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Mayor's Message

Nine years ago we added a great asset to our staff here at Mapleton in Bob Bradshaw, our "British" City Administrator. Bob will be retiring this June, after endlessly serving our community for the past nine years.

When Bob first started working with Mapleton City he was only part time. After seeing what needed to be done and all the numerous hours that he was donating to the City, Mayor Dean Allan brought him on full time.

Over the past 9 years he has helped the Mayors and City Council accomplish many great assets to the City. Just a few of those are:

- Lead the way to constructing the new pressurized irrigation pond.
- Oversaw the City process to get the City an A+ bond rating saving the city yearly tens of thousands of dollars in interests on outstanding city debt.
- Restructured Public Works Department and added a City Engineer/Public Works.
- Overhauled the business license ordinance with revised penalty provisions.
- Help construct the New City Building and the Public Safety Building.
- Bonding and construction of the Crowd Canyon Water Tank, the Well and the main water lines.
- Obtained a Department of Environmental Qualities approval to award Mapleton City \$2.7 million left in trust by Ensign Bickford and negotiated side agreement with Presidio for delayed reimbursement payments at a 6% interest rate payable to Mapleton City.
- Introduced Door-to-Door Solicitor Ordinance.
- Comprehensive review of City Council Committees, and establishment of many sub-committees.
- And many, many more processes and procedures to aid our city government.

These are just a few of many accomplishments Bob has made to the community and he will be greatly missed by all staff, the Mayor and City Council members.

As many of you know Bob is an avid runner and has run over 20 marathons. He connects with the community by running 50+ miles a week down our streets in the wee hours of the morning. Just six years ago he and his wife Anne became official US Citizens and have decided to move to California to be closer to their children and grandchildren. We wish both of them the best of luck in their new endeavors in southern California.

In conclusion I thought it would be appropriate to solicit comments from those who worked close to Bob these many years:

- "I had the privilege of hiring Bob Bradshaw while I was Mayor. Words cannot begin to tell you what an outstanding City Administrator Bob is. Mapleton City has been very fortunate to have his knowledge and expertise to help the Mayors and City councils run our city.

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Bob will be sorely missed. He was not only a great Administrator; he is a loyal and sincere friend. I would like to wish him and his family the very best in his retirement."
Former Mayor Dean Allan

- "From the first day I began my work the Mapleton, Bob was there to help. I never spent time working on the City's issues or projects without Bob being spot on in his advice. He was always willing to do more than his share of any project, and when I would express my appreciation for his help he would only reply 'that's what I do'! His many years of experience in England and here in Utah have served all of us well. He was diplomatic to even the most difficult personalities that we dealt with, and his infectious jokes made the work of those around him seem to be less difficult. He has been the City's liaison with all who performed services, needed to discuss concerns, or had disagreements that needed to be addressed by the City Council or the Mayor. He worked with me to improve the City's services and to address the individual needs of our citizens. I was always amazed that he could start his day with a long distance run before sun up, workout and prepare for the day before 8am, and then spend a full day doing the work of the city. He was usually the last to leave after our late night meetings. I feel privileged to be able to work with Bob. I consider him to be a loyal friend to me, those he worked with, and to the City he cares for."
Former Mayor Jim Brady

- "I have learned over the past six years that Bob is an outstanding individual who loved his community, lived within his community, and served his community with the utmost dedication and honor. I am a better man for knowing him, learning from him and consulting with him. I would like to add my person 'thank you Bob' for your many years of dedicated service! You will be missed!"
Mayor Brian Wall

We would like to invite all to come and bid Bob farewell at an Open House on Wednesday, June 27th from 2pm-4pm at the Mapleton Community Center.

June 2012 City Calendar

June 5	7:00pm	City Council Meeting
June 14	6:30pm	Planning Commission Meeting
June 19	7:00pm	City Council Meeting
June 27	2pm-4pm	Bob Bradshaw Farewell Open House
June 28	6:30pm	Planning Commission Meeting

Regularly scheduled City Meetings are held at the Community Center Building, 125 West Community Center Way (400 North).

Recreation

Online Registration for Summer Programs is going on NOW

Our fun and exciting classes include: R.I.P.P.E.D. Zumba, "Sole" Fitness Challenge, VIP Adaptive T-ball and Coach Pitch Baseball League, Youth Painting Class, Summer Tennis, Jewelry Making (Charm Necklace) Class, Summer Adventure Day Camp, Summer Gymnastic Day Camp, Archery 3rd-9th Grades, Zumbatonic Camp, Patriotic Paper Bag Album Class, Folk and Bluegrass Ensemble, Sewing Camps and Lacrosse. Our registration for Fall Soccer and Flag Football will begin on July 1st.

