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## **Spooktacular Halloween Fun with Salt Lake's Mayors**

*Children's Museum to Host Second Annual Mayoral Pumpkin Carve-off*

SALT LAKE CITY—Discovery Gateway children's museum will host its second annual Mayoral Pumpkin Carve-off as a preview to the Museum's family-friendly *Halloween Spooktacular* activities this Friday, October 30<sup>th</sup>. Mayors Peter Corroon and Ralph Becker will face off, with the winner being decided by Salt Lake's youngest voters-to-be—the Museum guests!

On Saturday, October 31<sup>st</sup>, the Museum will host an entire day of non-scary activities for its *Halloween Spooktacular* celebration. From noon to 8pm, families can enjoy activities ranging from pumpkin painting and decorating a trick-or-treat bag to a magic show and costume parade. For more information about the Museum's *Halloween Spooktacular*, visit [www.dgspooktacular.org](http://www.dgspooktacular.org).

**WHO:** Discovery Gateway Children's Museum  
Salt Lake County Mayor Peter Corroon  
Salt Lake City Mayor Ralph Becker

**WHY:** To support Discovery Gateway's *Halloween Spooktacular*, a non-scary celebration that offers families interactive and fun Halloween activities.

**WHEN & WHERE:** Friday, October 30, 1pm – 2pm  
Discovery Gateway  
444 West 100 South  
Salt Lake City, UT 84101

**VISUALS:** Salt Lake's Mayors in costume, participating in the classic Halloween activity of pumpkin carving. Children and Museum staff in costume, with the Museum decorated in a harvest theme.

### **About Discovery Gateway...**

Discovery Gateway children's museum is located in downtown Salt Lake City at 444 West 100 South and is a contemporary discovery center offering 60,000 square feet of interactive, hands-on fun. The engaging workshops, programs, and exhibits invite the whole family to create, learn, and play together. It is the mission of Discovery Gateway to inspire children of all ages to imagine, discover, and connect with their world to make a difference. For information, please call (801) 456-5437, or visit us at [www.discoverygateway.org](http://www.discoverygateway.org)

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