

# SANTA CLARA SUN



## “ Santa Clara City Mayor & Council Message

Hello Santa Clara!

Summer is here and lots of great things are happening in our community. I especially want to highlight the mural that art students from Snow Canyon High School are painting in the pedestrian tunnel under Pioneer Parkway. It's still a work in progress, but they have done an amazing job so far. This project will be excellent for the students' portfolios, and we get a beautiful mural to enjoy for years to come. Be sure to go on a walk or bike ride and check out their progress!



Another project that was recently completed was our annual slurry seal. We take great pride in the quality of our roads in Santa Clara. The public works department follows a plan to re-coat every road in the city every 4-5 years. This rotation means that we very rarely have to tear up a road and start fresh. Staying on this maintenance schedule provides us with smooth, nice roads, and it saves us lots of money in the long run.

The last project that I want to highlight was updating the Historic District Design Guidelines. We are so fortunate to have such a wonderful Historic District in Santa Clara. There was a growing concern that over time we might lose the feeling of our downtown with some of the trends we were seeing. A committee was selected by Mayor Rosenberg, chaired by Mimi McKenna, and given a directive to take a detailed look at how our guidelines could be improved. After six months of intense research and many meetings, the new guidelines were presented to the council recently and approved unanimously. I am confident that these guidelines will protect our downtown while still respecting individual property rights.

Stay safe out there!

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*Councilman Jarett Waite*



## UPCOMING EVENTS

**JUNE 6** 7:00 p.m.  
Miss Santa Clara Pageant (Banquet Room)

**JUNE 12** 5:00 p.m.  
City Council Regular Meeting

**JUNE 13** 5:30 p.m.  
Planning Commission Regular Meeting

**JUNE 19**  
Juneteenth Holiday - Town Hall Closed

**JUNE 26** 5:00 p.m.  
City Council Regular Meeting

**JUNE 27** 5:30 p.m.  
Planning Commission Regular Meeting

# MISS SANTA CLARA

Join us for the Miss Santa Clara Pageant on June 6th at 7:00 PM in the Santa Clara City Town Hall Banquet Room! Enjoy free entrance to this exciting event and come out to support our amazing contestants! For more information, follow the royalty on their Instagram account @santaclaracityroyalty.

- Pageant Date - June 6th
- Time - 7:00 pm
- Place - Santa Clara City Town Hall Banquet Room  
2603 Santa Clara Drive





# New Santa Clara-Ivins Police Chief

Santa Clara-Ivins Public Safety has some significant news to share with our community. After years of dedicated service in law enforcement, Chief Bob Flowers has announced his retirement from the Santa Clara-Ivins Police Department. We want to express our deepest gratitude to Chief Flowers for his unwavering commitment to keeping our cities safe and for his invaluable contributions to our community. We wish him all the best in his next adventure!

Following Chief Flowers' retirement, we are pleased to announce the appointment of our new Chief, Jaron Studley. Chief Studley has demonstrated exemplary leadership and dedication throughout his tenure with the department, and we are confident in his ability to lead us forward. We look forward to working closely with Chief Studley as we continue our mission to serve and protect the residents of Santa Clara and Ivins.

Thank you to everyone for your support as we transition to this new chapter in our department's history. We remain committed to providing the highest level of service to our community under Chief Studley's leadership.





## COPS VS. KIDS

**Ivins**  
Main Street Park  
Thursday  
June 13th, 2024  
9am-12pm



Join the Santa Clara Ivins Police Officers and the Ivins and Santa Clara Youth Council for chess and checkers. This exciting event is inviting all courageous minds to compete against the best.

Come and enjoy a morning of friendly competition, snacks, and fun!

**Santa Clara**  
Canyon View Park  
Thursday  
July 11th, 2024  
9am-12pm



# New legislation allows for more water-smart landscapes

## HOAs approve of getting rid of lazy grass



WATER EFFICIENT LANDSCAPE PROGRAM

Effective May 1, homeowners associations in Utah may no longer prevent property owners from installing beautiful, water-efficient landscapes ([statute 57-8a-231](#)).

Utah's legislators recognized that homeowners should have the option to voluntarily replace decorative lawns with water saving plantings. Studies have shown that such conversions can reduce water use by up to 75 percent, while still providing vibrant landscapes.

HOAs will continue to have authority to regulate design features of water conserving landscapes, such as providing lists of approved plants and minimum plant coverage requirements.

