

One of the sponsor's arguments is that



It is important to keep our terminology consistent. I recommend



FYI – this bill seems to be on a fast track, and is viewed as a companion bill to SB296, another anti-discrimination / religious rights bill. fully support it. , and want it amended more before moving forward, but seem hopeful that it can also become acceptable to them. Here's the link to the bill:

<http://le.utah.gov/~2015/bills/static/SB0297.html>

Please share your thoughts. If you'd prefer to call, please do so.

I apologize to those Clerks who have not yet received any emails on this bill. It appears that the countyclerks Listserve that I used earlier Friday isn't current.

Sorry for the loooong email!

Thanks,

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[REDACTED] seemed very interested in hearing a Clerks point of view on the issue and was open to discussing the issue. I believe that feedback from the group can be an influence on this issue and encourage you to add you voice to the discussion. The link to the audio of the hearing is: http://utahlegislature.granicus.com/MediaPlayer.php?view_id=2&clip_id=18805&meta_id=549445

Thanks,

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Clerk/Auditor
Davis County Government
p. (801) 451-3491
[REDACTED]
f. (801) 451-3155

From: Hatch,Ricky [<mailto:rhatch@co.weber.ut.us>]
Sent: Friday, March 06, 2015 9:00 PM
To: brenda@co.emery.ut.us; btitcomb@co.wasatch.ut.us; clerkkj@kane.utah.gov; david@ironcounty.net; dcarroll@grandcountyutah.net; dfreston@duchesne.utah.gov; dmay@utah.gov; gcclerk@mountainwest.net; jaclynburt@utah.gov; jill.zollinger@cachecounty.org; justinlee@utah.gov; kentjones@summitcounty.org; kim.hafen@washco.utah.gov; mgillette@co.tooele.ut.us; mjthomas@utah.gov; mwilkins@co.uintah.ut.us; myoung@boxeldercounty.org; njohnson@sanjuancounty.org; normab@email.utcourts.gov; pati@co.juab.ut.us; ryan@wco.state.ut.us; scwall@sevier.utah.gov; seth.oveson@carbon.utah.gov; slafitte@hotmail.com; sneill@sanpetecounty-ut.gov; SSWENSEN@SLCO.ORG; valeenb@hotmail.com; vmckee@daggettcounty.org; Bryan Thompson (BryanT@utahcounty.gov); gmcnullin@beaver.utah.gov; Curtis Koch; Ilene Roth (recorder@mail.manti.com)
Cc: Adam Trupp (adam@uacnet.org); Arie Van De Graaff (arie@uacnet.org); Lincoln Shurtz (legislative.insight@gmail.com)
Subject: SB297-Marriage bill impacting Clerks-please provide input ASAP

SB297 came out Thursday, passed through Committee on Friday, and will be discussed in the Senate early next week. It addresses anti-discrimination, allowing for some religious exemptions. It also impacts our offices.

This email summarizes how SB297 impacts Clerks, and suggests some possible amendments. PLEASE PROVIDE YOUR INPUT!

Here's how it impacts County Clerks:

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301 Wakara Way
Salt Lake City, Utah 84108
Phone: (801) 581-4303
<http://nhmu.utah.edu/>

Daily, except Wed: 10:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Wednesday: 10:00 a.m. – 9:00 p.m.
General Admission: \$13.00
Senior Admission: \$11.00

The Natural History Museum of Utah houses the state's world-class collections in new exhibitions and offers more than 41,300 square feet of gallery and education space. The Natural History Museum of Utah is one of the leading scientific research and cultural institutions in the country. Established in 1963, the Museum's collections contain over 1.2 million objects and offers innovative exhibitions and educational programs to thousands of residents and visitors each year, including traveling and permanent exhibits, special events and other programs.

Park City and/or Olympic Park Tour

Long before Park City became a world-class mountain resort and venue for the 2002 Olympic Winter Games, it was famous as a silver mining town, and boasts a lively and colorful past. Founded by prospectors in the late 1860's, Park City continued to mine silver until the early 1970's. The mining company, Park City Consolidated Mines, started the ski business in 1963, when they built the first lifts on what was then called Treasure Mountain. The Park City area now has three world-class resorts: Park City Mountain Resort, Deer Valley Resort, and the Canyons Resort.

The Great Salt Lake

The Great Salt Lake is the largest natural lake west of the Mississippi River. At the current level the Great Salt Lake is approximately 75 miles long and about 35 miles wide. Located in several wide flat basins, a slight rise in water level expands the surface area of the lake considerably. The first scientific measurements were taken in 1849 and since then the lake level has varied by 20 feet, shifting the shoreline.

