



## Talk with the Mayor

Tuesday July 8, 2014

10:00 a.m. and 6:30 p.m. City Hall

**Discussion:** Law Enforcement Additional Services

**Current:** Canyon County Sheriff's Office provides 18 hours per day additional patrol for \$260,000, and contracts increase about \$30,000 per year

**Discuss:** State law and "additional patrol"

Please plan to attend one of these two meetings. Mayor Taylor will also be available on an individual basis for those who cannot be at the meetings. Contact Mayor Taylor directly at 697-4354.

### Lower Utility Rates

The Mayor and City Council adopted the following utility rates effective this billing cycle. J-U-B Engineering completed a utility rate study and reported its findings to the City on June 4, 2014. "Thank you" Brad Watson and J-U-B Engineering.

	Old Rate	New Rate
Water Base Rate	\$12.38	\$ 9.91
Water Volume Rate (each 1,000 gallons/month)	\$ 1.56	\$ 1.61
Sewer Base Rate	\$24.85	\$24.64
Sewer Volume Rate	\$ 3.20	\$ 1.32

### Notice: Meeting Schedule

**July 2, 2014** City Council hearing to consider accepting advisory committee's report and recommendations, adopt City park capital improvement plan, impact fee ordinance, and impact fee.

**July 15, 2014** City Council meeting to consider approving proposed FY2015 budget.

**August 6, 2014** City Council hearing to consider adopting FY2015 budget.

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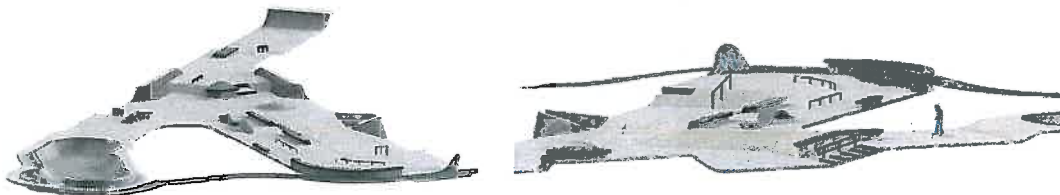
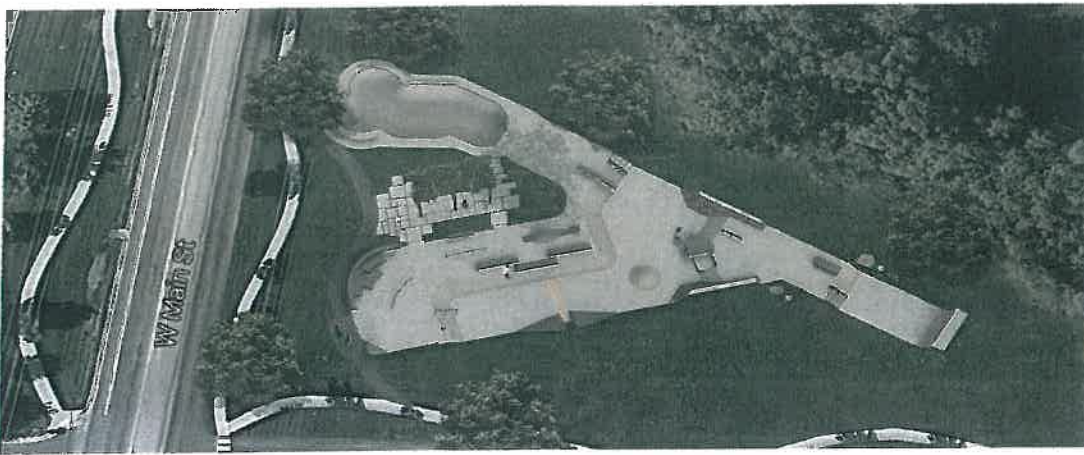
### City of Middleton Awarded \$30,000 Implementation Grant

The City of Middleton was awarded a \$30,000 implementation grant from the Community Planning Association of Southwest Idaho (COMPASS) for the Concord Street and Willow Drive Trail Connection project. The implementation grant will reimburse 50% of cost to design the street project. The project meets several COMPASS Communities in Motion 2040 goals by improving multi-modal access to schools and jobs; provides a new sidewalk and trail that allow off-street pedestrian transportation and will make the City of Middleton more walkable, bikeable and livable by creating connected access from neighborhoods to parks and schools. The project is scheduled for construction in FY 2015.

