

## TOWN NEWSLETTER

OCTOBER  
2023

### MESSAGE FROM THE MAYOR:

Greetings,

Looks like our fall leaves season will be cut short due to this early snow and cooler temperatures. It's been a great year so far and looking forward to another record breaking ski season. It will be on us before we know it. It's always a sad day for me to see the Quakie leaves fall even though they're so beautiful, but it's such a short window for them to be with us.

Before old man winter gets here, we have a lot going on: The sewer project in the canyon is moving along very well. We have one more section to do and that should be getting wrapped up. The Public Works crews are scrambling to get all of their projects done, which include the new restrooms and parking area at the Manzanita trailhead and an overlook out at the end of the trail which will offer a breathtaking view into the canyon below. Phase 3 of the paved Town Trail got done in the nick of time. They still have some cleanup work to do but it turned out really nice the way they threaded it through the meadow there in front of Brianwood. I'd like to thank Brianwood HOA for working with us on the alignment there. The new information kiosks are fabricated and ready to be installed around Town. We're just trying to get a couple more pieces of concrete poured for them to sit on. We have Public Works working on some dumpster enclosures to help beautify our town.

Also, there is a "beautification" bond which will be on the ballot for voter approval this November. It will pay for several projects that would help clean our town up, like crosswalks, shuttle stops, and some traffic improvements on 143. If you want information on any of these projects, feel free to contact to anyone at Town Hall or me personally or your favorite council person.

The Town continues to negotiate with the developers of Aspen Meadows on an annexation agreement. A primary focus right now is on the sewer treatment aspect of it. At some point this will probably affect all of us as the state will require us to possibly change our method of treatment down in the Parowan valley. I ask that you please use caution when traveling in the canyon with the construction work being done. Please be patient so you make it to your destinations safely.

Hope to see you out on the trail,

Mayor Clayton.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS –

**SOLAR ECLIPSE ON OCTOBER 14TH PRETTY MUCH RIGHT OVER BRIAN HEAD. FOR MORE INFO GO TO:**

[WWW.EXPLORATORIUM.EDU/ECLIPSE/2023-ANNULAR-ECLIPSE-GUIDE](http://WWW.EXPLORATORIUM.EDU/ECLIPSE/2023-ANNULAR-ECLIPSE-GUIDE)

### UPCOMING EVENTS

- Brian Head Resort opens for Winter 2023-2024 Ski Season in November
- Saturday, 10/14/2023 10am – Solar eclipse "Ring of Fire" – a good viewing spot is Cedar Breaks Nat'l Monument. [See details at the bottom.](#)

### PUBLIC WORKS PROJECT UPDATES

- FYI –
- 10/15/2023 **No more digging** in roadways or right of ways allowed
- 11/1/2023 **No parking** on roadways or right of ways allowed

### TOWN MEETINGS

- **Planning Commission** – will meet on October 3<sup>rd</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup> & at 1pm, at Town Hall.
- **Town Council** – Will meet on October 10<sup>th</sup> and 24<sup>th</sup> at 1pm, at Town Hall.

### OF COMMUNITY INTEREST

- **PUBLIC ART MEMORIALS**

Some members of the community have expressed interest in contributing a piece of art or a bench or the like as a memorial (for themselves or a loved one) to the Town. If you have interest in participating in this, please contact Bret Howser, Town Manager at [bhowser@bhtown.utah.gov](mailto:bhowser@bhtown.utah.gov)

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