If you're ready to make the change, check in with your HOA, then visit [wcwcd.gov](http://wcwcd.gov) for information on [free landscape workshops](#), [plants and designs](#), and [cash rebates](#).

## Summer Watering Tips

Cycle & soak lawns no more than 4X a week.

- 3 cycles per watering day
- 1 hour between each cycle
- 5 minutes per cycle

Run drip systems low & slow 3X a week.

- 1 cycle per watering day
- 20-40 minutes for high-flow emitters
- 30-90 minutes for low-flow emitters

[Click here](#) for more seasonal watering tips!



## City Clean-Up Dumpsters

Clean-up dumpsters will be available on June 7-8, 2024. Three dumpsters will be at the Little League Parking Lot, and one at the Town Hall west side parking lot. Do not leave trash on the ground before the dumpsters arrive or after they are full or removed. For large items like furniture and appliances, call Republic Services at 435-628-2821 for a special pickup. The dumpsters are not for hazardous waste, chemicals, pesticides, paint, batteries, tires, or construction site waste. [Subscribe here](#) for future clean-up text/email reminders.



## Home Energy Assistance Target Program

The H.E.A.T. program accepts applications to assist eligible households in need of help paying their home heating bills. This federally funded program is administered by the State of Utah. Payment amounts are based on income, energy use, and at-risk groups in the household. Residents who wish to apply for assistance call 435-652-9643 to schedule an appointment.

The H.E.A.T. office is located at 1506 S Silicon Way Suite 3B, St. George, UT 84770.

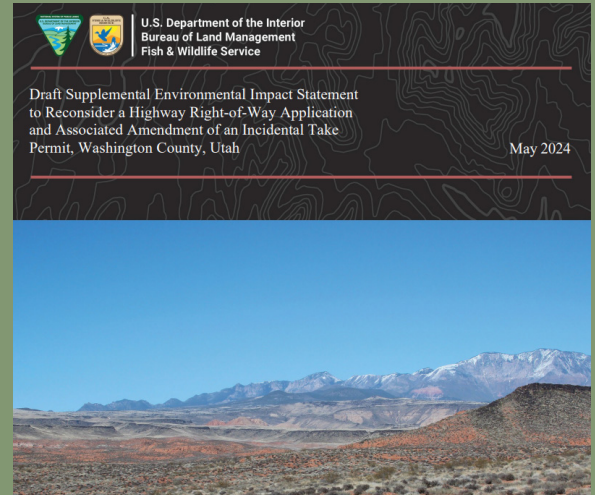


# Public Comment Period open for Northern Corridor's Supplemental Impact Study

The Northern Corridor's Draft Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement (SEIS) is now available for public comment until June 24, 2024. There will be a public open house on the draft SEIS from 5:00-7:30 p.m. on June 4, 2024 at the Dixie Convention Center in the Entrada Room (1835 S Convention Center Dr, St. George, UT). Bureau of Land Management (BLM) and U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (FWS) personnel will be available to answer questions and provide more information.

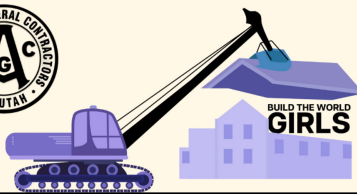
To read the full SEIS and submit your comments, visit:

<https://eplanning.blm.gov/eplanning-ui/project/2026562/570>



## + GIRLS CONSTRUCTION +

CAMP



EXPLORE CONSTRUCTION CAREERS, BUILD SKILLS, AND BREAK STEREOTYPES. WITH FEMALE-EXPERT-LED WORKSHOPS AND HANDS-ON PROJECTS, GIRLS EMPOWER THEMSELVES TO BUILD A FUTURE IN CONSTRUCTION.

JUNE 26-28

12TH & 13TH: 9 AM TO 4 PM  
14TH: 9 AM TO 1 PM

AGES 15-18

CAREER TECH HIGH SCHOOL  
1001 WHITE DOME DR.  
ST. GEORGE, UT

\* LOCATION AND TIME SUBJECT TO CHANGE ON THE 14TH FOR JOB SITE TOUR

## Girls Construction Camp

Associated General Contractors of Utah is offering a unique experience in Southern Utah for the first time! Girls ages 15-18 are invited to join Associated General Contractors of Utah to explore construction careers, learn new skills, and break stereotypes! With female-expert-led workshops and hands-on projects, girls empower themselves to build their future in construction! Do you know a girl who'd love to attend June 26-28 at Career Tech Highschool? Spots are limited, so register early! The \$25 fee may be waived for those in need. Please email [ktolleson@agc-utah.org](mailto:ktolleson@agc-utah.org) to receive the waiver. Check out last year's camp video in Northern Utah by [clicking here](#).

