

Pigs in Suits

Executive Summary
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If you are new to [Eagle Mountain City](#), you may not know it but our [award-winning government](#) is a cesspool of political corruption. My latest discovery is that our city's employees have been using their [city-issued credit cards](#) to purchase [thousands of meals](#) for themselves, their coworkers, their friends, and sometimes even their spouses at area restaurants. They have also made hundreds of purchases from other companies that aren't traditional government vendors.

So far, [Mayor Chris Pengra](#) has failed to hold anyone accountable for the illegal transactions. In fact, he did his best to make it as difficult as possible for the public to learn about them by charging over \$1,056 for the city's credit card statements. He also delayed their release for many months and is still refusing to turn over dozens of statements. [Fionnuala Kofoed](#), the city recorder, [admitted their existence](#) in a Utah State Records Committee appeal hearing, and [Jeremy Cook](#), the city's attorney, [promised to turn over any missing statements free of charge](#), but [he still hasn't done so](#) although he's had a year to fulfill his promise.

When I tried to get the [Utah State Records Committee](#) to issue an official order that would force the city to turn them over, they refused to do so. [Paul Tonks](#), their legal counsel from the Utah Attorney General's Office, even prepared the [legal documents](#) that legitimized this cover-up by never mentioning the missing statements that were part of my appeal hearing. In addition, someone also "edited" the audio recording of the hearing so part of an embarrassing exchange between Cook, the city's attorney, and [Patricia Smith-Mansfield](#), the State Archivist, was [deleted from the public record](#). Only a [small segment](#) is now available.

[Ifo Pili](#) and [Paul Jerome](#), the city's administrators, also played key roles in the obfuscation of the city's food purchases by not disclosing them in the city's budgets or on the [state's transparency website](#). And Pili's [statement in a February 2013 town hall meeting](#) gives a much different impression of the city's true food spending than the actual data from the city's credit card statements for [that fiscal year](#). Both individuals are also guilty of helping many of the city's employees get [exorbitant raises](#) during the FY2012 to FY2014 period.

[John Dougall](#), the Utah State Auditor, also participated in the cover-up by refusing to report on the illegal credit card transactions even though he was given copies of some of the [most scandalous statements](#) before he published his [recent audit report](#) on the city. His report also failed to disclose the fact that he knew that the wife of [Nate Ochsenhirt](#), a former city council member, bought a [1/3 acre parcel](#) of land from the city for [only \\$2,159](#). When this parcel was combined with their adjacent housing lot, they realized a gain in the tens of thousands of dollars!

But it gets worse. When I forwarded an [eyewitness account](#) of some of the city's corruption to the [Utah County Attorney's Office](#) for prosecution, they refused to act on it. This statement details how Eagle Mountain's former mayor, [Heather Jackson](#), regularly used at least three different city employees to babysit her kids on the taxpayer's dime. They also occasionally cooked for her and cleaned her house. These facts can be corroborated by other witnesses.

You'd think that with all the government scat lying around in Eagle Mountain that someone in the state's law enforcement hierarchy would want to prosecute our corrupt government officials, but so far, none of them have. This isn't all that surprising since the state's last two attorney generals were each [indicted for committing multiple felonies](#). Now that [Sean Reyes](#) is in charge, hopefully things will change.

The full "Pig in Suits" report can be found at: www.eagleshare.org. If you found this one page summary disturbing, just wait until you read the full report!

