



Town of Leeds Newsletter

Huntsman Games

The Huntsman Senior Games will conduct the cycling event October 6th, starting and ending at the Leeds Town Park.

The cyclists will be traveling 26 miles on open roads through Leeds, Toquerville, La Verkin, and Hurricane. Valley Road, Mulberry Ln, and Main Street will be impacted with cones for the cyclists.

Volunteers are needed for the start and finish, as well as other tasks to support the event. Those interested in volunteering are asked to contact Brandon Price: 435-272-7751

Planning Commissioners

Mark Rosenthal and Ken Hadley have rendered resignations from the Planning Commission. Hadley will remain an alternate.

Town Council has nominated and approved Jennifer Luft and Gary Rosenfield as Planning Commissioners; Miranda Nessen and Bill Mclaughlin as Planning Commissioner alternates, all to be sworn in at next Planning Commission meeting, Oct 5th.

We wish to extend a heartfelt appreciation to Mark and Ken for their dedication and years of service.

Important Dates

Chili Cook-off - Oct 29th

Trunk & Treat- Oct 31st

Dumpster Days: Nov. 11 - 13

Town Council: Oct 12 & 26

Planning Commission: October 5th

Fall Burn Season: Sept 15 - Nov 15

Huntsman Senior Games: Oct 6th



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Mayor's Message

Our community has come together on so many occasions, this past year. The Fourth of July celebration, volunteerism at the cemetery and placing flags along Main Street, as well as those helping neighbors clean up debris after the monsoon seasonal rains, have all been opportunities to participate in our community.



Linda Horsley has been volunteering to help our Town Clerk with bookkeeping and other tasks at town hall, while Rhonda Mclaughlin has volunteered to manage our Trunk or Treat and Chili Cook off. Our prior Mayor, Wayne Peterson, has assisted with many transitioning tasks, while others have donated funds to improve our Peach Pavilion, purchase new flags and improve the cemetery.

This great spirit of community has brought our town closer together, rendering new friends and a better community for all. As more volunteerism is requested, we hope others can step forward and lend a hand in keeping our town great, while embracing the rewards of giving to a greater cause.

I'd also like to thank our planning commissioners, fellow town council members and staff for all of their efforts in going above and beyond; volunteering their best efforts to support our town's needs and citizens.

Respectfully, Mayor Hoster



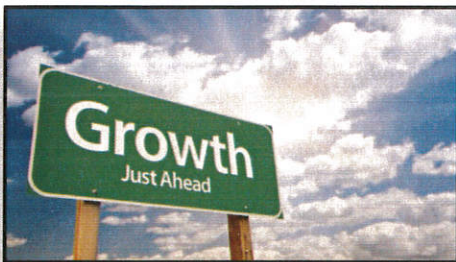
Sen. Lee's Aid Visits Leeds

Heath Hansen, Senator Lee's Aid, visited Leeds to discuss any support the town may need from the Senator's office.

A visit to the museum, our BLM boarders and town hall gave Hansen keen insights about Leeds.

Senator Lee has expressed his support for rural Utah towns, opening the doors of communication with his office, and bringing support for Leeds' navigation of Federal resources.

Leeds' Growth



St. George, Ut has experienced 21.4% growth since 2002, according to the Utah Association of Realtors. This growth has been expanding into surrounding cities and towns - Leeds included.

As the Town Council works with developers' property rights, while adhering to the Town's General Plan, we encourage all citizens to attend Council Meetings, held twice a month, where public comments and insights from developers and Council are available.

The rural and sparse feel of Leeds is a priority to the Council, as we work with developers. Developers have been very respectful of Leeds' general plan and working with the town, while presenting development concepts that fit managed growth and the vision of Leeds.

Chili Cook-off Tradition is Amazing!

Don't miss the annual Leeds Chili Cook-off, Saturday October 29th, 2022, 3-6 pm, Town Park.

Register to participate using forms available at town hall. Judges needed! Please contact Rhonda 702-908-2294, or Town Hall, if interested.



Leeds Annual Trunk or Treat Continues!

Trunk or treat will be for all ages, Monday October 31st, 2022, starting at 5:00 pm. Participants are asked to park along Babylon Mill Road by 4:45. We will have a costume contest and hot chocolate.



Rachael Dawn Parkes Beckstrom: April 24, 1977 - June 12, 2022

Rachael served Leeds Town as Prosecuting Attorney for many years. We wish to recognize her dedication to the town. She passed away after a long, hard battle with a rare cancer.

Bad Neighbors?

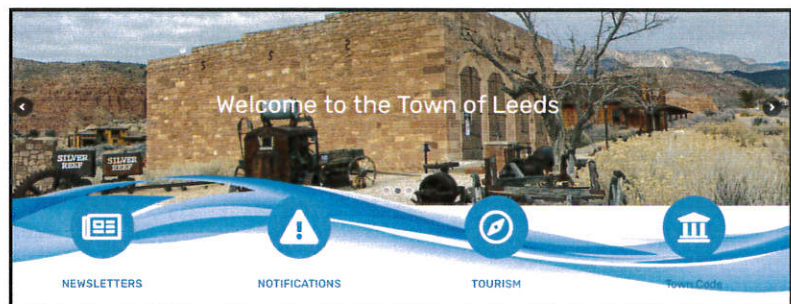
Are you suffering from bad neighbors? You're not alone. Over 35% of Americans are annoyed by their neighbors; noise, junk, animals, safety, are the most frequent issues.

If you are having problems with your neighbor, there are a few steps you can take. First, talk with your neighbor. Don't accuse; rather, describe how the problem effects you and seek ways to solve the problem together. If this doesn't work out, check to see if town ordinances address the concern. Ordinance violations in Leeds may be criminal and possibly result in fines or leans. Some circumstances will need to be pursued in civil court between neighbors.

Leeds is a wonderful community. Don't be that neighbor who is constantly complaining about slight annoyances, and certainly don't be that neighbor creating the nuisance, eye sore, or safety hazard. Respect for your neighbors is extremely important for everyone's sake. Take time to get to know your neighbors. Many are dealing with issues we have no idea about and they could use the gift of community or a simple cup of sugar to help get them through a hard time.



Town's Website and Alerts



Be sure to visit the Town of Leeds' new website at leedstown.org. To receive notifications, click on the notifications icon and enter your contact information. This will help you to be informed of events, critical messages and more.

Aseneth and Lorrie Hunsaker, have been dedicated in ensuring essential content is loaded on the site.