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JORDYN FORBIS TAKES ON “MAYOR FOR A DAY” DUTIES
High School Student Joins the City Tomorrow

A student from New Horizon High School is scheduled to be Pocatello’s next “Mayor for a Day” according to Mayor Brian Blad. “Jordyn Forbis will be joining us tomorrow, October 25, 2011, and I’m looking forward to showing her what public service entails,” he said.

Jordyn and Mayor Blad’s first order of business is to meet with City staff members. The two will also meet with the Bannock County Commissioners at the Courthouse and check in with the County Elections Administrator to see how absentee voting is going for the City’s election. Shortly after 1:00 p.m., Jordyn will return to school.

“I believe this program has been a great opportunity to show our future leaders what government does,” said Mayor Blad. “I’m proud to serve as our city’s mayor, and I hope to inspire our youth to be involved in government, whether as a citizen, a public servant or an elected official.”

Jordyn Forbis is a senior at New Horizon High School. She was chosen by her school because of her interest and passion for politics and community involvement. She is a member of student government, as well as a member of the Mayors Youth Advisory Council.

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Note: The Mayor for a Day program is open to middle and high school students. Every public and private school in Pocatello will have an opportunity to select a student to participate. Selection is done solely by each school.

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