



## CITY OF SARATOGA SPRINGS

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### CITY VOLUNTEERS

The City of Saratoga Springs has an urgent need for election judges to assist voters during the upcoming elections. We have had great difficulty in finding willing persons to fill these positions. If you're interested, you may review the qualifications on the City's website at: [www.saratoga-springs.net](http://www.saratoga-springs.net) or please call Lori Yates, City Recorder at 766-9793.

### UTILITY RATE INCREASES

At the August 16, 2005 meeting, the City Council approved a resolution amending the City's Consolidated Fee Schedule to reflect new utility rates that were adopted in the annual budget in June 2005. The utility rate increases become effective 30 days after adoption of the resolution (September 16, 2005); therefore the new utility rates will be included in your utility bill in the month of October.

The rate increases are in the water, sewer and garbage funds. The new culinary water rates are \$8.75 per month and \$0.95 per 1,000 gallons used. The new sewer rates are \$9.50 per month and \$1.40 per 1,000 gallons of water used. The new garbage rates are \$10.70 per month for the first can and \$6.15 per month for the second can. There were no increases in the recycle can rate. The secondary water rate also increased by 4%, but will affect all residents differently depending upon the size of their lot. If you would like to know what the rate is for you and you know the size of your property, you can view a table that contains the new rates by logging onto the City's website and clicking on utility rates from the home page.

### HURRICANE KATRINA

The terrible devastation of Hurricane Katrina is impacting the City of Saratoga Springs in other ways. Many of you may have noticed that evacuees of the New Orleans area have been housed at Camp Williams and are shopping in the City. The number of relocated citizens is likely to grow in the future and we wanted to make you aware that these new residents will be a part of our community.

We also encourage all residents to be generous with their time and resources in assisting with this disaster. There are several legitimate relief agencies that are accepting donations and the American Red Cross has also been seeking volunteers to assist with evacuees at Camp Williams.

### 2005 MUNICIPAL ELECTION

Eight candidates filed their names to run in the 2005 Municipal Election for two council seats (four-year terms). The names for the candidates and their neighborhoods are:

Denise A. Kelly	Saratoga Hills
Burten C. "Butch" Johnson	7745 N. Redwood
Shawn M. Jones	Jacobs Ranch
Paul McElligott	Saratoga Springs
Jefferson Moss	Harvest Hills
D. Mark Nielsen	Harvest Hills
Neil D. Storey	Jacobs Ranch
Aleta Wilkinson	Harvest Hills

Four candidates filed their names to run in the 2005 Municipal Election for Mayoral seat (four-year term). The names for the candidates and their neighborhoods are:

J. Scott Kahn	Saratoga Springs
Timothy Parker	Saratoga Springs
Lonny Stanford	Harvest Hills
James Michael Wylie	Saratoga Springs

The City will hold a Primary Election on Tuesday, October 4, 2005 at the City Offices (1307 North Commerce Drive, Suite 200). The General Election will be held on Tuesday, November 8, 2005. The polls will open at 7:00 a.m. and will close at 8:00 p.m. Please contact the City Recorders' Office at 766-9793 if you have any questions regarding the elections.

If you have recently moved in, you will need to register or re-register to vote in Saratoga Springs. You may obtain a voter registration form at the City Offices, in the Qwest phone book, or online at [www.co.utah.ut.us](http://www.co.utah.ut.us). If you have any questions about if you are registered to vote or not, you may go online at [www.co.utah.ut.us](http://www.co.utah.ut.us) or contact the Utah County Clerk at 851-8128. In order to vote in the primary election you must register by mail by September 15<sup>th</sup> or register at the satellite registration located at the City Offices (1307 N. Commerce Drive, Suite 200) on September 23 & 26, 2005 and October 28 & 31, 2005 from 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

### DAUGHTERS OF THE UTAH PIONEERS

The Daughters of the Utah Pioneers has two chapters in the City of Saratoga Springs. The meetings are once a month and there is both a day and a night camp. To join, please call Rebecca Litchfield at 766-5430.