Local Amenities in Salt Lake City

transportation

Le Bus
524 South 2350 West
Salt Lake City, Utah
(801) 975-0202

taxi

City Cab – (801) 363-5550
Ute Cab – (801) 359-7788
Yellow Cab – (801) 521-2100

airport

Salt Lake City International
776 North Terminal Drive
Salt Lake City, Utah
(801) 575-2839

free computer use

Salt Lake City Public Library
210 East 400 South
Salt Lake City, Utah
(801) 524-8200

copy shop

Fed Ex Kinko's
19 East 200 South
Salt Lake City, Utah
(801) 533-9444

currency exchange

Zion's Bank
102 South Main Street
Salt Lake City, Utah
(801) 524-8826

mail/postage

U.S. Post Office
230 West 200 South
Salt Lake City, Utah
(801) 978-3001

shopping

Wal-Mart Supercenter
350 West Hope Avenue
Salt Lake City, Utah
(801) 484-7362

shopping mall/food court

City Creek
50 South Main Street
Salt Lake City, Utah
(801) 521-2012

grocery store

Harmon's
135 East 100 South
Salt Lake City, Utah
(801) 428-0366

grocery store

Whole Foods Market
544 South 700 East
Salt Lake City, Utah
(801) 924-9060

souvenirs

Salt Lake To-Go Gift Shop
100 South West Temple
Salt Lake City, Utah
(801) 534-4777

halal

Halal Market
2850 South Redwood Road
West Valley, Utah
(801) 985-0786

coffee shop/Turkish coffee

Salt Lake Coffee Break
430 East 400 South
Salt Lake City, Utah
(801) 355-4244

laundry

2nd South Coin Laundry
154 South 400 East
Salt Lake City, Utah
(801) 366-8615

Medical Amenities

medical emergency

Intermountain Medical Center
5131 Cottonwood Street
Salt Lake City, Utah
(801) 507-7000

medical emergency

St. Marks Hospital
1200 East 3900 South
Salt Lake City, Utah
(801) 268-7111

dentist

Emergency Dental Services
4885 South 900 East
Salt Lake City, Utah
(801) 278-2815

optometry

John A. Moran Eye Center
The University of Utah
65 Mario Capecchi Drive
Salt Lake City, Utah
(801) 581-2352

pharmacy

Rite Aid
72 South Main Street
Salt Lake City, Utah
(801) 531-0583

Suggested Cultural Activities

Clark Planetarium

110 South 400 West

Sunday –Wednesday: 10:30 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.

He has presented before the National Institute of Medicine as well as numerous conferences nationwide on health system reform.

He serves on the National Conference of State Legislatures Health Reform Task Force and Chairs their Health and Human Services Committee. He is a member of the Children's Health Insurance Advisory Board and a member of the Council of State Governments Nutritional and Hunger Task Force. He was named a Friend of the Taxpayer by the Utah Taxpayers Association and the Utah Small Business Champion of the Year by the National Federation of Independent Businesses.

Rep. Dunnigan received his B.S. in Business Management from the University of Utah, he is the owner of Dunnigan Insurance, an insurance agency with over 30 years of experience specializing in health insurance and employee benefits. He is active in sports and recently participated in the U.S. Open National volleyball tournament.

Meeting topic: You will learn how this watchdog organization encourages a fair and equitable taxation process and brings attention to instances of wasteful government spending.

Your next appointment will be in the same building at 3:15 p.m.

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| 3:15 p.m. – 4:15 p.m. | Utah State Legislature, Senate Cloud Mr. Bryan J. Smith , Deputy Chief of Staff at the Utah Senate Email: bsmith@le.utah.gov <u>Meeting location:</u> Utah State Capitol Complex 350 North State Street Salt Lake City, Utah 84103 <u>Meeting contact:</u> Mr. Bryan Smith, Office: (801) 708-5121 http://senatecloud.com/ |
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Meeting topic: You will learn about the Senate's online and social media engagement with the public across multiple platforms, and will how the Senate Cloud brings all this information into one place. Representatives will show how the platform works, and discuss the impact it has had on accountability and citizen engagement.

Utah State Legislature, Senate Cloud

Senate Cloud is a platform used by the Utah State Senate to encourage citizen political engagement with the Senate through social media. The website provides direct access to all social media activities of the Senate, providing opportunities for citizens to learn about Senate activities, engage with their representatives, and share ideas and feedback.

