water and may cause a siphon that could pull water back into your home's potable water system.

Please consider purchasing an affordable hose bibb vacuum breaker from your local supply store. These screw onto your hose outlet to prevent siphonage. For information, please call Ogden City's Backflow Prevention Department at 801-629-8317.

Emergency Preparedness: Flood Safety

Flooding is one of the most common hazards in the United States, especially during run-off season. It is important to be aware of flood hazards no matter where you live, especially if you reside in a low-lying area, near water, or downstream from a dam. Even small streams, gullies, creeks, culverts, dry streambeds, or areas of low-lying ground that seem harmless when dry can flood unexpectedly.

If flooding is likely, follow these safety tips:

- **Listen to the radio or television for updates**
- **Check Ogden City's social media pages for flood information and updates**
- **Do not walk through moving water; as little as six inches can make you fall. If you must walk in water, try to stay in areas where the water is not moving**
- **If you have to walk in water, walk where the water is not moving. Use a stick to check the firmness of the ground in front of you**
- **Avoid driving into flooded areas. If floodwaters rise around your vehicle, abandon it and move to higher ground if it is safe to do so. You and your vehicle can be quickly swept away**

Everyone should understand the flood risk to their home and property. Keep in mind that homeowners insurance typically does not cover flooding unless you have specific flood insurance. For more information, visit:

FloodSmart.gov.