

TOWN OF SPRINGDALE



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From Mayor Smith

EACH PERSON PLAYS A PART

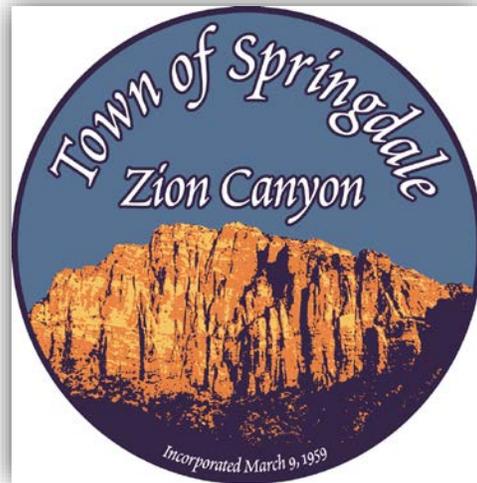
These are difficult times and everyone must do their part to help us get through them. Although no one knows exactly when, there is an end to this situation. Information is constantly being provided by the White House, the State, Senator Romney, County Commissioners, the Health Department, ZNP and city Mayors. I am participating in teleconference meetings daily and receiving the most current updates from all these sources. Governor Herbert has been working with the best minds in Utah and has set forth a plan local government is asked to carry out. Health districts are working closely with each area and informing decisions based on real-time data. Some might question decisions or have their own way of solving the issue, but understand they are made with the best information at that time.

Remember, each individual plays an important role in the success of the plan - stay at home, avoid unnecessary travel, keep social distancing and follow health department recommendations. If each person takes personal responsibility for their actions and behavior the length and severity of this situation will lessen. We must trust the experts and simply do our part.

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The General Plan Update Process

The Planning Commission is beginning the process of updating the General Plan. The Commission needs your input to make sure the Plan reflects the collective vision of the community. Look for opportunities to provide input through surveys and public involvement events in the coming months. Please participate to make sure you have a voice in shaping the Town's future.

General Plan Basics:

- The General Plan is a document adopted by the Town Council that guides the Town's development for the next 20 years. It establishes a broad vision for the Town's future, as well as specific steps to realize that vision.
- The Town Council, Planning Commission, and Town Staff use the General Plan to guide decisions about land use and development, Town operations, municipal budget, and general Town governance.
- You have a voice! The General Plan is built on community input and feedback. Your comments are essential in helping the Planning Commission develop a Plan based on a solid foundation of community support.

The Planning Commission will distribute an online survey in the next week to allow you to provide your comments. Please participate in this survey. The Commission is planning additional public involvement events for later this year (to be scheduled at a future date in compliance with public health recommendations on large gatherings).

If you have any questions or comments about the General Plan update process, please contact Thomas Dansie at 435-772-3434, or tdansie@springdaletown.com.



Due to Covid-19

The CCC and the
Springdale Library
will be CLOSED
indefinitely

There will be no fitness classes or events during this
time.

Check the CCC's Facebook page for updates
@CanyonCommunityCenter



Virgin River Fun Facts...

The Zion snail (*Physa zionis*), a species found nowhere else on earth, is about the size of a pinhead, and has adapted to the turbulent waters of the Virgin River by developing a "super foot" which allows it to cling to the steep, slippery rocks and canyon walls along the river.



The Chief's Message

As we launch into springtime, many folks clean out their homes, sheds, garages, and yards to discard trash or unwanted items. These items may be taken to the Virgin collection station or the main location. Additionally, the Town recently placed a large dumpster near the recycle bins on Lion Blvd. for residents to discard items that won't fit in their regular garbage cans.

Rules for using the dumpster include the prohibition of construction materials and waste from businesses. We have recently experienced a high volume of items such as toilets, couches, and mattresses that have been left on the ground near the dumpster. Discarded items left on the ground are considered a violation of littering laws.

The Town has invested in signs and surveillance equipment to assist the police department in investigating and citing those who violate these rules. If folks are not able to get large items to the appropriate dumping site, they can schedule a bulky item pickup with Washington County Solid Waste at (435) 673-2813. Please report any littering or other crime related incidents to the Dispatch Center (435) 634-5730. We are committed to keep Springdale a clean and healthy place to live and visit, and I thank you for your help.

Thank you for your continued support, and don't forget to like us on Facebook.

www.facebook.com/springdale.police

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Keep Informed, Keep Safe

Recently, there has been an increase in scammer activity. Scammers have been contacting folks impersonating an IRS agent asking victims for their bank account information so their stimulus money can be directly deposited. The IRS will never contact you via phone and they will never ask for important information over the phone. Other scammers are calling and emailing victims to advertise Covid-19 testing kits for sale. Covid-19 test kits are currently not for sale, and people should not be fooled by those asking for money, personal information, or attempting to sell items. Remember to keep yourself informed and safe.

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Springdale Meetings & Events Calendar

April 2020						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
29	30	31	01 CANCELLED - 5 - 7pm Planning Commission Work Meeting	02	03	04
05	06	07	08 5-8pm Town Council Meeting	09	10	11
12	13	14 5-8pm Annual Budget Work Meeting	15 5-7pm Planning Commission Regular Meeting	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	01	02

Please check Springdaletown.com for the latest updates on community meetings and events during this time.