Utah State Senate

Serving as citizen legislators, these men and women meet for 45 days each winter to pass legislation and then return to their homes to live under the laws they have created. Their occupations include attorneys, businessmen/women, bankers, property managers, current and former educators, engineers, farmers and ranchers, CPAs, homemakers, nurses, dentists and orthodontists, police officers, non-profit executives, and retirees. Their combined state legislative experience totals more than 250 years. Nearly half of Utah's state senators served in the House of Representatives prior to being elected to the Senate.

Utah State Capitol Complex
Utah Lieutenant Governor's Office
350 North State Street, Suite 220
Salt Lake City, Utah 84103
Meeting contact:
Ms. India Nielsen, Office: (801) 538-1041
<http://www.utah.gov/ltgovernor/index.html>

***Meeting topic:** You will discuss the oversight role of the office and explain the rules governing campaign finance transparency. Staff will also highlight the office's role in overseeing the relationship between campaigns, candidates, and special interest groups or lobbyists.*

Utah Lieutenant Governor's Office

Because Utah currently has no Secretary of State, many of the functions that would commonly be served by a state Secretary of State are fulfilled by Utah's Lieutenant Governor. Accordingly, the Lieutenant Governor's statutory duties include the oversight of all Notaries Public, the legal authentication of documents, maintaining oversight and regulation of registered lobbyists, certifying municipal annexations, and serving as the 'keeper' of The Great Seal of the State of Utah. Arguably the most important duty of the Utah Lieutenant Governor is to maintain general oversight authority over all elections-federal, state, or local-that take place in Utah.

The office of the Secretary of State in Utah was abolished in 1976 and those duties given to the Lieutenant Governor. The lieutenant governor has since become charges with overseeing key components of the initiative process. The lieutenant governor's additional duties include the oversight of all notaries public, the legal authentication of documents, maintaining oversight and regulation of registered lobbyists, certifying municipal annexations, maintaining oversight over all elections, and serving as the 'keeper' of The Great Seal of the State of Utah.

Other duties and privileges of the office include: serving as the chief election officer of Utah, keeping a register of, and attesting to, all official acts of the Governor, serving as the Governor's liaison to the legislature, serving as an adviser to the Governor on policy, fiscal, and budgetary matters, Sitting on or chairing commissions, boards, committees, and cabinet agencies as delegated by the Governor.

*Following this meeting you are welcome to have lunch. We highly recommend having lunch nearby or on the way to your next appointment. For suggested restaurants, please refer to the **Downtown of the Salt Lake City Bucket List** included in your liaisons' welcome packets.*

Please depart the restaurant no later than 12:30 p.m.

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS: *Please enter the **Utah State Capitol Building** through the **East Entrance**. Please meet the **docent** at the **Visitor Services desk** just inside the east entrance on the **First Floor**.*

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| 1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. | Tour: Utah State Capitol Building <u>Meeting location:</u> Utah State Capitol Building Visitor Services Desk 350 North State Street Salt Lake City, Utah 84103 |
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over the world as the Mormon Tabernacle Choir. The Choir has appeared at 13 world's fairs and expositions, performed at the inaugurations of five U.S. presidents, and sung for numerous worldwide telecasts and special events. Five of the Choir's recordings have achieved "gold record" and two have achieved "platinum record" status. The most popular was the Grammy-Award-winning 1959 release of 'The Battle Hymn of the Republic' with the Philadelphia Orchestra.

Music and the Spoken Word

Today "Music and the Spoken Word" has become the world's longest-running continuous network broadcast and is carried on more than 2,000 radio and television stations and cable systems. It has been broadcast from locations across the country and around the world. Since its first broadcast, the program was an immediate success. The president of the radio network sent a telegram: "Your wonderful Tabernacle program is making great impression in New York. Have heard from leading ministers. All impressed by program. Eagerly awaiting your next." The program was off and running. In 1954, to commemorate the 25th year of weekly Music and the Spoken Word broadcasts, Life magazine commented on the program's legacy with these words: "Those who know this program...need no arguments for listening to it. Millions have heard them, and more millions, we hope, will hear them in years to come. It is a national institution to be proud of."

*Following the broadcast, Le Bus will meet you at the **West Gate** of Temple Square from which you entered and will be staged for cultural transportation.*

*We highly recommend you visit **Park City, Utah**. In Park City, we suggest you go to the **Utah Olympic Park** which houses world-class Olympic training facilities and both the **Alf Engen Ski Museum** and **George S. and Dolores Doré Eccles 2002 Olympic Winter Games Museum**. Admission is free for both museums. You may also explore **Park City's historic Main Street**, which reflects the city's history as a mining town as well as its current role as home to the **Sundance Film Festival** and a world-renown winter tourism destination. On Sundays during the Summer, Park City is host to **Park Silly**, an ecofriendly open air market, street festival, and community forum where neighbors and friends come together to celebrate our community of fun and funk Park Sillians. The festival takes place on Park City's Main Street. Driving to Park City takes **approximately 40 minutes**.*

Transportation will conclude at **4:00 p.m.**, at which time you will be returned to Little America Hotel.