For more information concerning our Recreation Programs, or to register, please visit our Mapleton City Parks and Recreation website:

www.mapleton.org/parksandrecreation.html.

Public Safety

Mapleton Pond/Reservoir

The Mapleton Pond/Reservoir is still under construction and is only open for use of the walking trail around the pond. Currently there is no recreational use for the pond.

Lawn Materials

With summer approaching citizens will be planting trees and flowers. We would like to remind everyone that it is illegal to dump or place any kind of material, rock, gravel, sod, bark etc. in the roadway as it could cause a traffic hazard.

Animals at Large

Mapleton City has a problem with dogs running loose. As a reminder your dog needs to be on a leash at all times unless it is in a fenced area. Mapleton Officers are spending a lot of time handling animal at large calls with dogs roaming loose. If your dog is not on a leash or is running at large you could receive a citation for your animal at large which comes with a fine of up to \$299.00.

Library & Literacy Center

DREAM Big – Read!

Mapleton's Summer Reading Program will be held June 19th-August 7th (no program the week of July 4th and 24th). This is a fun way to include reading and related activities during the summer for your children. Please sign up at the Mapleton Bookmobile Library beginning in June.

Annual Mapleton Book Sale

The annual Mapleton Book Sale will be held June 25th thru July 17th in the basement of the Mapleton City Center. Make sure you don't miss it. There will be a great selection of children's books this year besides all the variety we get every year! We are also taking any donations of mildly used children's books, games and resources to help the Mapleton Family Literacy Center. These items would be used to help the center in its tutoring services and for parents to check out to support their children's literacy needs.

Service Opportunity – Family Literacy Center

We need tutors for the summer session. Our hours are 4pm-6pm Monday-Thursday, closed on Holidays. Tutors work one-on-one with the same student two times a week for 1 hour. Call 801-489-4833 today to make a difference in a child's life.

Contact Numbers

Mayor:	489-5655	Library:	489-4833
City Council:	489-5655	Public Works:	489-6253
City Administration:	489-5655	Emergency:	911
Community Development:	489-6138	Dispatch Police,	
Building Inspection:	489-6138	Fire, Ambulance:	489-9421
Court:	489-7445	Non-emergency:	489-9668
Recreation:	806-9114	Newsletter:	806-9109
Recreation Hotline:	367-5069	Senior Citizens:	489-0106

Public Works

Water-Conservation

Summer is well on its way and with it comes a high demand on water for landscaping and gardening needs. With this last spring being much drier than normal, now is the time to be aware of conserving water.

Some ways that you can conserve water are by checking the coverage of each head so that it is adjusted correctly for covering only the area needed. Make sure that the heads are not spraying on areas that do not need to be watered, such as the driveways and sidewalks, and that it is not pooling because of too much water being applied in too short of an interval. For those on pressurized irrigation, use heads that are capable of operating under low pressure, this will optimize your sprinkling system and allow for proper flow and coverage.

For more ideas on conservation go to the Utah State Division of Water Resources website at www.conservewater.utah.gov.

For pressurized irrigation users the City is asking that you use the odd/even watering days.

• **Odd Addresses:**

- Monday, Wednesday, and Friday (Sunday can be used as a make-up day).

• **Even Addresses:**

- Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday (Sunday can be used as a make-up day).

With summer also comes work in our roadways. The City is upgrading and replacing culinary water lines and services on 2000 North and also on 1200 North. The work has already begun and will continue through the end of June. Please be patient with these much needed improvements. Please contact Mapleton City Engineering and Public Works with any questions you may have at 801-489-6253.

Senior Citizens

Health

A Blood Pressure/Blood Sugar Clinic will be held at 10:30am on Thursday, June 14th in the Mapleton City Center Multi-Purpose Room.

Luncheon

The Senior Luncheon Social will be held on Thursday, June 14th, at 11:30am at the same location as the clinic. Barbecue Pork will be provided. Please bring a salad, dessert or donate \$2 if you are coming to the luncheon. Call the City Office at 801-489-5655 ext. 0 so we can get a count for the main dish. Our guest speaker will be Patti Richards. She will talk about her rescue of animals. She works with "Great Basin Wildlife Resources".

Computers

If anyone has a 2005 or newer computer they would like to donate please call Sallie Korman at 801-489-8593. Sallie is in the computer room on Wednesdays from 10am-12pm to offer basic help on the computers.

Gym

If you are a current resident of Mapleton who is 50 years or age or older, you may come and enjoy the wonderful equipment that we have in the basement of the Mapleton City Center. Tours are offered of the gym by manager Peggy Burt by calling her at 801-489-4363, or her assistant Bill Bleggi at 801-489-0319. The gym will be closed on Saturdays for the summer starting in June.