Partial List of Eagle Mountain City Credit Card Purchase Locations 2010-2013

FOOD

Apollo Burger	Five Guys	Los Hermanos	Smart Cookie Co
Applebee's	Gateway Grill	Maceys	Smith's Food
Arctic Circle	Gloria's Little Italy	Market Street Grill	So. Pt. Coroafo Café
Astro Burger	Golden Corral	Marley's Gourmet Sliders	Sonic Drive-in
Bajío Mexican Grill	Gondolfo's Deli	Maverick Country Store	Su Casa Mexican Restaurant
Braza Grill	Goodwood BBQ	McDonald's	Subway
Buffalo Wild Wings	Gourmet Gift Baskets	McGrath's Public Fish House	Sushi House
Burger Inc.	Great Steak and Potato	Mimi's Cafe	Taco Time
Burger King	Gun Barrel Steak	New China Express	TCBY DIA Conc
Café El Lago	Hall of Fame Grill	Nothing Bundt Cakes	Tenochtitlan Market
Cafe Rio	Happy Sumo	Olive Garden	Texas Roadhouse
Café Zupas	Harmon's	Outback Restaurant	Thaifoon Taste
Carl's Jr	Hires Big H	P.F. Chang's	Thanksgiving Point
Chick-Fil-A	iHop	Papa John's	The Dodo Restaurant
Chili's	In-N-Out Burger	Paradise Bakery & Cafe	The Downtown Philly
China Express	Jalisco Market	Pizza Hut	The Italian Place
Chipotle Restaurant	JB's Restaurant	Pizza Pie Cafe	The Ranches Grill
Chuck-A-Rama	JCW Restaurant	R & R BBQ	The Smoking Apple
Circle K	Jim's Family Restaurant	Red Iguana	TITA's Grill & Catering
Clubexpress	Jimmy John's	Red Lobster	Tokyo Japanese Steakhouse
Cold Stone	Joe Morley's BBQ	Red Robin	Tucanos Brazilian Grill
Costa Vida Restaurant	KFC	Rib City Grill	Village Inn Restaurant
Country Bakery	Kneaders	Rodizio Grill	Village Pizza
Cracker Barrel	Koi Japanese Cuisine	Ruby River	Wal-Mart Supercenter
Crown Burger Restaurant	Leslie's Family Tree	Rumbi Island Grill	WalMart
Del Taco	Lisa's Country Kitchen	Scaddy Time	Wasatch Deli
Denny's Restaurant	Little Caesars	Sconecutter	Wendy's
Dickey's	Little Corner Café	Sean's Smokehouse	Wingers
Dippidee	Loftes - A Private Club	Shari's Berries	Wingnutz
Dunford Bakery	Lokals	Simply Ice Cream	Won Won Wok
El Paisa Grill	Longhorn Steak House	Sizzler	Yapona Japanese Cuisine
El Pollo Loco	Los 2 Amigo's	SLCC Capitol Dining	Yogurt Bliss

OTHER

A A Callister Inc.	Deb's Shops	Lisa's Embroidery	Sportsman's Warehouse
A Mad Mans Hobby Store	Dillard's	Maurice's	Spread shirt
Accessorygeeks.com	Disco Go Tech	Maynard Buckles	Stop Falling .com
All About Fuel and Food	Eddie Bauer	MTM American Watch	Target
Amazon	Epic Biking	Mybullfrog.com	The Buckle Online
Apple iTunes Store	Express	Natl Ropers Supply	The Hawaiian Lei
Apple Online Store	EZ Ticket live	Old Navy	The Webstaurant
Aprons and Socks	FTD Flowers	Oriental Trading Post	TJ Max
Backyards Inc	Fun saver	Partyland	TL Marshall Company
Banana Republic	Gamestop	Petsmart	Tough Enough to Wear Pink
Barnes & Noble	Guitar Center	Pioneer Party	Towne Cinemas
Bass Pro Shops	Gumball Machine Factory	Pro Rodeo Hall of Fame	Toywiz
Best Buy	Hancock Fabrics	Professional Rodeo Cowboy	Trafalga Place
Big 5 Sporting Goods	Happy Trails Tack	Ream's Western Outfitters	Utah Jazz
Bouncing Bins rentals	Hermanstreet.com	Red Hanger	Utah RV Rentals
BUY.COM	Hoffman Boots	Res Kayak.com	Van Heusen
BYU Ticket Office	Hogle Zoo.org	Ribbons Galore	VF Outlet
Cabela's	Home Fabrics	Ross Store	Wal-Mart
Cal Ranch	Hy O Silver	Runners Corner	Water Gardens Cinema
Christmas LI	Jack and Jills Bowling	Sankey Rodeo School	Wilkinson Trophy
Columbia Sportswear	Joann Fabric	Scentsy	www.Kohls.com
Coyote Threads	King	Snapfish	Zagg Mill Creek
Custom Wristbands	Kohl's	Spirit Halloween	Zerbee