[Online Registration Link](#)

## Lower Tuacahn Wash Debris Basin Sediment Removal Project Completed

The Lower Tuacahn Wash Debris Basin Sediment Removal Project has been completed. Santa Clara City contracted with Whitaker Construction, funded by the Washington County Flood Control Authority, to successfully dig out and remove 17,000 cubic yards of debris from the basin. This much needed project will help eliminate the flooding of our Little League Complex. Thank you to everyone involved and the patience and understanding of our amazing residents in helping keeping our community beautiful and safe!





# LIGHT UP NAVAJO

Santa Clara Power Department is proud to be a participant in Light Up Navajo V, an ongoing initiative bringing electricity to Navajo Nation households. Partnering with the Navajo Tribal Utility Authority and American Public Power Association, we're one of 42 utility companies across 16 states participating this year. Big shoutout to Thomas & Erik for their hard work representing our city last month in Tonalea, Arizona!



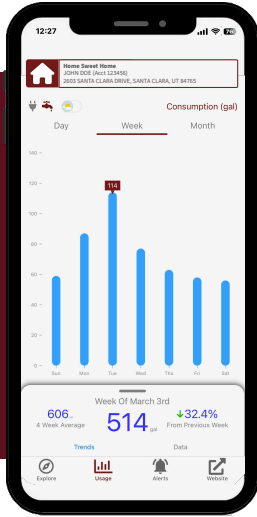
# SWISS DAYS

SEPTEMBER 26-28, 2024

Santa Clara Swiss Days will be held on September 26-28, 2024, with a full schedule of events. Look for event information on the Swiss Days link on the city website [www.santaclarautah.gov](http://www.santaclarautah.gov). Arts, Crafts and Food Vendor Applications are now open on the website. The Swiss Days 5K Fun Run/Walk registration will open soon on the runnercard link on the city website. 5K registration forms will also be available at the Town Hall office. Parade, and Swiss Miss & Mister applications will be available on the website soon. Sponsor information is posted on the website now; if you are interested in being a Swiss Days Sponsor, please contact the city at 435-673-6712 Ext. 213. These sponsorship opportunities will be of value in promoting your businesses, and many of the sponsor options will give exposure to your business the entire month of September, as well as Swiss Days weekend. Swiss Days cows are now available for purchase online and at Town Hall. Get your cow early to paint and decorate—the cows can be placed on Santa Clara Drive during the month of September. We are looking forward to another fantastic Swiss Days event this year and hope you will save the dates and plan to join us for this fun, family, annual home-town celebration! Watch for more Swiss Days updates and information on the city website and in future newsletters or call 435-673-6712 Ext. 213, 219, or 210.







# MyMeter Mobile App

## NEW USER SET UP

### Welcome to the MyMeter Mobile App!

Welcome to the 'MyMeter' mobile app! Our goal is to make tracking your water and power usage simpler and more convenient than ever before. With our cutting-edge Advanced Metering Infrastructure (AMI) system, water readings are taken daily, and power readings are taken every fifteen minutes, all securely stored in the cloud for easy access. With the 'MyMeter' mobile app, you can effortlessly monitor your consumption, compare trends, set alerts, and more. Get ready to take control of your utility usage and make informed, cost-saving decisions every day!



### Easy New User Set Up

#### Step 1: Download the 'MyMeter' Mobile App

##### Apple/iOS Users

Search for 'MyMeter' in the App Store or use [this link](#) or QR Code to download the app.



SCAN HERE

##### Android Users

Search for 'MyMeter' in the Google Play Store or use [this link](#) or QR Code to download the app.



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#### Step 2: Select Your Utility

Open the app and scroll down to select 'Santa Clara City'.

#### Step 3: Register User

Select 'Register User' and fill in the registration information using your utility account information. You can now start exploring the MyMeter mobile app! As a new app, your feedback is invaluable to us. If you encounter any issues or have suggestions for improvement, please do not hesitate to let us know. Your input will help us enhance the app and provide a better experience for all users!