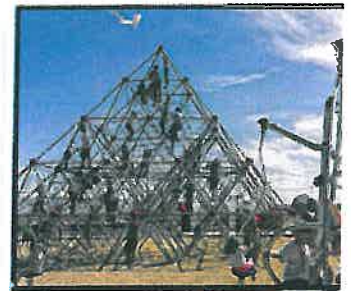
## Piccadilly Park Master Plan

The City Council approved the Piccadilly Park master plan and the skate-park concept plan at its meeting on June 4, 2014. Many City residents attended planning meetings in May to identify the features they would like to see in the park and skate-park: outdoor exercise equipment, zip-line, interactive creek, amphitheater, farmers market, restrooms, pavilions, etc. Baer Design Group, landscape architects, designed and presented the park master plan, and Grindline designed and presented the skate-park concept plan. The response was electric! The plans will be used by the City in grant applications, and \$45,000 in donations and grant funds have been received already to build the skate park. The park will be developed in phases over time and as budgets allow.

## Skate Park Design



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'Neptune' Play Pyramid

The 13,500 square-foot world-class skate park is being constructed in 2015. The park was designed with Grindline Skatepark's "Ladder of Progression" design philosophy, meaning that the design caters to all ages and skill levels - a place for beginner and intermediate skaters to develop and hone their skills, while also providing terrain that will be fun and challenging for users at the most advanced level.

Based on Middleton skater desired features, the park hosts a flowing street course with features such as handrails, flat ledges, a hubba ledge, manual pads, stamped-brick banked ledges, banks, stairs, a quarterpipe, a hip, a bacon strip, banked wedges with a gap, and a bowl featuring various depths, hips, copings, and extensions.





Amphitheater



'Speedway' Zip Line



### Legend

- A - Parking
- B - Plaza / Farmers Market Area
- C - Skate Park
- D - Skatable Pathway
- E - 'Neptune' Play Pyramid
- F - 'Speedway' Zip Line
- G - Shelter
- H - Tot Lot
- I - Outdoor Fitness Stations
- J - Interactive Creek / Splash Pad
- K - Restrooms / Classroom / Shelter
- L - Amphitheater
- M - Trellis
- N - 8' Asphalt Path



Interactive Creek/  
Splash Pad

Middleton Middle School

## Annual Drinking Water Report

The City received the Annual Drinking Water Report for 2013 that reports the City's water met all state and federal standards during 2013, and there were no violations. The City does not treat its potable water with fluorine. A full copy of the report is available at City Hall or on-line at the City's website [www.middleton.id.gov](http://www.middleton.id.gov).



## Library Expansion: Open House Tuesday, July 8th from 7-8pm

## Lost and Found

When items are left on City property, City staff will tag the item with the date found, after 60 calendar days the item will be discarded. To inquire about lost items call 208-585-3133.

The Library Board is planning an expansion, and we want your input on what things matter in Middleton. Do you want comfortable chairs? More computers? An area for children to explore and learn through play? A teen area? This is your chance to come and give your ideas to the Library Board and our architects!

The Open House will be held on Tuesday, July 8th from 7-8pm. If you can't make the open house, you will still have an opportunity to let us know what you think. The displays from the event will be up through Friday, July 11th so you can come in, see what our choices are, and weigh in by filling out our survey.

This is an exciting opportunity for our community, and we want to get this right. Come help!

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact our Library Director, Kate Lovan: [klovan@MyMiddletonLibrary.org](mailto:klovan@MyMiddletonLibrary.org), Library phone number is 208-585-3931

## It's almost here!!!!



## 5K run, **walk** or stroll



## September 6th

11:00 a.m. at Middleton Place Park

**\$20 for an individual \$15 each for teams of 4-10 \$50 for a family of 4**

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