10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Cultural Transportation

Please make specific arrangements with your driver.

*Following your cultural transportation, please return to Little America Hotel no later than **4:00 p.m.** as you have kindly been invited to Home Hospitality at 6:00 p.m.*

6:00 p.m.

Home Hospitality

*Please meet your hosts in the lobby of Little America Hotel at **6:00 p.m.** Your hosts will transport you to and from dinner. The dress code is casual attire.*

About Mr. Billy Hesterman

Mr. Billy Hesterman comes to the association from the Daily Herald in Provo where he was working as the political reporter for the newspaper since 2011. Prior to his time in Provo, he worked at a number of radio stations in the Salt Lake Valley performing a variety of duties including on-air work and planning promotional events.

He is a Utah native and graduated from the University of Utah with a degree in Mass Communication. He also has been involved in politics in a number of ways throughout his life, from passing out pamphlets for state legislature candidates as a young teenager to volunteering on a congressional campaign in college. He also was an intern in the Utah State Senate for the chief of staff handling communication and media issues during the 2010 legislative session.

Following this meeting, Le Bus Transportation will return you to Little America Hotel. You are free to spend the evening at your leisure.

Saturday, June 23, 2018

Enjoy your first day of cultural activities in Salt Lake City and surrounding areas! For suggested cultural activities, please consult the back of this local program, your hotel concierge, or the Official Salt Lake Visitors Guide included in your welcome packets.

*For an optional activity, we recommend going to the local **Downtown Farmers Market at Pioneer Park**. It offers the best of the region fresh fruits and vegetables, grass-fed meats, dairy, honey, eggs, baked goods, and seasonal offerings for the holidays. Entry into the Downtown Farmers Market at Pioneer Park is free of charge, though foods and other items will be available for purchase. Should you choose to attend, wear comfortable shoes and clothing and bring cash for possible purchases. An ATM is available at the Farmers Market*

*The Downtown Farmers Market, located at Pioneer Park, opens at 8:00 a.m. and you may come and go as you please. It is approximately a **13-15 minute walk** from your hotel, or you may choose to take a taxi. For further directions, please consult the Salt Lake City Downtown Attractions map included in your welcome packets.*

8:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Optional Activity

Downtown Farmers Market

Location:

Pioneer Park

350 South 300 West

Salt Lake City, Utah 84101

<http://www.slcfarmersmarket.org/>

***Activity description:** You will have the opportunity to attend the Winter Market at Rio Grande and participate in a popular winter cultural activity in Salt Lake City.*

Downtown Farmers Market

The Downtown Farmers Market exists to strengthen and support small local farms and businesses as they bring their products directly to the public. Our farmers and producers offer the freshest local fruits and vegetables as well as a wide variety of grass-fed meats, eggs, dairy, honey, and flora, along with the region's best locally made sauces, spreads, baked goods and culinary accouterments.

11:30 a.m. – 12:30 a.m.

Utah Transparency Advisory Board

Ms. Brenda Lee, Assistant Director

Email: brendalee@utah.gov

Meeting location:

Utah State Capitol Complex

State Office Building, Second Floor, 2110

450 North State Street

Salt Lake City, Utah 84114

Meeting contact:

Ms. Brenda Lee, Mobile: [REDACTED]

<http://www.utah.gov/transparency/index.html>

Meeting topic: You will learn how providing online open data falls in the state's overall transparency initiatives, the information that is available through the site, and how the information is prepared for open dissemination through the portal.

Utah Transparency Advisory Board

Comprised of seven members knowledgeable about public finance or providing public access to public financial information, the Utah Transparency Advisory Board is responsible for the Transparent.utah.gov site, which went live on May 15, 2009. The site was developed in partnership between the Division of Finance and Department of Technology services after the state legislature passed a bill in 2008 creating a free, publicly accessible website containing state financial information. The Utah Transparency Advisory Board and the Division of Finance oversee the operations of this website.

