

What's Right with Washington Terrace City? Making parks a better place to play...

In 2010, the gateway to Rohmer Park was in complete disrepair. I was stunned by the park's neglected state. The roadway was riddled with potholes and crumbling asphalt, barely passing for a road. The so-called "curbing" consisted of nothing more than concrete barriers. It was clear something had to be done to restore the park and transform it into a place the community could be proud of. But we also knew that, on our own, we didn't have the financial resources to tackle the project.

Then it hit me: RAMP! Of course, RAMP could provide the funds we needed. After presenting the problem to our City Council and Mayor, we agreed to apply for a RAMP Grant. We were hopeful but realistic, knowing the odds were against us.

Some doubted we could secure funding for such unglamorous items like curbs, gutters, and asphalt but to our surprise what seemed like an uphill battle turned into a victory! The RAMP board recognized that curb appeal is more than just an aesthetic enhancement — it's the foundation for creating a welcoming and respectful environment.

Fast forward several years, and RAMP has provided \$2.5 million dollars for improvements throughout our parks, enhancements we could never have achieved without their help.

Thanks to RAMP, the south roadway in Rohmer Park is rebuilt, Little Rohmer Park's roadways and parking lots are completely removed and replaced, and the Little Rohmer slope is beautifully landscaped. The grant also helped fund the new football parking lot and other projects in the area.

RAMP's contribution didn't stop there. They played a significant role in funding the pickleball park project, which includes new roadways, parking areas, an outstanding playground, and, of course, the pickleball courts. At Victory Park, they helped finance the new restrooms and pavilion, and at the Fire Station, they contributed to the renovation of the tennis courts.

In addition, RAMP supported various community events, such as the beloved Terrace Days, along with many other crucial initiatives. Without RAMP, the scope and quality of these projects would have been impossible to achieve. Thanks to their continued support, we have transformed our parks into vibrant, functional spaces that reflect the pride we feel for our community.

RAMP...Its, What's Right with Washington Terrace!

Tom Hanson, City Manager



City Offices Closed

In observance of the Columbus Day Holiday, all City offices will be closed Monday, Oct. 14

Trash & Recycle

Garbage pick up will **not** be delayed due to the Columbus Day Holiday. Your pickup date will be Wednesday, Oct. 16.

Please allow the full business day on garbage day for collection.

To report a missed pick up, please call Republic Services at (801) 392-4915.

Secondary Water

Secondary water systems will begin shutting off on Oct. 15.

Water users are encouraged to shut off their user valve AFTER water is no longer available in the system.

Weber Basin Water secondary water users are encouraged to check their customer portal to make sure they are staying within their allocation for the year.

Weber Basin Customer Portal customers.weberbasin.gov

For additional information please visit weberbasin.com or pineviewwater.com

2024 November General Election

Early In-Person Voting

Weber Center basement, 2380 Washington Blvd., Ogden
Oct. 29—Nov. 1: Noon – 6:00 pm

Election Day (Tuesday, Nov. 5)

Voting Hours: 7:00 am – 8:00 pm Locations:
Weber County Fairgrounds Exhibit Hall 1000 N 1200 W, Ogden, UT
Ogden Valley Branch Library 131 S 7400 E, Huntsville, UT

Important Deadlines

Voter Registration Deadline: Oct. 25 by 5:00 pm
By-Mail Ballot Postmark Deadline: Nov. 4
Ballots Mailed: Oct. 15





2024 Fall Clean Up — November 1 - 27

OPEN: Monday thru Friday 7:30 am – 3:00 pm

OPEN: Saturday Nov. 16 and 23 8:00 am – 3:00 pm

CLOSED: Nov. 11



IMPORTANT MESSAGE: There will be **NO CURBSIDE** green waste pickup service this fall.

All green waste items must be taken to the Washington Terrace Public Works Facility located at 575 East 5600 South. ALL green waste items must be placed inside the designated Green Waste dumpsters.

Fall clean-up is intended for residential use only
NO COMMERCIAL OR THIRD-PARTY VENDORS



Fall Clean-up is for **GREEN WASTE ONLY!**
GREEN WASTE includes grass clippings, weeds, tree limbs, bushes, leaves, etc.



Nonacceptable materials: Residential or household garbage, concrete, any type of metal, furniture or appliances, tires, paint, pesticides or any household chemicals or hazardous waste materials.

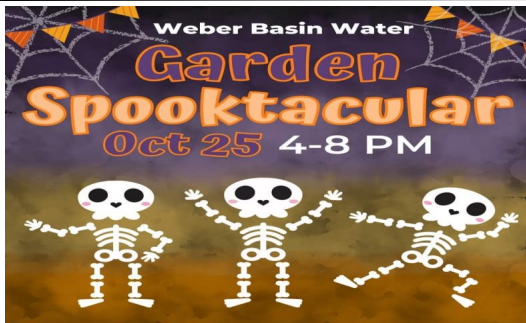
Fall Clean Up Tips

Remember, debris of any type is not allowed to be blown into the street or left in gutters which can clog storm drains and cause problems for the City system and the Weber River. Trees should be trimmed up to at least 14 feet above streets and 7 feet above sidewalk.

Also, with cooler temperatures now is a great time to get a head start on improving a dried-out yard. It is easier for planted seeds to germinate or sod to take root, a great time to reestablish a green healthy lawn!

Planning on Fertilizing? The nitrogen and phosphorus within fertilizer is very harmful once it enters stormwater flows and the Weber River. Please ensure you follow directions on packaging and clean up spills on impervious surfaces!

Winterizing a Pool? It is a violation of City, state, and federal regulations to discharge salted or chlorinated water into gutters or storm drains. Best option is to discharge pool water to the sanitary sewer. If this is not feasible, water that has been fully dechlorinated may be discharged to the storm system or landscaping.



Weber Basin Water Monthly Focus

The fall days are shorter, cooler and water is retained longer in the soil. We encourage residents to adjust sprinkler controllers to water less often! Fall grass usually does not need any outdoor water.

The Weber Basin Garden Spooktacular is the highlight of the fall season!
Free family fun event: *Costumes encouraged*.
For more information: Classes and Events - WeberBasin.gov

CONSTRUCTION CORNER

300 West

The reconstruction of 300 West is complete and a great success! The City staff would like to thank all residents affected by construction, and those who had to detour around 300 west each day, for making this a safe and successful project! The construction is a great improvement to the City's infrastructure and street asset management plan. We appreciate Wardell Brothers Construction and their team for their professionalism and dedication to providing a quality product for the residents of the City.

Rohmer Park

The parking lot reconstruction is near completion. The final stage will complete the installation of the fence around the west side of the parking lot, final surface treatment and parking stall striping.

For current updates on all construction projects can be found on the City's website.

City of WASHINGTON TERRACE
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JUNIOR JAZZ BASKETBALL BOYS

Ages: 3rd to 9th Grade

Registration Fee: \$50

Registrations:
OPEN until NOVEMBER 24th or until Divisions are FULL

Registration includes an individual game Jersey. Practices will be held on Saturdays at T.H. Bell Jr. High. Coaches needed. You can select your interest in coaching at registration or contact Carlos at (801)395-8293

Register online at
www.washingtonterracecity.com

For more information, please call (801)395-8293