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Spooktacular Halloween Fun at Discovery Gateway

Children's Museum to Host Third Annual Halloween Spooktacular Event, Including a Mayoral Pumpkin Carve-off

SALT LAKE CITY—Discovery Gateway children's museum will host its third annual *Halloween Spooktacular* event on Saturday, October 30th from noon to 6pm. As a preview to the event, the Museum will also host its third annual Mayoral Pumpkin Carve-off on Friday, October 29th at 11am. Mayor Ralph Becker and Deputy Mayor Nicole Dunn will face off, with the winner being decided by Salt Lake's youngest voters-to-be—the Museum guests!

On Saturday, October 30th, the Museum will host an entire day of non-scary activities. From noon to 6pm, families can enjoy activities ranging from a mini-corn maze and a witches and wizards party to a family costume contest and magic show with magician Mike Hamilton. For more information about the Museum's *Halloween Spooktacular*, visit www.dgspooktacular.org.

WHO: Discovery Gateway Children's Museum
Salt Lake County Deputy Mayor Nicole Dunn
Salt Lake City Mayor Ralph Becker
Salt Lake County First Lady, Amy Corroon

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

WHEN & WHERE: Friday, October 29, 11am – 12pm; and Saturday, October 30, 12pm – 6pm
Discovery Gateway
444 West 100 South
Salt Lake City, UT 84101

VISUALS: Salt Lake's Mayors participating in the classic Halloween activity of pumpkin carving. Children and Museum staff in costume engaged in holiday-themed activities, 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

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