About Ms. Brenda Lee

Ms. Brenda Lee has been the Assistant Director of the Utah Division of Finance since 2005, where she has also been the project manager for the implementation of the State's transparency website. The website includes detailed expense, revenue, employee compensation, and federal stimulus transactions for the State of Utah. During 2010, school districts, charter schools, higher education and local transit districts were also added to the website. During 2011, counties, cities, towns, and local and special service districts will be required to add their data to the website. Ms. Lee has been with the Division of Finance for 16 years and her duties have included managing the Disbursements Section, preparation of the State's Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (CAFR), supervising the statewide accounting and monitoring of fixed assets, accounts receivables, loan servicing, state compliance with the federal Cash Management Improvement Act (CMIA) and bank account reconciliation. Prior to working for Finance, Ms. Lee worked for the Utah State Auditor's Office as an auditor for 4 years. Ms. Lee graduated from Weber State University with a Bachelor's degree in Accounting. She lives in Kaysville with her husband and has 2 grown sons, a wonderful daughter-in-law and two grandchildren.

Following this meeting you will travel to Draper, Utah where you are welcome to have lunch. We highly recommend having lunch in Draper. A variety of dining options are available at the 11400 South Off-ramp from I-15.

Please depart the restaurant no later than 1:30 p.m.

doctorate student working on rhetoric and student protest in higher education and considers himself a storyteller, activist, a spoken word poet and avid hip hop, soul & reggae fan. Tino is also the Educational Opportunity Center director at Utah Valley University and teaches public speaking and interpersonal communication at UVU and grounds his courses with social justice themes. His two boys, Luca and Matteo are his life and his the spirit of his grandmothers and ancestors, are his guides.

Following this meeting, Le Bus Transportation will return you to Little America Hotel. You are free to spend the evening at your leisure.

Friday, June 22, 2018

Le Bus Transportation will be staged outside Little America Hotel at 8:20 a.m. Please depart for your first appointment no later than 8:30 a.m.

9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

Alliance for a Better Utah

Mr. Josh Kanter, Founder

Email: [REDACTED]

Mr. Chase Thomas, Policy and Advocacy Director

Email: [REDACTED]

Meeting location:

Impact Hub

150 South State Street, First Floor Conference Room

Salt Lake City, Utah 84111

Meeting contact:

Mr. Josh Kanter, Mobile: [REDACTED]

<http://betterutah.org/>

***Meeting topic:** You will learn how Alliance for a Better Utah develops strategic communication campaigns on government conduct, helping shed a light on the activities of elected officials.*

Alliance for a Better Utah

The Alliance for a Better UTAH is a year-round, multi-issue education and advocacy organization promoting progressive ideas and causes with earned media and local organizing. Serving as the state-based “communications hub” to help coordinate, develop, and manage strategic communications on behalf of the broader progressive community.

An independent voice providing resources, commentary and action through:

- Original commentary on important public policy topics
- Responding to false or inaccurate statements arising in the public policy debate
- Taking action through earned media, organizing and collaborative activities
- Cataloging the hypocritical statements of elected officials
- Cataloging the failure of elected officials to follow the will of the people

Earning credibility through:

- Diversity of advisors and experts
- Fact-based, intellectually honest positions
- Independence from any political party, elected official or candidate

About Mr. Josh Kanter

Mr. Josh Kanter is President of Chicago Investments, Inc. and Vice President of Windy City, Inc., closely held investment management firms. He is Vice President and a Director of the

and Wasatch Community Gardens. She has a B.A in Anthropology and a Masters in Public Administration both from the University of Utah. Felecia is an avid believer that through diverse approaches, collaboration, and continual dialogue, issues surrounding social injustices and human rights abuses are addressed. In her free time, she is busy turning her front yard into a productive vegetable garden, while listening to all varieties of music because it “washes away from the soul the dust of everyday life.” - Berthold Auerbach

About Ms. Darlene McDonald

Coming to Utah

Ms. Darlene McDonald moved to Utah after following the advice of a friend who recommended she consider Salt Lake City as a good place to raise her sons. Looking to relocate from Ohio, where she was born and raised, Darlene was looking for a community where she could find a job and raise her boys. At the top of her list of concerns was employment and a safe environment. Being a single mom to African-American sons, she worried about gangs and adaptability. “These are things African-Americans have to think about. There are conversation we must have with our children, especially our boys.”

After first visiting the Beehive State just one week after the end of the school year, Darlene moved with her sons and nephew to an apartment on 400 South in downtown Salt Lake City. She used her savings to pay three months’ rent upfront. She felt this would allow her enough time to get settled and find a job.

