

## **COMMUNITY TOWN HALL EXSUM**

### **1. GARRISON/INSTALLATION: USAG Dugway Proving Ground, IMCOM Readiness**

### **2. IN ATTENDANCE:**

COL James P Harwell, DPG Commander  
Mr. Christopher D. Damour, Garrison Manager  
CSM Jessica Cho, DPG Command Sergeant Major  
Mr. Brian K. Peterson, Deputy Garrison Manager  
Mr. Terry York, Director MWR  
Ms. Kelcie C. Reed, Chief PAIO  
Ms. Courtney Montoya, RMO

### **3. WHEN: 8 April 2025, 1800 – 2000, Headquarters Auditorium**

### **4. SUMMARY:**

On 8 April 2025, DPG held a Community Town Hall at the Headquarters Auditorium and via Facebook Live. Approximately 25 individuals were in attendance, including community members, Directors, and Installation leadership. The agenda included a welcome to New Community Members, ASKDugway, MAPA, Pay.gov, Housing, Upcoming Events, Self-Help, Community Updates, and more.

Leadership took the opportunity to remind residents that they care about the community and are willing to listen. They gave reminders to support events and services so they could continue them and add more in the future. Leadership welcomed new residents to the community and introduced CSM Jessica Cho.

There is a new email address available to the Community for any questions they may have (i.e., ASKDugway.army.mil). Residents are free to send their questions there, and the Garrison will get back to them as soon as possible. To see frequently asked questions (FAQ), residents can go to the new webpage <https://home.army.mil/dugway/faqs>. If there are any questions that residents feel would be valuable to add to the FAQ page, they can send that information to the Garrison to have that updated. Additionally, Dugway has transitioned to a new application to connect the Dugway community to Dugway information and resources. It is the My Army Post App (MAPA), and residents can download it on their personal cell phone/device. They can find a list of events and services, including phone numbers, locations, hours of operation, and much more.

For housing residents that do not have access to direct deposit payments, Resource Management is now accepting rent payments via Pay.gov. Housing inspections will be completed in July 2025. There will be a community housing beautification effort in April, and sprinklers/air conditioning are estimated to be turned on mid-May, as soon as it is warm enough. Mr. Peterson also reminded residents that they are responsible for taking care of their yards in accordance with the Housing Policy. If residents have a pest problem that is out of control, a large section of lawn that needs sod, a need for dumpsters for cleanup efforts, etc., they should call in a work order or call housing, as appropriate. Housing questions can be addressed via email to [Dugway\\_Housing\\_Office@army.mil](mailto:Dugway_Housing_Office@army.mil) or phone at 435-831-3541.

Mr. Peterson discussed the use of Self-Help and those resources available to the residents. He explained the recycling program, to include what can and cannot be recycled and the circumstances in which recycled items might be sent to the landfill. He also discussed the housing rates and the relative consistency of the rates over the years, to include utilities and the free amenities available on Dugway versus living off the Installation.

Various upcoming community events were discussed, to include Earth Day and the grand opening of the Victory Garden, which are happening on 22 April from 1200-1400. The Victory Garden Clean Up and Potluck will occur on 25 April (there will be a speaker from USU). The grand opening of the Keetch Army Community and Family Room will be a great resource for the community and workforce for parties and personal events. That grand opening will coincide with the Splash into Summer event on 22 May. Many other MWR events and services offered by DECA, AAFES, ACS, SHARP, and Religious Services were all discussed. Additionally, there are 12 weeks of CYS Summer Camps available this summer with a wide range of activities.

Finally, a wide range of community updates were discussed, including the status of the AAFES renovation, new vending machines that have been and will be installed, and the current and projected plans for spaces such as the community complex, fitness center, and dog park.

**Q:** With the new fence around the playground at the hotel, is the community still allowed to use it?

**A:** Yes, the fence was installed for safety purposes. It is still available for the community to use.