

Heber City News

May, 2020

MAYOR'S MESSAGE

Happy Spring! There is something about Spring that makes everything seem better. I hope despite the challenges we are all facing that you get a chance to go outside and enjoy the beauty. I often tell my kids – we are so lucky – we live in a postcard!

It's not too late to respond to the 2020 Census. This is crucial for Heber to get money we are entitled to for school lunches, highway money, support for firefighters and families in need, etc. The national response rate is 54.3%, Utah's response rate is currently almost 60% and Heber's is 63.2%. Good job Heber! Let's keep going and get to 100%. Remind your families and friends.

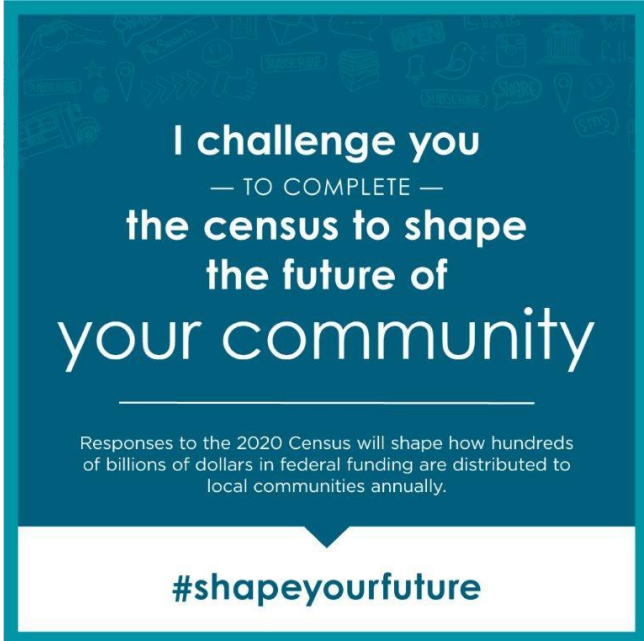
I have been so impressed with the goodness of our city and the people who continue to offer help and support for those who have been impacted by Covid-19. Everyone from your credit card company to the clothing stores are reminding us to wash our hands and continue proper social distancing. It's important, it's working and we have to keep doing it. Thanks to our county healthy director Randall Probst and all of those who have been making the tough decisions and working to protect our community.

I have been concerned about the unintended consequences from the beginning of this crisis. My message is that we also need to continue to take care of our own physical and mental health and do what we can to support those around us who are in need. For some this pandemic is a mere inconvenience - did anyone see the photo on Facebook of the celebrities who lined up their yachts to spell "We're all in this together"? Crazy! The flip side is lost jobs, reduced income, stress induced illness, anxiety, suicidality, domestic violence, disappointment, loneliness, etc etc. and there is everything in between. I truly believe that there are lessons to learn when life turns upside down and I hope we are all taking the time to figure out what those lessons are and how we can support each other through this unprecedented world event. Please reach out if you need help or know someone who does. We have many resources to help those who are in need and don't want

anyone to feel hopeless in our community. Hang in there and remember to support local businesses as much as possible – it makes a huge difference.

Wishing you all safety and peace now and always.

-Mayor Kelleen Potter



I challenge you
— TO COMPLETE —
the census to shape
the future of
your community

Responses to the 2020 Census will shape how hundreds of billions of dollars in federal funding are distributed to local communities annually.

#shapeyourfuture

CORONAVIRUS UPDATES

We understand there are a lot of questions and concerns regarding the Coronavirus. For the latest information on COVID-19, please visit our website at www.heberut.gov.

MAY, 2020

May 2

Special City Council Meeting, 9 am

May 5

Cinco de Mayo

City Council Meeting, 6 pm

May 6

Board of Adjustment
Meeting, 6pm

May 10

Mother's Day

May 12

Planning Commission Meeting, 6 pm

May 13

Airport Advisory Board Meeting, 6pm

May 19

City Council Meeting, 6 pm

May 26

Planning Commission Meeting, 6 pm

All public meetings can be listened to live at:

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THE HEBER CITY JUSTICE COURT

Did you know that the Heber City Justice Court is open to handle tickets (may be done in writing), answer the questions, accept fine payments, and otherwise handle much of the Court's day to day business? By Court order, bail can be posted and forfeited on most tickets without the need to appear at a hearing. If you previously failed to appear to handle a ticket, or are otherwise concerned about the status of your matter, please contact the Court to see how best handle your matter. Most matters are being scheduled for and can be resolved by telephone conference with the Judge. If you just need to make a payment, that can be done online at heberut.gov.

The office hours during this pandemic's "stay at home order" have been modified, but there is still a clerk in the office from 7:30 am – 12:00 pm, and available by telephone or email from 12:00 pm – 5:00 pm. You can call or email and the clerks will do their best to get back to you within 24 hours. The telephone number is (435) 654-1662, and the email is jcheber@utcourts.gov

NEW ONLINE PUBLIC COMMENT FORUM

Due to the current COVID-19 Health Concerns, we will be following the recommendations from the State of Utah and County Health Officials and hold all public meetings remotely for the duration of the state of emergency issued by Governor Herbert.

We are proud to feature live-streaming audio during our regular meetings and encourage you to participate by listening and reaching out with any questions or comments via email. Your participation and feedback are essential and highly valued.

How to contact us:

City Council: CCPublic@heberut.gov

Planning Commission: PCPublic@heberut.gov

Airport Advisory Board: AABPublic@heberut.gov

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