Early Days

Darlene had worked as a computer operator since graduating high school, and was confident she would be able to find a similar job. It was just a matter of when. As she looked for full-time work, she worked part-time at the University of Utah Marriott, and as a receptionist for a local doctor. This was a time as well that Darlene will admit that she did receive food stamps. “I was the working poor. The working poor is the population that mostly receive food stamps. I was not lazy.” She was working, but she was making minimum wage at two jobs and it simply wasn’t enough money. Food stamps allowed her to buy food. She’d also continued to look for a full-time job.

It was also nearing the end of the three months she’d prepaid her rent. Darlene knew that if she didn’t find a full-time job soon, she and her boys would be in trouble. This was something she kept to herself.

When she got home, she had a voicemail message from Human Resources at JP Morgan Chase. Darlene ended up accepting a job with them and working there for 11 years before the Salt Lake offices were shut down. There were options at that point to move to either Delaware or Chicago, but she just couldn’t envision leaving Utah, which she now considered home.

Education

Darlene has an Associates of Science Degree from Salt Lake Community College. Although her degree is in General Studies, her studies focused primarily on economics, a field of study she’d come to love. At SLCC she took advantage of the TRIO and credits its mentorship with helping her to stay focused on finished. Darlene transferred from SLCC to Westminster College where she continued to study economics. Eventually, however, the high cost of attending a private Liberal Arts school took a financial toll and she decided she’d had enough student loan debt. “I realized I’d probably be buried with my student loan debt.”

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Elections Division

Administer countywide elections in general election years (even numbered years) and contract with cities to administer city elections in municipal election years (odd numbered years). Also provide election services for special elections and bond elections for Salt Lake County. Maintain voter registration records, manage voting precincts and establish polling locations for registered voters throughout Salt Lake County.

About Ms. Sherrie Swensen

Ms. Sherrie Swensen, Salt Lake County Clerk, currently is serving her fifth, four year term. As County Clerk, Ms. Swensen directs the Marriage and Passport Services Division, the Elections Division and the Council Clerks Division for Salt Lake County. Ms. Swensen believes in the fundamental right of all citizens to vote and, to that end, encourages voter participation by making the process as easy and accessible as possible. She advocates Election Day Registration, early voting and voting by mail.

Ms. Swensen formerly served as the Director of Administration for the Utah State Democratic Party. Prior to that, she worked for the United Transportation Union, the Community Action Program, the Utah State Legislature and sold real estate.

Since becoming County Clerk, Ms. Swensen has vigorously pursued voter registration efforts, encouraging all citizens to exercise their important and fundamental right to vote. As part of this effort, she implemented the 'High School Voter Registration Program' and has annually visited high schools conducting voter registration drives and encouraging student involvement in the electoral process.

The Clerk's Office provides service to the general public who utilize the various services the Clerk's Office provides. The office works to conduct fair, open, and honest elections. By maintaining integrity in elections, the office protects public confidence in the democratic process. Through the County Clerks' office, the people of Salt Lake County have the opportunity to exercise their right to vote, and through education and outreach, are encouraged to participate in the electoral process.

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Please depart the restaurant no later than 1:30 p.m.

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS: *When you arrive at the Salt Lake Tribune, please use the **phone in the lobby** to let the staff know you have arrived. A Tribune representative will greet you and lead you to the meeting location.*

2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Salt Lake Tribune

Mr. David Noyce, Managing Editor

Email: [REDACTED]

Meeting location:

Hotel Information:

The Little America Hotel
500 South Main Street
Salt Lake City, Utah 84101
Phone: (801) 363-6781

The Little America Hotel Room Rates

Single room – 124.00 + 12.92% tax
Gratuities and portorage are not included in your room rate.

Check in:

The cost of your stay will be billed directly to FHI 360.

Little America Hotel does NOT require a deposit upon check-in. However, if incidental charges are incurred during your stay, you are responsible to settle your charges at check-out.

Complimentary Amenities

- In-room and lobby Wi-Fi access
- Fitness center
- Year-round heated indoor & outdoor pool
- Sauna and whirlpool

Breakfast Options

Breakfast is **not** included in your room rate. However, we recommend having breakfast at the hotel.

The Little America has three options for breakfast:

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| <i>Breakfast Buffet</i> Lucky H Bar & Grille Hours: Monday – Friday: 7:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. Saturday: 7:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Sunday: 8:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. | <i>À la carte Menu</i> The Coffee Shop Hours: Monday – Saturday: 6:00 a.m. – 11:00 p.m. Sunday: 6:00 a.m. – 10:00 p.m. | <i>Coffee Shop</i> Lobby Lounge Hours: Monday – Saturday: 6:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m. Sunday: 6:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. |
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Transportation Information

Le Bus Transportation

Contact Mr. Ray Meadows


www.lebus.com

**If after hours, please follow the automated instructions to connect with the Night Manager.*

ATM Information

A **Bank of America** ATM is located at 367 Trolley Square, Salt Lake City, Utah 84102.
A general ATM is located in the Little America Hotel lobby.



