

SALT LAKE COUNTY COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS

Thursday, September 1, 2011  
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County Complex

MINUTES

**WELCOME**

Mayor Wall welcomed all to the meeting.

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Mayor Dolan made the MOTION, seconded by Mayor Winder, to approve the minutes of August 4, 2011 as written. The motion passed unanimously.

**CITIZEN COMMENT**

There was none

**PUBLIC SAFETY**

Chief Chris Evans, SJ and Scott Brown, AHA

Chris Evans, Fire Chief of South Jordan, spoke of his experiences with cardiac arrest survival situations. Most patients don't survive cardiac arrest. CPR performed immediately after cardiac arrest, and before the ambulance arrives, can double a victim's chance of survival. If more people knew CPR, more lives could be saved.

There is a chain of survival in cardiac arrest:

1. Immediate activation of 911
2. Administering CPR
3. Rapid defibrillation
4. Advanced life support
5. Post cardiac

The length of time between administering CPR and defibrillation usually takes too long.

Project Cardiac React is to increase survivability, reduce heart damage, improve quality of life and reduce insurance costs.

Chief Evans is asking cities to get involved in the project to implement these strategies. The goal is to administer CPR within two minutes with defibrillation occurring within 5 minutes of the attack. This will increase survival rate from 7% to 30%.

Classes are free for SJ residents and there are 3 classes per month at the fire station.

South Jordan has instituted an awareness campaign using flyers to every home inviting residents to attend the classes. They saw a 300% increase in enrollment. Last year they taught 35 people and in 2011, they trained 800 people. They also used a 'post it' note on the newspaper front page advertising the classes.

With a rapid defibrillation goal of 5 minutes from the attack there is concern because at present public safety response is in the 9-10 minute range. Every minute delayed decreases the rate of survival by 5-7%. There is immunity provided for 'Samaritan' assistance from bystanders, thus liability is less of an issue.

AEDs (Automated Electronic Defibrillators) are in all public vehicles, buildings and training has been given on the devices. State law requires that the fire department be notified when a business has an AED on site. With this information, dispatchers can advise callers where defibrillators are located. Fire department follows up to make sure they are maintained.

South Jordan has a city ordinance requiring many businesses, including all large public buildings, to have an AED on site. The AEDs have a voice prompt with pictures and text to walk through the process of use.

Chief Evans indicated he has seen more cardiac survivors in the past 4 years, since the institution of this program, than in his previous 22 years of experience in public safety. Other studies have been done which indicate the success of this project.

Mayor Money indicated the city has a partnership with Jordan Valley Hospital with regard to this project. Some funding for the devices is provided by business donations.

## **HUMAN SERVICES AND HOUSING – Mayor Seghini**

Del Brady, Div of Housing & Community

Del presented information regarding the Moderate Income Housing plans in the state. The plan is essential for accomplishing a vision of moderate income housing which is housing affordable to people at 80% of the area median income. Affordable housing in this area is about \$1,400 a month. The median household income (AMI) in Salt Lake County is \$70,000. Moderate income is considered 80% of that figure or lower (for a family of four).

An up to date plan will help mitigate negative aspects of housing so that cities can manage what type of housing is constructed and there can be a focus on a walkable community as well as help develop transit oriented development.

According to state law, the housing plan should include the following:

- a. Awareness of current supply of affordable housing
- b. 5 year estimate of housing needs
- c. Survey of total residential land use
- d. Analysis of regulatory borders
- e. Strategy for preserving existing affordable housing

By state law, any city over 1,000 in population is required to have a housing plan. Planning helps local governments take a proactive role in providing affordable housing to their residents. It also helps in identifying the type of housing you want in a neighborhood. Strategies can be defined in the plan to preserve the type of housing desired. Standards can be developed prior to developers coming into a city.

Resources are available to help implement the Housing plan:

1. RDA funds
2. Donation of city land
3. Expedited permitting
4. Tax credits
5. HOME dollars

The city's role is to take the Housing Plan and translate it into projects being built. The plan should including identifying areas for housing and solicit developers. There are state funds available for rental units only right now identified in the Plan

## **OTHER**

Terri Sorry, SL County Health Department, reminded the mayors to continue encouraging residents to participate in the Commit to be Fit program. Go to [slfit.org](http://slfit.org). The program goes until September, 2012. The top 5 participants to date are Alta, Herriman, Unincorporated SL County, Bluffdale and Draper. Winners are based on the percentage of your population involved.

The annual Mayor's Cup Challenge runs September 11<sup>th</sup> to October 8 and all were encouraged to sign up. Mayor Becker won last year with Mayor Snarr as the Most Improved Mayor.

WFRC, Envision Utah, MAG and others are leading a consortium involved in developing the Wasatch Choices 2040 Plan. There will be a quarterly meeting September 26 at the Salt Palace. Elected officials, staff and public are encouraged to come to give feedback about development in the WFRC area. There is a \$5 million grant which was awarded to develop a vision for the area and now we are focusing on implementing the vision.

Mayor Cullimore made the MOTION, seconded by someone unknown, to adjourn the meeting. Needless to say, it was unanimous!

**PRESENT**

Bryant Anderson (Exc)	Sandy	Corey Rushton (Exc)	WVC
Mayor William Applegarth	Riverton	Mayor JoAnn Seghini	Midvale
Mayor Ralph Becker (Exc)	SLC	Mayor Darrel Smith (Exc)	Draper
Carlton Christensen (Exc)	SLC	Mayor Dan Snarr	Murray
Mayor Peter Corroon	SL County	Ben Southworth (Exc)	WJ
Mayor Kelvyn Cullimore	Ctnwd Hts	Mayor Derk Timothy	Bluffdale
Mayor Tom Dolan	Sandy	Mayor Russ Wall	Taylorville
Michael Jensen (Exc)	SL County	Mayor Dennis Webb (Exc)	Holladay
Mayor Melissa Johnson (Exc)	WJ	Cnelmn Randy Horiuchi (Exc)	SL County
Mayor Josh Mills	Herriman	Mayor Cherie Wood (Exc)	So SL
Mayor Kent Money	SJ	Mayor Mike Winder	WVC
Mayor Tom Pollard	Alta	Sam Klemm for Barbara Thomas	Staff

**OTHERS PRESENT**

Scott Brown	AHA	Del Brady	UDHCC
Nichole Dunn	SLCo	Rob Jeppsen	SLCo Mayor
Kara Trevino	SL Co	Rita Lund	SL Co
Chuck Gates	ULCT/UTA	John Guldner	Alta
Liane Stillman	Ctnwd Hts		

