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CVMC welcomes New Year's Baby

With the birth of a new year we are celebrating with the first birth at Central Valley Medical Center! While the baby wasn't due to arrive until February 5th, he just couldn't wait to get here. "Having the baby come early was a surprise, but the staff at CVMC was great and took amazing care of our baby boy," said new father Bradley Hoaldridge.

The first baby born at CVMC in 2017 was delivered by Dr. Mark Oveson, MD on January 8th at 1:03 a.m. weighing in at 6 pounds 15 ounces and 20 inches long. The new baby boy will be named Nixon and is the first child of his proud parents Bradley and Nicole Hoaldridge.

"I don't think that there is any better way to start a new year than with a new baby to take home! In my opinion, you will never experience anything else like taking a baby home for the first time. It's an awesome feeling, and we couldn't be happier for the Hoaldridge family," commented Nick Stewart, Marketing Director at Central Valley Medical Center.



NEW YEAR'S BABY • Nixon Hoaldridge being held by parents Nicole and Bradley Hoaldridge as Annie Hatch, RN, Women and Newborn Service Manager presents them with the New Year's Baby Gift Basket for being the first baby born at CVMC in 2017.

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Assignments will stay the same for Mona City Council members

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Council assignments for Mona will remain the same this coming year.

"Three of us only have one year left on the council and there is no sense in upsetting the apple cart," said Greg Newton, mayor.

Newton, whose term expires on January 1, 2018, is over the budget building inspections/new construction, economic development, personnel and the Six County Representative.

Jonathan Jones, city council member whose term expires in 2020 is over sewer, water and planning and zoning.

Jeff Hearty, council member, whose term also expires in 2020, is over natural gas, Juab Rural Development, Economic Development and is the Juab County liaison.

Katrina Long, city council member whose term expires in 2020, is over parks, the cemetery, the city office, recreation and celebrations.

Molli Graham, city council member, whose term expires in 2018, is over the cemetery, beautification and planning

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Those Mona residents who have two garbage cans at their house may expect a \$1.50 increase in the charge for that second can and all residents will pay \$1 more per can per month.

Solid waste pickup and disposal fees for town and for county residents have been billed at \$14 per can. Beginning with the next city billing residents will be billed at \$15 per can and the second can will now cost \$10.

"Last year," said Everd Squire, city finance director, "in the sanitation category, \$45,000 was revenue and

\$57,000 was expense."

That includes the cost of the dumpsters at the sewer treatment plant.

"We are paying \$6 per month per can to JRDA (Juab Rural Development Agency) for the landfill use," said Greg Newton, mayor. "We need to stay revenue neutral but we are paying out more than we collect."

From that \$14, Mechams are also paid to collect the garbage and haul it to the landfill.

"The costs do fluctuate from year to year," said Michelle Dalton, city secretary/treasurer, "but we have been collecting \$14 per can for the past 16 years."

Squire said that \$7,700 for the green waste site was

also part of the city sanitation expense. Supplies cost \$1,132 and those were not reimbursed. However, wages for the employee at the site were paid by JRDA.

Jonathan Jones, council member, asked what had happened with the fee for the cans that were used by county residents. The council recently discussed the collection fee for county cans with Jay Mecham, owner of Mechams Country Garbage.

"If those county residents have city utilities, I bill them for their garbage collection," said Dalton. "If they don't have city utilities, then Jay Mecham bills them."

Squire said that the city uses \$1 out of the \$14 collection fee

to pay for the cans which the city purchases and dispenses. It cost the city \$4,400 for the new collection cans the city had to purchase and last year the cans had to be ordered two times to keep up with demand.

"We purchase 25 cans at a time," said Dalton.

Katrina Long, council member, said that the new move-ins or owners of new homes should pay the cost of the first can. Replacements, as the cans wear out, would then be paid for by the city.

Those with a second can have been paying \$8.50 for collection of the second can. Not

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3-PEAT • The JHS Cheer and Stunt Team took 1st place in the 3A Varsity Co-Ed Show Cheer Division at the Southern Region Cheer Competition at Maple Mountain High School on January 14. The team qualified for the state competition which will be held at Salt Lake Community College on January 28. Members of the team are Emily Nelson, head cheerleader; Kaydee Kelson, team captain; Natalie Tolbert, Averie Cowan, Audrey Ludlow, Chandley Allred, Kemri Buck, Krista Nielson, Shaylen Allred, Siera Crawford, Kaitlyn Hall, Taylee Blackett, Taizlee Ostler, Izabella Christensen, Keanna Williams, Makiya Bowles, Sydnee Saez, Aubrey McQuiston, Matt Jessop, Trevor Spotten, Trevor Anderson, Issac McPherson, Isaac Lainhart, Brandon McKeachnie and Zed Harris. The team is coached by Janelle Bradford and Whitney Bair. Photocourtesy of Janelle Bradford

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