UTAH COUNCIL FOR
**CITIZEN
DIPLOMACY**

ACCOUNTABILITY IN GOVERNMENT

A Multi-Regional Project

June 20 – 26, 2018

PARTICIPANTS:

Burma

Mr. Aung Ko MYINT

Chairman, Myanmar Federation of Persons with Disabilities

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Thailand

Name: **Mr. Tippatrai SAELAWONG**

Present Position: Senior Researcher, Thailand Development Research Institute (TDRI)

Concurrent Positions: Member, Subcommittee on Civil Society and Media for Anti-Corruption Advocacy Campaign, National Anti-Corruption Commission

Previous Positions: Intern, Office of the National Economic and Social Development Board, 2011
Intern Assistant, Deputy Permanent Delegate, Thai Delegation to UNESCO, 2009
Intern, Macroeconomic Department, Fiscal Policy Office, Ministry of Finance, 2008

Education/Training: M.A., Economics, University of Toulouse, 2012
B.A., Economics, University of Toulouse, 2010

Publications: Numerous publications on economic issues and transparency and accountability in finance

Address: Thailand
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Languages: Thai (primary), English

U.S. Travel: No previous U.S. travel

Other Travel: France, Italy, Spain

Professional Background: Mr. Saelawong is a Senior Researcher at the Thailand Development Research Institute, a public policy think tank that focuses on political economy and institutional economic issues. His research includes anti-corruption policies and the assessment of anti-corruption institutions, press and media reform, and government transparency and regulation. He has collaborated with government and non-government organizations to help them improve good governance and transparency mechanisms.

India

Name: **Ms. Pavithra SRINIVASARANGAN**

Present Position: Communication Specialist, Advocacy and Partnerships, UNICEF

Previous Positions: Policy Advocacy and Communications Lead, NITI Aayog
Senior Correspondent, *Outlook Magazine*, New Delhi, 2015 - 2016
Consultant, UNICEF and Government of Madhya Pradesh, 2015
Media Fellow, UNDP and Government of India, 2015
Consultant, ActionAid, 2014
Staff Reporter, *The Hindu*, 2011 - 2012

Education/Training: M.A., Sociology, Delhi School of Economics, University of Delhi, 2014
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B.A., Journalism and Communication, Manipal Institute of Communication, 2010

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U.S. Travel: No previous U.S. travel

Professional Background: Ms. Srinivasarangan is a Communication Specialist in Advocacy and Partnerships at UNICEF. While working at NITI Aayog, a policy think tank, she focused on topics in central government strategic planning, such as the progress of sustainable development goals. She previously worked as a journalist, where her investigative story on a military-related murder led to her receipt of the Red Ink Award for Excellence in Indian Journalism. Ms. Srinivasarangan is interested in developing efficient, citizen-centric governance mechanisms in her country.

BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION

Burma

Name: **Mr. Aung Ko MYINT**

Present Position: Chairman, Myanmar Federation of Persons with Disabilities

Concurrent Positions: Managing Director, Disability Inclusive Business Initiative

Education/Training: B.A., Philosophy, Yangon University, 2003
Graduate Diploma, Social Work, Yangon University, 2003

Memberships: Myanmar National Association of the Blind
Disability Inclusive Business Initiative
Myanmar Federation of Persons with Disabilities

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Languages: Burmese (primary), English

U.S. Travel: No previous U.S. travel

Other Travel: Cambodia, Japan, Laos, Malaysia, Singapore, Thailand

Professional Background: As Chairman of the Myanmar Federation of Persons with Disabilities, Mr. Myint advocates for the rights of people with disabilities in Burma. He works with government, civil society, and advocacy organizations to help people with disabilities access services, engage with government, and achieve independence.

INTERNATIONAL VISITOR LEADERSHIP PROGRAM

ACCOUNTABILITY IN GOVERNMENT A Multi-Regional Project

These visitors are invited to the United States under the auspices of the Department of State's International Visitor Leadership Program. Their program is arranged by FHI 360.

