

BIG COTTONWOOD COMMUNITY COUNCIL

Fire Station #108-8073 E. Big Cottonwood Road
Presiding: Barbara Cameron

AGENDA

Date: June 10, 2019
Time: 7:00 p.m

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Need Sandbags? Call 385.468.6578 ▪ 25 bags/household ▪ Free ▪ Ready-filled ▪ 604 W. 6960 So.
- Check out Brighton Institute Summer Schedule at www.thebrightoninstitute.org
- Annual 4th of July Breakfast (8-10 am) and Parade (10:30 am)
- Big Cottonwood Annual Party ▪ Friday, July 12, 2019 ▪ 6-30-8:30 pm ▪ Alpine Rose Lodge
- Cottonwood Canyons Foundation Wildflower Festival ▪ July 13 (Brighton), July 14 (Solitude)
- Primary Election ▪ August 13 (Ballots mailed out on July 23)

MINUTES May 13, 2019

FINANCIALS: Checking \$3,027.48 Savings \$29,946.51

REPORTS

- UPD Report Lee Arnold
- UFA Report Dusty Dern & Dom Burchett

BUSINESS

- Adopt-A-Highway Update
- Town Transition Team www.bigcottonwood.org/town-of-brighton.html
- Brighton Institute REPRESENTATION - COMMUNITY - LEGACY
Don Despain
- Resort News Kim Mayhew, Randy Doyle

CANYON SERVICE NUMBERS

Sheriff Dispatch	801-743-7000
SLCo 24-Hr Contact	385-468-6101
Sanitation/Trash	385-468-6325
Watershed	801-483-6884
Forest Service	801-236-3400
Sewer District	801-558-9891
Road Conditions	511
Report Power Outage	877-548-3768
CenturyLink Outage	385-414-2077
Trees on Power Lines	888-221-7070
Public Lands Information	801-466-6411
Utah Avalanche Center	801-524-5304
Avalanche Hotline	888-999-4019
Flood Control	385-468-6600
UPD Graffiti Hotline	385-468-9769
Zoning Enforcement	385-468-6700
Bear Sightings	801-491-5678
Poison Control	800-222-1222
Tow Truck Paul Nell	801-403-6186
Tow Truck Dan Knopp	801-244-0366

BRIGHTON INSTITUTE MEETING

DATE: Mon, June 10, 2019
TIME: 5:30 -7 pm
PLACE: Fire Station 108

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REVERSE 9-1-1

The Big Cottonwood Emergency Operations Committee encourages everyone to register for Reverse 911 notifications in case of an emergency. Go to:

<http://www.vecc9-1-1.com/voip-registration/>

Recycle Bin Calculations

1. One plastic bag in recycle bin = broken recycle machines = automatic trip to Landfill for entire bin = **UNHAPPY NEIGHBORS**
2. No plastic bags in recycle bins = **HUGE THANKS!**
3. Take an illegal bag out of recycle bin = **NEIGHBORHOOD HERO!**

Big Cottonwood Community Council

Big Cottonwood Canyon Fire Station #108
Presiding: Barbara Cameron

Minutes

May 13, 2019
Call Order: 7 pm

MEMBERS: Jeff Bossard, Don Despain, Doug Fry, Kirk Nichols, Jeanette Sawaya, Chris Pond, Karin Peterson, Barbara Cameron, Jenna Malone, Kim Mayhew, Brooke Derr, Carolyn Keigley,

GUESTS: , Rick Graham-Salt Lake County, Catherine Kanter-Salt Lake City, Leroy Arnold-UPD, Dusty Dern-UFD, Jared Ainsworth, John Knoblock, Bob Cameron, Rob White, Robert Myers, Bob Evans, Jim Keener, Marc Gletcher, Laura Bossard, Keith Zuspan, Robin Johnson, Linda Burbidge

Announcements:

Need Sandbags? Call 385.468.6578 ▪ 25 bags/household ▪ Free ▪ Ready-filled ▪ 604 W. 6960 So. Vigor Marathon ▪ Saturday, May 11, 2019 ▪ 5:30-9 am ▪ Rolling Road Closures ▪ Expect delays. Adopt-A-Highway ▪ Saturday, May 18, 2019 ▪ 9 am ▪ Free Breakfast at Silver Fork Lodge! National Trails Day at Cardiff ▪ Saturday, June 1, 2019 ▪ 9:30 am ▪ Volunteer trail work Big Cottonwood Annual Party ▪ Friday, July 12, 2019 ▪ 6-30-8:30 pm ▪ Alpine Rose Lodge Cottonwood Canyons Foundation Wildflower Festival ▪ July 13 (Brighton), July 14 (Solitude)

UPD- Lee Arnold reported the canyon has quieted down. Guardsmans Pass Road will remain closed for now with a possible opening on July 4th. If you need sandbags, please pick them up and contact UPD or UFA if you need any assistance.