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; Email -

Department of State Program Contacts: Mr. Karl Asmus and Mr. Andrew Vaccaro, Office of International Visitors; Telephone or ; Email -

Accompanied By: Ms. Joyce HOPSON-KING, International Visitor Liaison; Ms. Maren MENTOR, International Visitor Liaison

June 11 - 29, 2018

PROFESSIONAL OBJECTIVES

The Department of State has outlined the following specific objectives for the project:

- Examine how the U.S. Constitution and Bill of Rights protects the rights of the citizens;
- Explore government standards of ethical conduct;
- Examine and contrast concepts of integrity, values, and norms in the government and private sectors;
- Examine ethical dilemmas in trade globalization; and
- Examine the institutions that ensure a transparent and accountable government.

- Once the Visitors are seated: The best meetings allow for spirited discussions and opportunities to share information. As leaders in their fields, your guests are eager to share their knowledge and experience as well as learn from you. Leave time for questions, ask some of your own, and consider who might be another good contact for your guests.
- After the Visitors leave: Please call or email your UCCD contact person to let us know how the meeting went. We welcome your photos and personal reflections of the meeting which we would love to share on our website.

When Meeting with Non-English Speaking Visitors

➤ Simultaneous Interpretation

While some of the International Visitors are fluent in English, many of the Visitors are not. If they are not fluent English speakers, they will be accompanied by U.S. Department of State Interpreters.



The interpreters will use electronic equipment to simultaneously interpret the meeting. It is not necessary to alter your presentation to accommodate interpretation. The only exception is when including videos; we suggest that you pause occasionally to allow the interpreters to catch up.

➤ Consecutive Interpretation

If the International Visitors are not fluent in English, they will be accompanied by a U.S. Department of State Interpreter who may employ consecutive interpretation which means the interpreter speaks after the Visitor speaks.

The communication is divided into segments and the interpreter listens and takes notes as the speaker talks. When the speaker pauses or finishes speaking, the interpreter then renders the message to the audience. We suggest that you pause frequently in your remarks for interpretation.

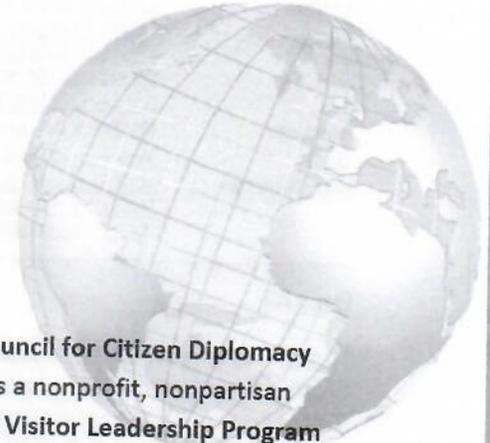
Hosted Luncheons or Receptions

If you have invited the Visitors to participate in a hosted luncheon or reception, UCCD will provide you with a list of any dietary restrictions for the group. However, we have found that a standard, buffet-style event often accommodates the majority of dietary preferences.





UTAH COUNCIL FOR CITIZEN DIPLOMACY



Professional Resource Guidelines

Thank you for volunteering as a **Professional Resource** with the **Utah Council for Citizen Diplomacy (UCCD)**. Since 1967 the Utah Council for Citizen Diplomacy has served as a nonprofit, nonpartisan private-sector partner with the U.S. Department of State's **International Visitor Leadership Program (IVLP)**. IVLP is a professional exchange program that seeks to build mutual understanding between the U.S. and other nations through carefully designed short-term visits to the U.S. for current and emerging foreign leaders.

The International Visitors travel to Utah as guests of our government and the Utah Council for Citizen Diplomacy arranges their local professional and cultural program. Each program itinerary is carefully designed to support the Visitors' individual professional interests as well as U.S. foreign policy objectives.

By volunteering your time, and sharing your knowledge and professional expertise, you have become part of the nationwide network of citizen diplomats who build important relationships through one-on-one contact with emerging leaders from around the world. Just as you have been identified as a leader in your field, so too have these International Visitors.

About the International Visitor Leadership Program (IVLP)



The International Visitors Leadership Program (IVLP) is the U.S. Department of State's premier professional exchange program. Each year approximately 5,000 International Visitors are invited to the U.S. each year, about 500 of these Visitors will come to Utah during their exchange. These distinguished professionals have been selected by U.S. embassy staff abroad to participate in the International Visitor Leadership Program in order to exchange ideas with their U.S. counterparts.

During their three-week program, International Visitors travel to Washington D.C. and up to four additional cities that highlight American diversity. In each city, the group attends cultural events, spends time with average American families, and meets with their professional counterparts in a series of one-hour professional appointments. You can learn more about IVLP from the [U.S. Department of State Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs](#) or the [Utah Council for Citizen Diplomacy](#).