UFA- Barbara thanked the department for hosting a dinner and for the outstanding job they have done in the canyon. Dusty Dern reported the department is in their budget cycle and will vote on the final budget soon. Many stations in the valley will be remodeled and brought up to date with retrofitting where needed. June 1st, 26 new firefighters will join the force. The firefighters will begin to recruit more firefighters in July, and Dusty asked that we spread the word. Carolyn Keigley asked if we had a Sniffer at our fire station. Dusty informed us we did not but will be happy to look at information from Carolyn. Dusty also told us that the fire department carry a stand-alone carbon monoxide detector that does not require calibration and is disposable.

Business:

US Forest Service- Bekee Hotze was introduced, and Barbara handed out a list of Accomplishments and work Planned for 2019 for the US Forest Service. Bekee thank UPD for traffic control and the tremendous job they did last ski season. The quarterly stakeholders meeting was successful in addressing the following areas. Fuels, Trails, Toilets, Stewardship and Messaging, and Infectious Disease Production. Bekee reminded us to take care of our property to prevent fires or contain any potential fire. She informed everyone to get the appropriate permits for cutting down trees. NRCS and FCASE can spend money on private property, and she suggested residents contact them if any assistance is needed. CAT Fire can help with planning, and NRCS could be a funding source to help with community clean up. Please remember to get ready for chipper days, an excellent resource to clean up canyon properties. US Forest Service is also working with the ski resorts on cleaning out infected trees and planting new trees. Bekee also thanked everyone for work in the canyon on Graffiti.

Mayor's Office- Barbara thanked Rick Graham for his years of service and for taking good care of the canyon. We are grateful for all Rick has done to voice our concerns and wishes for the canyon. Catherine Kanter was introduced and is excited about representing our interest in the canyon. Catherine assured us that Mayor Wilson is aware of the funds' issue for safety and fire in the canyon and is working on allocating funds for the future. The assumption is the funds will continue, and the Mayor is in support of HB187. The Mountainous Planning Commission will fill one of its open seats with a Brighton resident. Two seats are open, and they are still trying to decide how to fill those positions. Barbara thanked Catherine for coming to the meeting, and we look forward to working with her in the future.

Brighton Area Land Use - Jim Nakamura - Big Cottonwood Canyon dedicated planner, reported Marc Fletcher request has been put on hold and will not be pursuing rezoning at this time. Joel and Lani Dehlin are requesting a conditional use permit for short term rentals. A motion was passed that the short term approval is recommended, asking the owners to clearly post the 19.04.5547 Short-term rental terms in a clear and prominent place. The motion passed with no objections, and 2 members abstained.

Adopt-A-Highway -Because of weather conditions, we will have breakfast on May 26. Jeff Bossard passed out bags and clean-up assignments. Please have your areas cleaned by June 1st.

Town Transition Team - The team had a productive meeting with the Mayor and is grateful for the support given. The team also engaged municipal attorney Polly McLean of Peak Law to help with transition business. The budget proposal will go online. Check out all information at <http://bigcottonwood.org/town-of-brighton.html> and updates on the town are also posted. Next month the team will focus on fire and canyon emergencies.

Trails - John Knoblock reported the Lake Solitude trail has a few more weeks of work and will work on the refinement of the trail as soon as the snow melts. Utah Open Land will look at the alignment of the Willow Lakes Trail and will complete the plan this fall. The Forest Service will finish the work on the Cardiff trail this year. A scratch line from the Bonneville Trail to Ferguson canyon will be done by the end of this season. Mill B North has maintenance scheduled, and Mill D North - Dog Lake, switchbacks will be made. Silver Lake restrooms should be open soon.

A meeting with MSD representatives will take place on Wednesday. BCCA will request that potholes in front of the dumpster be filled, Cardiff Fork crosswalk be considered, and a reduction of the speed limit below Cardiff Fork be considered. We also request \$20,000 for trail maintenance.

Brighton Institute- History Tours of Brighton Cabins have been scheduled. Sketch nights will begin in June. The summer mailing will go out soon, please check the website for up to date information.

Wasatch Mountain Club Lodge – Robert Meyers reported that the Lodge will hold the Dutch Oven Event the last Saturday of June. Please encourage friends and family to attend. Renee Olsen is the new president.

Resort News

Solitude- Kim Mayhew reported the resort is in maintenance mode. Solitude had a phenomenal year reporting the snow is still falling.

Brighton- Randy Doyle reported 640” of snow at the resort brought many skiers creating some traffic issues to the resort. Summer plans include the removal of many infected trees beginning next week. The resort bought Douglas Firs and will be asking for help to plan the trees as soon as the snow melts. The Forest Service met with Brighton and is putting together a plan to burn the removed trees. Alpine Rose Lodge will open every day this summer.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:47PM.